

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – FEBRUARY 15TH, 2015

CONFIRMATION REMINDER

Parents and **CONFIRMATION** Candidates are reminded to attend **ONE** of the following dates for their meeting for Unit 3 – please make sure to review the unit with your son/daughter and to accompany them to the meeting.

Sunday February 22nd at 10:30 am **OR**
Saturday February 28th at 4pm

FAMILY DAY – GIORNATA DELLA FAMIGLIA



The Parish Office will be closed on **Monday February 16th** for Family Day. Office will be open Tuesday Feb 17th usual hours.

Enjoy your Day!

ACCOMMODATION REVIEW COMMITTEE SENHOR SANTO CRISTO & ST LUKE

On our parish bulletin board you will find a letter dated Jan 26/15 from the Director of Education and the local Trustee of the TCDSB. It details the work of the Accommodation Review Committee that will carry out public consultation to study, report and make recommendations on accommodation options regarding the group of schools under review. Fr Conrad has accepted the role of being Parish representative for these meetings. For more info please consult the posted letter or contact Jo-Ann Davis, Trustee for Ward 9.

The **first public meeting** will be held on **Thurs Feb 26th at 7 pm at Senhor Santo Cristo School.**

For further information you may contact the TCDSB Trustee for St Luke's: Jo-Ann Davis at jo-ann.davis@tcdsb.org or 416 512 3409.

VOLUNTEERS FOR PREPPING COSTUMES

With the Good Friday Procession approaching, we are looking for volunteers who could help us to take our costumes to a local Laundromat on **Sunday February 22nd, 2015 between the hours of 10am to 3pm.**

All costumes will need to be sorted, washed, dried and then returned back to the church. Anyone who can offer assistance please email your name and contact info to goodfridaycharacters@gmail.com and further details and instructions will be provided to you.

GOING HOME – TORNIAMO A CASA



We are getting ready to move back to 72 Mansfield after being away almost three years. We will be inviting parishioners to an **"Open House"** on **Sat Feb 28 from 2- 4 pm** and on **Sun March 1 from 10 – 11:30**

am. Could those of you who are great at preparing cakes, cookies, sandwiches think about preparing some for the Open House. More details next weekend.

Finalmente **torriamo al convento** di 72 Mansfield dopo quasi tre anni di assenza. Vi chiediamo se potete pensare per dolci e salati che possiamo offrire quando **invitiamo a voi parrocchiani di entrare per vedere sab 28 febb dal 2 al 4 pm e dom 1 marzo dalle 10 alle 11:30.** Più dettagli domenica prossima.

WORKING WONDERS IN OUR COMMUNITY



We are called to care for those who are vulnerable in our community. The ShareLife parish campaign gives us an opportunity to reach out in justice and love. Last year, ShareLife's 42 agencies and grant recipients provided over 381,000 services to over 114,000 people here in our archdiocese, and assisted countless others in developing countries around the world. In 42 municipalities, and in more than 20 languages, those in need received support and care as a result of our generosity. My prayer is that you will join me as together we work wonders to lovingly care for those who are in need around us.

✠ *Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto*

Next weekend **Feb 21/22** Harry McAvoy, who works with Stewardship in the Archdiocese of Toronto, will be speaking at all the masses about the different agencies sponsored by ShareLife.

First ShareLife Sunday – March 1, 2015
Please give generously. You can work wonders!

ENGAGED COUPLES – CEREMONY PLANNING

On Sun March 8th at 10:30 am, there will be a meeting in the Church for all the engaged couples who will be celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage at St Francis of Assisi Church during 2015. Please mark this date and time on your calendars.

ASH WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 18TH MERCOLEDI DELLE CENERI- 18 FEBBRAIO



8 am Messa in italiano
9:30 am Mass in English -Both St Francis and St Luke Schools will attend and animate this Mass

7 pm Bilingual Mass in Italian and English

Ashes will be distributed at all Masses. Please remember that Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of **fasting and abstinence**. Our bishops ask us to observe Lent by **abstaining from meat on Fridays during this penitential season.**

Iniziamo la santa Quaresima con la partecipazione alla S. Messa e ricordiamo che sia mercoledì delle Ceneri e sia venerdì santo sono **giorni di astinenza e digiuno**. Cerchiamo di osservare la natura penitenziale della Quaresima – i vescovi ci chiedono **l'astinenza dalla carne i venerdì di Quaresima.**

VIA CRUCIS

Ogni venerdì mattina della Quaresima, con l'eccezione del primo venerdì, ~~3~~ **di marzo**, abbiamo pensato di pregare la Via Crucis dopo la Santa Messa feriale alle 08.00. Cercate di unirvi a questa devozione basata sulla Passione del Nostro Signore Gesù Cristo.



