

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS - DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTION

At the direction of the Archdiocese, the parish office is CLOSED to the public until further notice.

The parish office is still accessible by phone 416-445-1760 or email at parish@bvmtoronto.com

Please book your seat for Mass online at bvmtoronto.com

**The Church opens 30 minutes before each Mass.
Please arrive at least 10 minutes before the Mass begins.
Church doors close when Mass begins.**

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00noon, 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
Mass	12:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 8:00am and at other times by appointment

BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Information Form to the parish office at least 6 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish Community. Attendance at an online Baptismal 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.

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Wisdom School	416-393-5273
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
St. Isaac Jogues School	416-393-5315
Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

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*"The smallest seed becomes
the greatest of all shrubs."*



BACK TO ORDINARY TIME

Christmas and Easter Time highlight the central mysteries of the Paschal Mystery, namely, the incarnation, death on the cross, resurrection, and ascension of Jesus Christ, and the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. The Sundays and weeks of Ordinary Time, on the other hand, take us through the life of Christ. This is the time of conversation. This is living the life of Christ.

Ordinary Time is a time for growth and maturation, a time in which the mystery of Christ is called to penetrate ever more deeply into history until all things are finally caught up in Christ. The goal, toward which all of history is directed, is represented by the final Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



Sunday, June 13th is the Feast of *Saint Anthony of Padua.*

Saturday, June 19th is the Feast of *Saint Aloysius Gonzaga.*

Join us in prayer in communion with these great saints and all the saints in heaven.

OUR PRAYER IS EFFICACIOUS

Our prayer is efficacious because it is united in faith with the prayer of Jesus. In him Christian prayer becomes a communion of love with the Father. In this way we can present our petitions to God and be heard: "Ask and you will receive that your joy may be full" (John 16:24) (#545, Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic)



JUNE—MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART

Jesus knew us and loved us with a human heart. His Heart, pierced for our salvation, is the symbol of that infinite love with which he loves the Father and each one of us.

Sacred Heart of Jesus Have Mercy On Us!

**PASTORAL LETTER
ON THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

Cardinal Collins' Pastoral Letter on the Sacred Heart of Jesus is available through the diocesan website or through this link: <https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/sub-sites/sacred-heart/sacred-heart-jesus/pastoral-letter/>

It is available in written, audio and video formats along with video reflections on the Sacred Heart of Jesus featuring short interview segments between Cardinal Collins and Fr. Seamus Hogan of St. Augustine's Seminary.

**STATEMENTS FROM OUR LEADERS IN OUR
CATHOLIC CHURCH ABOUT THE KAMLOOPS
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL**

The Catholic community is saddened by the discovery of children's remains at a former residential school site in Kamloops, British Columbia. Please take some time to read the statements from Archbishop Thomas Cardinal Collins, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, and the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate.

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/statement-from-cardinal-thomas-collins-archbishop-of-toronto--re-discovery-of-childrens-remains-at-former-kamloops-residential-school/>



Let us pray...

For the children who died in the former Kamloops Indian Residential School and for all those impacted by this tragedy, that there may be healing founded on truth and that the Spirit will inspire our ongoing commitment to reconciliation. For this, we pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, pray for us.

ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



RE-OPENING OUR CHURCH DOORS FOR MASSES

The provincial government announced the “Roadmap for Reopening” and Step One of the provincial reopening plan begin on Friday, June 11. For sacramental celebrations, churches are permitted 15 percent capacity. Therefore, parishioners who wish to attend Weekday and/or Sunday Mass **must register online** through the parish website at www.bvmtoronto.com.

Weekday Mass Registration
opens every Friday at 10:00 AM
Sunday Mass Registration
opens every Monday at 10:00 AM

Important Notes:

- Due to capacity restrictions for gatherings in Ontario, please book for **only one Mass** for each day that you wish to attend.
- Families from the same household will sit together, but each family member is required to have his/her own ticket.
- If you are unable to attend, please cancel your reservation online or contact the parish office during office hours to allow other parishioners to register and attend Mass.
- Every reasonable precaution has been and will continue to be taken by the parish to protect your health and safety. However, there can be no guarantees of complete protection as there will always be risks of contracting viral infection through large gatherings.
- Do not enter the church if you have been in contact with a COVID-19 positive individual over the past two weeks OR if you have any of the COVID-19 symptoms.
- Masks or face coverings are mandatory.
- There will only be one entrance into the church. Follow the signs marking the proper entrance.
- Come 15 minutes early before Mass starts. **The church door is closed when Mass begins.**
- Follow the direction provided by ushers for seating.
- Sanitize your hands upon entry.
- Maintain physical distancing at all time (2m/6ft) away from others.

ANNUNCIATION PARISH OFFICE

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Office Hours (Phone Only)

Monday—Friday
10:30 AM—12:00 Noon
1:00 PM—2:00 PM

A NEW LOCKED MAILBOX

The parish office has installed a new locked mailbox. Parishioners can now safely drop off donations while the office remains closed to the public. To open the mailbox, please see the sign and pull the handle towards you. Mails and donations can only be retrieved by the priest or parish staff. The mailbox is located outside the office door.

If you have any questions, please contact the office.

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY



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



SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN 2021

The COVID-19 pandemic has been difficult on all of us. These uncertain times have been particularly hard on so many of the agencies you support through ShareLife. Please keep these agencies and the clients they lovingly care for in your prayers.

To date our parish has raised: \$ 54,162.18
Thank you for your generosity.

The Archdiocese of Toronto has shifted the collection dates for the 2021 campaign to October 2-3 and October 30-31, which is different from the dates in your box set of Sunday Offering envelopes. You may still use these envelopes and donate at any time.



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