ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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SUNDAY MASSES:

5:00 p.m. Saturday (Sunday liturgy)

8:30 a.m. English Mass 9:30 a.m. Low Mass

(Usus antiquior/1962 Missal)

11:00 a.m. Sung English Mass

12:30 p.m. Sung Mass

Catholic Parish of St. Thomas More (Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter)

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.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY: 647-727-8758

PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Mr. Peter Bishop: 416-535-7646

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-9944

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MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Hymn: 364 – Lord Jesus, think on me

Kyrie: Roman Missal Chant

Gloria: 211 – Mass VIII (de Angelis)

Seasonal Responsorial Psalm Refrain: "THE LORD IS MERCIFUL AND GRACIOUS."

Credo: 202 – Kyriale III

Offertory Hymn: 470 – Love divine, all loves excelling

Sanctus: Roman Missal Chant **Agnus Dei:** Roman Missal Chant

Hymn after Communion: 538 – Ave Regina Caelorum

(Mode VI)

Concluding Hymn: 613 - There's a wideness in God's

mercy

Organ: *Fantasia in C Minor* (a5) (J.S. Bach)

PARISH FINANCES FOR FEBRUARY 12

Regular Collection: \$2,306 (Weekly Budget: \$2,900) Maintenance & Debt: \$885 (Month-to-date: \$2,938) (Monthly Budget: \$3,500)

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Family Day is **Monday, February 20.** Mass will begin at 10:00 a.m.

COINS FOR LIFE

Coins for life boxes will be handed out at the back of the church on **February 25/26**. This project helps us to continue to run the National March for Life in Ottawa on May 11, 2017. Be sure that your small change can lead to a BIG change in our land and does help to save countless innocent lives now and in the future. God's preborn children in the womb have no voice but ours. You may even wish to make this a family, school, office project? Spread the good news of the sanctity of every life from conception to natural death. No one has the right to destroy the life which God has created. For more information call Jenny or Jeff at CLC, 416- 204- 9749. Volunteers are always needed!

PILGRIMAGE - FATIMA 1917 - 2017

Portugal, Spain, France & England - -May 29 - June 10 Visit the website: www.ihtours.com/itinerary-469

The family that prays together stays together.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

10:00 (+) John & Peggy Fernandez, req. by Luanne Fernandez

TUESDAY, FEBRURAY 21

St. Peter Damian, Bishop & Doctor

8:00 Eades family

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Chair of St. Peter, Apostle

8:00 Margie Eades

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23

St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr

8:00 (+) Bill & Lucy Metcalfe, req. by Sherlock family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

8:00 Keith Eades

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00 (+) Mark & Viktor Leben, req. by Antonia Leben

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Income Tax Receipts for donations to the parish in 2016 will be available at the back of the church after all Masses this weekend. During the week they will be in the parish office. These receipts include your ShareLife donation, but *not* donations to the Family of Faith. Those will be issued by the Archdiocese of Toronto.

TOTUS TUUS IS COMING!!!

The children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer from July 16-21. Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and college students travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechetical instruction, Mass, confession, songs and games! The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am - 2:30pm. The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs Sunday-Thursday from 7 - 9pm. For more information, please call the office at 416-535-7646. More information the program also available about is www.totustuustoronto.ca

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

May 4 - 16, 2017. Fr. John Hodgins from St. Thomas More will be the accompanying chaplain on this pilgrimage. Pamphlets are at the back of the church. For more information please visit the website: peregrinus-peregrinus.blogspot.ca

PANCAKE SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 26



Pancake Breakfast after all Masses on Sunday, February 26. Come down to the hall and get fat before Lent starts! Pancakes, sausages, tea and coffee; the whole sticky mess! \$10/family; \$5/single. Many volunteers needed! Please call the

office at 416-535-7646. We will e-mail or call out to families over the next couple of weeks to make up a schedule of servers. This takes the place of the coffee hour.

