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SUNDAY MASSES:

5:00 p.m. Saturday (Sunday liturgy)
8:30 a.m. English Mass
9:30 a.m. Sung English Mass
11:30 a.m. Sung Latin Mass
(Usus antiquior/1962 Missal)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Before every Mass on Sundays
Daily for 15 minutes before all Masses.

WEEKDAY MASS:

8:00 a.m. Monday - Friday
10:00 a.m. Saturday

MARRIAGES:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

BAPTISMS: On Sundays by appointment.

PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Mr. Philip Fournier: 416-538-5893

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-9944

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A BREAK FOR SUMMER

There will be no music during the month of August, while the Chant Schola goes on summer holiday. Solemn High Mass with music begins on the first Sunday of September. The OCC returns to the 9:30 Mass when school is in session.

Vespers and Benediction

Sundays at 5:00 p.m. at Holy Family Church,
1372 King Street West

PARISH FINANCES FOR AUGUST 4/5

Regular Collection	\$2712
Maintenance & Debt	\$10
Mission Collection	\$1756

Thank you very much for your generous support.

SHARELIFE 2012 – WE CAME VERY CLOSE!

Our parish raised \$12550 for this year's ShareLife campaign, just \$450 short of our parish goal of \$13000. Thanks to all for your generous donations.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, AUGUST 13

SS. Pontian, Pope, & Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs
10:00 Brendan & Ian Brown, req. by David & Claudia Brown

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14

St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr
8:00 Special Intention

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00 Special Intention

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16

St. Stephen of Hungary
8:00 (+) Margaret O'Connor

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17

8:00 Joseph Campbell Sr., req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners
5:00 (+) Bill & Lucy Metcalfe, req. by the Sherlock Family

PARISH EXCURSION

Trip to Stratford Shakespeare Festival on Saturday, September 22, to see the matinee (2 p.m.) performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's *Pirates of Penzance*. Cost is \$115.00 per person and covers transportation by motor coach, buffet lunch and theatre ticket. Limited availability. Please call Maria at 416-532-0968 to book as soon as possible.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Catholic Cemeteries (Archdiocese of Toronto) wishes to invite all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on **Wednesday August 15th**, at 7:00 p.m. Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's Annual Mass are as follows:

Cemetery	✠ Celebrants ✠
<i>Assumption</i> , Mississauga	Most Rev. John Boissoneau
<i>Christ the King</i> , Markham	Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen
<i>Holy Cross</i> , Thornhill	His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins
<i>Mount Hope</i> , Toronto	Rev. Brian Clough
<i>Queen of Heaven</i> , Woodbridge	Most Rev. William McGrattan
<i>Resurrection</i> , Whitby	Rev. Morosco Lett
<i>St. Mary's</i> , Barrie	Rev. Francis V. McDevitt

In event of rain, Mass will be held in the mausoleum at *Queen of Heaven, Holy Cross, Resurrection & Assumption*. *Mount Hope* relocates to St. Monica's Parish (44 Broadway Avenue, Toronto); *St. Mary's Cemetery* to St. Mary's Parish (65 Amelia St., Barrie). Mass at the *Cemetery of Christ the King* will be celebrated in the Reception Centre.



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wednesday, August 15
Sung Latin Mass at 6.m.
Holy Family Church

Special Shared Collection, Sunday, August 19

Catholic Missions in Canada: Since its founding in 1908, Catholic Missions In Canada, then known as The Catholic Church Extension Society of Canada, has come to the aid of isolated missions across the country where a lack of resources makes it impossible to maintain a Catholic presence without outside financial help. It may surprise many Canadian Catholics, but some of the poorest and neediest missions served by the Church can be found here in Canada. These are mainly poor and scattered communities in the Canadian North, isolated from their neighbors because of geography and the extreme cold of the long winter season. These are missions where families constantly struggle to cover the basics such as food and shelter and clothing because opportunities for work and jobs are scarce.

Next Sunday, August 19, there will be a special collection, at all Sunday Masses, for the Catholic Missions in Canada and the Scarboro Foreign Missions. *Please make use of the envelopes in this week's bulletin, and please be generous.*

THE VIGIL OF OUR LADY'S ASSUMPTION PLAN TO COME TO THE PARISH FIESTA!

Mark your calendars for **Tuesday, August 14**, The Vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. There will be a special Mass at 6:00 p.m. at SVP, followed by a parish BBQ with hot dogs, hamburgers, ice cream, balloons and fun activities for the kids. \$10 per person and \$20 per family. Pay when you come.

"We pronounce, declare, and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma: that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory." Pope Pius XII – Munificentissimus Deus –
1 November 1950

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

"It was right that she who had kept her virginity unimpaired through the process of giving birth should have kept her body without decay through death. It was right that she who had given her Creator, as a child, a place at her breast should be given a place in the dwelling-place of her God. It was right that the bride espoused by the Father should dwell in the heavenly bridal chamber. It was right that she who had gazed on her Son on the cross, her heart pierced at that moment by the sword of sorrow that she had escaped at his birth, should now gaze on him seated with his Father. It was right that the Mother of God should possess what belongs to her Son and to be honoured by every creature as God's Mother and handmaid." –*St. John Damascene, 8th century*

"It is written, that you appear in beauty, and your virginal body is altogether holy, altogether chaste, altogether the dwelling-place of God; from which it follows that it is not in its nature to decay into dust, but that it is transformed, being human, into a glorious and incorruptible life, the same body, living and glorious, unharmed, sharing in perfect life." –*St. Germanus of Constantinople, 8th century*

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