



# Join us to Celebrate

Fr. Roy's

25<sup>TH</sup>

Anniversary of Ordination  
to the Priesthood

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>

9:15 AM Mass

A reception will follow in the lower hall.

## **BREAKFAST SUNDAY & BAKE SALE**

On Sunday, May 26th, we will be having our regular monthly Coffee Sunday. In addition to coffee, tea, and hot chocolate, we will be serving breakfast consisting of pancakes and sausages. There will be a cost of \$10.00 for those wishing to participate in the breakfast with the complimentary beverage of their choice.

During this event, we will also be holding a Bake Sale. For this, we are asking for baked goods donations.

Those wishing to donate baked goods please contact the parish office at 416-767-7054 or drop us an email at [stpaultheapostleto@archtoronto.org](mailto:stpaultheapostleto@archtoronto.org) by Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>.

All proceeds from this event will be donated to ShareLife.



## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!**

Do you enjoy working with children?

Why not become a Children's Liturgy Teacher? Children's Liturgy is held during Sunday Masses at 9:00 am.

If you are interested or for more information, please contact the parish office at 416-767-7054.



## **HORIZONS OF HOPE:**

### **A TOOLKIT FOR CATHOLIC PARISHES ON PALLIATIVE CARE**

The archdiocese has asked all parishes to share information and have discussions about palliative care. You might be interested in this topic because:

- ◆ A loved one was recently diagnosed with a chronic or life-threatening illness;
- ◆ Caregivers and family members may wonder if they made good decisions regarding the care of a person who has recently died;
- ◆ Caregivers and family members are grieving the death of a loved one and are seeking a supportive community that they can learn with;
- ◆ They want to understand how palliative care is different from euthanasia and suicide, which in Canada is called Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID)
- ◆ They want to understand the Church's teaching on end-of-life questions
- ◆ They are trying to discern their gifts to accompany, care for and support caregivers and the person who is ill;
- ◆ They simply want to learn about palliative care.

**The dates we have scheduled for our program are Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, and Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>.** This four-module program will take place in the hall at 10:00 am, with each session lasting for two hours. It helps parishioners, caregivers, and family members who are facing a terminal illness to gain a deeper understanding of palliative care. Throughout the four modules, participants will engage in learning and discussion sessions that explore important themes such as the dying process, decision-making at the end of life, and the significance of building Compassionate Communities. Our faith in Jesus Christ has much to teach us about living well until the end of life.