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): 416-733-8544

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MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11: 00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Hymn: 364 – Lord Jesus, think on me

Kryie: Roman Missal Chant

Gloria: 211 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Responsorial Psalm Refrain:

"O THAT TODAY YOU WOULD LISTEN TO HIS VOICE! HARDEN NOT YOUR HEARTS."

Credo: 202 – Kyriale Romanum III

Offertory Hymn: 521 - O Thou, who at thy

Eucharist didst pray

Sanctus: 203 – Mass XVIII **Agnus Dei:** Roman Missal Chant

Communion Hymn: 541 – Mary the Dawn

Concluding Hymn: 534 – The God whom earth and

sea and sky

Organ: Psalm 19, "The heavens declare the glory of

God" (Benedetto Marcello) (1686-1739)

PARISH FINANCES FOR SEPTEMBER 3

Regular Collection: \$2,546 (Weekly Budget: \$2,700) Maintenance & Debt: \$1,407 (Monthly Budget: \$3,500) Mission Co-op: \$713

Have you considered pre-authorized giving (PAG)? This is a great help to you in being sure you are giving as you should, and to the parish in being able to budget and to pay our bills. Forms are available in the back of the church.

OFFICE CLOSED - September 11 – 22

During these two weeks, I will be in the office on occasion, but there will not be regular office hours. If you need anything, please leave a message at the Oratory (Holy Family Church) at 416-532-2879.

- Fr Daniel Utrecht, C.O., Pastor

INTRODUCING MERRYMAKERS

A dynamic afternoon program for 3-5 year olds.

Mary, Mother of God School is now registering children for 2½ hours of enriched programming on Monday and Thursday afternoons, 1:00-3:30 pm. Join us for songs, stories, poems, nursery rhymes, instruments, games, classical music, mime, drama, and lots of play. For more information, call the school office at 416-531-7897. Come and make merry with us!

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

8:00 Bartosz, Adrienne & Hayden

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

The Most Holy Name of Mary

8:00 Sebastian Ezman, req. by Ezman family

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor

8:00 Special Intention

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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

family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00 Julian Ezman, req. by Ezman family

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

SS. Cornelius, Pope, & Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00 (+) Tim Stewart, req. by McGinnis family

MAINTENANCE & DEBT FUND - TODAY!!

Collection for this fund will be taken up at all Masses today.

AT HOLY FAMILY

MASS FOR THE INAUGURATION OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR OF ST. PHILIP SEMINARY

This will take place on **Saturday, September 16**, at 10:00 a.m. in Holy Family Church. A reception will follow.

PAINTINGS & PRINTS FOR SALE

Sunday, September 17 after all the Masses. Many high quality pictures from an estate will be displayed for sale in the parish hall.

LIFE CHAIN

Sunday, October 1, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Corner of Bloor & Keele Sts.

Life Chain is a silent, prayerful demonstration that takes place every year. Come and join fellow parishioners in witnessing to the sanctity of life on behalf of the most vulnerable members of society.

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES

First Confession and First Holy Communion classes are for children in Grade 2 or older. Preparation in the parish is required in addition to and in cooperation with the learning of the faith that is done at home and school. Of course, the most essential thing is a regular life of faith and faithful attendance at Sunday Mass.

Registration for sacramental preparation will take place in our parish hall on **Sunday**, **September 24**, **between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m.** Please pick up a form from the back of the church or online at www.oratory-toronto.org. The fee is \$40 for educational materials and other costs. **Please include a copy of the baptismal certificate** when registering.

SPEAK UP! CALLING ALL YOUTHS (16-29)

Wednesday, September 13 – 7 p.m.

St. Patrick's Parish

5633 Highway #7, Markham

Tuesday, September 19 – 7 p.m.

St. Isaac Jogues Parish

1148 Finch Ave., Pickering

Monday, October 2 – 7 p.m.

St. Stanislaus Parish 12 Denison Ave., Toronto

Wednesday, October 11 – 7 p.m.

St. Christopher's Parish

1171 Clarkson Rd. N., Mississauga

Wednesday, November 1 - 7 p.m.

St. Ignatius Loyola Parish

2300 Burnhamthorpe Rd. W., Mississauga

As the Synod on Youth, Faith and Vocational Discernment approaches, we want to hear from you! Faith Connections and the Office of Catholic Youth will be hosting Live Listening Sessions with the Toronto Bishops. Young people 16–29 will have the opportunity to respond to Pope Francis' questions in preparation for the Synod! Your voice is important! Visit: bit.ly/synodspeakup for more information and to RSVP.

LECTIO DIVINA WITH CARDINAL COLLINS

One Sunday each month at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St.

September 10, Duties Towards God (Sirach 2:1-18)

October 1, Compassion & Humility (Sirach 3:11-31)

Vespers begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by Lectio Divina from 7:30-8:15 p.m. The theme for 2017-2018: *Holy Wisdom* Life is difficult, and we often make mistakes. We seek to understand how to make good decisions, and how to live in a healthy relationship with God, our neighbours, and ourselves. We need all the help we can get as we navigate through life, and that can come from friends, and from wise reflection upon experience. The wisdom tradition of the Bible is a treasure, divinely inspired and humanly insightful, that can guide us on our way.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

The Sacrament of Confirmation is conferred in the Archdiocese of Toronto in Grade 7 (or later, for those who have not been confirmed). Preparation in the parish is required in addition to and in cooperation with the learning of the faith that is done at home and school. Of course, the most essential thing is a regular life of faith and faithful attendance at Sunday Mass.

Registration for Confirmation classes will take place in our parish hall on **Sunday, October 1, between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m.** Please pick up a form from the back of the church or online at www.oratory-toronto.org. The fee is \$40 for educational materials and other costs. **Please include a copy of the baptismal certificate** when registering.

Bishop Robert Kasun will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation in our parish on the Sunday after Easter, 2018

COFFEE HOUR - TODAY!!!

Come on down to the parish hall for coffee or tea and socialize with parishioners after all Masses today.

HOT SOUP LUNCH

All are welcome to come down to the parish hall after the 11:00 a.m. Mass on **September 24** for a cup or two of delicious soup and rustic homemade bread.

PRAYER TO ST VINCENT DE PAUL

O glorious Saint Vincent, heavenly patron of all charitable associations and father of all who are in misery, whilst thou wast on earth thou didst never cast out any who came to thee: ah, consider by what evils we are oppressed and come to our assistance! Obtain from thy Lord help for the poor, relief for the infirm, consolation for the afflicted, protection for the abandoned, a spirit of generosity for the rich, the grace of conversion for sinners, zeal for priests, peace for the Church, tranquility and order for all nations, and salvation for them all. Yea, let all men prove the effects of thy merciful intercession, so that, being helped by thee in the miseries of this life, we may be united to thee in the life to come, where there shall be no more grief, nor weeping, nor sorrow, but joy and gladness and everlasting happiness. Amen.

There will be a Sung English Mass on the feast of our parish's patron saint on Wednesday, September 27 at 8:00 p.m.

PILMGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE WITH FR. MARTIN HILBERT

January 28 to February 3, 2018

We will also visit Teotihuacan, Puebla, and Taxco. These sites are all under 200 km from Mexico City, so we will not be spending much time on the bus! The cost, including all taxes, surcharges, and tips is \$2,289. Flyers are at the entrances of the church.

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