

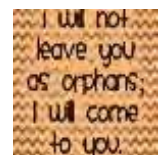


**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter - A**

Today's gospel is a continuation of Jesus' discourse on the love of Father and Son, telling how we are to be included within that communion. Jesus will send the Spirit who, like Christ, will act as our advocate and defender before the world. In John's gospel the world represents those who reject Christ; they cannot know the Spirit or be aware of Christ's presence. He shares his risen life with all who love him. To be caught up in the life of the Father and the Son we must keep Christ's commandments, especially the precept to love which is the norm of our conduct. The Christian experiences Christ's presence as love and manifests him to the world by love. The first reading tells about the Good News of Jesus being welcomed in Samaria, where the Spirit is given by the laying on of hands. It is the spirit of Christ in our hearts which enables us to live the Christian life steadfastly. We may even be called to imitate the innocent Christ by suffering persecution for our faith, Peter's letter reminds us.



**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**



**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter – May 25, 2014**

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 on [vocations@vocations.ca](mailto:vocations@vocations.ca) or at 416-968-0997, or call Fr. Victor Mallia at 416-757-2806 or email [olfatima@rogers.com](mailto:olfatima@rogers.com) for information.

**Last Confirmation class on ...**

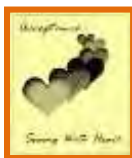
Final scheduled class is on **May 31**, apart from weekly participation in the Sunday Eucharist, here or in another church. **CONFIRMATION DAY** is Thursday, **June 12 at 6.30 pm**. Candidates in Our Lady of Fatima School will have a practice [in church] a couple of days before the day. *Thanks.*



**SEEING WITH HEART ...**

12<sup>th</sup> DAY OF REFLECTION for Catholic parents of **lesbian daughters, gay sons and transgendered children**

**WHEN:** Saturday, May 31 from 9 am to 5 pm  
**WHERE:** MANRESA JESUIT RETREAT CENTRE  
 2325 Liverpool Road, Pickering, Ontario, L1X 1V4.  
**PRICE:** \$40.00 (includes lunch)  
**INFO:** call JOHN MONTAGUE on 416-523-6449



**TERESIAN CARMELITE EDUCATION & SPIRITUALITY CENTRE**

The Carmelite Spirituality Centre is again hosting a series of lectures on *Prayer in the Lives of the Carmelite Saints*. The venue for these lectures is our church hall . The 1<sup>st</sup> in the series is next Sunday, **May 25 – Prayer in the life and teachings of St. Teresa of Avila** Sessions start at 6.00 pm - Admission is free - All are welcome



Mass Intentions		May 26 – June 01 2014
for the Week		
Mon 26	8:00 am	Ricky & Frederico Tillo [I]
Tues 27	8:00 am	Ted Anderson [D]
Wed 28	7:00 pm	Gaetana D'Amico [D]
Thur 29	8:00 am	Albert O'Neill [D]
Fri 30	8:00 am	Zeeshan [I] – for healing
	9:00 am	Pearl McNeil [D]
Sat 31 <i>The Visitation of BVM</i>	4:30 pm	Giuseppe Viscomi [D]
	9:00 am	Fiorinta+Diego Di Pietro [D]
Sun 01 <i>Ascension of The Lord 7th Sunday of Easter</i>	10:30 am	Benjamin+Tomasa Ballalo [D]
	12:15 pm	People of the Parish



**Please REMEMBER!**

This is **FIRST COMMUNION** Sunday! **Congratulations** to all the 88 boys and girls receiving Holy Communion for the first time today. We hope you will all keep joining us on Sunday at the

table of the Lord here in church as we celebrate the Eucharist. This weekend [May 24/25] **there is no** CHILDREN'S LITURGY meeting. They resume next weekend for a few more Sundays until June 29. *Thank you.*

**At all of this weekend Masses ...**

There is a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for the **POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS**. Offerings will be directed to the Holy Father's works of charity. Please, use envelopes from your own box of donation envelopes. There are some available at all church entrances.



