HOLY HAME PARISH

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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. Chaplain to the African Catholic Community

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

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 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

Update on Refugee Sponsorship

Our sponsored family is still waiting for the Canadian Embassy in Amman Jordan to contact them for the next stage in their application - an interview.

The average processing time for applications in Jordan is 10-months. I should stress that is an average time. Some applications will take longer. Our application will reach the 10-month mark in early October. We are certain our family's application will go beyond ten months because after the interview, there are still security and medical checks to be done.

We do not know where our family is in the queue, nor do we have any way of finding out.

Our Liberal MP, Julie Dabrusin and her staff continue to be very helpful in checking up on the status of our family, and other refugees sponsored by groups in her riding. She tells us we are not alone. There are many sponsorship groups waiting for word on the status of their families.

Ms Dabrusin is also lobbying the federal Liberal caucus to address how Immigration can give sponsorship groups more up to date information on tracking the progress of refugee applications.

The Holy Name sponsorship committee remains committed to getting our family through the process and hopefully on a plane to Toronto. We are in regular e-mail and skype contact with the family. Everyone is discouraged at the time this is taking but we must remain optimistic and patient. Our settlement counsellor, Khalid, may travel to Amman Jordan in November. His mother-in-law and sister-in-law are also refugees there, waiting for their applications to be processed. Khalid and his wife plan to visit their family in Amman, and if he does go, he will try and meet our family as well. This is all part of our ongoing efforts to build a relationship with our family.

If you have any questions for the committee, please get in touch. E-mail us at

holy.name.to.rsg@gmail.com

Webpage: holynametoronto.com/refugee

Thank you for your ongoing support.

The Holy Name Refugee Sponsorship Committee



and Daily Readings

Rosary at 11:50 a.m.

Tues. September 27th: St. Vincent de

Paul

12:05 pm: Joao B. Da Silva+

Job 3.1-3, 11-17, 20-23, Ps. 88.1-2, 3-4, 5, 6-7,

Luke 9.51-56

Wed. September 28th: ferial

12:05 pm: Michael P. Barry +

Job 9.1-12, 14-16, Ps. 88.9bc-10, 11-12, 13-14,

Luke 9.57-62

Thurs. September 29th: St. Michael

12:05 pm: William Wilson +

Revelation 12.7-12a, Ps. 138.1-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5,

John 1.47-51

Fri. September 30th: St. Jerome

12:05 pm: Leo & Victoria Stang +

Job 38.12-21; 40.3-5, Ps. 139.1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab, Luke 10.13-16

Sat. October 1st: St. Thérèse of the Child

Jesus

5:15 pm: Francisco De Lima +

Job 42.1-3, 5-6, 12-13, 15-17++, Ps. 119.66+71,

75+91, 125+130, Luke 10.17-24

Readings for Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 2nd, 2016

1st Reading: Habakkuk 1.2-3; 2.2-4

Responsorial Psalm: Ps. 95.1-2, 6-7ab, 7c-9

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1.6-8, 13-14

Gospel: Luke 17.5-10

Receipts and Disbursements		
		Year-to-Date
	Aug-2016	Aug-16
OPERATIONS		
Offertory Receipts	\$13,874	\$137,673
Other Receipts	\$7,613	\$57,804
Disbursements	(\$21,266)	(\$185,562)
Net Receipts (Disbursements)	\$221	\$9,915
CAPITAL		
Received from Archdiocese	\$218,899	\$911,422
100 Year Contributions	\$0	\$1,588
Project Disbursements	(\$205,174)	(\$842,172)
	\$13,726	\$70,838

For next weekend – October 1st & 2nd

Ministers of the Word

5:15 pm — Paul Connelly, Anne Marie Cassin 10:00 am — Kaz Flinn, Nora Gilbride, Michael Bachan

Eucharistic Ministers

5:15 pm – Manuel Mairena, Cathy Quendack, Sheila Spencer

10:00 am – Vanessa Nicholas-Schmidt, Kathleen Wilkinson, Ann Gilbride, Rosa Venalainen

Please note: Ministers of the Word & Eucharistic Ministers. If you cannot be present, please get a replacement to cover your ministry.

SANCTUARY LAMP

is lit this week
For the Repose of the Soul of William Wilson

FREE COUNSELING SESSIONS OFFERED

Personal or Family or Marriage

If you or your family member or anybody else you know is seeking counseling, please call Fr. Francis Noronha (St. Joseph's Parish, Toronto) at (647) 967-5712 or email at

fnoronhacsc@gmail.com for more information.



Fulfilling the ShareLife mission in our community . . .

They have ears, but do not hear (Psalm 115:6)

There are many people in our society who suffer from disabilities that affect their daily living. At Silent Voice, the deaf community can access services to help both them and their families cope with their situation.

Tavis was a student who, with his mother's encouragement, participated in the basketball fun day for the deaf community hosted by Silent Voice, a ShareLife funded agency. Soon after, he joined a sports team for the deaf, and helped host sports clinics and events with the support of our agency. Tavis was eventually hired as a counselor for the Silent Voice Sign Language Summer Day Camp. Today, he says 'I want to be a role model for deaf kids and I'm grateful for how much Silent Voice has changed my life.

Last year, Silent Voice provided services to over 750 people in the deaf community, helping families to communicate with their deaf child, and improving access to services and creating a sense of belonging among the deaf community.

Your support for ShareLife has helped to make this possible . . . you have worked wonders!



HOLY NAME YOUTH CHOIR

Do you love singing? Are you between the ages of 11 -18? Would you like to join the Holy Name Youth Choir? Come and sing with the Holy Name Youth Choir! We will rehearse 2 times a month and lead one mass a month. If interested or curious, please contact Jason or Andrea Cannon

(holynameyouthchoir@gmail.com).

LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Want to have fun with others your age? Want to learn about public speaking? Want an opportunity to lead? Want to learn how to manage your time better?

If you are between the ages of 12 and 19, come join Holy Name's Youth Leadership Program. This will be our 3rd edition and by the end of it you will have acquired or enhanced those soft skills so necessary for success in today's world.

The program will begin on **Sunday October 16th at 11:15 am** and run for the next 8 weeks. Each session will be one hour long.

For more information please contact Michael Bachan at dmbachan@gmail.com.

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