



**Pastoral Council Elections**

We wish to thank the following Pastoral Council Members for their dedicated service stepping down from Council after 4 years:

- Tom Brennan
- Bryan Childerhouse
- Aggie Sandrelli
- Gail Stewart

We wish to welcome the following new members by acclamation:

- Margaret Davidson
- Christina Guidotti
- Terry Pirie

Rita Hadden is returning for her second 2-year term.

**A Church of Welcome**

The Church indicates that the people of God, as represented by the local Church, are responsible for the initiation of new members.

Called to be a Sponsor

The Church invites fully initiated members of the community to consider serving as a sponsor for someone seeking initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist). The role of the sponsor is to serve as a guide and mentor. Those seeking initiation into our Catholic faith embark on a journey and the sponsor is a personal companion. This role is of vital importance and we ask you to consider accepting this invitation to walk with another person in faith.

**Please Pray For All The Sick**

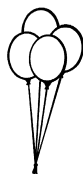
Please remember in your prayers this week, our parishioners and family who are ill, and those who care for them:

- RAY HAYES, HELEN LECOURS,
- JANINA MALYJASIAK, RAY CORMIER, LINA SPENCER,
- ASHLEY HUININK



**Masses For The Week**

- Sat. Jun. 6 - 5:00pm  
**+Maurizio Misasi**  
*req. by Mario & Anna Misasi*
- Mon. Jun 8 – 8:20am  
**+Barry McElligott**  
*req. by The Staff of St. John's Church*
- Wed. Jun 10 – 7:00pm  
**+Murielle Kerr**  
*req. by Marlynn & Karen Kerr*
- Thu. Jun 11 – 8:20am  
**+Joseph Bone Sr.**  
*req. by His Family*
- Fri. Jun 12 – 8:20am  
**+Maria & Joseph Byers**  
*req. by Their Estate*
- Sat. Jun 13 – 5:00pm  
**+Mary Cutajar**  
*req. by The Vella Family*



**Parish Family Fun Day  
Sunday, June 14th  
1:00pm - 4:00pm  
On the grounds of the church**

Calling all parish families!! Get ready for our annual St. John's Parish Family Fun Day to be held once again outside the Parish Centre. Join us for some good old fashioned games and tasty treats! Admission is FREE!



**You Can Work Wonders**  
**SHARELIFE GOAL**  
**\$139,000**

**750 DONORS**

All cheques should be made payable to:  
ShareLife - St. John the Evangelist Church  
You may submit post-dated cheques for your donation.

**It's a wonder troubled teens do not have to call the streets their home...**  
"Covenant House has helped me tremendously. I've gotten off drugs and found work. But I think the best thing is that they've helped me feel better about myself, to be more confident."  
- Jeff, 24, resident at **Covenant House Toronto**

Today is the 3<sup>rd</sup> ShareLife Collection. By supporting ShareLife social service agencies, you are working wonders; providing shelter, care and respect for those living in our communities who most need it.

Thank you for your generosity. Together, we can work WONDERS!

<b>SHARELIFE COLLECTION –</b>	
<b>Week 9</b>	
<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>
<b>\$81,850</b>	<b>\$78,042</b>
<b>Donors</b>	
<b>388</b>	<b>377</b>

**Looking Ahead**  
**Sun Jun 7 ShareLife 3<sup>rd</sup> Collection**

- Social Sunday after 9am & 11am Mass
- Feed the Hungry, SVDP Non-Perishables' Donations
- Matercare Bake Sale in Parish Centre during Social Sunday
- 9am & 11am First Eucharist Celebration for students of St. John's, Parish Home Catechism & Other
- Mon. Jun 8**  
7:30 – 9:00pm CWL Pot Luck, PC main
- Wed. Jun 10**  
7:30 – 9:00pm Pastoral Council Meeting, PC main
- Fri. Jun 12**  
10am Mass at Fairview Lodge



Together, we can respond to the challenge and reach our goals!

**Catholic Youth Festival  
of the Diocese of Peterborough**  
SONfest '09  
August 14-16, 2009  
(Mini World Youth Day)

For ages 15-30, to be held at Holy Trinity Secondary School, Courtice.

3 days of music, prayer, talks, discussion groups, games and camping.

