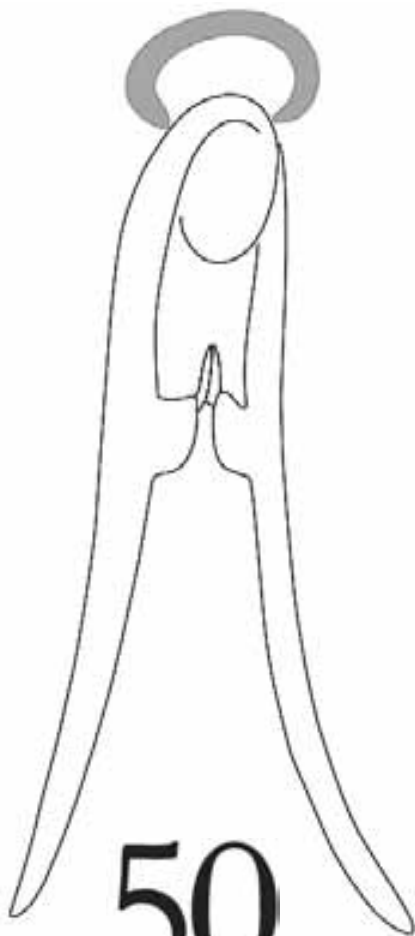


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The Church is open during the following hours:

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.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

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Our Lady of Wisdom School	416-393-5273
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday: 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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That the Holy Spirit may grant perseverance to those who suffer discrimination, persecution, or death for the name of Christ, particularly in Asia.

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



Wednesday, March 7th is the Feast of St. Perpetua & St. Felicity, martyrs.

Thursday, March 8th is the Feast of St. John of God, religious.

Friday, March 9th is the Feast of St. Frances of Rome, religious.

Join us in prayer in communion with these great saints and all saints in heaven at the 8:00AM & 12:30PM Masses on weekdays, and 9:00AM on Saturday.



**Memorial Lamps
& Special Intentions**

March 4— March 10

Our lamps are lit:

- In loving memory of George Smith, husband of Genevieve, father of Patrick, Pamela, George Jr., Andrew and Andrea. Who left us on March 4, 2007, always in our hearts.*

**SUPPORT FOR RECENTLY SEPARATED
OR DIVORCED CATHOLICS**

Catholic Family Services of Toronto is offering a ten-week group program for adult men and women who are dealing with the many struggles involved in the process of separation and divorce. Participants will receive support and guidance as they move through this difficult period of transition. The group will run on Thursday evenings from 6:30PM to 8:30PM beginning **April 12, 2012** at our Central Office, 1155 Yonge Street. For further information, please contact Ian Singer at 416-921-1163.

HELP FOR TROUBLED MARRIAGES

Retrouvaille is a program to help and support married couples through troubled times at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage relationships, by experiencing a live-in weekend and a series of six post-weekend sessions. It is designed to provide the communication and relationship building tools necessary for spouses to uncover and re-awaken the love, trust, and commitment they once had in their marriages and to live their lives as husband and wife in a new and positive way. For confidential information or registration for the next weekend, **May 4-6, 2012**, call 416-281-6007 or visit the website at www.torontoretrouvaille.com.

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FRIDAY ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT—Solidarity in Faith — Solidarity in Sacrifice

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion Cards are available in the foyer **after all Masses NEXT WEEKEND & March 17th-18th** for First Holy Communion Candidates who have chosen their dates.

UNCLAIMED SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

There is still a number of outstanding envelope boxes waiting to be picked-up. If you have not picked up your Sunday Offering Envelopes Box 2012 yet, then **drop by the Parish Office during office hours to pick them up.** *Please throw out any remaining envelopes from 2011.*

MEETING DATES:

Altar Servers Committee: Monday, March 5th at 7:00PM in the St. Pius X room.

CWL Executives: Tuesday, March 6th at 7:30PM in the St. Cecilia room.

ATTENTION CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:

All confirmation candidates should have started their volunteer hours at the church now (i.e. choir, ushering, altar serving, etc.). If there are any candidates who have not yet started, please phone the parish office to get set up with volunteer placement. Candidates must complete a minimum of 10 hours of community service at Annunciation parish prior to being confirmed.

Prepare for Easter
with a Good Confession

LENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE

FOLLOWED BY INDIVIDUAL CONFESSIONS

Monday, April 2nd, 2012
at 7:00 P.M.

There will be many priests available to hear confessions on this evening.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER
SCHEDULE 2012

Sunday, April 1st

PALM SUNDAY

Masses: 5:00 PM (Saturday, March 31st),
8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM, & 7:00 PM

Monday, April 2nd

Masses at 8:00 AM & 12:30 PM
Penance Service & Individual Confessions at 7:00 PM

Tuesday, April 3rd & Wednesday, April 4th

Masses at 8:00 AM & 12:30 PM

Thursday, April 5th

HOLY THURSDAY

Mass of the Lord's Supper—8:00 PM
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight
(No 8:00 AM or 12:30 PM Masses)
Parish Office Hours: 8:30 AM—12:00 Noon

Friday, April 6th

GOOD FRIDAY

Celebration of the Lord's Passion—1:00 PM
Celebration of the Lord's Passion—3:00 PM
Stations of the Cross—7:00 PM
Parish Office Closed

Saturday, April 7th

HOLY SATURDAY

Easter Vigil Mass—8:00 PM
(No 9:00 AM & 5:00PM Masses & No Confession)
Parish Office Closed

Sunday, April 8th

EASTER SUNDAY

Masses at 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM
(No 7:00 PM Mass)

Monday, April 9th

EASTER MONDAY

Mass at 9:00AM ONLY.
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