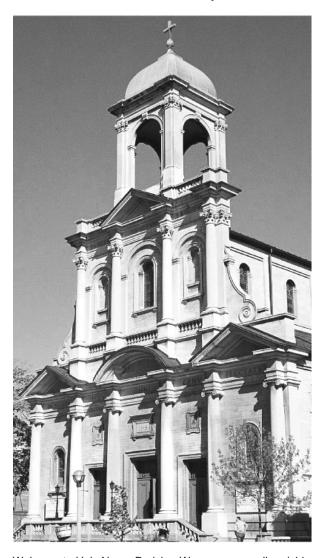
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Reverend Alexander Osei, C.S.Sp. Choir Director: Ms. Sarah Matte

Parish office hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:15 pm (in the church)

Sunday: 10:00 am

(children's program only at 10 am service) 12:00 pm (African Catholic Community)

Weekday: Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri. at 12:05 pm in the chapel

BAPTISM

By appointment and after instruction.

MARRIAGE

Archdiocesan Marriage Policy: Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. **Sacrament of Reconciliaton:** Saturdays: 4:30 to 5:00 pm and on request.

Catholic Cemeteries: 416-733-8544

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Welcome to Holy Name Parish. We encourage all parishioners to become actively involved in your parish through its many groups and ministries. We also need and appreciate your financial support from regular offertory envelope contributions. Please ensure that you are registered with the office. Parishioners who are changing their address are asked to inform the parish office.

MINISTRIES:

Altar Servers
Baptismal Ministry
Children's Liturgy of the Word (ages 3-12)
Ministers of the Eucharist
Ministers of Hospitality
Ministers of Music: Choir, Cantors, Instrumentalists
Ministers of the Word
RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
(for those wishing to become Catholic)

COMMITTEES:

Finance Council Liturgy Committee Pastoral Council

GROUPS AND ACTIVITIES:

Altar Society
Alcoholics Anonymous
Beavers, Cubs, Scouts
St. Vincent de Paul Society 416-469-0842
All these groups may be contacted through the rectory office.

Bulletin notices must be submitted in writing to the office by noon Monday.

Holy Name School: Phone 416-393-5215 Fax 416-393-5934 690 Carlaw Ave. Principal: A. Totten



CHRISTMAS SEASON SCHEDULE

DAY OF CONFESSION Wed. December 14th 5 pm - 7 pm

Christmas Eve
Saturday, December 24 – 8:00 p.m.
Family Mass (Holy Name Choir) *
Saturday, December 24 – Midnight Mass *
(African Catholic Community choir all are welcome)

Christmas Day
Sunday, December 25th

10 a.m. Christmas Morning Mass (Cantor)

New Year's Eve: Feast of Mary, Mother of God Saturday, December 31st, 2016 5:15 p.m. Mass

New Year's Day: Feast of Mary, Mother of God Sunday, January 1st, 2016 10:00 a.m. Mass 12 noon (African Catholic Community Mass)

Feast of the Epiphany

Saturday, January 7th – 5:15 pm Sunday, January 8th - 10 a.m. Mass 12 noon (African Catholic Community)

*carols begin ½ hour before Mass

Please keep and post on your refrigerator at home for future reference.

Please pray for all who are ill, especially Hazel Armstrong, Jackie Marksman, Maria Carmo Sr. Marlon Kowalski,

Marksman, Maria Carmo Sr. Marlon Kowalski, Myrna Anacta, Heather Tobias, Laura MacDonald, Maria Jose Bouey.



and Daily Readings Rosary at 11:50 a.m.

Tues. December 6th: ferial 12:05 pm:

Isaiah 40.1-11, Ps. 96.1-2, 3 & 10ac, 11-12, 13, Matthew 18.12-14

Wed. December 7th: St. Ambrose 12:05 pm: Estrella Jongko + Isaiah 40.25-31, Ps. 103 1-2, 3-4, 8 +10, Matthew 11.28-30

Thurs. December 8th: The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary 12:05 pm: Violetta Umali + & Rufino Ramos

Pestano +

Genesis 3.9-15, 20, Ps. 98.1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, Ephesians 1.3-6, 11-12, Luke 1.26-38

Fri. December 9th: ferial

12:05 pm: Joao B. Da Silva +

Isaiah 48.17-19, Ps. 1.1-2, 3, 4+6, Matthew

11.16-19

Sat. December 10th: ferial 5:15 pm: Manuel Aguilar & Family +
Sirach 48.1-4, 9-11, Ps. 80.1ac+2b, 14-15, 17-18,
Matthew 17.10-13

Readings for Third Sunday of Advent Sunday, December 11th, 2016

1st Reading: Isaiah 35.1-6a, 10

Responsorial Psalm: *Ps. 146.6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10*

Second Reading: James 5.7-10

Gospel: Matthew 11.2-11

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Christmas Bazaar Results

 Rental fee for Tables - \$1,650.00

 Bake Sale - \$731.85

 Raffle Draw - \$315.00

 Food & Drinks - Less Expenses - \$68.90

Total Raised - \$2,753.95

A Big thanks to **Azadeh Siedleczka** who was instrumental in bringing in the vendors and for promoting the event. Thanks to **Sheila Spencer**, **Kathleen Wilkinson**, **Pauline Granton**, **Carol Soloman** and **Ann & Nora Gilbride** for organizing the bake sale. Thanks to all the parishioners who donated baked goods and the volunteers who made this event possible with the volunteering of time and efforts.

50th Ordination Anniversary of Fr. Frank Wagner, C.S.C.

On **Saturday, December 10**th we will be joining Fr. Frank Wagner, C.S.C. in celebrating his 50 years of ordination anniversary. You are most welcome to attend the Mass at St. Ann's Church (120 First Ave.) and congratulate him on his anniversary. A formal reception (cost: \$10.00) will be held in St. Ann Parish Hall at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome.

Celebration of First

Reconciliation for grade 2 students will take place on 6th December at 7.00 pm in the church.

Christmas - A Time for Giving

Each year The Society of St Vincent De Paul, Holy Name asks you to support our Giving Tree. This is about taking a dove and buying a toy or gift for needy children in our community.

Please bring in your unwrapped gift by December 16th to the parish hall as St.

Vincent de Paul members will be there to receive them. Please enter by the chapel door entrance.

Along with the doves, we are offering you the opportunity to give a gift donation in the name of your friends, family and colleagues. This is a gift that 100% supports the less fortunate of our community and helps St Vincent de Paul continue our work of helping those in need. Please consider taking a gift card package from the Giving Tree and give a gift that gives back.

Thank you.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE DAY OF CONFESSIONS ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14TH 5 PM – 7 PM IN THE CHURCH

Ministry to the Housebound

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