

# ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

1001 Ravenscroft Road Aiax, Ontario L1T 4X1 © (905) 683-1403

Fax: (905) 683-2301

# THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY **BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST**

CORPUS CHRISTI - JUNE 19TH 2022



He blessed it, broke and gave it to his disciples saying, "Take this all of you and eat of it, this IS my body." Then he took a cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. This IS my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins." - Matthew 26:26-28

Our mission at St. Francis de Sales is to joyfully welcome you to our parish family of faith, trusting that: if you are seeking Christ, you will find Him here. If grieving, you will receive comfort. If troubled in spirit, you will receive the blessing of peace without being judged. If discouraged, you will rejoice in hope. If alone, you will find companionship and Christian love. May our parish be a sanctuary of peace for you as we journey together to the Father's house.

#### **Parish Hours**

#### **DAILY MASS**

MONDAY - THURSDAY 9:00 am **FRIDAY** 7:00 pm **SATURDAY** 9:00 am

#### SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY 5:00 pm

8:30 am | 10:15 am | 12:00 pm | 7:00 pm SUNDAY

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**FRIDAY** 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm SATURDAY 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:30 am - 3:30 pm **SATURDAY** 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

#### **Parish Contacts**

@ ext 108

© ext 103

@ ext 100

FR. JOSEPH SINGH PASTOR sfdspastor@gmail.com © ext 105

ASSOCIATE PASTOR FR. DAVID TWADDLE

fr.twaddle@gmail.com @ ext 104

DEACON **DEACON ALBAN SOARES** alban.soares@gmail.com

PARISH OFFICE VANESSA LOWING

**ADMINISTRATOR** stfrancisdesales@archtoronto.org

CONFIRMATION, NOAH AQUINO naquino@archtoronto.org

RECONCILIATION dawn.selda@archtoronto.org © ext 102

DAWN SELDA

CONNECT WITH US!

& YOUTH MINISTRY

FIRST COMMUNION,

**■** @SFDSAjax

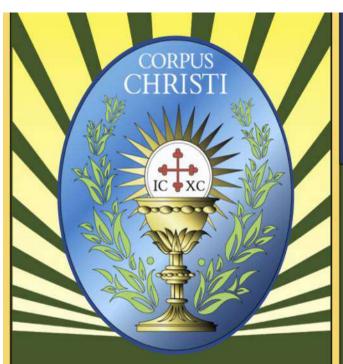
**y**@SFDS\_youth







www.stfrancisdesales.archtoronto.org



For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

1 Corinthians 11:23-24

## Celebrating Father's Day

Through tender love and care and life's adventures, over troubled waters and to God's kingdom, a father serves his children.





#### Live your best life.

Parkland Ajax Lifestyle Residences are designed to let you choose your level of carefree living with flexible packages to meet your dining, housekeeping and transportation needs.

Book an appointment to learn more: 905-424-9369



3 Rossland Rd West, Ajax experienceparkland.com/ajax



Interested in purchasing ad space?

Email: bulletins.sfds@gmail.com

Interested in purchasing ad space?

Email: bulletins.sfds@gmail.com

Donated in part by

CanadaCopy.com

Celebrating our 10<sup>th</sup> year with 10% off all orders (Coupon Code: 10years)



(Brochures, Postcards, Calendars, Business Cards, NCR Forms, Envelopes and more)

Free shipping for orders over \$200

100%
Satisfaction guaranteed.

Visit CanadaCopy.com
Canada's Source for discount printing.

1885 Clements Rd., #221 | Pickering Ontario | 877-503-2679 | info@canadacopy.com.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, 20 JUNE** 

