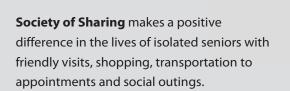
"Society of Sharing is great... a small agency that provides wonderful volunteers for friendly visiting." Helen



Please give generously.

2014 Parish Campaign Next Sunday, June 1, 2014 is the third ShareLife Collection



you can work wonders!

Contact your parish or the ShareLife Office at 416.934.3411 or 1.800.263.2595 //ShareLifeCan @@ShareLifeCan

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## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



## SHARELIFE

Working wonders for the elderly... Carolyn retired from nursing and social work before she started with Society of Sharing. She initially became involved in friendly visiting and then moved on to coordinate their volunteers. "There are so many isolated seniors on a fixed income who can't afford to move." says Carolyn, "We can make such a positive difference in their lives with friendly visits, shopping, and transportation to medical appointments and social outings."

Last year ShareLife supported agencies met the needs of over 3,400 seniors with outreach service programs.

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#### **Catholic Charities Launches New Website**

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto has a new website that's user friendly, simpler to navigate and packed with helpful information. The site makes it much easier for pastors, parishioners and the public to contact a Catholic Charities member agency. Take a moment and have a look: www.catholiccharitiestor.org

#### <u>St. Augustine's Seminary Centenary Open House</u> June 1 – 1 to 5 p.m. 2661 Kingston Rd, Scarborough

St. Augustine's opens its doors to the public. Tour this historic Catholic landmark including the chapel, library, seminarian floors, dining hall and seminary grounds. Meet members of the faculty, seminarians and representatives from ShareLife and Catholic Charities. Come and see the place where so many vocations began as we celebrate the 100th anniversary of St. Augustine's Seminary. For more information, call 416-261-7207 or visit <u>www.staugustines.on.ca</u>.

"The Lord said," I will not leave you orphaned." Pray for an increase of vocations to the ordained and consecrated life. If God is calling you, contact **Fr. Hansoo Park at 416-968-0997.** email vocations@vocations.ca www.vocationstoronto.ca

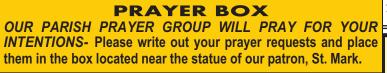


#### **BUNDLE UP WEEKEND** MAY 24-25, 2014 The SVDP truck will be in our parking lot this weekend

coats, children's wear, baby clothes, shoes, boots, household goods, drapes, books, toys,

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accessories. For info visit <u>www.ssvptoronto.ca</u>. <u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: NO MATTRESSES OR APPLICANCES ACCEPTED. DO NOT BRING YOUR DONATIONS PRIOR TO THIS DATE. Thank you!



2014 OFFERTORY BOXES NO LONGER AVAILABLE FOR GENERAL PICK UP You must call the office and make arrangements to pick up you box.

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK Tuesday, May 27th @ 7.00 pm

Pat Hughes+ req. by Fr. Michael Bob Busato+ req. by Donna & Family Wednesday, May 28th@ 8.30 am Teachers of St. Paul's School req. by Fr. Michael Thursday, May 29th @ 7.30 pm Bibiano Gaerlan+ and Leopoldo Casin+ req. by Piedad Family Friday, May 30th @ 8.30 am In Thanksgiving req. by Jeannine Amyotte Saturday, May 31st at 9.00 am Pope, Bishops & Priests req. by Fr. Michael Hughes & McConville Families req. by Fr. Michael Ivelda Cavoto req. by Fr. Michael Mrs. Lippe+ req. by Brigitte Ward Saturday, May 31st at 5.00 pm St. Mark's Community req. by Fr. Michael Sunday, June 1st @ 9:00 am Daniel Ciardullo+ req. by Mario & Lucy Ciardullo & Family Sunday, June 1st @ 11.00 am Sara Girard+ req. by Fr. Michael



Features CD, Books & Booklets. For purchase by donation. All material faithful to Christ.

