

May 8, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter

# MOTHER'S DAY BLESSING

All-loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old
We pray for all mothers, who give life and joy;
May they be blessed with patience and tenderness in caring for their families and themselves.
We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict;
May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away. We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; We pray for all mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.



# **SCHOOL CORNER**

# CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK

May 1 – May 6

# **2022 SACRAMENTS**

+ First Communion Sunday May 15 @ 3:00 + Confirmation

Sunday June 12 @ 3:00



# **CONGRATULATIONS**

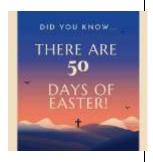
to Marie Casino who has been named Good Shepherd Catholic School's Distinguished Volunteer of the Year Award. Marie, like many of our school volunteers exhibits the truth of family – school – parish in the partnership of Catholic Education.

# MAY SCHOOL MINISTRY

- + Tuesday 10 @ 1:00 First Communion
- + Thursday 19 @ 1:00 Confirmation
- + Wednesday 25 @ 1:00 Grade 7 / 8 Fortier Class Visit
- + Friday 27 @ 9:00 Mary Celebration For May

#### **EASTER SEASON**

For Christians 'Easter Season' is not 'just' one day — but 50 days through the Lord's Ascension into Heaven and Pentecost Sunday, June 5.



#### STATIONS OF THE RESURRECTION

Friday May 27 – during Holy Hour Biblical Walk through 14 Gospels passages of Jesus' Resurrection of Easter Season. Congregational responses and reflections. Holy Hour 7:00-8:00 p.m. with Adoration Stations 7:30-8:00 p.m.



# FRIDAY PRAYER GROUP

Fridays in Lent in St Joseph Chapel after Morning Mass. Praise, Petitions, Song. Coffee Social YES – WE WILL CONTINUE TO GATHER AFTER EASTER - THE WORLD NEEDS PRAYER – WE NEED PRAYER. AMEN

# GIANT CHARITY GARAGE SALE Saturday, May 14th, from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Sponsored by K of C - You can help -

- + Donate your treasures (all items are welcome except electronics, mattresses, baby strollers/car seats, and clothing). A large trailer is in the church parking lot and you may leave your items there on Sundays 10 11 a.m. If you need your items picked up, call us!
- + If you see a yard sale in your neighbourhood, ask if the "remaining items" could be donated to the Knight's charity sale. Let us know we will pick up + Cardboard boxes are needed in advance of the sale as we sort items! Please drop them off at the trailer. Thank you.
- + Volunteer to help sort merchandise in advance of the sale. Stop by during our drop-off times and we'll put you to work. Volunteer to help setup, sell and cleanup on the day of the sale. Come and shop at the sale!

John Peco, 905-985-6637 or Al Di Minno 416-618-7633



# MONTHLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN MAY?

Add your name to the list on the bulletin board to be prayed for on Saturday, May 28 @ 9:00.

Red roses will be handed to any anniversary couples present. You do not have to be present to sign up.

#### **FUTURE PARISH DATES**

- + Saturday May 14 @ 8:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. Giant Charity Garage Sale
- + Sunday May 15 @ 3:00 p.m. First Holy Communion
- + Sunday June 4 @ 10:00 a.m. 12:00 noon Parish Clean up – bring a rake, gloves, hands and Heart for our annual cleanup of our church grounds. JOIN US - ALL PARISHIONERS ARE NEEDED
- + Saturday June 4 Sunday June 5 after all Masses Second Annual Blessing of the cars. Fr Keith will bless your vehicle with Holy Water as you exit the east driveway.
- + Sunday June 12 @ 3:00 p.m. Confirmation
- + Sunday June 26 @ 12:30 3:30 p.m. Parish Picnic

## DETAILS TO FOLLOW IN PARISH BULLETINS



# **PALMS**

YES we are collecting your old palms to be burnt next year by our Grade 8s in creating ashes for the parish and school.

Please place them in box in vestibule of the church.

# **NEW TO THE PARISH**

Welcome!

You will find a Christ centered Community here at Immaculate Conception as expressed in our Mass, Prayers, Good Works and Community.

Be sure that you use the yellow Parish Registration Form near the parish office doors. You may also wish to use Envelopes for your weekly Offering or P.A.G. (Pre-Authorized Giving ) Thank you and welcome!

# **CHERUB'S CUPBOARD**

Re-Location Sale April 19 – June 1, 2022 82 Centre St N Oshawa All items 20 % off Tues – Fri 10:00 a.m. – 5:99 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.905 - 432 - 2882

# THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

# Monday May 9

Office is open 9am to 3pm

# **Tuesday May 10**

7:00 p.m. Mass – +Frank & Helen Kawa Reg. by Bernard & Mary Lou 7:30 p.m. K of C Executive Mtg

# Wednesday, May 11

9:00 a.m. Mass – +Galen Humprhey Req. by Mary Lou Elliott 7:00 Practice for First Communion

# **Thursday May 12**

St Nereus St Achilleus St Pancras

9:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of Ruth Spearling Req. by Emelda Jackson

## Friday May 13

Our Lady of Fatima

9:00 a.m. Mass - Intentions of Father Marco Testa Reg. by Richard & Mary Lou Elliott

9:30 a.m. Prayer Group

7:00 p.m. Fatima Night – Prayers and Procession

#### Saturday May 14

St Matthias

8:00 - 1:00 GIANT YARD SALE

9:00 a.m. Mass – +Noreen Driscoll

Reg. by Earl & Joan Bardswich

9:30 – 10:30 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass – +Father Robert Reddy

Req. by Richard & Mary Lou Elliott

# Sunday, May 15 – Easter V

9:00 a.m. Mass – +Arthur Lance Patalinghug

Reg. by his family and Morton family

11:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of all parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish

3:00 p.m. First Communion

# PRAYER FOR EASTER SEASON

Christ has died; Christ is Risen: Christ will come again! I praise You O Lord, for by the power of Your Death and Resurrection You have set us free; You have graced us this Holy Season Of Easter with Your eternal Presence. May I offer a life filled with Faith, Hope and Love. AMEN