

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

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The Common Good, Personhood, Solidarity, Subsidiarity The Principles of the Church's Social Teaching

88. How does the common good come about?

Every human being and every social group has proper interests that are more or less justified. To desire the "common good" means to be capable of thinking beyond one's own needs. We must be interested in the good of all, even of people nobody thinks about because they have no voice and no power. The goods of the earth are there for everyone. And if each person thinks only of himself, then coexistence becomes a war of all against all. The common good, however, consists not only of the material or external good of all human being; it also includes the comprehensive good of the human being. Therefore concern about the spiritual good is part of the common good, too. No aspect of human existence can be left out of consideration.

89. How should we deal with the good of the earth?

God created the world for all. The earth with human aid produces goods and harvests. In principle, they should be at the disposal of all without preferential treatment and be applied for the good of all. Every person has the right to what is vitally necessary, which must not be withheld from him, even though we know that there is a right to property and that there will always be differences in how much people own. If some have more than enough but others lack the bare necessities of life, this calls not only for charity but above all for justice.

HOLY WEEK COLLECTIONS

You have contributed \$962.00 for the poor on Holy Thursday
The amount on Good Friday for the Holy Land was \$4,202.00
The Easter Collection was \$10,165.00

Thank you very much for your generosity!

'VOCATION SEEDS'

Easter! Resurrection and new life; a new life shared from an earthen tomb. This has been the meaning of life for Christian people for two thousand years. There is nothing more secure, nothing more lasting. Come and share the thrill of proclaiming this truth through your life as a priest, religious or deacon.

Call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director,
Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997
email: vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca

**We need no wings to go in search of him, but have only
to look upon him present within us.**

-St. Teresa of Jesus-

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday April 7:

5:00 pm +Sebastiao Braganza
+Manuel Sr. & Felisa Tan
+Joseph & Rosie Fernandes
+Flavia Maelzer
+Margaret Mascarenhas
Intention of Amanda Rodrigues
In Thanksgiving of Almeida Family

Sunday April 8:

9:00 am +Maria Olga de Souza

10:30 am +Jeanine Beaudreau

12:00 pm Pro-Populo

Monday April 9:

9:00 am +Wilfredo Ylagan

Tuesday April 10:

9:00am In Thanksgiving of Ferrao Family

Wednesday April 11:

7:30 pm +Mafaldina D'Souza

Thursday April 12:

9:00 am Special Intention

Friday April 13:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

7:30 pm +Anthony Philip de Souza

Saturday April 14:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

on Fridays with Mass at 9:30 am concluded
with Benediction at 7:00 pm and Mass at 7:30 pm

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

The Feast Day Mass is today April 8th at 12 noon followed by singing of the Chaplet and Benediction.

Parishioners are encouraged to attend.

ST ANTHONY NOVENA

The thirteen consecutive Tuesday Novena in honour of St. Anthony: Mass at 7:30 followed by Novena Prayers and Benediction.

April 8, 2018

SHARELIFE

Living the Gospel through immediate mental health services

Mental health problems can escalate if not addressed quickly. That's why the five Catholic Family Services agencies in the Archdiocese of Toronto now offer walk-in counseling. This initiative can often meet clients' need without requiring longer term counseling. Clients report a clinically significant increase in confidence that they can tackle their problems. By supporting ShareLife, you're helping restore hope to those in crisis.

April 22 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.

**Our Parish Goal: \$44,000.00
Our Parish Collection to Date: \$13,000.00**

NEW RCIA CLASSES

will start on April 15, 2018 to September 30, 2018.

- Pre-registration with Fr. Sultana is mandatory
- Classes are on Sundays from 10:00 am to 11:45 am
- Candidates must participate in the Mass at 9 am or 12 pm on Sundays or at the 5 pm Mass on Saturdays and attend weekday Masses as often as they can
- Classes are in English only
- Candidates are requested to start reading Catholic Bible and pray The Rosary as a preparation
- Parishioners are requested to pray for the new candidates.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Tel: 647 772 1319 www.svdptoronto.org

“Yes, the first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, but there must also be acts of mercy I am giving you three ways of exercising mercy towards your neighbor: first by deed, second by word, and third by prayer.” (Divine Mercy Diary of St. Faustina-Notebook 11 #742)

Thank you for your continued support to the less fortunate.

The Poor Box collection for March 2018 was \$1,421.23.

We also thank all those who prepared the ‘Thunder & Lightning’ casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre.

It is better to keep silence and be something than to talk and be nothing. - St. Ignatius of Antioch

FAMILY OF FAITH

Where to Send Payments:

Thank you for your commitment to our parish's Family of Faith campaign. To help ensure our parish benefits from your help on a timely basis, please make sure your payment is up-to-date. Payments should not be left at the parish office or not place in the collection basket. Donations/ payments can be sent directly to the
Donation Processing Centre
Family of Faith Campaign
1155 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON
M4T 1W2

Pre-addressed envelopes are available at the gift shop.

You should contact the Centre when your address changes, your payment method/information changes (eg. A new card or a new card expiry date). The email address is campaign@archtoronto.org and 416 934 3400 x555.

FREE ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Saturday April 21, 2018 at 9:30 am

Catholic Cemeteries and the estate planning team will share information and an estate planning kit will be provided at no cost

Location: Christ the King Catholic Cemetery
7770 Steeles Ave. East,
Markham, ON

Refreshment will be provided

RSVP: Frank Jannetta

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services
416 733 8544 ext 2023
fjannetta@cc-fs.ca

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

2018 Charities Lottery

In support of Special Olympics, Ontario; The Arthritis Society and Local Charities.

Draw Date: July 12, 2018 \$5.00 per Ticket

Grand Cash Prize of \$200,000
500 Prizes valued at over \$500,000

Tickets will be available after all Weekend Masses in the foyer starting next weekend. With your support we will be able to help those in need.