9:00 AM S.I. EMMANUEL BURAGA

+ PATRICK MARTIL

+ TRUUS KOENDERS

**TUESDAY, 21 JUNE** 

9:00 AM S.I. AUGUSTINA OKAFOR

+ GWENDOLYN HIGGINS

**WEDNESDAY, 22 JUNE** 

9:00 AM + ROQUE GALAPIN

+ EDNA CLAYTON

+ GERTY STAVE

**THURSDAY, 23 JUNE** 

9:00 AM + ANTHONIYAPPILLAI ALFRED

+ ALFRED MATHESUPPILLAI

+ NILDA BERCASIO

**FRIDAY, 24 JUNE** 

7:00 PM S.I. THERESA VIECHWEG

+ WILLIAM PAUL

+ FILIPPO QUERCIA

**SATURDAY, 25 JUNE** 

9:00 AM S.I. IN THANKSGIVING TO THE SACRED

**HEART OF JESUS** 

5:00 PM S.I. IN THANKSGIVING FOR CARYL MARTIL

+ VERNON FERNANDES

**SUNDAY. 26 JUNE** 

8:30 AM + ANDREA RODRIGUES

10:15 AM S.I. THANKSGIVING FOR ANTO ALLES

+ GEERTRUIDA KOENDERS

+ JERTRUDE SANTHAMTILLAI

12:00 PM + MARIA SCARANO

+ TRUUS KOENDERS

7:00 PM FOR THE PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH



Please Note: There is NO 7 PM Mass on June 19.



May the Blessings and love of our Heavenly Father be yours this Father's Day!

#### SUNDAY AFTERNOON BBQ

St. Francis de Sales will be having a farewell and welcome BBQ for Fr. David and Fr. Steven on Sunday June 26<sup>th</sup> after the 12 noon Mass. All parishioners are welcome to attend as we celebrate and thank Fr. David for all that he has done.





Let us pray! For the sick members of our parish and for those who love and minister to them.

### **S1** ShareLife

Thank you for all that you are doing for the ShareLife campaign. We are very grateful for your generosity and support. To date, we have collected \$49,750 for the ShareLife appeal. This is 73% of our parish goal, which is \$69,000. You may also choose to give to the ShareLife appeal by way of credit card. To donate online go to: <a href="https://www.sharelife.org">www.sharelife.org</a>. The ShareLife appeal finishes at the end of December.



#### **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**

If you know of a non-Catholic living in our neighbourhood, who would like to join the Catholic Church, please have him or her phone Fr. Joe at 905-683-1403 ext. 105 for an appointment. Our classes will begin in **mid-September 2022.** 

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

We would like to congratulate our parishioner Nick Daunt, who was ordained this Saturday 18 June at St Michael's Cathedral to the permanent deaconate. Rev Mr. Daunt will be serving at Holy Redeemer Parish in Pickering. Next weekend Deacon Nick will be preaching at all our Masses.

# REVEREND MANNERS TEN COMMANDMENTS

By Msgr. James Carter

- 1. Thou shalt be on time for Mass.
- 2. Thou shalt dress properly and modestly.
- 3. Thou shalt respect the Church's worship space.
- 4. Thou shalt be polite to thy fellow parishioner when leaving the parking lot.
- 5. Thou shalt respect Church signs (Please turn off all cell phones and beepers, and not park in the staff parking lots).
- 6. Thou shalt observe the 1 hour fast and be reverent in receiving Communion (gum breaks the fast).
- 7. Thou shalt not steal from the Church.
- 8. Thou shalt participate in voice and song.
- 9. Thou shalt not disturb thy neighbour.
- 10. Thou shalt not depart Mass early.

#### **SVDP BUNDLE SUNDAY**



The St. Vincent de Paul society will be collecting gently used clothing and linens on the weekend of June 25/26. You can drop off your items at the truck that will be located

in the east parking lot. Please note they are not accepting any appliances, furniture, mattresses or dishes.

#### **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

I have a hard time accepting the Church's teaching that the Eucharist is Jesus' actual Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. Jesus was speaking metaphorically when He said that the bread and wine are His body and blood. After all, Jesus referred to himself as "the door" (Jn 10:9) and as "the true vine' (Jn 15:1).

Jesus does often speak in metaphors. But Jesus is speaking a little differently during the Last Supper. Saying "I am the door" is different from pointing to an actual material door saying, "This door is me." (For what it is worth, Jesus' followers seem to understand this distinction: when Jesus says that he is "the door" or "the true vine," no one starts looking for an actual door or vine). During the Last Supper, Jesus makes a direct statement about the nature of a specific, material object: "This [bread] is my body" and "This [wine] is my blood."

Jesus said that eating flesh has no profit and that the words he speaks are spirit and life (Jn 6:63). That means he must be speaking solely in a spiritual sense when he says the bread and wine are his flesh and blood.

