

# Pentecost Sunday

## Pastor's Corner

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The months of May and October are dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God. For this week's Pastor's Corner I would like to offer a brief reflection.

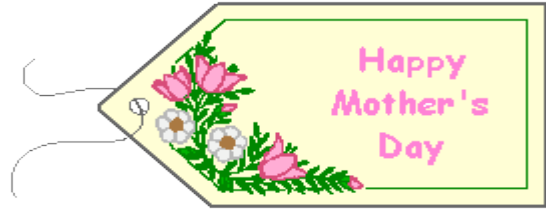
We need first to remember that Mary changed the world by her simple "yes." She agreed to do the will of God. She gave Jesus to the world, and the world has never been the same since. Mary's example inspires and challenges us to live our Christian faith. Because she consented to be the Mother of God, Mary risked shame, criticism, misunderstanding and even false accusations.

Mary encourages us to be people of prayer. The great prayer of Mary, the Magnificat (Luke 1: 46-55), is a prayer that sings gloriously of God's presence in her life. As Catholics we have a particular devotion to the rosary. It draws the body, mind and spirit of an individual into an inner place where one can pray even when surrounded by many distractions.

During this month of May, let us open our hearts to the many graces and blessings that Mary, the Mother of God, the first and most loving disciple of Christ wished to offer us.

This weekend we celebrate Mother's Day. We thank God for the gift of motherhood. Let us always treasure our mothers each day of their lives. For those of us who have lost their mothers, let us remember all the good they did while they were with us. Let us pray that they are now enjoying eternal happiness with the Lord.

Your Brother in Christ,  
Fr. Roy



## Liturgical

### Confirmation Rehearsals

**Monday May 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm**  
(for Saturday May 24<sup>th</sup> 4:30pm Mass)  
**Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:00pm**  
(for Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm Mass)  
**Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm**  
(for Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup> 4:30pm Mass)  
**Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:00pm**  
(for Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup> 1:00 Mass)  
**\*\*Please be Prompt!\*\***  
**Sponsors & Confirmandi**



### Confirmation Students

Please make sure you finish your Stoles, Confirmation Journal, and Community Service Hours before your Confirmation date.  
**All journals and service project forms to be dropped off at the parish office.**

### Religious Gift Shop

Looking for that special something for Confirmation!  
Don't forget our Religious Gift Shop.  
Open after all masses on  
May 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>  
except 7pm Mass

### Ministry of Consolation and Hope

**Mass of Remembrance**  
**Tuesday May 20<sup>th</sup> @7pm.**  
This Mass will be a special time for all those of us who have lost a loved one at any time



Congratulations!!!!

# Sunday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008

To Our 1<sup>st</sup> Communicants  
who  
received the Holy Eucharist  
We support and pray for all of  
you.

**God Bless.**

## Church Support

For the Month of April 2008

Offertory.....\$35,642.44

Countdown.....\$ 1,995.85

ShareLife to date.....\$41,194.00

We thank you for your support and generosity.



## Organizations &

## Ministries

1. **Countdown Winner:** Congratulations to Peter & Cecilia Aristotle, envelope #480 our lucky April winners. They are the recipients of a \$50 gift certificate to Upper Canada Mall.



## CWG News

General Meeting

Tuesday May 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm

Reminder for everyone attending the meeting to bring an item for the Southlake Personal Care Bag!

## CWG \$5.00 Pie Sale

Back by popular demand!

On May 25<sup>th</sup> after the 8:00-9:30 and 11:00am Mass

Empty pie plates will be distributed at the Masses on May 18<sup>th</sup>

## Closing Dinner

Tuesday June 10<sup>th</sup>

Dinner at 7pm after the 6:30pm Mass.

All ladies of the parish are welcome!

Price \$25.00 per person



## K4J Vacation Bible School

Registration begins NOW!

Are you ready to surf with the Holy Spirit?!

Date: July 7-11<sup>th</sup>

8:45am to 12noon

Registration forms can be downloaded from the parish website.



Mark your calendars for our

15<sup>th</sup> Annual

St. Elizabeth Seton - Parish Picnic

Organized by the Knights of Columbus  
Parents & Kids - Schools is Out!  
Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup>, @11:00am (Rain or Shine)  
Anchor Park, Holland Landing  
Games & fun for all Ages...Lunch & Drinks Included  
All this for only a "Twoonie" - Kids 4 & under are Free!

## Fair Trade Products

Fair Trade Products will be sold after Masses on  
May 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>



*"When tomorrow comes, this day will  
be gone forever; in its place is something  
that you have left behind..."*

*let it be something good"*



## Social & Other

## Mass Intentions

Date:	Mass for:	Mass Requested By:
<b>Mon. May 12</b> 8:00am	Thomas & Marie Murphy (D)	Marian Brown
<b>Tues. May 13</b> 9:00am 7:00pm	Maria Fatima Couto (I) Beautification of Adele Quinn (D)	Vennie Chittenden Legion of Mary
<b>Wed. May 14</b> 8:00am	Elie Bosland (D)	Francoise Bosland
<b>Thur. May 15</b> 9:00am 7:00pm	Deceased & Living Members of Gragtmans & Timmerman families Syd Woolnough (I) Esmy Pilling (I) Agius Family (D) Catania Family (D)	Gragtmans family Ann, Emily & Katie Joanne MacFarlane Catania Family Catania Family
<b>Fri. May 16</b> 8:00am	Kenneth Thompson (D)	Jones Family
<b>Sat. May 17</b> 9:00am 4:30pm	Nick, Rosaria, Tony (D) Nellie Quinn (D)	Grande Family Her sons
<b>Sun. May 18</b> 8:00am 9:30am 11:00am 7:00pm	Robert Guglielmo (D) Elizabeth Doyle (D) Rafael Caballero (D) Margaret Loftus (I)	Vern & Heather Zapfe Bridget & Tony Coleman Felices Family Louise McCarthy

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Those Parishioners who have requested a Mass for either a deceased family/friend (D) or for a Special Intention (I) & who would like to take up the Offertory Gifts during that Mass, are asked to identify themselves to one of the Hospitality Ministers, before the

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Mass begins. This is especially important for Saturday or Sunday Masses.



**Please pray for those who are sick and those  
we and minister to them:** Gail Burgess,  
Mike Welgan, Marta Lou, Tony Coleman, Frank Kelly, Sara  
Minatel, Giel Jonkhout, Debbie Howley, Donna Fantasia, Amalia  
Sirothc, Alana Brown-Wallace, Teresa Sedore, Martin VanLierop,  
George Ferguson, Connor Thompson, Peter Chatterton, Lorna  
Hedley, Anne Allen, Gertrudis Henriquez, Fr. Joe Curcio, Anne  
Dorian, Jim Marrelli, Mary Sorrentino, Christopher Nabuurs,  
Vincent Masci, Joe Pileci, Jim Tobin, Pam James, Liz Law,  
Bronwyn, Carlos Fonseca, Patricia McNeill, Maria Pawliszko,  
Karen Anning, Angi Sooley, David Sooley, John Flemming,  
Jaime Bocanegra, Carlos Falconi, Anna Vincent, Mary  
McIntaggart, ...