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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)
11:30 a.m. Sung English Mass

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. Peter Bishop: 416-535-7646

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-9944

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:30 SUNG ENGLISH MASS

Lent V

Entrance Hymn: 361- O cross of Christ, immortal tree

Kyrie: Mass XVII

Responsorial Psalm Refrain:

“HAVE MERCY ON US, LORD, FOR WE HAVE SINNED.”

Credo: 202 – *Kyriale III*

Offertory Hymn: 381- The royal banners forward go

Sanctus: Roman Missal Chant

Agnus Dei: Roman Missal Chant

Communion Hymn: 365 – **Parce Domine (Mode I)**

Concluding Hymn: 363- The glory of these forty days

FOLLOWING THE LONG TRADITION OF THE CHURCH, and in accordance with the General Instruction on the Roman Missal, the organ is not played as a solo instrument during Lent (except on the fourth Sunday); its use is restricted to the accompaniment and support of the singing.

PARISH FINANCES FOR MARCH 1

Regular collection: \$2,168

Anniversary Fund: \$844

Total: \$3,012

Budget Need: \$3,863

ShareLife: \$230

GOOD NEWS AND BAD NEWS

Sad to say, there is more of the latter.

As you see from the above, even on the day on which the Anniversary Fund collection was taken up, we came nowhere near our required weekly income for our break-even budget. We have not reached that amount for any week this year.

For January and February our expenses were just over \$46,000. Since our annual budget is \$314,000, and 1/6 of that is about \$52,000, we are controlling expenses well. However, our income for the same period was \$5,000 less than our expenses.

As of Friday, March 20, our bank balance was about \$6,000. However, \$2,800 of that is from the ShareLife collection and will be transferred to the Archdiocese. Nearly \$4,000 is funds that were collected over the years from the poor boxes, and will be passed on to the St Vincent de Paul Society. Other bills due very soon: Taxes, \$1,366; Insurance, \$4,797; month-end and weekly payroll; monthly clergy salaries; withholding tax; loan interest... over \$20,000 by mid-April.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MARCH 23

8:00 Wiesia Wenclaw, req. by Halina Janusz

TUESDAY, MARCH 24

8:00 Ryszard Solowiej, req. by Halina Janusz

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25

Annunciation of the Lord

8:00 Bodner family, req. by Brenda Ezman

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

Henryk Janusz, req. by Halina Janusz

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

8:00 (+) Irena Kusinka, req. by Nowak family

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 (+) Ann Wydrzynski, req. by Sherlock family



STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDECTION

EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT AT 8:00 P.M.

If any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me.

WEDNESDAY MASS AND BREAKFAST

Not this week since there will be a school Mass in the afternoon for the Solemnity of the Annunciation.

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SENIOR MEN'S HIGH SCHOOL RETREAT

Saturday, April 11 from 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

St. Augustine's Seminary (2661 Kingston Rd.)

This is an invitation for young men, grades 10 – 12.

“Contemplate the face of Christ. In doing so, we will discover our lives in His.” John Paul II

If you are interested call SVP office on Monday, March 23 at 416-535-7646 to fill out a form.

HEARTY HOT SOUP AND BREAD SUNDAY:



March 29th after the 11:30am Mass: Come down to the Hall, bring a toonie, and enjoy a hot, hearty bowl of soup, with homemade rustic bread, tea, coffee, juice....with fellow parishioners. Meet a new friend! And if you'd like to add a few cookies or cakes,

that would be lovely. Below are some fellow parishioners' reviews of the past four soups made by our own chef: do you know her? Come and find out.....

Reviews:

"4 Stars to the chef, for sure! These soups are hearty, healthy and abundant; I had thirds; Sorry."

"How can veggies, carbs, and protein come together so deliciously in one (or two!) bowls? This is the best lunch deal in town!"

"Delicate and complex flavours offset what is really a meal in a bowl!"

SL ShareLife

We have always tried to expose our deaf children to both communities. As their parents, we have talked to them and tried to answer their questions when they saw someone using sign language and they had basic sign language books. Then one day our oldest son, Ethan, said he would like to learn sign language. We discovered Silent Voice's Sign Language Summer camp and enrolled him in the program. The following year Gavin joined his older brother and they both want to go again. We also put our name in for the Family Communication program because we wanted to support our children. These opportunities increased the boys' awareness of the deaf community and also helped them gain respect for different ways of communication. They enjoyed both experiences as did we. We all hope to take part in the Family program again. Last year more than 600 deaf children received support through Silent Voice's Sign Language Summer Camps.

Next ShareLife Sunday – April 12, 2015 Please give generously. You can work wonders!

THE SOURCE WITH THE SISTERS OF LIFE

March 26 – 7 to 9 p.m.

St. Paul's Basilica
83 Power St., Toronto

Join us for an evening of prayer, Adoration and fellowship. Confessions will be available from 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. We hope to see you there! For more information, contact The Sisters of Life at 416-463-2722 or toronto@sistersoflife.org.



The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary, and she conceived by the Holy Ghost.

In Honour of the Annunciation of the Lord, there will be A High Mass (Usus Antiquior) at Holy Family Church on March 25 at 6:00 p.m.

PILGRIMAGE TO DIVINE MERCY SHRINE-APRIL 11-13

Includes a dramatic play of the Life of St. Faustina. Cost per person is \$240.00 (double occupancy), \$220.00 per person (triple occupancy) and \$200.00 per person (quadruple occupancy). Booking deadline is March 24 with a \$50.00 deposit. Contact Maria at 416-532-0968.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

TENEBRAE FOR HOLY WEEK

Wednesday, April 1, 8:00 p.m., at Holy Family Church

A devotional service of psalms, lamentations and responsories, followed by Lauds.

HOLY THURSDAY (APRIL 2)

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 8:00 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until midnight. Confessions: 7:00 - 7:45 p.m., and after the Mass of the Lord's Supper until midnight.

GOOD FRIDAY (APRIL 3)

(This is a day of fast and abstinence.)

Liturgy of the Passion: 3:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross at 8:00 p.m. followed by veneration of a relic of the True Cross.

Confessions: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross: 8:00 p.m.

Confessions: 7:45 p.m. and through Stations of the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY (APRIL 4)

Easter Vigil: 9:00 p.m. (This Mass fulfills the Sunday obligation.)

Confessions: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 - 8:45 p.m.

Please note that during the Easter Triduum, the church will not be open until 9:00 a.m.

EASTER SUNDAY (APRIL 5)

Regular Mass Schedule

Vespers and Benediction

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

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