

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday	8:30am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 8:00pm
Friday	8:30am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday	11:00am to 4:30pm

The Church is open during the following hours:

Monday to Friday	7:00am to 9:00am, 11:00am to 1:00pm
First Friday	7:00am to 1:00pm
Saturday	8:00am to 10:00am, 3:30pm to 6:00pm
Sunday	7:00am to 1:30pm, 6:00pm to 8:00pm

SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm, 7:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	8:00am & 12:30pm
Saturday	9:00am
Public Holiday	9:00am only

FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass followed by Exposition	8:00am
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament	12:15pm
Mass	12:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday	9:30am & 4:00pm
	(At other times by appointment)

BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Information Form to the parish office at least 4 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a parish priest or deacon is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish Community. Attendance at a Baptism Preparation Meeting is mandatory.

MARRIAGE

Couples themselves must contact the parish office at least *one full year in advance* of the anticipated marriage date. No date may be set before meeting with a priest. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. If either party has been previously married, permission to proceed must be obtained from the Chancery Office of the Archdiocese.

CARE of the SICK Visitation and/or Communion for the sick upon request.

LEGION OF MARY - Prayer group Saturday Mornings at 10:00am.

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FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS



Friday, March 1st is the First Friday of the month. Masses will be celebrated at 8:00AM and 12:30PM. The church will be open all morning for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and personal prayer. Our period of adoration ends with Benediction at 12:15PM in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Come and spend time in the presence of the Lord.

**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.
Have Mercy on us!**

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



Please remember in your prayers all those parishioners who have gone to their rest in Christ, particularly those we remember who died recently: *Evelyn Theresa London*



**Memorial Lamps
& Special Intention**
February 24th - March 2nd

*In loving memory of
Jeremias Oliveira.*

*You are always in our hearts
Requested by the Oliveira Family.*

*In Loving Memory of Our Beloved Parents
**Chevalier . Dr. S. Adaikalamuthu
and Theresa Marcellin-Adaikalamuthu***

*On the Centenary Year of their Birth (1918-2019).
Papa and Amma, you are so deeply loved & missed
And you are always in our hearts and prayers
REST IN PEACE in Our Lord's House.
Requested by daughters & sons*



*"Truth is the wonderful revelation of God, of His
Fatherly face. It is His boundless love"*

-Pope Francis

ASH WEDNESDAY

March 6, 2019



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

8:00AM, 9:45AM (Schools Mass),
12:30PM, 7:30PM

**Ashes will be Blessed and
Distributed at all Masses.**

**ASH WEDNESDAY IS A DAY OF
FAST & ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT.**

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**ST. AGUSTINE'S SEMINARY
COME AND SEE WEEKEND**

Come and See Weekend – Friday, March 15 (begins at 7:00 p.m.) to Sunday, March 17 (ends at 1:30 p.m.), at St. Augustine's Seminary: Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca.

Registrants 17 years old require parental consent. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org

ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEWEST CATHOLIC MEMBERS



The following children were recently welcomed into our worshipping community through the Sacrament of Baptism: *Francis Mark Perucho Aguila, James Matthew Cooke, Catherina*

Emoshoke Ilukhor, and Manasseh Osesiamhe Ilukhor.

Please keep these children and their parents in your prayers.

CWL WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday, March 1st at 2:00PM

Everyone is welcome to help us celebrate the World Day of Prayer, an Ecumenical Christian initiative, on Friday March 1st, 2019 at 2:00PM in the Church. The prayer service will be followed by a reception in the hall. The women of Slovenia have prepared the program 'Come. Everything is Ready'. Father Joseph Chandrakanthan is the speaker. "When you participate in World Day of Prayer, you are one with Christian worldwide who are praying in solidarity with host country, Slovenia." Please join us.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATE SELECTION

A reminder to parents of children who are already registered for the First Holy Communion: please visit the foyer after Mass to select the date and time when your child will be receiving First Holy Communion. Important note: it is first come first serve basis!

REQUESTING A REFERENCE LETTER

If you would like to have a Pastoral Reference Letter, please note: a pastoral reference letter may only be issued to parishioners of Annunciation Parish known personally to the Pastor. Please introduce yourself to the Pastor six months in advance by booking an appointment through the parish office.

MASS CARDS AND MORE

You may arrange to have a Mass celebrated for a living and deceased person or for a special intention by visiting the parish office. The stipend is \$10.00. Please note Annunciation Parish does not provide Announced Masses.

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Confirmation Session 3

Monday, February 25th at 7:00PM-9:15PM in the Parish Hall

Liturgical Committee Meeting

Monday, February 25th at 7:00PM in St. Pius X Room

Women's Spirituality Group

Tuesday, February 26th at 1:00PM-3:00PM in St. Pius X Room

RCIA

Tuesday, February 26th at 7:00PM in St. Pius X Room.

Finance Council Meeting

Tuesday, February 26th at 7:00PM in St. Cecilia Room

Confirmation Session 3

Wednesday, February 27th at 7:00PM-9:15PM in the Parish Hall

CWL World Day of Prayer

Friday, March 1st at 2:00PM-4:00PM

Pastoral Council Meeting

Monday, March 4th at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall

Women's Spirituality Group

Tuesday, March 5th at 1:00PM-3:00PM in St. Pius X Room

Monthly Family of Schools Mass

Wednesday, March 6th at 9:45AM

Mother's Group Meeting

Thursday, March 7th at 7:00PM - 9:00PM in St. Pius X Room

CONFIRMATION SESSIONS

A reminder to Grade 7 confirmation candidates:



Third Confirmation Session:

Monday, February 25th and Wednesday, February 27th at 7:00PM-9:15PM

All sessions will take place in the Parish Hall.

Please attend only on the day you have chosen (Monday or Wednesday).

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION



This weekend we will be taking up our monthly Building Fund Collection.

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