

## Reflection for the Feast of The Holy Trinity

On the Sunday following Pentecost, we are invited to give some thought to what we believe about God. We acknowledge that God is revealed to us in God's relationship with the Son and Holy Spirit. A friend of mine once said, "To believe in the Trinity is to believe that there's no God without relationship." The question we must ask ourselves is what's the quality of our relationship with God and with our neighbors?

We cannot be in a good relationship with God if we don't attempt to be in the right relationship with others. Rooted within the command to love, we are called to walk humbly with God in our faith journey. It is often remarked that "Our human society must be rooted in fairness and compassion guaranteeing equality for all."

Christianity is not a private religion that seeks only our relationship with God. The way we live our relationship with God among others is the way we can define our Christian life. We must stay connected with God and each other. When we celebrated Pentecost last week, we acknowledged the power of the Holy Spirit that transforms and strengthens us to evangelize people of every race, language, and culture.

We are called to share God's love that draws us into the mystery of the Trinity. This is the model for the life of every Christian. We are consistently called to touch the very presence of God. We are made in the image and likeness of God who dwells among us and offers us new reasons to hope, to be united with one another, and to live God's love day by day.

Source: [www.spiritans.org](http://www.spiritans.org)



### Knights of Columbus Father's Day BBQ!



### Father's Day Family BBQ

June 18, 2023 in the SFX parking lot  
after 9am ★ 1030am ★ 12pm Masses

**COME CELEBRATE WITH DAD!**   
\$5.00 Burger or Hotdog + pop/water

### Pilgrimage to Mexico

**November 6, 2023 to November 12, 2023**

\$2990.00 (Toronto Dep, Includes all taxes & tips)

★ Welcome Mass in the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe

★ Visit the Cathedral, Dominican Cloister, the Rosary Chapel & the Shrine of San Miguel del Milagro

★ Celebrate Mass where St. Michael appeared to Diego Lazaro




★ Get acquainted with the history of silver mining in Mexico

★ See the image of Our Lady of Ocotlan burnt into a tree!

★ Learn the history of Our Lady of Guadalupe & Blessed Juan Diego

*Pray at the Old & New Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe*

Under the Spiritual Leadership of Fr. James Cherickal  
Info: 647 463 9057 ♦ stan@ihtours.com ♦ flyer by the office 

### Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre

Inviting Women: **The 2023 Women Together Retreat**  
Saturday June 17, 2023

**"The Joy of the Lord is Your Strength"**  
Nehemiah 8:10

**Facilitators:** Anne Hales & Questa Fernandes  
830am ♦ \$45.00 ♦ coffee/tea & hot lunch  
**Celebration of Holy Mass during the day**  
905-278-7513/office@qoa.ca



### The Catechism Corner

**Q:** *What are the most important symbols of faith?*

**A:** They are the *Apostles' Creed* which is the ancient baptismal symbol of the Church of Rome and the *Nicene-Constantinopolitan Creed* which stems from the first two ecumenical Councils, that of Nicea (325 A.D.) and that of Constantinople (381 A.D.) and which even to this day are common to all the great Churches of the East and West CCCB 193-195

"I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth"

**Movie Night at St. Francis Xavier!**

*You are invited!* come, relax & enjoy a good movie

Show Times:

- ★ June 9 at 8pm
- ★ June 10 at 6:30pm
- ★ In the Parish Hall
- ★ snacks & drinks will be available for sale!

Ticket Prices:

- \$10.00 each
- \$25.00 family of three
- \$30.00 Family of four
- \$40.00 Family of Five

**Featured Movie: THE HOPE**



Go to YouTube & search: **The Hope Movie** to watch the trailer!

**Free Online Webinar!**

**ESTATE PLANING From a Catholic Perspective**

June 17, 2023 ♦ 9am to 10am

The estate planning team from the Archdiocese of Toronto & Catholic Cemeteries will share:

- ♦ How to protect your loved ones with a proper will
- ♦ Ensure your wishes legally protected
- ♦ Information about Powers of Attorney
- ♦ Finding a lawyer and estate planning advisors
- ♦ Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial & funerals



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2. Find your parish  
(Saint Francis Xavier Parish 5650 Mavis Miss.)
3. Put in your name and email

**CWL Annual Scholarship – SFX Council #3067**

**Scholarship of \$500.00 Available to:**



- ★ Any student from our parish (male or female)
- ★ Graduating high school this year
- ★ Will be attending University/College  
(Two-year diploma course minimum)

**Applications need to be submitted by July 14, 2023**

For more information please contact:

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**HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday June 5, 2023**

- 8am †Paul Miranda
- 7pm †Christina Anthony

**Tuesday June 6, 2023**

- 8am †John and Catherine Rodrigues
- 7pm †Norbert Castelino

**Wednesday June 7, 2023**

- 8am †John Joseph D'Costa
- 7pm Special Intention Matthew
- Special Intention Slavko Cicak
- Thanksgiving Freda & Hyacinth D'Souza
- Thanksgiving Rodrigues Family
- †Josfina Galvez
- †Pedro and Antonieta Joanes
- †Eustace D'Mello
- †Lydia and Fernando Chipongian
- †Magdalena Cabanting Galang
- †Theresa Cherickal
- †Avelino & Josephine Soares

**Thursday June 8, 2023**

- 8am Special Intention Denis Agar
- 7pm †Winston Fernandez

**Friday June 9, 2023**

- 8am Thanksgiving Jayakody family
- 7pm Special Intention Slavko Cicak
- †Owen Lobo
- †K.T Sebastian
- †Sean Nicholas Gilbert

**Saturday June 10, 2023**

- 7:30am †Josefina Lopez
- 5pm Pro Populo
- †Reynaldo Garcia

**Sunday June 11, 2023**

- 7:30am †Domingo Potente
- 9am †Patria Bernal Salvador
- 10:30am †Deceased Sma, Ma & Gho family members
- 12pm †Abalena D'Souza
- 1:30pm Special intention Anil Sharma



**The Most Holy Trinity**

*Father*

**ETERNAL LOVE**

He created us to know His love

*Son*

**ETERNAL MERCY**

He died for us to reveal the Father's love

*Holy Spirit*

**ETERNAL POWER**

He descends upon us to give us new life