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# 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. 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:

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**MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY**

**9:30 SUNG ENGLISH MASS**

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Opening Hymn: 443 – Come Holy Ghost  
 Kyrie: 205  
 Gloria: 206  
 Creed: *more ambrosiano*  
 Offertory Hymn: 523 – Panis Angelicus  
 Sanctus: 208  
 Agnus: 209  
 Closing Hymn: 534 – The God whom Earth and Sea and Sky

**11:30 USUS ANTIQUIOR**

**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost**

*Vater Unser im Himmelreich & Partita XII “Freu dich sehr”*, Georg Bohm  
*Asperges me, Domine*  
 Introit *Da pacem Domine*  
 Kyrie *Conditio Kyrie Omnium, ad libitum* 5  
 Gloria 13  
 Gradual *Laetatus Sum*  
 Alleluia *Timebunt gentes*  
 Credo  
 Offertory *Sanctificavit Moyses*  
 Sanctus 11  
 Agnus 11  
 Communion *Tollite Hostias*, w/verses from Ps. 75 in fauxbourdon  
*Ave Maris Stella* a 3  
 Toccata & Fugue in D Minor, J.S. Bach

**PARISH FINANCES (SEPTEMBER 26/27)**

Regular Collection	\$2789
Needs of the Canadian Church	\$469

***Thank you very much for your generosity.***

**Maintenance and Debt – Today!**

The Maintenance and Debt collection will take place today, at all Sunday Masses on **October 3 and 4**. So far this year we have paid down \$16,000 toward our debt, but we are still in need of funds to continue with debt payment and the ongoing work of maintaining our beautiful church. Extra envelopes can be found at the back of the church. Please be generous.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 5**

**St. Aloysius Scrosoppi of the Oratory, Priest**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6**

**St. Bruno, Priest**

8:00 Sheraib Shariff, req. by Jadwiga Modrzewska

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7**

**Our Lady of the Rosary**

8:00 Fr. Paul Pearson, req. by the Smith Family

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8**

8:00 Mary Muphy

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9**

**St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs**

8:00 Hannah Murphy

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10**

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners

5:00 (+) Walter Mulhern, req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

**Vespers and Benediction**

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

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY**

Is under way! The group meets on Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. at Holy Family Church in the parish hall.

**ADULT CATECHISM**

Want to have a better understanding of the teachings of the Catholic Church? Consider joining our adult catechism class! Open to members of the Church, and to those exploring the possibility of joining the Church, or to anyone who simply would like to know more about what the Church teaches and why. The group meets on Mondays at 7:30 p.m., beginning with this Monday, September 28, at Holy Family Church in the parish hall.

**COME AND SEE WEEKEND**

“The Love of Christ urges us on” to radically respond to His call to follow Him whole-heartedly.

**On November 6-8, 2009**

**At St. Augustine’s Seminary,**

there will be an opportunity for young men of 18 years or older to spend a weekend for time of prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming Christ’s disciple through the Catholic priesthood. During this year for priests, consider the call to the priesthood. If God is calling you, say yes . . . and Come and See.

**EVENTS AT THE ORATORY, HOLY FAMILY CHURCH**

**Feast of Saint Aloysius Scrosoppi of the Oratory:  
Monday, October 5**

Sung English Mass at 5:30 p.m.

**Annual Forty Hours' Devotion**

Begins with Mass on Wed., Oct. 14 at 8:00 p.m.

Finishes with Rosary Holy Hour on

Friday, October 16 from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**A Special Mass to Commemorate our Lady of Victory**

Solemn Latin Mass in the Extraordinary Form

Saturday, October 10, at 11:00 a.m.

Reception afterwards

**EVENING AT THE ORATORY**

Join us at Holy Family this week for a talk, followed by refreshments and sung Compline, on Wednesday, October 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall.

**Topic: The Black Death**

**THE POPE AND DOCTOR IS BACK!**



Summer has left but The Pope and Doctor, your parish pub, is coming to town on **Saturday, November 7th**. Come and eat, drink and be merry with your fellow parishioners. Sangria and beer, meat and vegetarian chilis and other pub treats, songs to sing and call out for the piano or guitar from our talented parish musicians, darts to throw around! It's cold outside, but at least the hall is warm. Tickets are only \$25 and include everything except alcohol. Funds go towards hall renovations which we hope to begin soon.

**FORTY DAYS FOR LIFE**

The 40 Days for Life event takes place September 23 to November 1. Holy Family and Saint Vincent de Paul have agreed to sponsor the event **from 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 24, to 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, October 25**. We will be praying in front of the abortion facility at 960

Lawrence Avenue West (just west of Dufferin). If you would like to take part in this event, please sign up. Forms are available at the back of the church – please fill one out, put it in the collection, or in the mail slot at the rectory, or email the info to [spn@oratory-toronto.org](mailto:spn@oratory-toronto.org). If you have a car and would be willing to drive others, please let us know. If you need a ride, please check off the appropriate column. You can, of course, make your way there by TTC. If you register online ([www.40daysforlife.com/toronto](http://www.40daysforlife.com/toronto)), please sign up here as well, so that we know whether all the time slots are being covered.

**LIFE CHAIN 2009:**

**SUNDAY, OCT. 4, 2:00-3:00 P.M. – JOIN US TODAY!**

Parishioners of St. Vincent's are encouraged to meet **at the corner of Keele and Bloor** as in previous years.



**ST. ALOYSIUS SCROSOPPI,  
PRAY FOR US!**

Aloysius Dominic Scrosoppi (always known as Luigi) was born on August 4th, 1804 in the town of Udine, in the region of Friuli in northeast Italy. He was ordained priest on March 31st, 1827. The wretchedly poor conditions during the 1800s in a Friuli devastated by famine, wars and pestilence were for Luigi an invitation to care for those most in need. He dedicated himself to gathering together and educating poor and abandoned girls; to them he devoted all his material possessions, his energies and his affection. He did not spare himself, and when the situation called for it he went around begging. Eventually this work led to his founding of the Congregation of the Sisters of Providence. In the meantime, Luigi was reflecting on the need to make a more total consecration to the Lord. He was attracted by the ideal of poverty and universal brotherhood of St Francis of Assisi, but the events of his own life and of history led him to follow in the footsteps of St Philip Neri, the saint of prayer, humility and pastoral charity. Luigi followed his "Oratorian" vocation in 1846, and at the mature age of 42 he became a son of St Philip. From him he learned that meekness and tenderhearted spirit which would make him ever more suited to the task of founder and father of the Congregation of the Sisters of Providence. Luigi strove to imitate St. Philip closely, especially in his love of humility and retirement from the gaze of the world. Also like St. Philip, a spirit of cheerfulness and gaiety marked Luigi's life. His complete indifference to earthly reputation and honour was reflected in what he said to his nuns as he lay dying: 'I do not want this poor man even to be remembered!'

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