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

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF MAY



Communication Media. That those working in communication media may respect the truth, solidarity, and dignity of all people.

THE HOLY FATHER'S MISSION PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF MAY



Church In China. That the Lord may help the Church in China persevere in fidelity to the Gospel and grow in unity.

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



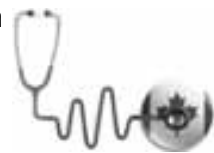
Saturday, May 14th is the *Feast of Saint Matthias*, apostle.

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

CANADA HEALTH DAY

May 12

Canada Health Day is celebrated in health care facilities and community services across the country. All Christians should celebrate and pray for the gift of health—physical, emotional, social and spiritual.



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. Health means concern for the health of our communities, respect for God's creatures and the nurturing of the whole earth.



SERRA CLUB OF TORONTO DOWNTOWN'S ANNUAL VOCATIONS FAIR

A Vocation Fair will be held Saturday, May 14th and Sunday, May 15th at St. Augustine of Canterbury parish with representatives from over 30 orders, religious groups and lay movements present. This is an opportunity to hear more about our Catholic faith, hear great vocation speakers, and celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Masses will be held at 5:00PM (Saturday) and 9:15AM and 12:00 Noon Sunday.

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!

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.



**Memorial Lamps
Special Intentions**

May 8th—May 14

Our lamps are lit:

- In loving memory of Teofilo and Saturnina Lasola. Beloved parents and grand-parents. Requested by May and Willie and family.*

INSIDE Annunciation Church:

REMINDER FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

A reminder to the parents whose children are receiving their First Holy Communion: The card must be signed by a parent/guardian and returned to the Parish Welcome Desk at least 30 minutes prior to the beginning of the Mass that the child is scheduled to receive their FHC.

MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER



God our Creator, we pray:
for new mothers, coming to terms with new responsibility;
for expectant mothers, wondering and waiting;
for those who are tired, stressed

or depressed;
for those who struggle to balance the tasks of work and family;
for those who are unable to feed their children due to poverty;
for those whose children have physical, mental or emotional disabilities;
for those who have children they do not want;
for those who raise children on their own;
for those who have lost a child;
for those who care for the children of others;
for those whose children have left home;
and for those whose desire to be a mother has not been fulfilled.

Bless all mothers, that their love may be deep and tender,
and that they may lead their children to know and do what is good,
living not for themselves alone, but for God and for others.

Amen.

***"HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY
TO ALL THE MOTHERS
OF ANNUNCIATION PARISH!"***

ANNUNCIATION FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



This weekend, **May 7th-8th**, 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.

PRAY FOR FR. MANUEL DUTERTE'S MOTHER



Fr. Manuel Duterte's mother, Mrs. Rafaela Duterte is severely ill and Fr. Duterte has returned to the Philippines to visit her. Please keep Mrs. Rafaela Duterte in your prayers. We pray that God's grace and healing powers be upon her.

NEWEST CATHOLIC MEMBERS...



The following children were welcomed into our worshipping community recently through the Sacrament of Baptism: *Jordana Anastasia Beckford, Kaiden Kayla Beckford, Leo Cheng, Jiordian Genre Roque, and April HENCHAUAN Wang*. Please keep these children in your prayers.

CONFIRMATION SESSION #5:



Confirmation Session #5 is on **Monday, May 9th at 7:00PM or Thursday, May 12th at 7:00PM**, in the Parish Hall.

UPCOMING MEETING DATES:



CWL General Meeting: Tuesday, May 10th, at 7:30PM in the Parish Hall
St. Vincent de Paul Society: Thursday, May 12th, at 7:00PM in St. Pius X room.

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION



Next weekend we take up our monthly Building Fund Collection. Thank you for your continuing support of Annunciation Church.

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