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MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:30 SUNG ENGLISH MASS Easter Sunday

Entrance Hymn: 410 – Jesus Christ is ris'n today **Kyrie:** 210 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*) **Gloria:** 211 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*) **Responsorial Psalm Refrain:** "CRY OUT WITH JOY TO GOD ALL THE EARTH. ALLELUIA." Sequence Hymn with Refrain – Victimae paschali laudes (Mode I) Sequence Refrain: (The Adoremus Hymnal # 418) **"VICTIMAE PASCHALI LAUDES IMMOLENT** CHRISTIANI." During the Sprinkling with the Blessed Water: 102 – Vidi aquam (Mode VIII) Offertory Hymn: 413 - The strife is o'er **Sanctus:** 212 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*) "Great Amen" - EASTERTIDE Agnus Dei: 213 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*) **Communion Hymn:** 412 – Ye sons and daughters of the Lord Hymn after Communion: 546 – Regina Caeli (Mode VI) Concluding Hymn: 411 – At the lamb's high feast we sing Organ: Prélude et Toccata sur "Victimae Paschali Laudes" (Denis Bédard)

FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on **Friday, April 1**, until noon. Also, there is a Holy Hour at Holy Family Church at 8:00 p.m. *Could you not watch with me one hour?*

ALTAR BOY TRAINING

Catholic boys grade 3 and older are invited to apply to serve our Lord as Altar Boys. Training will take place on Mondays beginning April 4 after school until 4:30 p.m.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2016 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 28

Easter Monday

10:00 Thanksgiving for safe travel, req. by Virginia Bisbal

TUESDAY, MARCH 29 Easter Tuesday 8:00 (+) Etta Walker

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30 Easter Wednesday 8:00

THURSDAY, MARCH 31 Easter Thursday 8:00

FRIDAY, APRIL 1 Easter Friday 8:00 Ida Rus, req. by Antonia Leben

SATURDAY, APRIL 2

Easter Saturday 10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00 Augustine Ezman, req. by his parents & siblings

PARISH FINANCES FOR MARCH 20 Regular collection: **\$2,832** (Weekly budget: **\$2,900**) Maintenance & Debt: **\$571**. Total, month to date: **\$2,027** (Monthly Budget: **\$3,500**) ShareLife: **\$70**. Total to date: **\$3,985** (Goal: **\$11,000**)

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

This year it has been **transferred to Monday, April 4.** There will be a Solemn High Mass at Holy Family Church at 6:00 p.m.

MAINTENANCE & DEBT FUND

Next Sunday will be the first Sunday of the month when the Maintenance and Debt Fund will be collected at all the Masses.

PIEROGIS AND CHOPIN Easter Saturday, April 2 – 6:00 to 10:00 p.m.

WYD fundraiser-Tickets are \$25 per person / \$50 per family (beer and wine included). Pierogis and other Polish food and entertainment will be provided by the young pilgrims at Holy Family parish hall.

PARISH BUDGET

The parish finance council has approved the budget for the year 2016.

Our budget needs have been calculated at \$2,900 for each weekly collection; \$7,000 for Easter (also for Christmas); and \$3,500 each month for the Maintenance and Debt fund.

These amounts are in addition to what we expect to receive from those parishioners who use PAG (preauthorized giving). If more parishioners switch to PAG, the amounts can be adjusted. We encourage you to consider PAG, as it has benefits for you and for the parish. For you: a way of setting your budget so that you regularly make your contribution to the parish without having to remember each week to prepare your envelope. For the parish: a more regular cash flow, including in vacation periods when many parishioners are away from home.

The operating budget has a small deficit because of the expense we had earlier this year redoing the roof of the sacristy, for which we had to borrow money from the Archdiocese. Fortunately the new amount of our loan(approximately \$43,000) is interest-free for the first five years, thanks to the Family of Faith fund.

BAPTISMAL FONT

Sharp-eyed parishioners may have noticed that we have been without a baptismal font for the last year and a bit. You might remember that the former font was converted into a stand for the statue of St Vincent.

Thanks to the estate and the relatives of long-time parishioner Evelyn McCartney, we have received a generous donation that has enabled us to have a new font made. It has been installed in the church in time to be blessed and used for the first time during this year's Easter Vigil.

Evelyn's donation, a total of \$35,000 received in part last year and in part this year, will also help us to do other projects in the parish which we would not otherwise have been able to do, or would have put off until later. We have already upgraded the parish's computers and printer, and purchased a baby-changing table for the washroom in the narthex. Thank you, Evelyn, and rest in peace!

COINS FOR LIFE 2016

Thank you to all who have been doing Coins for Life this Lent on behalf of God's preborn children. The boxes will be collected for the next few weekends. Place the box on the table at the back of the church. Your contribution will help us continue our work towards protecting the preborn in the mother's womb and most importantly to run the National March for Life in Ottawa on May. Thank you for all you do to stop the killing of God's preborn children.

Campaign Life Coalition thanks you for your generosity.

HOT SOUP LUNCH – NEXT SUNDAY!!

What better way to celebrate Easter then with fellow parishioners and a bowl of delicious homemade soup and rustic bread.Come down to the parish hall after the 11:30 a.m. Mass. See you there!!!

ETTA, R.I.P.

Word has come to us that our dear friend and long-time parishioner Etta Walker, who retired home to Jamaica a few years ago, died on Friday, March 18, 2016. Etta was long involved in the Legion of Mary and much other volunteer work in the parish. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

SL ShareLife

Working wonders in our community... Terry obtained his Master's Degree in music and philosophy earlier in life and was successful in careers in spirituality with the *Carmelites as well as in the hospitality industry. While* working, he became addicted to alcohol. Recognizing the seriousness of his problem and in order to return to work successfully, Terry would need to be involved in a long term recovery program. He chose the spiritually enriched program St Michael's Homes offered and as a result, Terry became focused and deeply connected with the staff at St Michael's and was able to continue on the right path. He looks forward to the day soon when he can confidently leave and be successful once again in the hospitality industry, and an inspiration to those around him. ShareLife funded agencies like St. Michael's Homes helps many men suffering from substance abuse get their lives back on track through life-changing counselling and extensive support.

Next ShareLife Sunday is April 17, 2016. Please give generously. You can work wonders!



TOTUS TUUS COMING AGAIN THIS SUMMER! JULY 24-29, 2016

otus Children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours). Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and college students travel to different parishes throughout the summer, spreading the Good News through catechetical instruction, Mass, confession, songs and games! The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m., and the junior high/high school program runs Sunday-Thursday from 7:00–9:00 p.m. The cost is only \$100 per child or \$250 for 3 or more children for the entire week. Children are to bring their own lunches, drinks. If you are interested, please fill out the form which will be at the back of the church and return it with the payment to the office.



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