

# ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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The Church is open during the following hours:

**Monday to Friday:** 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**First Fridays:** 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Saturdays:** 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.  
3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Sundays:** 7:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.  
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday - Vigil Mass - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,  
12:30 p.m., & 7:00 p.m.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday - 8:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

Saturday - 9:00 a.m.

Public Holidays - 9:00 a.m. only

## FIRST FRIDAYS

8:00 a.m. — Mass followed by Exposition

12:15 p.m. — Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

12:30 p.m. — Mass.

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday - 9:30 a.m., 4:00 p.m.

(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.

## CARE of the SICK

Visitation and/or Communion for the sick upon request.

## 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 the 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.

## PRAYER GROUPS

Legion of Mary—Saturday mornings at 10:00 a.m.

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Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

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Our Lady of Wisdom School 416-393-5273

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday to Thursday:** 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Friday:** 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Saturday:** 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PARISH OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, TORONTO, ONTARIO

**PRAY WITH THE SAINTS**



**Monday, January 17th** is the *Feast of St. Anthony of Egypt, abbot.*

**Friday, January 21st** is the *Feast of St. Agnes, virgin & martyr.*

Join us in prayer in communion with these great saints and all saints in heaven this week at the 10:00AM Mass (at St. Louis de France Church, 1415 Don Mills Rd.) on weekdays and 9:00AM Mass on Saturday at Annunciation.

**PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**

**January 18-25**



The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is celebrated around the world on January 18-25, which are now also the dates recommended by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. However, there has also been a longstanding practice by a number of Christian Churches and ecclesial communities in Canada to celebrate the Week of Prayer on optional dates, in order to include two Sundays, which in 2011 will be January 16-23.

This universal week of prayer encourages Christians of all denominations to meet, to participate in various liturgical and other community activities, and to pray together that all may be one, as Christ desires.

The importance of unity among Christians and the responsibility of the people of each parish to work for this unity should be emphasized throughout the week. All members of the parish should seek to have a deeper understanding of ecumenism.

**ALTAR SERVERS MEETING**

There is an Altar Server Ministry meeting for all Altar Servers and Parents on Saturday, January 22nd in the parish hall from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM.



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**ANNUNCIATION SENIORS GROUP**

A very Happy New Year to all our members. Without doubt all who attended our December 14th Christmas Get-Together had a wonderful time and a delicious lunch. Now we come to a new year with all good intentions. PLEASE NOTE: We will be meeting on **Tuesday, January 25th**, NOT January 18th as the Parish Hall is not available. We will meet at 10AM as usual. For entertainment we will be graced with Robbie Burn playing Scottish Ballads. Everybody loves music, especially seniors who love to reminisce the good old days! Remember Barbara Streisand singing *Memories* and the movie *The Way We Were*.

For those who would like to join our group, you are very welcome. The annual fee is only \$5.00 (August 2010-July 2011). We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 10AM in the Parish Hall. The committee meets at 9AM. Come join us- you will be happy you did.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION**  
**PARENTS' MEETING**



As Parents are the first teachers of their children in matters of faith, the parents of Children making their First Holy Communion in Annunciation Parish are expected to attend two preparatory meetings. A reminder that the first preparatory meeting to be held in the Parish Hall on **Thursday January 27th, 2011 at 7:30PM.**

**ANNUNCIATION CWL ANNOUNCEMENTS:**  
**"JANUARY IS MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**  
**MONTH"**

Someone will be available in the Religious Article Booth after each Mass on Sunday, January 9th/16th/23rd to renew your membership for 2011. NEW MEMBERS WILL BE MOST WELCOME. Cost: \$20.00.

## INSIDE Annunciation Church:

### ANNUNCIATION 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY



#### 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY LOGO CONTEST

To commemorate the year, we are holding a

**50th Anniversary Logo Design contest**  
and a

**50th Anniversary Children's Drawing contest.**

The contests' criteria plus important logo submission details are available on the parish's website:

**www.bvmtoronto.com** in the 50th Anniversary Section. In addition, these details and logo template packages will be available after masses this weekend at the church entrances. The winning logo will be displayed over the jubilee year.

**We're on Facebook!**

Find out about special events for the 50th Anniversary and share your memories with other parishioners. Search "**Annunciation of the BVM 50th Anniversary**" on Facebook and become a fan of the parish page.

### MAJOR RENOVATIONS AT ANNUNCIATION

A major project to renovate the washroom facilities for the Church and Parish Hall will begin on Monday, January 17th and be completed by Wednesday, March 9th. **Due to the fact that water and washroom facilities will not be available during the first days of the project, Annunciation Church and Hall will be closed from Monday January 17th until Friday January 21st. Daily Mass will be celebrated for Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary parishioners at 10:00 a.m. at St. Louis de France Parish, 1415 Don Mills Road. Celebration of Mass at Annunciation Church will begin again on Saturday January 22nd with the 9:00AM. Until the completion of the project one washroom will be available.**

### Cancellations and Rescheduling of Meetings

#### Monday January 17th

**Parish Pastoral Committee** meeting rescheduled for Monday January 24th at 7:30PM in the Parish Hall

#### Tuesday January 18th

**Annunciation Seniors** Social rescheduled for Tuesday January 25th

**Women's Spirituality Group** will begin on Tuesday January 25th at 1:15PM in St. Pius X Room.

**RCIA Meeting** will be cancelled.

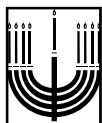
#### Wednesday January 19th

**Marriage Preparation Course Session** will be rescheduled.

#### Thursday January 20th

**Ecumenical Bible Study** will be cancelled.

**Children Choir** and **Adult Choir** Rehearsals will be cancelled.



### **Memorial Lamps** **Special Intentions**

January 16th—January 22nd

*Our lamps are lit:*

- *In loving memory of our beloved son and brother, Antonio Figueira. So deeply loved, missed and eternally cherished. Requested by Dad, Mom and your loving sister Kerry Ann.*
- *In loving memory of Vera Kasowski, our dearest sister, aunt and great-aunt. Lovingly remembered by the Myers Family.*
- *In loving memory of my amazing father, Christopher Blue & all deceased members of the Blue Family. May peace and perpetual light envelop you all into perpetuity and let there be Divine Intervention for justice, closure and peace. Amen. Your loving daughter, Lorraine Blue.*



### **BUILDING FUND COLLECTION**

**Next weekend** we take up our monthly Building Fund Collection. Thank you for your continuing support of Annunciation Parish and its needs.

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