



Congratulations & Blessings!



Sisters of St. Joseph of Toronto elected THÉRÈSE MEUNIER, CSJ as their Congregational Leader with Pat Boucher (Assistant Leader), Mary Anne McCarthy, Ann Delaney, Nida Fe Chavez (Councillors).

Thérèse is the Vice-Chair of the Board of Directors of Becoming Neighbours, a Joint Apostolic Ministry.

GOVERNOR GENERAL'S MEDAL FOR ARCHITECTURE

"A House Built on Good Intentions"
(Saturday, May 17, 2014 *Globe and Mail*)
[Click here](#) to read the article.

LORETTO SISTERS' SPONSOR REFUGEE

On April 08 the Loretto Sisters welcomed Hajir Mohammed. Originally from Sudan and living in a Refugee Camp in Ghana, Hajir is accompanied by IBVM Refugee Support Team of Rosemary Albon, Cabrini Fahlman, Celima Lindsay, Maria Lanthier.



We remember
Al McAndrew, SJ
who died May 18.

Al was companion
with Gilberto Rogel.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Many of our friends have recently received the news that their applications to be Refugee Claimants have been rejected:



- For Doris, Walter and children Walter Jr. and Danna Paula, whose family companions are Johana and Jhon Coronado-Vasquez.
- For Christiane and children Giulia and Marco. Companions are Adua Zampese, SOS/ Mary Burns, prayer partner Rosemary Fry, CSJ.

Many of our friends still have ongoing hearings:

- For Elmer, Esmeralda and children Jose and Camila whose family companions included Jim Fleming, Bradley Black and prayer partner Ursula Witkowska, IBVM.
- For Marim and children Mohamad, Venoo, Laleh and Ladahn whose companion is Marilyn MacDonald, SOS.

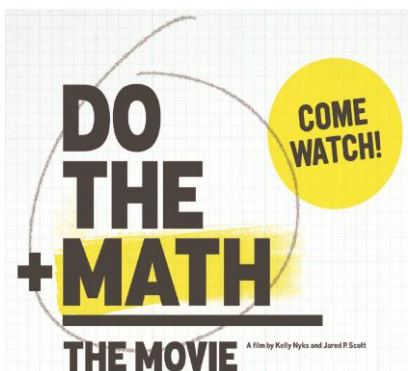
Together, we pray...

- For Peggy Bach, CSJ who will undergo surgery. She is companion of Marie-Frances Kalunga.
- For newcomers who have completed school and are searching for jobs that will provide a just/decent wage to support their families.
- For all those searching for employment, for all those who are underemployed and for all those who have just lost their jobs. We ask God grant us the grace to join with others to ensure that the dignity of every person is honoured and that each person's potential is realized. Amen.



"If you think in terms of a year, plant a seed; if you think in terms of 10 years, plant a tree; IF YOU THINK IN TERMS OF 100 YEARS, TEACH THE PEOPLE." - Confucius

IMPORTANT MOMENTS



A fast-paced and inspiring film about the rising movement to solve the climate crisis. 350.org/math
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm: Thursday, June 05, 2014
Mary Ward Centre – 70 St. Mary St.
RSVP lwatkiss@csj-to.ca 416-467-8070 ext. 2676

WE CELEBRATE WITH

Brothers of the Good Shepherd
Congregation of Notre Dame
VISITATION OF MARY – May 31



<http://ncronline.org/sisters>
(Recommended by Evanne Hunter, IBVM)

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY JUNE 05



"Planet Earth is our shared island, let us join forces to protect it."
www.unep.org/wed

"TEMPORARY FOREIGN WORKERS: FEWER GUESTS, MORE CITIZENS"

www.theglobeandmail.com/globe-debate/editorials/temporary-foreign-workers-canada-needs-fewer-guests-and-more-citizens/article18732350/

(Editorial Saturday, May 17 Globe and Mail)

SPIRITAN HONOURED FOR FIVE DECADES OF DEDICATION TO CATHOLIC EDUCATION



"In recognition of Fr. Pat Fitzpatrick's dedication to Catholic education and the faith in general, the Toronto Catholic District School Board presented him with its Award of Merit. Pat has devoted more than 50 years to the Catholic faith as a Spiritan priest, educator, chaplain, retreat leader, Mass celebrant and editor of Spiritan Magazine, said Tom O'Leary, who nominated Fitzpatrick for the award. "His spiritual leadership is extraordinary. As a Catholic educator, he promoted harmony and valued authenticity and integrity." Now, while not editing the quarterly Spiritan Magazine or serving as chaplain for the Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association, Fitzpatrick wanders into schools to give the priestly presence."

(May 09 Catholic Register)

And what a history Pat has with the ministry of Becoming Neighbours!

Not only was Pat one of the key people who helped to establish Becoming Neighbours, a Joint Apostolic Ministry, but he continues not only to be a member of the Advisory Group and a facilitator of a Theological Reflection Circle but he also is prayer partner with Daniel Amisimwinyi.

THANK YOU, PAT, FOR YOUR CSSp GOSPEL WITNESS!!!