

~ Ascension of the Lord ~

May 16th, 2010

Monday ~ May 17th
 7:30 am - *Antonietta Mauro* +
 8:30 am - *Sylvio Domanico* + *Kirk Kudrinko* +
Tuesday ~ May 18th
 7:30 am - *Aldo Aiello* +
 8:30 am - *Jerry Bocchinfuso* + *Joanne Risi* +
Wednesday ~ May 19th
 7:30 am - *Eugenia Brigante* +
 8:30 am - *Marcellino & Nunzia D'Ambrosio* +
Thursday ~ May 20th
 7:30 am - *Dec. Mem. of the Tony Sergnese Family* +
 8:30 am - *Elvira Biasatti* + *Angelina Pignotti* +
Friday ~ May 21st
 7:30 am - *Michael Fegan* +
 8:30 am - *John O'Neill* + *Rudolfo Marchione* +
Saturday ~ May 22nd
 8:15 am - *Rosaria Piacenti* + *Angela & Mario Bozza* +
 5:30 pm - *Margaret Barnhart* + *John Krawczuk* +
Sunday ~ Pentecost Sunday ~ May 23rd
 7:45 am - *People of Holy Rosary Living & Deceased* ♥♥
 9:00 am - *Maria DiFelice* + *Filomena Macoretta* +
 10:30 am - *Dominic & Matteo Cugino* +
 Antonietta Maddalena +
 11:00 am - **St. Aloysius** - *Nan Angela Toovey* +
 12 noon - *Joseph Peter Luciani* +

First Eucharist Group Celebrations for the children of our parish, will take place at the 12 noon Mass on Sunday, May 16th, May 23rd, and May 30th. Please pray for these children.

♥♥♥♥♥ **Upcoming Marriages** ♥♥♥♥♥
 Luciano DiSerafino & Stacey Lynn Mulhall

Feast of St. Anthony ~ The committee will celebrate the feast at our parish on the 12th and 13th of June. The Triduum for preparation will be on June 9th, 10th, 11th beginning at 7:00 p.m. The committee will not be canvassing door to door, envelopes have been mailed to you and we ask that you please make your contribution by return mail or give to any member of the committee. Thank You!

St. Vincent-de-Paul Society

Remember the poor of our community ~ please drop off non-perishable food items in the barrel provided at the main entrance of the church. Thank You !

SUNDAY REFLECTION

We usually think of faith as an attitude of trust and belief on our part: We trust God's word and believe its message.

The Ascension is perhaps the expression of a different faith. God's faith in us. God-become-human could have remained on earth and done everything required for the coming of the kingdom. Instead, Jesus removed himself physically from the earth, making room for his followers. He trusted them, he believed in them, he had faith that, once they were filled with the Spirit, they would work effectively for the coming of the kingdom.

It remains for us to go *into the whole world and proclaim the good news to all creation*. It is our task to relieve suffering, to end war, to remove ignorance, to heal wounds, to eliminate divisions, to promote understanding, to spread love, to cause justice. We must tackle the problems of the world, and Jesus has stepped aside, so to speak, so as not to get in our way.

Why do you stand here looking up at the skies? Get busy!

There is work to do!

"Christ's redemptive work, while of itself directed toward the salvation of men, involves also the renewal of the whole temporal order. Hence the mission of the Church is not only to bring men the message and grace of Christ, but also to penetrate and perfect the temporal sphere with the spirit of the gospel."

Vatican II,
Decree on the Apostolate of the Laity

Knights of Columbus - Council #2319

Monthly Breakfast this Sunday, May 16th following the 7:45am - 9:00am and 10:30am Masses. All parishioners are cordially invited to come and enjoy a delicious breakfast at our parish hall.

Our Sincere Condolences and Prayers are extended to the families of the recently deceased:

Giovanna "Joanne" Risi +
 Kirk Kudrinko +

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

Lord.... keep your arm around my shoulder
 and your hand over my mouth Amen

Stewardship Corner - Thank you !

Offertory for Sunday, April 25, 2010

Sincere thanks for your financial stewardship in support of our many ministries.