ADELPHI VOCAL ENSEMBLE

On **Friday, February 24**, there will be a concert at 8:00 p.m. by the Adelphi Vocal Ensemble, directed by Peter Bishop. The theme of the concert is "Two Wesleys and a Bach". The music will include two large scale anthems: "In exitu Israel" by Samuel Wesley, and "The Wilderness and the Solitary Place" by his son Samuel Sebastian Wesley. The elder Wesley was much concerned in getting the works of J. S. Bach published in England, and we explore that connection with a performance of Bach's motet, "Lobet den Herrn." Adelphi will be joined, as before, by organist Andrew Adair; as well as accompanying, he will play organ solos, including the "Choral Song and Fugue" by S. S. Wesley, and organ music by Bach. Admission is free – a \$20+ donation is suggested and encouraged.

PERFORMANCE

What happens when you mix heavenly intervention with a 1930's Toronto dance hall?



Join us on **February 23 and 24,** 7:30 p.m., 1515A Queen St. West, for thought-provoking, faith-filled fun for all ages. The Francis de Sales Centre and Mary, Mother of God School present *Sister Marie's Miracle*, the story of a devout Dominican

sister whose miracle leads to unforeseen complications. Admission by donation.

DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH

Come to the 8th annual conference for Catholic women on **Saturday March 25, 2017.** Cardinal Thomas Collins will be celebrating the opening Mass. There will be many speakers through the whole day.

There is a mother - daughter event Calling ALL Girls on **March 24, 2017.** For more information, registration fees and location visit: www.dynamicwomenfaith.com or call 905 279-7702

PALMS FOR ASHES

Lent is a few days away! Please bring your blessed palms from the last year(s) to be burned for the ashes to be used on **Ash Wednesday**, March 1. Place them on the table at the back of the church before **February 27.**

FAMILY DAY OF RECOLLECTION

"I will rise up and go to my Father".

At **Holy Family Church** on **Saturday, March 4**, the day starts at 10:00 a.m. with Mass and ends with Stations of the Cross and Benediction at 3:00 p.m. The day includes talks for adults, adolescents and children. Babysitting is available. Lunch is provided but you must register by calling 416-532-2879 or email: www.oratory-toronto.org

Candidates for Confirmation at St. Vincent de Paul church are required to attend as part of their spiritual preparation for Confirmation.

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

"The Light shines in the darkness." John 1:5
Saturday, March 4, 2017 from 9:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Metro Toronto Convention Centre, North Building
Mass with Cardinal Collins, many speakers, Christian
music, and more. Tickets are: Adult \$25 & Youth \$15 For
information visit: www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca, or email:
info@lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca or call: 416-251-4255

PONTIFICAL SOLEMN HIGH MASS

On **March 5**, all are welcome to come for the Mass and reception to meet Bishop Lopes.

The Most Rev. Steven Lopes, Bishop of the Ordinariate of the Chair of St Peter will, for his first visit to Toronto, celebrate Mass according to Divine Worship, the traditional English rite approved by the Holy See in 2015. The Solemn High Mass will be at 12:30 p.m., a reception and "Meet the Bishop" to follow.

The reception will be 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. for those who cannot attend the Mass but would like to meet Bishop Lopes.

CALL FOR CONSCIENCE CAMPAIGN February 6 – March 31, 2017

Now that euthanasia/assisted suicide is legal in Canada, doctors in Ontario are being forced to help arrange for the killing of their patients. If your family doctor or surgeon objects to providing a referral for assisted suicide/euthanasia, they could be fined, disciplined or even removed from their practice. Many may be forced to retire or move outside of the province if the provincial government does not recognize their freedom of conscience. Please visit the website: www.CanadiansforConscience.ca to learn more, join the "Call for Conscience" and write directly to your Member of Provincial Parliament asking them to protect conscience rights.

We plan to have writing materials available in the hall next Sunday during the pancake breakfast.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE TO MARY

Thursday, February 23, 8:00 p.m. The play by Paul Claudel, adapted and directed by Carter West. Join us at Holy Family parish hall. Admission is by donation. Proceeds to the Oratory.

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