Jesus often uses "flesh" and "spirit" to distinguish human understanding from divinely revealed truth. Jesus refers to this distinction when he says, "You judge according to the flesh, I judge no one. Yet even if I do judge, my judgment is true, for it is not I alone that judge, but I and he who sent me" (Jn 8:15-16).

In John 6, Jesus promises the Eucharist. The crowd understands him to be speaking literally and is horrified. Rather than explain that he was only speaking metaphorically, Jesus says, in effect, "You can't understand this right now because you are relying on human reason alone (the "flesh"). That won't help you here. You must rely on what I am telling you, which is divinely revealed truth (the "spirit")."

https://wvw.catholic.com/Eucharist?utm\_source=websit e\_shop&utm\_medium=banner\_hellobar&utm\_campaig n=insider\_leads&utm\_content=eucharist\_printable



"Have patience with all things, but first of all with yourself".

-St. Francis de Sales

#### Visit our NEW website:

www.stfrancisdesales.archtoronto.org



#### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

# Attention parents of our grade 1 students (and students in grades 2-6 who have not received First Holy Communion)!

As we get closer to the end of another wonderful school vear, we wanted to include some information to think about over the summer. Your child in Grade 2, with the help of our Catholic teachers, the sacramental team and our priests, will be preparing for two great sacraments; that of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. It is a very important year in your child's formation as a Catholic individual. We are happy to embark upon this special year with you and your family. In September, we will be having an Information/Registration meeting at the Church for you and your child that must be attended in order to receive the sacraments during the 2022/2023 year. The registration forms will be given to the students in our 6 Parish schools by their grade 2 teachers in September. All other registration forms can be picked up at the Parish office in September.

May God bless you and keep you and your family safe during your summer holidays. We look forward to seeing all of you at our registration meeting in September!

#### **CONFIRMATION**

#### **Attention grade 6 students and parents:**

Next school year, your child in grade 7 will have the opportunity to embark on a journey towards receiving the sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation is a decision that brings you to a point of spiritual maturity as you complete your sacraments of initiation and launches you into another phase of Catholic Christian relationship with Jesus.

We invite your family over the summer months, to spend some time in prayer and discussion to decide if you would like to have your child receive Confirmation. In September, registration forms will be given to the students in our 6 Parish schools by their grade 7 teachers. All other registration forms can be picked up at the Parish office in September. There will be a mandatory Information/Registration meeting at the Church for those who would like to receive the sacrament of Confirmation during the 2022/2023 school year.

We pray that you and your family have a safe and enjoyable summer. We look forward to seeing you at Mass each week and in September at our registration meeting







Tel: 416-839-6444 Tel: 905-619-2450

www.jajiorenovation.com

#### Residential & Commercial

Kitchen • Bathroom • Painting • Flooring • Tile

Cristian Vergara

"Your Amigo in Real Estate"

#### Traditional Funeral - Memorial Service - Celebration of Life - Simple Cremation or Burial

A family-owned funeral home in Ajax that is committed to providing your family with compassion, care, and convenience



CREMATORIUM & VISITATION CENTRE

384 Finley Avenue 289-372-3300 | www.ACVC.info

Finished Basements & Decks

#### **DURHAM SCHOOL OF MUSIC**

Est. 1987 • Durham's largest private music school

Enroll now for music lessons Royal Conservatory Exam Preparation Over 25 Music Instructors Classic-Rock-Country-Jazz-Folk 1000's of Music Books in stock

Located in Pickering Village, 109 Old Kingston Road Unit 5 905-428-6266 • 905-428-8792



ANTHONY B. ARCHIBALD B.A.(HONS), B.ED, M.A.(ECON), LL.B

Barrister & Solicitor

8 GOODHART CRESCENT AJAX, ON. L1T 4J1

PHONE: (905) 239-4093 FAX: (905) 239-4953 EMAIL: TONYBLAW@AQL



dentistry **n**ajax

905-427-5553

300 Rossland Rd. East, Unit 100 **Open Monday to Saturday!** 



#### Accounting & Taxes

**Personal & Business Taxes Bookkeeping & Accounting** 

**GREGORY BADLEY, CPA, CGA Chartered Professional Accountant** 

Tel: 905-427-1121 www.gregorybadley.com

Direct: 416-225-2290 www.TheAmigo.ca

Office: 905-619-9500 Sutton sutton group - heritage realty inc., brokerage



#### **REED'S FLORIST LTD**

845 Westney Road South Ajax, ON L1S 3M4 Pickering Town Centre, Pickering Oshawa Centre, Oshawa

Ajax's Original Florist Bringing Beauty to Life for Over a Century 905-683-6060 / 888-733-3356 www.reedsflorists.com



