

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
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(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.

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
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ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH,
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PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



Tuesday, May 14th is the Feast of St. Matthias, Apostle

Join us in prayer in communion with this great saint at the 8:00AM and 12:30PM Masses on weekdays, and 9:00AM Mass on Saturday.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—May 12

Living the Gospel by helping those with addictions



"It had been two years since Adam spoke in full sentences. When he moved into Covenant House's housing program, he would only say a word or two. Over time, a youth worker succeeded at connecting with Adam and he gradually opened up. Adam finished high school and joined a mentorship program, setting his sights on a career in computer science. With his new voice and positive relationships, his future is open to so many possibilities.

Our Parish Total to Date:

\$54,982.45

June 2nd is the next ShareLife Sunday.

Please give generously.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

May 12

The Fourth Sunday of Easter, Christians are invited to reflect on the meaning of God's call and to pray for vocations. Christ, the Good Shepherd, continues to lead his people through His Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and calls many to follow Him in this way. Priestly, diaconal, and religious vocations should be a constant concern in the hearts of God's people.

CANADA HEALTH DAY

May 12

This day reminds us that health and healing are essential aspects of our baptismal vocation. We are called to take responsibility for our personal health: to prevent illness and to seek a healthy lifestyle.

Good health concerns the physical, emotional, social and spiritual health of our communities, respect for God's creatures and the nurturing of the whole earth.

**WISHING ALL OUR MOTHERS A
HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!**

**PRAYER TO THE MOTHER OF THE LORD
FOR ALL MOTHERS — MAY 13TH**



Most Gracious Heavenly Father,
We thank You for our mothers to whom You have entrusted the care of every precious human life from its very beginning in the womb.

You have given to woman the capacity of participating with You in the creation of new life. Grant that every woman may come to understand the full meaning of that blessing, which gives her an unlimited capacity for selfless love for every child she may be privileged to bear, and for all Your children.

Watch over every mother who is with child, strengthen her faith in Your fatherly care and love for her and for her unborn baby. Give her courage in times of fear or pain, understanding in times of uncertainty and doubt, and hope in times of trouble. Grant her joy in the birth of her child.

To mothers You have given the great privilege and responsibility of being a child's first teacher and spiritual guide. Grant that all mothers may worthily foster the faith of their children, following the example of holy women who follow Christ.

Help mothers to grow daily in knowledge and understanding of Your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, and grant them the wisdom to impart this knowledge faithfully to their children, and to all who depend upon them.



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MAY 12, 2019

ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul will be collecting used clothing and household linens, to support the needy of our residential programs. The truck will be open on Saturday May 11th from 4:30PM-6:00PM, Sunday May 12th, from 7:30AM –2:00PM as well as from 6:30PM to 8:00PM.

Volunteers will be there to assist with loading before and after each mass. Please bring your donations and help others in your community. Thank you for your clothing, shoes and linen donations only!

MOTHER'S GROUP

Interested in new friendships, strengthening your faith and finding support from other moms in the parish? Please consider joining the Mom's Group Ministry. Join us at our next get together on Thursday, June 13th from 7-9PM in the St.Pius X room. All moms are welcome!

For more information please contact: Parish Office or email Christina at abvm.moms@gmail.com

CWL FASHION SHOW May 23

Our annual fashion show will be held on Thursday May 23rd at 2PM. Alia/Tan Jay outfits will be modelled by CWL members. Tickets are available in the Religious Articles Booth before and after mass. Price is \$12.00. A light lunch will be served and we will have a draw for door prizes! Come and bring a friend, see you there!

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: **Wilfred Dupuis**

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION



This weekend we will be taking up our monthly Building Fund Collection. Thank you for your continuous generosity.

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Legion of Mary Meeting

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

St.Vincent De Paul Meeting

Thursday, May 16th at 7:00PM-9:00PM in the St.Pius X Room

Annunciation Seniors Club Executive Meeting

Tuesday, May 21st at 9AM-10AM in the Parish Hall

Annunciation Senior Club Meeting

Tuesday, May 21st at 10AM –12PM in the Parish Hall

CWL Fashion Show

Thursday, May 23rd at 2PM in the Parish Hall

Children's Choir Year End Party

Saturday, May 25th at 11AM-3PM in the Parish Hall

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



Our parish community congratulates our newly confirmed grade 7 students and their families! The confirmandi have diligently volunteered in various ministries and attended sacramental preparation classes throughout the last year, and are now adults in the eyes of the Catholic Church.

May they continue their journey in faith and allow God's love into their hearts to strengthen and guide them.

Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

May 5th to May 11th



*In loving memory of
my parents Mr. and Mrs. S.F George Tsang,
brother Arthur Yue Wing Tsang,
sister Anna Tsang and Helper Ah Yue
Requested by Mr. Y.L Tsang, Alan, Agnes and
Jasmine.*

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