HOLY HAME PARISH

GOUGH AND DANFORTH (at Pape Subway)

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Pastor: Reverend Jinto Mathew Puthiyidathuchalil, C.S.C.

Parish Secretary: Mrs. Pamela Cobham In Residence: Rev. Al Mahoney, C.S.C. 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

Archdiocese of Toronto: www.archtoronto.org

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 Communion to the Homebound
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.

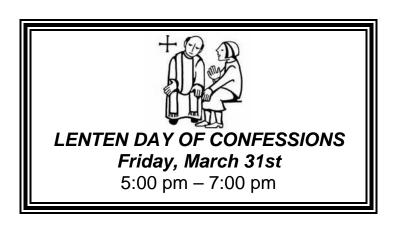
Holy Name School: Phone 416-393-5215 Fax 416-393-5934 690 Carlaw Ave. Principal: A. Totten



RCIA: First Scrutiny of the Elect (3rd Sunday of Lent) This Sunday, and for the next two Sundays, we will celebrate the Scrutinies. According to the Church's Rites, "the scrutinies are meant to uncover, then heal all that is weak or sinful in the hearts of the elect; to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good." The gospel readings for the scrutiny Sundays very clearly lay out the choices that are placed before the catechumens and the rest of the believing community as well.

This Sunday it is between water that quenches thirst and water that does not. Jesus identifies himself as the source of water that guarantees eternal life. He places before the Samaritan woman a choice that requires a step of profound faith. She knows the thirst-quenching quality of the water from Jacob's well, but she is not acquainted with the water promised by this stranger who is also an enemy of her people. The choice is not an obvious one. A similar choice is placed before us. We know the demands of our culture and the circumstances of our lives. Are we able to recognize the grace that is being offered to us, and make the right choice?

Jinto Mathew CSC





Rosary at 11:50 a.m.

Tues. March 21st: ferial

12:05 pm: Giuseppina Giuliani +

Daniel 3.25, 34-43, Ps. 25.4-5a, 6-7, 8-9, Matthew 18.21-35

Wednesday, March 22nd: ferial

12:05 pm: Geraldine Vallant +

Deuteronomy 4.1, 5-9, Ps. 147.12-13, 15-16, 19-20. Matthew 5.17-19

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Thurs. March 23rd: ferial

12:05 pm: Mollie Lavelle +

Jeremiah 7.23-28, Ps. 95.1-2, 6-7ab, 7c-9, Luke 11.14-23

Fri. March 24th: ferial

12:05 pm: Joao B. Da Silva +

Hosea 14.1-9, Ps. 81.5c-7a, 7bc-8, 9-10ab,

13+16, Mark 12.28b-34

Sat. March 25th: The Annunciation of the

Lord

5:15 pm: Mother Mary Angelica of the Annunciation, Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration, Foundress Eternal Word Television Network + Isaiah 7.10-14; 8.10d, Ps 40.6, 7-8, 9, 10, Hebrews 10.4-10, Luke 1.26-38

Readings for Fourth Sunday of Lent Sunday, March 26th, 2017

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 16.1b, 6-7, 10-13 Responsorial Psalm: *Ps 23.1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6*

Second Reading: Ephesians 5.8-14

Gospel: John 9.1-41



Development and Peace Coffee Sunday will be on Sunday, March 26th after Mass.

Development & Peace will be selling fair trade coffee, tea, chocolate, high quality olive oil and soap in the Parish Hall next weekend. We now accept PayPal and credit card payments.



CHILDREN'S PROGRAM PRETZELS FOR LENT

The children participating in the Children's Liturgy Program today (March 19) are baking pretzels to share at the hospitality time after Mass. The baking of pretzels is a Lenten tradition in the Church, dating back to the Middle Ages, when monks in Germany, Austria and Poland would bake pretzels as a form of Lenten treat for the people. The shape of the pretzels is the shape of human arms crossed in prayer. Pretzels remind us that Lent is a time for prayer.

A small handout with a pretzel recipe and prayer will be available after Mass today to anyone who is interested.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT BEGINNING AT 7:00 P.M.

SANCTUARY LAMP

is lit this week for Marco Gubiani (In Thanksgiving) at the request of his mother Rosina

Disbursements		
		Year-to-Date
	Feb-2017	Feb-17
OPERATIONS		
Offertory Receipts	\$15,731	\$36,147
Other Receipts	\$12,453	\$29,445
Disbursements	(\$48,489)	(\$66,576)
Net Receipts (Disbursements)	(\$20,305)	(\$985)

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Toronto Catholic District School Board Invites You to Participate in Consultation Regarding a Draft Parent Charter of Rights and a Draft Student Charter of

Rights

This process includes a confidential online survey which is accessible directly from the Board's web page (www.tcdsb.org). The deadline for responding to this survey is March 31, 2017. In addition to the online survey, all stakeholders are welcome to attend two (2) facilitated, face-to-face community consultation and information sessions designed to gather feedback:

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 2017 7:00 – 9:00 pm Bishop Marrocco/Thomas Merton Catholic Secondary School and Regional Arts Centre, 1515 Bloor Street West (Dundas West TTC Subway Station) Library/Learning Commons

TUESDAY, MARCH 28 7:00 – 9:00 pm St. Patrick Catholic Secondary School, 49 Felstead Avenue (Greenwood TTC Subway Station) Library

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