*Thanks in anticipation.*



**Marian Day of Prayer –**

***In the end my Immaculate Heart will triumph***

Saturday, May 31 from 9 am to 6 pm

Listen to inspiring testimonies of how the Blessed Virgin Mary changed the lives of a former professional body-builder, rock & roll artist, newspaper publisher, playboy to priest! @ Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, **Toronto, Ontario – M3C 1Z3**

**Tickets:** \$15/advance, \$20/door, \$7/youth ... clergy: Free  
**Visit:** [www.MarianDay.ca](http://www.MarianDay.ca) or phone 416-251-4245

**Feast of the Visitation of the B.V.M.**

The feast of the Visitation of the Virgin Mary will be celebrated on Saturday May 31<sup>st</sup> during the 9.00 am Mass.

The Rosary will be prayed after Mass.



**3rd offering in ShareLife 2014 Campaign**  
 The next collection [3<sup>rd</sup> offering] in the ShareLife Campaign is next weekend – May 31/June 01



**FHC Sunday – Sun. May 25**

The parish welcomes **88 young boys and girls** as they celebrate with joy their **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** in a Mass at 2.15 pm. Parents are kindly asked to have

children in the church hall from **1.30 pm**. The LORD'S FLOCK has **no prayer meeting** today as they will be participating in our afternoon celebration. At all of this weekend's Masses there is a **2<sup>nd</sup> collection** for the **Pope's Pastoral Works**. The 1<sup>st</sup> talk in this year's **Carmelite Spirituality Lectures** is hosted today at 6.00 pm in our church hall. Entrance is free.

**FATIMA weekly devotions – Wednesday, May 28**

The regular **Fatima devotions** start at 6.30 pm as usual followed by holy Mass at 7.00 pm.

**Memorial Mass – Friday, May 30**

The family or **DORA AVONA** is organizing a **Memorial Mass** on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of her passing. Family friends and parishioners are welcome to attend.

**Weekend activities – Saturday, May 31**

Classes for candidates in our **Confirmation** program **continue today** at the regular time. There is no meeting next week in preparation for the confirmation day. During all of the weekend's Masses we have a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for **SHARELIFE** - the 3<sup>rd</sup> offering in this year's campaign.

**Sunday's Liturgy – Sun. Jun 01**

This is **ASCENSION SUNDAY**. We resume the Children's Liturgy meetings. The last meeting before the summer break will be on **Sunday, June 15 – Father's Day!** The LORD'S FLOCK has their **regular prayer meeting** today at 2.00 pm. There is also a **Baptism** celebration in the church also at 2.00 pm.

**CONFIRMATION DAY 2014**

The Confirmation Mass starts at **6.30 pm on Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup>** presided by Bishop Vincent Nguyen. All candidates are asked to be in the church hall with their sponsors not later than **6.00 pm** and 5.30 pm at the earliest.



We would like family members, friends and guests to be seated in church by **not later than 6.15 pm**. The final post-confirmation meeting for all candidates will take place on **Saturday, June 14** in the church hall at 2.30 pm. Certificates and other mementos will be given to participants during this meeting. All *confirmandi* are expected to attend and collect their journals and package.



**7<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL FATIMA FUN FAIR**  
Our Lady of Fatima School  
on Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup>  
10.00 am to 2.00 pm

**Come out and join the fun ... rain or shine!!!**



**SENIORS ACTIVITIES CLUB (S.A.C.)**  
**Annual B-B-Q**

Our Lady of Fatima Church Hall

Thursday, June 26, 2014 at 12:00 noon

Price: **\$8.00** ... .. **ALL SENIORS WELCOME!**

For Tickets: *Sylvetta 416-759-4699 or Ann 416-261-1479*

**< FREE ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR >**

**Saturday, June 14, 2014 at 9:00am**

*Catholic Cemeteries and the Archdiocese estate planning team will share:*

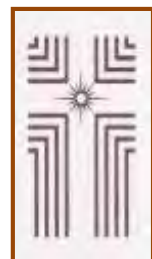
- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney and the cost savings of making an estate plan
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, burial and funerals