**CHARACTERS FOR
THE GOOD FRIDAY PROCESSION -
PERSONAGGI PER
LA PROCESSIONE DEL VENERDÌ SANTO**

On Friday April 3rd 2015, we will be celebrating our **Annual Good Friday Procession**. For all parishioners and new comers that are interested in re-enacting the characters of Good Friday we ask that you send an email to Goodfridaycharacters@gmail.com. The character board will not be available this year therefore we ask that you email us with the character that you wish to play and a member of our Good Friday committee will contact you. We will do our best to match you up with the character you have requested but if your application comes in late and someone has already been assigned your character, we ask you to consider making yourself available for whatever personality is needed to make this year's procession a success and to help bring the Gospel message to our streets. Please remember that in addition to your email contact info, it would also be helpful to have your daytime and evening telephone numbers.



Venerdì, 3 aprile, 2015, celebreremo la nostra annuale processione del Venerdì Santo. Chiediamo a tutti i Parrocchiani, inclusi quelli nuovamente arrivati tra noi, che sono interessati a partecipare come figuranti nella Processione del Venerdì Santo, di inviarci una posta elettronica al Goodfridaycharacters@gmail.com

Quest'anno siccome non usufruiremo del cartello con l'elenco dei personaggi, vi chiediamo di specificare nella vostra posta elettronica il personaggio che desiderate raffigurare e un membro del comitato della processione del Venerdì Santo vi contatterà. Faremo del nostro meglio per abbinarvi con il personaggio che volete rappresentare però se la vostra richiesta ci giunge con ritardo e il personaggio che avete scelto è stato già affidato a qualcuno altro, vi chiediamo gentilmente di pensare a dare la propria disponibilità ricoprendo il ruolo di uno dei personaggi mancanti in modo da far sì che la processione quest'anno sia un successo e così anche da contribuire alla diffusione del messaggio del Vangelo percorrendo le nostre strade. Ricordate che inoltre all'indirizzo di posta elettronica sarebbe opportuno fornirci con ulteriori dati di contatto come ad esempio il vostro numero di telefono di ufficio o di casa.

LENTEN COIN FOLDERS



Beginning this weekend, we have our usual **Lenten Offering Folders** available at the back of the church. For those who choose to use the folder, this is another way of giving up a little time each day reflecting on the 40 days of Lent. Families with younger children can participate in making this period of Lent a more meaningful experience. Please write your name, address and envelope number on the back of the folder.

Come abbiamo fatto gli anni scorsi, le **Catrelle di Offerta Quaresimale** sono disponibili all'entrata della Chiesa. Le Caretelle saranno poi raccolte su Santo giovedì. Per favore di assicurare che il suo nome, indirizzo e il numero della busta domenicale è riempito sul dorso della Cartella.

**MASS SCHEDULE
FEBRUARY 14TH TO FEBRUARY 22ND 2015**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH
ST CYRIL, MONK, AND ST METHODIUS, BISHOP**

5:00 PM Salvatore Amato

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15TH

9:00 AM Antonio Gagliardi;
Francesco Pingitore;
Fortunato e Anna Galati;
Agostino Lanzeroti e Fam. Fazzari;
Saverio e Celeste Di Rollo;
Domenico e Maria Console;
Gabriele Guadagno

11:30 AM For Parishioners' Intentions

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH

8:00 AM Living & Deceased Friars

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH
SEVEN FOUNDERS OF THE SERVITE ORDER**

8:00 AM Rev. Angelo Bucciero OFM

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH
ASH WEDNESDAY**

8:00 AM Bi-Lingual Mass
1:30 PM Combined School Mass - English
7:00 PM Bi - Lingual Mass

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH
COMMEMORATION OF ST CONRAD OF PIACENZA**

8:00 AM Fr Berard Tufo OFM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH

8:00 AM Rev. Arthur Lattanzi OFM

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST
COMMEMORATION OF ST PETER DAMIAN**

5:00 PM Salvatore Venosa

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND

9:00 AM Giovanni, Carlo e Fam. Barbati;
Giuseppe e Francesco Sisi;
Rocco Baldassarra e Antonio L'Europa;
Elizabetta e Giuseppe Santaguida e Fam.;
Leonardo e Anna Di Napoli;
Giovanni Olimpio; Pasquale Gallippi;
Rosa Iannetta Berardinelli;
Maria e Alberto Barone;

11:30 AM Caterina Rizzuto