

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: 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.

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

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



Wednesday, May 18th is the *Feast of Saint John I, pope & martyr.*

Friday, May 20th is the *Feast of Saint Bernadine of Sienna, priest.*

Saturday, May 21st is the *Feast of Saint Eugene de Mazenod, bishop & Saint Christopher Magallanes, priest & martyr.*

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



WORLD DAY OF PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS
May 15th

On 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 throughout the year.

The whole Christian community shares the responsibility for fostering vocations. The first step is to live in a full Christian manner. Families with a lively spirit of faith, love and reverence contribute greatly to this work. Spiritually active parishes, where people take a full part, help to promote vocations.

NEWLY ORDAINED PRIESTS

His Grace, Archbishop Thomas Collins ordains three men to the Priesthood on May 14th, 2011 at St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Russell Asch

Rev. Mr. Eric Mah

Rev. Mr. Allyn Rose

We offer our sincere congratulations and prayers to those soon-to-be ordained new priests who will serve in the Archdiocese of Toronto. We ask that you keep them in your prayers.

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*c/o Marisa Rogucki
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"COME AND SEE"

"The Love of Christ urges us on" to radically respond to His call to follow Him wholeheartedly. Jesus is inviting you to spend time with Him so that you may discover His call.

June 3rd to 5th, 2011

St. Augustine's Seminary

There will be an opportunity for young men of 18 years or older to spend a weekend for time of prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic priesthood.



SHARELIFE 2011

PARISH TOTAL UP TO DATE:

\$72,780.27

NEXT COLLECTION DATE: June 5th

INSIDE Annunciation Church:

Mrs. Rafaela Duterte R.I.P.



Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Mrs. Rafaela Duterte, mother of Fr. Manuel Duterte, who passed away on Sunday, May 8th, 2011. Please pray also for Fr. Duterte and his family, that the Lord may strengthen, comfort and console them.

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:



Eva Moschee, Thomas James Brennan, and Gladys Santilli.

ANNUNCIATION FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



This weekend, **May 14th-15th**, the children of Annunciation Parish are receiving their First Holy Communion. Please keep these children in your prayers as they complete the second Sacrament of Initiation.

ANNUNCIATION SENIORS GROUP

Our Seniors Group will meet on **Tuesday, May 17th** in the Parish Hall at 10AM. Our members who joined us on April 26th to celebrate Easter enjoyed the festive occasion, the decorative display, the delicious sandwiches, fruit and goodies. Our thanks is no small measure to the "Ladies who worked Behind the Scene" - where would we be without them? We hope to have some suitable entertainment to offer you on May 17th along with tea, coffee and cookies. We are sure to be able to enjoy warm, sunny days now that spring has finally arrived. Remember you can be a part of all this for only \$5.00/year—Come join us.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS IN JUNE



ATTENTION to all Parish Groups and Committees. Any requests for an announcement to appear in the bulletin for the weekend of June 4th/5th must be submitted to the office by **Monday, May 16th**.

PASTORAL COMMITTEE MEETING



There is a Pastoral Committee Meeting on **Thursday May 19th, 7:30PM—9:00PM**, in the Parish Hall.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL'S BUNDLE COLLECTION

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting gently used clothing and household linens to support the needy of our residential programs the weekend of **May 28/29, 2011**. The truck will be open on Saturday, May 28th from 4:30PM to 6:00PM. On Sunday, May 29th from 7:30PM until 1:30PM then will be open again at 6:30PM to 8:00PM. Volunteers will assist with loading before and after each Mass. Please bring your donation and help others in your community. Thank you!



Attention Parishioners: Our Lost-&Found clothing bin is overflowing! Please claim your lost items. Any unclaimed items will be donated to the St. Vincent De Paul's Bundle Collection.



Memorial Lamps Special Intentions May 15th— May 21st

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