# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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(1581 - 1660)

### 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

#### MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

**11:30 SUNG ENGLISH MASS** 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Entrance Hymn: 310, Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus Kyrie: Roman Missal Chant Gloria: 211, Mass VIII (de Angelis) Responsorial Psalm Refrain: "I REJOICED WHEN I HEARD THEM SAY: LET US GO TO THE HOUSE OF THE LORD." Credo: 202, Kyriale III Offertory Hymn: 305, O Word That Goest Forth on High Sanctus: 203, Mass XVIII Agnus Dei: Roman Missal Chant **Communion Motet:** O Holy Mary Concluding Hymn: 575, Remember Those, O Lord **Organ:** Toccata in B Minor (Eugene Gigout)

#### PARISH FINANCES, NOVEMBER 9/10

| Regular Collection | \$2732 |
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| All Souls          | \$290  |
| Anniversary Fund   | \$655  |

Thank you very much for your generous support.

#### **ANNIVERSARY FUND COLLECTION, NOVEMBER 24**

Thank you for generously supporting the Anniversary Fund. The Anniversary Fund, which replaces the old Maintenance and Debt Fund, will help fund the repainting of the church as well as providing much needed support for ongoing and unexpected expenses. Anniversary Fund collections for the remainder of this year will take place on **November 24 and December 15**. Envelopes for next week's collection are in this week's bulletin and in the offertory boxes. Please be generous in the support of your parish!

#### SHEPHERD'S TRUST COLLECTION, TODAY

The Shepherds' Trust has a mission to provide, comfort and care for those who have steadfastly cared for us - our retired priests. As parishioners, we have our own memories of a Catholic priest who made a positive, meaningful and lasting impact in our lives. Each year, thousands of people contribute to the Shepherds' Trust. The collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese on November 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>. Envelopes are at the back of the church. We want our priests to retire safely and with dignity. The Shepherds' Trust allows us to help achieve this goal. Your generosity is deeply appreciated. Vespers and Benediction

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

#### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Dedication of the Basilicas of SS. Peter and Paul, Apostles

8:00 (+) Ezio & Tilly Pontisso, req. by the Pontisso Family

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19** 8:00 (+) Souls in purgatory, req. by Christine Lewicki

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20** 8:00 (+) Peter Murphy, req. by Patricia Russo

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21 Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary** 8:00 (+) John Moran

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22 St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr 8:00 (+) Nikolaj & Maria Leben, req. by Antonia Leben

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23

**St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr** 10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners 5:00 John MacLean, req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

#### **CONCERT AT ST. VINCENT'S – THIS WEEK!**

There will be a concert on **St. Cecilia's Day, Friday, 22 November 2013 at 8:00 p.m.** by the Adelphi Vocal Ensemble, directed by Peter Bishop, at St. Vincent de Paul Church. The primary repertoire will be the Hymn to St Cecilia by Benjamin Britten and the Mass and Motet "Veni Sponsa Christi" (associated with the feast of a virgin martyr) by Palestrina. Adelphi will be joined by Andrew Adair who will play organ music, including Britten's Prelude and Fugue on a Theme of Victoria. Admission: \$20 suggested donation.

#### ALL SOULS' DAY ENVELOPES

Envelopes for All Souls are at the back of the church. The 10:00 Saturday morning Masses throughout the year are offered for the souls of the deceased friends and relatives of parishioners who request them. You may include your offering in the regular Sunday collections for the next few weeks.

#### **100TH ANNIVERSARY MEETING**

There will be a meeting of the Centenary Planning Committee on **Thursday**, **November 14 at 7:30 p.m.** in the parish hall. All those interested in helping with the

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preparations for the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary are encouraged to attend.

#### ST. COLUMBANUS CEILI: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7:00 pm to Midnight!

A *Ceili* is for all ages, for the entire family. It is composed of live music, a dance '*caller*', food and drinks. A dance '*caller*' is someone who teaches us how to dance in formations together, young and old. No



one need worry about 'getting the steps perfectly right': it's just about having a good time and enjoying each other's company – on the dance floor or off. The live music will be performed *'in the round';* that is, a circle of musicians – a pianist, fiddlers, Irish drum drummer, acoustic guitar- will work together to keep our toes tapping.

**Update: There will be a quiet room for families**, in the choir training room at the back of the hall, set up with air mattresses and blankets and chairs for babies, tired children and mums and dads. This will be open all evening for quiet breaks.

The Ceili is part of the fundraising efforts for the Anniversary Fund, monies we are trying to raise in order to repaint and refresh the walls of our church for its 100th Anniversary. Tickets will go on sale next Sunday and please come out for this parish event. Single: \$25, Family: \$60. More details on the ceili will trickle out over the next few weeks; keep posted!!!!



#### CHRISTMAS CRAFT AND BAKE SALE: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

Mary, Mother of God School warmly invites you to attend our Christmas Sale at St. Vincent de Paul Church Hall. Come and

sample lots of yummy baked goods, have a lunch of delicious homemade soup and sandwiches, and shop for one-of-a-kind Christmas gifts! **Sunday, December 1, 9:00-3:00.** www.marymotherofgodschool.org

#### PARISH RAFFLE

As part of our fundraising efforts for the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, we are inaugurating a parish raffle to be drawn on **February 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Pope and Doctor Pub**. **We are looking for donations for prizes, either quality goods or preferably cash.** If we have \$2500 in cash prizes then this will enable us to sell \$12,000 worth of tickets. In other words, a contribution of \$100 means the parish can raise \$500 in raffle funds from your donation. This is a great opportunity to quintuple your donation to the parish! If you would like to make a donation, contact the rectory office or speak to Fr. Thomas or drop a cheque earmarked for the raffle into the regular collection.

#### PARISH EXCURSION

Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Victory in Lackawana, USA and Our Lady of Fatima in Buffalo, USA on Saturday, December 8 and shopping. For more information and cost, please call Maria at 416-532-0968

#### PHILIPPINE DISASTER RELIEF

If you would like to help Catholic agencies in the Philippines to alleviate the suffering caused by the recent typhoon and to rebuild the destroyed region, you may do so either by donating online at www.archtoronto.org or making a donation here in the parish. If you are writing a cheque, please make it out to St. Vincent de Paul – Philippine Typhoon Haiyan – Humanitarian Relief. If you are using cash, make sure that the intention is clearly marked on the envelope, or make use of the envelopes at the back of the church. The Canadian government will match all donations to this effort made between November 9 and December 9. We need to pass the money to the chancery by December 9 to qualify for the grant matching, so please do not delay.

#### ST. JOSEPH'S SUNDAY MISSALS

Missals for the upcoming liturgical year are now available at the back of the church. The cost is \$5.

#### THE WORD AMONG US

We have many complimentary copies of The Word Among Us for December. The booklets include Mass readings and daily reflections for Advent. Please help yourself to a copy at the back of the church.

#### AT HOLY FAMILY CHURCH...

#### **ADVENT FAMILY DAY OF RECOLLECTION**

**Saturday, December 7**, beginning with Mass at 10:00 a.m., which will be sung in Latin, and concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:00 p.m. The theme of the day will be "The Coming of the Lord Jesus". Single people are welcome too! If you wish to register for lunch, please call the rectory at Holy Family, 416-532-2879.

#### LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH

RCIA classes take place on Wednesdays at 7:30, and Adult Bible Study meets on Tuesdays at 7:30, in the hall at Holy Family. Call the rectory at 416-532-2879.

