



St. Clare of Assisi Parish

March 15, 2020

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Third Sunday of Lent



EDGE is a Catholic middle school youth ministry program that provides a safe fun place for youth to experience Jesus in a profound and personal way.

This year, Edge will be combined with Grade 7 students doing their Confirmation in 2020. Our next **Edge will be Sunday, March 15th, 2020 at 7 p.m. in the parish hall.**



LIFE TEEN is an evening for high school students who want to experience more to their spiritual journey than just Sunday Mass. Our next **LifeTeen will be**

Sunday, March 22nd, 2020 at 7 p.m. in the parish hall.

If you are an adult, interested in assisting with either our Edge or LifeTeen ministries, please contact the Youth Minister at stclareofassisi.lifeteen@gmail.com.



Edge Camp (for grades 5-8) is going to take place from August 15-19, 2020.

For more information, please contact stclareofassisi.lifeteen@gmail.com.



If you are interested in advertising your business in our parish bulletin, please contact the office at 905-653-8000. Please support those who support us as sponsors in our advertising section in the bulletin. Thank you.



For those who are registered with us for the **Baptism Preparation Class**, the next class will be held on **Tuesday, March 31st, 2020 from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

in the parish hall for parents and godparents only. It is recommended that only adults attend. If it is absolutely necessary to bring your child, please contact the office.



Toronto Serra Club – “But the one who drinks of the water that I will give will never be thirsty.” Do you thirst to know where God is leading you? Could you be

thirsty for an understanding of your purpose? If God is calling you to serve Him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997, email vocations@archtoronto.org or visit www.vocationstoronto.ca.**



Living the Gospel by helping young mothers. Kristen was

17 when she found out she was pregnant. Worried she wouldn't be able to graduate from high school, she reached out to Rose of Sharon. At this ShareLife-funded agency she was able to focus on school work with the help of child minding by the agency. Kristen graduated and was accepted into the medical administration program at Seneca College. “Without Rose of Sharon,” says Kristen, “there’s no way I would have believed college was a possibility.”

March 29 is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.



For the month of March, the **Third Thursday gathering has been cancelled** due to Confirmations and other events going on throughout the church. **Please save the date for our next gathering which will be held on Thursday, April 23rd, 2020 in our parish hall.** More details to follow.



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Reminder to all parishioners that every Friday from October until April we have the Taizé mass. It begins with the Rosary at 7:00 p.m. Rosary, mass, adoration, night prayer and benediction. The mood is set by candlelight & quiet reflective music called Taizé chants which help to maintain a peaceful, prayerful atmosphere. **During Lent, the Stations of the Cross will replace the Rosary.** If you are new to our community and have not experienced our Taize Mass, we welcome you to join us!



Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre located at 1617 Blythe Rd., Mississauga is holding a Women's Lenten Retreat from Friday, March 20 at 7:30 p.m. and ends Sunday, March 22 after lunch. The Theme is ***In the Spirit of Quietude, preached by Fr. Peter Nowak OMI.*** For more information please call 905-278-5229. The cost of the weekend is \$200.00 per person.



Celebrate Your Marriage with a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend getaway that helps married couples rediscover themselves as individuals and as a couple. The Weekend format helps couples communicate openly and honestly without group sharing, therapy or marriage counselling. **Upcoming Weekend: April 24-26, 2020 - Four Points Sheraton (Argentia Road), Mississauga, ON.** For more information and application, please go to www.wwme.org or contact: Gerard & Marge McCauley at gerard.marge@rogers.com or (905) 792-1925.



Agape Latte - All are invited between the ages 18-39 with Fr. Robert Dodaro who will be talking about **The Darkness Within - How to handle depressive moods and desolation** being held at **Marylake Shrine 13760 Keele St., King City on Thursday, March 26th, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.** For more information, please visit www.marylake.com.



Don't forget to stay in touch with our St. Clare of Assisi Twitter account. We generally post information on upcoming events here at the parish, share a link to the Sunday Mass readings, "Saint of the Day" and other relevant news you may find in the Sunday Bulletin. Follow us on Twitter at [@stclareofassisi](https://twitter.com/stclareofassisi).