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. Rev. Austin Francis, O.F.M.

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: 5:00 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

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)

Sacramental Preparation

COMMITTEES:

Finance Council Liturgy Committee Pastoral Council

GROUPS AND ACTIVITIES:

Altar Society

Alcoholics Anonymous

Beavers, Cubs, Scouts

Seniors Group

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: Anthony Pauk

Season of Creation Week 4

"Consider the lilies of the field...God gives them magnificent garments!" Matt. 6:28

The focus this week is on Flowers. Do we take the time to notice the beauty of our environment? How can we contribute to protecting the soil in which plants grow? Do we grow plants from seed to wonder at the miracle of creation's regeneration?

"Creator God, in your wisdom you established a delicate ecological balance to see that birds find nourishment and flowers are clothed in beauty. Please give us the courage to dedicate ourselves to taking care of your Creation. We thank you for providing us with all we need. Amen!"

ACTIONS FOR CREATION:

- 1) Care for the flowers and plants.
- 2) Grow your own garden.
- Consider wearing clothes made from nature's plants of hemp and bamboo. Visit "Effort's Eco-Essentials", 225 Nugget Ave., Scarborough – Tel. 416-291-8601.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

Birthright, a pro-life crisis pregnancy service, needs your help. Volunteers, men and women, are needed to assist those facing an unplanned pregnancy, to provide support and comfort as well as practical solutions. Training is provided. Do you have time to offer 3 or 4 hours a week in a life-saving cause? For more information call 416-469-1111 or email toronto@birthright.org.

LINE CHAIN
Sunday, September 30th
2 pm – 3 pm
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Rosary at 11:50 a.m.

Tues. September 25th:

12:05 pm: **Joao B. Da Silva +**

Wed. September 26th:

12:05 pm: Helen Sprokkelenburg +

Thurs. September 27th:

12:05 pm: Harry Keane Sr. +

Fri. September 28th:

12:05 pm: Paul Laffan +

Sat. September 29th:

5:00 pm: Benefactors Past and Present of

Holy Name Saint Vincent de Paul Francisco De Lima +

Readings for Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, September 30th, 2018

12:00 pm: **Second Death Anniversary of Gonzalo Rodriguez**

1st Reading: Numbers 11.25-29

Responsorial Psalms: Ps. 19.7, 9, 11-12, 13

Second Reading: James 5.1-6 **Gospel:** Mark 9.38-43, 45, 47-48



The precious Relic of the True Cross of Christ will visit St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish on **Saturday, October 13**th, **2018**. Special Mass will be celebrated by Most Rev. Wayne Kirkpatrick at **4:00 pm**, followed by the adoration of Relic of True Cross of Christ at St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish, 4260 Cawthra Road, Mississauga.

Visit our Parish Website: holynameto.archtoronto.org

INFORMATION MEETING FOR CHILDREN PREPARING FOR 1ST RECONCILIATION & 1st COMMUNION

On Tuesday, September 25th at 7 p.m. in the church, there will be an information meeting for parents of children who will be preparing for 1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion whether your child is in public school or a Catholic school, you're welcome to attend. Please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate with you. Thank you.

\$1. ShareLife

Thank you to our generous parishioners in our parish who have raised **\$23,501.00** as part of the \$11.3 million raised across the archdiocese. On behalf of the thousands of people served by Sharefunded agencies, THANK YOU! You are truly living the Gospel by providing for those in need.

INFORMATION MEETING FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS, CANDIDATES & SPONSORS OF STUDENTS WISHING TO BE CONFIRMED

Please take note of change of date!
On Thursday, October 18th at 7 p.m. in the church, there will be an information meeting for parents/guardians, candidates & sponsors of students who wish to be Confirmed whether your child is in public school or a Catholic school, you're welcome to attend. Please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate with you. Thank you.

Needs of the Church in Canada Special Collection, September 30

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) is involved in national and international areas of pastoral activity, including social justice, ecumenical and interfaith relations, collaboration with Aboriginal Peoples, life and family issues, liturgy, catechesis, doctrine and relations with Catholic associations and movements. Each year the CCCB is asked to speak out, show leadership or provide guidelines for the faithful on a wide variety of topics. In order for our bishops to be able to make proper judgments on modern topics, they must have the benefit of research, expert advice and capable administration which is also funded by this collection. In addition to contributions, we are also asked to pray for the work of the bishops and to participate in and cooperate with the various projects of the CC.

The Children's Liturgy of the Word Program at the 10 am Mass will start again on Sunday, September 30, for the 2018-2019 school year.

A reminder to parents about the format and purpose of the program:

The program provides the children **aged 3-11** with an experience of God's Word in the form of Bible stories for the younger group, and the Sunday gospel for the older group.

The younger group is for children **aged 3-6**. Parents can bring these children downstairs to their room before the Mass begins, or they can wait until the children are called to the front by Fr. Jinto. The program for the younger group continues until the end of Communion. After Communion, the children come back upstairs, either to the front of the church, or back to their parents.

The older group is for children **aged 7 to 11** (Grade 2 or higher). This group is sent to their program when Fr. Jinto calls the children to the front. The older children hear the Sunday Gospel and have activities and discussion to reflect on its meaning. They return upstairs just before the Eucharistic Prayer.

NEW VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED: We welcome any of the high-school aged youth of the parish to consider volunteering as a student helper with the younger group (this can be used to count towards your high school community service requirement).

We also welcome parents or other adults to volunteer to become teachers or helpers.

In addition, we are encouraging parents of the children participating in the younger group to come downstairs and volunteer as a helper from time to time. Conducting an activity-based session with 15-20 young children, many of pre-school age, requires many helpers in order to run smoothly.



Thank you to everyone who donated books to the book sale and to the volunteers who sorted and helped sell the books after the Masses. \$300.00 was raised.

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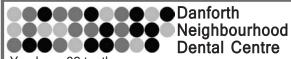
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