



"The Lord has shown the strength of his arm, and scattered the proud in their conceit." Luke 1:51

August 15th, 2010

Solemnity of the Assumption

Readings for Next Sunday

1st Reading: Isaiah 66.18-21
2^d Reading: Hebrews 12.5-7, 11-13
Gospel: Luke 13.22-30

Ministries for Next Weeks Liturgy

Readers
5 pm Cathy Boland, Chris Buhagiar
10 am Dennie Radcliffe, Corry Van Lith



Eucharistic Ministers:

5 pm Rose Gallagher, Roseanne Worfolk, Natalie Stretton
10 am Pam Daley, Gerry Gualandris, Marg McSweeney



Ushers:

5 pm Steve & Janice Craig
10 am David Hart, Larry White



Altar Servers:

5 pm Bridget & Kathleen Shaw, Matt Denney
10 am Katie McGrath, Gian & Krizia Coronel, Nick Renouf



Children's Liturgy:

There is no Children's Liturgy of the Word during the summer.



Church Cleaners:

August 23-31
Joyce Kufra & Carl Good



Please Pray for our Sick

If you would like our parish to pray for a sick relative or friend please call the parish office at (905) 987-5446 and we will be happy to include their names in our Sunday Eucharist.

Financial Information

August 7-8
Sunday Offertory \$1,797.35
Mortgage Reduction Fund \$ 61.00
Parish Euchre Profits \$ 791.45



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Parish Web Site:
www.sfarcc.org

Mass Schedule & Intentions

August 16th - August 22nd

There are no weekday masses as Fr. Peter is on vacation.

Saturday, August 21 5:00 pm Mass for the People
Sunday, August 22 10:00 am For Joseph Formosa
Requested by The Formosa Family

Summer Eucharist Schedule

July 4th - September 5th (inclusive)

Mass Times: Saturday, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 10:00 am



Our regular schedule returns Sept 11/12 weekend.

From the Pastor Desk

Wedding Information

- You must be a member of the parish community.
- 6-month notice must be given to the Parish Pastor before setting the date
- A Marriage Preparation course must be taken prior to the wedding date.



Baptism Information

- 2-months notice is required
- Speak to the Pastor following mass to receive information regarding Baptism
- One Godparent must be Roman Catholic
- A Baptismal Preparation Course is required
- Baptisms are celebrated during Sunday Liturgy



Thought for the Week

"The infinite goodness has such wide arms that it takes whatever turns to it" Dante Alighieri

Biblical Haikus

Beware false prophets.
Cheap promises scatter like fortune cookie crumbs.

Fr. Peter Seabrooke

Bible Study Opportunity

Beginning in late September, Regis College will offer a six session course – Word Beyond Image and Text: *Sensus Plenior* in the Contemplation of Scripture – introducing the St. John's Bible and important themes in spirituality, theology and biblical studies. The course will be offered at both Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre in Pickering and Regis College on the St. George Campus of the University of Toronto. Join thousands of people in the greater Toronto area who are renewing their reverence for the Word of God through an encounter with a rare, art quality, full sized facsimile of the St. John's Bible, the first complete Bible to be scribed and illuminated by hand in over 500 years. For more information please email inquiries@regiscollege.ca, call 416-922-5474 x221 or visit http://www.regiscollege.ca/SJB_at_RegisCollege.

Weekly Offering Option

Are you aware that we offer the service of using automatic withdrawal for your parish weekly offering? With this electronic support, you decide what a fair and constant contribution is for you, and set that up with our Parish Secretary. We currently have approximately 20 users. This means fewer envelopes to open, enter and deposit weekly. A tremendous time-saver! Thank you for your support in keeping our parish strong and vital.



Mark Your Calendars – Farmer's Forum

Here we go again! St. Francis Parish is proudly presenting our 2nd Annual Farmer's Forum & Feast event to celebrate our farmers. **One Night ONLY!!**



When: October 2nd, 2010
Where: St. Francis Parish Hall
Price: \$25.00
Theme: Jeans, Cowboy Hats, etc.

Tickets are available by calling the 905 987 5446 (T/W/T) 9-3:00.

Marriage Preparation Course

St. Therese Parish in Courtice will hold their next Marriage Preparation Course on Friday September 17th from 6:00pm to 10:00 pm and Saturday September 18th from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm. The cost is \$150.00 and includes lunch on Saturday and all materials. Space is limited in the course and registration will be on a first come first serve basis. Please call Bernadette at 905-436-2126 to begin the registration process or for more information.



Pilgrimage to Martyr's Shrine - August 22nd, 2010

Departs Peterborough at 8 am & Lindsay at 8:45 am. Mass at the Shrine at 1:30 pm, followed by Stations of the Cross, celebrant Rev. Joseph Devereaux. Departs Shrine at 4:30 pm, stops for dinner. Call Pamela @ 905 986 9967 for more info.

St. Therese Quebec Pilgrimage

If you are interested in joining St. Therese Parish Pilgrimage to Quebec August 24-27, please call Gloria at 905-432-3946. Seating is limited. The cost will be \$376.00 (single) and \$572.07 (double). Itinerary will be available shortly.

Motorcoach Trip (Shrine of Cap-de-la Madeline)

Join us Sept 13-15, 2010! We will visit Old Montreal-Basilica of Notre Dame and Old City for lunch then onto Shrine of Cap-de-la-Madeline & St. Joseph's Shrine of Blessed Brother Andre. Three day trip -two night stay at Cap-de-la-Madeline Shrine. Contact the parish office for more info 905 885 6793.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land - Nov. 3 - 12/2010

There is still some room left for this wonderful trip. Cost 2,898.00 + taxes. Price includes: Round-trip airfare from Toronto return, accommodations, breakfast & dinner daily, professional English speaking local guide, sightseeing fees and comfortable motor coach. For information call Fr. Randy Foster @ 905 885 6793.



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