Registration prior to July 31<sup>st</sup> is \$40. Registration forms available online at [www.veyopeterboro.org](http://www.veyopeterboro.org) or at Holy Trinity School.

Volunteers are needed for Adoration. If you are interested, call Cynthia (905) 725-9267. Hosted by St. Therese Parish, Courtice



**CWL Pot Luck Supper**

Our June meeting will take place on Monday, June 8th and will be a pot luck supper. Ladies of the parish are most welcome to join us in the Parish Centre for 6:30 p.m. Don't forget your place setting and food contribution. Our guest speaker for the evening will be Father John Boos who will share with us his experience and knowledge of the Muslim religion. If you require transportation, or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Carolyn Meaney at 905-668-9175 or Lynne Childerhouse at 905-431-6582.

**CWL Bake Sale for Matercare**

What can you do to help make pregnancy and childbirth safe for all women? You can help support MATERCARE INTERNATIONAL, an organization dedicated to raising funds for hospitals, training and research that would make a real difference to these mothers and their families. Please bring your baked donations to the parish centre on Saturday, June 6th between 4:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. Late donations before masses will also be welcomed. Come and buy the delicious donations after the 9 & 11 Masses. As Dr. Walley, founder &

executive director of Matercare, states: "We all need to work together to provide poor mothers with the best of obstetrical and midwifery care which is committed to the dignity of motherhood, right to life, medical excellence, love and hope."

**RCIA**

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults – 6 years of age and older) The RCIA is a process for those who are not baptized Catholic or have not been fully initiated into the Catholic Church. Sessions will begin in early Fall. All who are interested, should contact the parish office as soon as possible (905) 668-3676.

**"Thank You"**

to the following parishioners who were instrumental in helping with our Sacramental Programs for 2008 – 2009

**FIRST EUCHARIST**

**Registration**

Aggie Sandrelli  
Corinne Meek  
Gail McMonagle  
Mitch Cusma  
Natalie Albrecht  
Pat Milburn  
Sharon Ladouceur

**Family Day**

Marjorie Shields  
Kate McNeil  
Christine Hannon  
Claire Brown  
Gail McMonagle

Carole Aucoin  
Olivia Alambo  
Emma Dotey  
Celina Williams  
Patrick Williams

**CONFIRMATION**

**Registration**

Corinne Meek  
Gail McMonagle  
Natalie Albrecht  
Pat Milburn

**Catechetical Sessions**

John Ecker  
Sally Hale  
Mark McGowan  
Gail Stewart  
Rose Tyms  
Theresa Robinson  
Mark Lacy  
Natalie Albrecht  
Marrion Stesco  
Anne-Marie Yaraskavitch  
Olimpia Crosby  
Christine Hannon  
Cristina Guidotti  
Bernie Kelly  
Catherine Huppe  
Claire Brown

**Net Retreat**

Mark & Karen Fitzsimmons  
Ed & Christine Lescisin  
Mark & Marg Lacy  
Jennifer Tedford  
Sharon Ladouceur

**Interviews**

Mac Beynon  
Bryan Childerhouse  
Christine Hannon  
Sharon Ladouceur  
Tom Brennan  
Aggie Sandrelli  
Kate McNeil  
Bernie Kelly  
Rita Hadden  
Olimpia Crosby  
Cristina Guidotti  
Gail Stewart

**Ceremony**

Christine Hannon  
Gail Stewart  
Nicky Scott  
Margaret Davidson  
Sandi Kirby  
Chris Beynon  
Aggie Sandrelli  
Roy Choquette  
Pat Garrard  
Margrith Peterman  
Nick Cusato  
St. John's Choir

**You're Invited to Boston Pizza!**

*You can help support Catholic Family Services of Durham just by having dinner with your family and friends. Join us at Boston Pizza on Thursday June 18, 2009 between 5-9pm and 10% of the purchases for each receipt turned in will be donated to CFSD. CFSD Board members will be there to serve you – come out and have some fun!*

Date:  
**Thursday June 18, 2009**

Location:  
**Boston Pizza  
75 Consumers Drive  
Whitby, ON  
(in the AMC plaza)**



**Pray the Rosary**  
in the Mausoleum  
at Resurrection Cemetery  
355 Taunton Road East  
Thursdays at 7pm  
For more information call  
(905) 668-8912  
Everyone Welcome