# Jones - Dooley Insurance Brokers

103 Church St. S., Ajax

JDInsurance.ca













www.ecsdigital.ca

# BANQUET HALLS

10 Milner Business Court, Scarborough, ON M1B3C6



Life is an event Make it memorable

**Business Owner** 

T: 416 438 4711 C: 416 917 2028

rembrandtbanquethalls@rogers.cor

## At need or planning ahead, start here:

Scott McEachnie - Manager David McEachnie - Regional Manager



McEachnie Funeral Home by Arbor Memorial

28 Old Kingston Road, Ajax, ON 905-428-8488 · mceachniefuneral.ca

Arbor Memorial Inc.



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES FUNERAL SERVICES

ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

Christ the King Cemetery, Markham Tel. 905 471-0121

Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby Tel. 905 668-8912

Visit our website at www.catholic-cemeteries.com for information about our ministry.



Michael Vasquez, CNE, SRES

Mobile: 647-212-5900 Office: 905-666-0000

ail: michael@michaelvasquezh

CENTURY 21

eading Edge Realty Inc.





Flooring Sales. Installations Residential. Commercial

Servicing the Insurance industry

Lori-Ann Saghie

Sales Representative

#3,487 Westney Rd S Tel: 905 426 6614 Ajax, On L1S 6W7 Fax:905 426 2818

floordesignsinc@gmail.com



Cell: 647.927.9009 liznero@trebnet.com www.liznero.ca





R



Dr. NOEL SHEN, BSc, DMD Parkway Dental Clinic

23 - 1899 Brock Road Pickering, Ontario L1V 4H7 (Lowe's & Walmart Plaza)

905-683-8879

www.pickeringparkwaydental.com

Drapery Décor

Creative Window Fashions

Custom made Draperies & Accessories

Mona Ramkalawan Consultant / Decorator / Designer

Tel: 905-683-3470

647-822-0757 Email: draperydecor21@gmail.com



RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL & INVESTMENT REAL ESTATE

Sutton

AMSAGHTE C

## 647-669-9867 utton Group-Heritage Realty Inc., Bro **MATH TUTOR** 15+ YEARS EXPERIENCE

IN PERSON OR ONLINE!

STEVEN LOBO © 647-876-6779



Mounir Saghie

647-505-9867

Sanjudesbridal@live.com Sanjudesbridal.com



# **Kurien Xavier**

Cell: 416-505-8726









Jeremy de Mel

Licensed Paralegal

Tel: 905-725-0255, ext. 1000 admin@joston.ca

Licensed by the Law Society of Ontario



Rosaries & More

www.theblessedsparrow.com



DR. JONATHAN D. LAZARO Family, Cosmetic & Implant Dentistry

536 Kingston Road West Ajax, Ontario L1T 3A3 Tel: 905-428-2122

dentatpickeringvillage@gmail.com

"We Create Healthy & Beautiful Smiles And We Offer Quality & Gentle Dentistry





647.210.5369

SUTTON GROUP HERITAGE REALTY INC. Independently Owned & Operated 905.619.9500 50 YEARS OF COMBINED REAL ESTATE SERVICE

FOR ALL YOUR REAL ESTATE NEEDS

R

M CS

Jennifer Rodrigues Sales Representative

Bryan Rodrigues
Sales Representative



416.453.2647 bryan.rodrigues@sympatico.ca



RE/MAX

**LIST WITH WILSON** 

ROYAL PROPERTIES



309-5200 Finch Ave. E., Scarborough, ON M1S 4Z5

Dr. Claire de Guzman-Dayot 596 Kingston Road West Ajax, ON L1T 3A2 (905) 683-2561 or (905) 683-7337

duffincreekdental@rogers.com

duffinscreekdental.com



**Patients** Welcome