Holy Rosary

Envelopes (377) \$3,793.25
Loose \$175.84
TOTAL \$3,969.09

St. Aloysius

Envelopes (16) \$220.00
Loose \$149.80
TOTAL \$369.80

Parish Pasta Supper ~

Remember our monthly pasta supper Thursday, June 3rd, from 5 - 7 pm. Take-out is available from 3:30 pm. Please join us for a fun evening and great food! *Volunteer servers are needed for our monthly Pasta Suppers. Please call Mary Ann (905 227-0378) if you are able to help.*



Spirit of God Prayer Group - meets every Wednesday at 7:30 pm at Holy Rosary Hall (St. Catherine Room). All are welcome! For more information, contact George at 905-227-0858.

The Special Collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works will be taken ~ today ~ Sunday, May 16th ~ Each year at this time, Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to this papal collection, which is passed on to the Holy father for his use among those stricken by natural disasters. Thank you for your donation.

Thorold Agricultural Society ~ will hold its annual Plant Sale on Wednesday, May 19th from 6 - 8:00 pm @ Holy Rosary Church Hall. Come early for the best selection of perennials from our members' gardens. For more info please call Peggy 905 227-3908.

Mt. Carmel Spiritual Centre ~ How to Create Miracles in Health and Success - led by Sebastian Fazzari, Ph.D. Albert Einstein said that "there are two ways you can live your life; as if nothing is a miracle; or as if everything is a miracle." Participants are encouraged to look at events in their lives and to closely examine how they responded to those events. They will be taught to make use of positive affirmation rather than mentally fearing and fighting the negative so that by changing their thinking they can change their consciousness in order to change their lives. Call 905 356-4113 - Cost \$65.



AVVISI ITALIANI

Ascensione Del Signore

16 maggio 2010

Gesù sale al cielo. La sua esperienza terrena è conclusa. Egli ritorna al Padre, ma rimane invisibile accanto agli apostoli e a ciascuno di noi. Con la sua ascensione Gesù ci indica la meta della nostra esistenza: il Paradiso, e ci dona la forza per raggiungerlo.

1) Pellegrinaggio a Roma si sta organizzando un pellegrinaggio a Roma per la canonizzazione di Suor Giulia Salzano, Fondatrice delle Suore Catechiste Sacro Cuore. Partenza il 14 ottobre fino al 25, 2010. Con la visita a tante località e santuari. Rivolgersi per informazioni all'agenzia Marlin (Victor La Fratta) 935-5735 oppure a Sr. Consolata 227-3105. Grazie!

2) L'Associazione Cattolica Italiana.....domenica 30 maggio, come chiusura del mese dedicato all' Madonna, ci sarà il "**Rosario Vivente**" alle 7 di sera nella sala parrocchiale.

3) Festa di Sant'Antonio ~ quest'anno si celebra sabato e domenica 12 - 13 giugno 2010, alla chiesa di Holy Rosary. Sarà spedita una lettera dal comitato con informazione programma religioso & ricreativo, una busta di ritorno con le vostre offerte per posta o da consegnare, ad alcun membro del Comitato. Grazie!

4) Maggio ~ mese dedicato alla Madonna ~ Santo Rosario ~ Meditato con canti alla Vergine, riflessioni e altre preghiere ogni sera al Convento delle Suore alle ore 6:30 p.m. però al Sabato e alla Domenica ore 3:00 p.m. cercate di venire numerose per onorare insieme la Vergine Maria. Le Suore: 905-227-4133

5) Gruppo di Padre Pio ~ Rosario e Santa Messa, venerdì, 28 maggio alle ore 6:00 pm. Tutti benvenuti

Mary ... Help of those in Need

Mary is the most beautiful flower to bloom from creation, the "rose" that appeared in the fullness of time when God, by sending His Son, gave the world a new spring.

Pope Benedict XVI

Holy Mary, help those in need, give strength to the weak, comfort the sick, pray for God's people, assist the clergy, intercede for religious. Mary all who seek your help experience your unfailing protection.

Amen