Great way to rekindle our faith as Catholics and sharing with family & friends

#### **Feature CD of the week: Trust in the Lord** Fr. Thomas Richter. This talk is practical. It is for everyone – beginners and masters in the spiritual life. We all know that growth in holiness is largely about growing trust in our Lord Jesus Christ. But how does one do that realistically? I this talk, Bismarck Diocese Vocations Director Fr. Tom Richter will describe in concrete terms what the interior act of trust looks like, and what we must choose in order to grow in trust.



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#### **UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS**

TUES. May 27 @ 3:45 - 5:30 pm Confirmation Rehearsal-Group C

TUES. May 27 @ 7:30 – 8:00 pm

Confirmation Confessions-Group C

TUES. May 27 @ 7:30 pm Family Life & Drug Abuse Interactive Seminar

THURS. May 29 @ 9:00 am

Last monthly Coffee Morning until the autumn

FRI. May 30 @ 7:00 pm Confirmation-Group C

SAT. May 31 @ 10:30 – 12 noon

First Communion Rehearsal-Group B

SUN. June 1@ 3:00 pm

First Communion Group B

SAT/SUN May 30/June 1

ShareLife Collection – 3<sup>rd</sup> Offering

## SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE **BEGINS MAY 18, 2014**

Tuesday	- 7.00 pm
Wed. Thurs. Fri,	- 8.30 am
Saturday	- 9.00 am & 5 pm
Sunday	-9.00 am & 11 am
Weekday Solemnities	-7.30 pm only
First Friday Holy Hour	-7.00 pm

## **Family Life and Drug Abuse Interactive Seminar**

Tuesday, May 27 @7:30 pm–Parish Hall and myth disruption re drugs and drug abuse. Facilitator Norman Panzica will deal with prevention, detection, coping, with practical tips on positive preventive parenting.

**Canonization Website** www.archtoronto.org/canonizations

÷ PRAY FOR THE SICK Beverly Semon, Roybn MacPherson, Darrel Boddington, Debbie Beauchamp, Patrick Mariani, James Villanueva & Douglas Ciceri Sr.

## SAVE THE DATE!

Totus Tuus Summer Camp\_July 13th – 18th, 2014 Children and youth of our parish are invited to join us for the Totus Tuus Summer Program at St. Mark. The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday to Friday from 9 am to 2:30 pm. The cost is only \$75 for the first child in the family and \$60 for each additional sibling. The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs Sunday to Thursday from 7pm to 9pm and is free. Registration forms will be available for pickup at the church, St. Brendan school, St. Brigid school. St. Mark school, or can be downloaded from the St. Mark Church website at www.stmarkstouffville.ca. First come, first served basis. More information about the program is also available at www.totustuustoronto.ca

#### Amelia's Annual Pilgrimage To Shrines of Quebec Sat. Aug. 23 – Mon. Aug. 25

St. Joseph's Oratory, Our Lady of the Cape, St. Anne de Beaupre, Notre Dame Du Quebec, Sanctuaire de Beauvoir, St. Petegrine

COST	
\$300 per person	2 Nights at Madonna Hotel
(double occupancy)	
\$295 per person	2 Breakfasts
(triple occupancy)	
\$396 per person	2 Dinners
(single occupancy)	

Luxury air conditioned coach. Seats are limited. First come first serve. Deposit of \$100 to reserve. Call Amelia @905-591-1570 or email ameliachongling@yahoo.com

#### ST. MARK'S PARISH MOVIE NIGHT Friday, June 6th at 7:30 pm

Before the summer break, we will be hosting one more parish movie night. We invite you to come and watch the beautiful film Miracle **Our** Lady of entitled The of Fatima. This much loved movie thoughtfully recreates the 1917 events that brought hope and new religious fervour to a war-ravaged world. Three peasant youths see a vision: a woman in a cloud of light offering words of faith and prophecy. This interactive seminar will focus on family life They face skepticism and torture- but are soon embraced by faithful masses drawn by the promise of a miracle. As the New York journal- American observed, the movie "lights up the screen like a ray of sunshine." There will be no charge to attend but goodwill offerings towards our parish's youth activities are gratefully accepted. Snacks and drinks will be sold for a small fee.

Running time: 102 minutes

Thank you for your generosity **Our Weekly Offertory** \$ 5,395.00