*An estate planning kit and DVD will be provided at no cost.*

**Location:** Christ the King Cemetery

7770 Steeles Avenue East, Markham, ON

**RSVP:** Frank Jannetta at 416.733-8544 ext. 2023 or [fjannetta@ccat.on.ca](mailto:fjannetta@ccat.on.ca)



**Congratulations to all boys and girls receiving FIRST HOLY COMMUNION later today**

*Grateful thanks to the school teachers and the parish catechists for preparing all of them so well. Thanks to the parents too who have been very cooperative and so helpful throughout these past five months.*

These are the new communicants:

**Acenas**, Maria Sophia; **Alzona**, Quentin Emerson; **Amendra**, Bishan William; **Arellano**, Deborah Gelbart; **Asif**, Astha Karen; **Barreto**, Julianna; **Bates**, Aiden Che; **Beaufield**, Antoinette Caralynn; **Bernal**, Thea Angelica Castillo; **Binda**, Akai Nidesh; **Brabant**, Hayden Matthew; **Branston**, Madeline Jane; **Browning**, Songe Cianna; **Butay**, Alysha Chantelle; **Carlos**, Kristin Mae A.; **Carter**, Mirella Adrianna; **Carthew**, Arianna Carmen; **Cunanan**, Miguel Pintero; **Diaz-Williams**, Isabel Selene; **Drew**, Molly Charlotte; **Espinosa**, Christen Elyse Escalona; **Fletcher**, Liam Christian; **Gonzalez-Chavez**, Jessenia Eva; **Gunness**, Jayden Alexander; **Harris-Gordon**, Jordan Malachi; **Hogan**, Liam Michael; **Hurry**, Wilburne Wesley; **Iyanam**, Nathaniel Dante Okon; **Jadid Milani**, William Peter; **Jno-Baptiste**, Avery Rickford; **Joyce**, Oren Shi Shi Raven Mary Love; **Laspona**, Iryz Stefan Loren; **Layug**, Darren Christopher; **Lopez**, Danni Amara; **MacArthur**, Hailey Madison; **Macoco**, Myles Allen; **Magtira**, Rachel Clarito; **Mamaril**, Matthew Basto; **Manangan**, Shayna Mikella; **Marasigan**, Chloe Pauline Sy; **Mercurio**, Zedrick Jarell; **Montagnese**, Nicholas Giovanni; **Nelson-Fields**, Jessiah; **Oliveira**, Victoria Isabel; **Pagaduan**, Ian Cyrill; **Rabanillo**, Isaiiah Caleb; **Rama**, Bernadette Miral; **Rodulfo-Henry**, Kailee Anne; **Rutherford**, Lilianna Stephanie; **Rutherford**, Sophia Anastasia; **Ryan**, Patrick Wayne; **Salinas**, Fernanda Solange; **Salinas**, Rafaela Solange; **Soares**, Sophia DosSantos; **Sousa**, Michael; **Thapa**, Jaida Jean; **Toussaint**, Aurelie Soleil-Etoile; **Vatcher**, Matthew Angelo; **Ward**, Fiona Clare; **Watson**, David Nickolas; **Welsh-Smith**, Zaevia Kaleel; **Whyte-Fields**, Nyasia Champagne Paris; **Yong**, Alexander Gabriel; **Bynoe**, Jackson Sterling; **Cruz**, Avril Lynne; **Dart**, Melody Airel Dawn; **Eliopoulos**, Alexandria Lynn; **Gomes**, Joshua; **Goodridge**, Tori Rose; **Luna**, Rylea Makayla; **Ramirez-Smith**, Cameron Jaiden; **Sunn**, Zoe Skye; **Alajar**, Jeffrey Ryan; **Aquino**, Janessa May D.; **Balane**, Kaitlyn Aubrey Abrera; **Berhane**, Yoel Alazar; **Constantino**, Miguel Edgar; **Fagaragan**, Louise Elizabeth Rei Dizon; **Jude**, Janarthan; **Lopez**, Charles Gabriel; **Lumain**, Jaedan Solideo; **Michael**, Madra Yuadoo; **Misa**, Riley Rosaro; **Munro**, Kevon Christian; **Rivero**, Arturo Alejandro Pico; **Trillanes**, Mikkaela Christine Millare; **Welsh**, Austin Patrick; **Abacan**, John Troy.