

# 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.

## 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**. No date may be set before meeting with the priest. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. If either party has been previously married, the Bishop's Office must be consulted.

## PRAYER GROUPS

Legion of Mary—Saturday mornings at 10:00 a.m.

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday to Thursday:** 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**Friday:** 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Saturday:** 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PARISH OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, DON MILLS, ONTARIO

**PRAY WITH THE SAINTS**

**Monday, November 9th** is the *Dedication of St. John Lateran.*

**Tuesday, November 10th** is the *Feast of St. Leo the Great, pope & doctor.*

**Wednesday, November 11th** is the *Feast of St. Martin of Tours, bishop.*

**Thursday, November 12th** is the *Feast of St. Josaphat, bishop & martyr.*

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



**THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER :**



*That all men and women in the world, especially those who have responsibilities in the field of politics and economics, may never fail in their commitment to safeguard creation.*

**THE HOLY FATHER'S MISSION PRAYER FOR NOVEMBER:**

*That believers in the different religions, through the testimony of their lives and fraternal dialogue, may clearly demonstrate that the name of God is a bearer of peace.*

**IS GOD CALLING YOU?**



How are you contributing to the treasury? God knows what gift we give to Him in Love. Does Jesus want you to give your life to the Church? Let us then be faithful to whatever vocation God calls us to live. If you think that God is calling you to serve Him in a Church vocation, call Fr. Park @ 416-968-0997.



**-REMEMBERANCE DAY-  
November 11th**



On November 11th, Canadians pause in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggressions and inhumanity in the world.

This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God's peace into the world.

This is a day when a believing community should rededicate itself by prayer and action to the ideals Jesus gives us in the beatitudes.



**THE SHEPHERDS' TRUST**

As parishioners, we have reaped the benefits of our priests' unselfish service to priesthood to care for His people, they are the "rocks" we have leaned on in times of trouble and times of joy. Our priests have faithfully served and continue to serve our families, in our church, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on our streets.

The Shepherd's Trust does more than just bridge the gap in our priest's retirement years; it says thank-you in a very tangible way for the blessing we have received.

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**FINAL REMINDER!  
FIRST RECONCILIATION &  
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION—  
PARENTS' INFORMATION EVENING  
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH AT 7:00 P.M.**

The journey of preparation for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion for the Grade 2's who belong to Annunciation Parish begins with an **Information and Registration evening at the Parish on Monday, November 9th, 2009 at 7.00 p.m.**

If you are a member of Annunciation Parish and wish that your child make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion this year, you are to attend this meeting and register them. Please bring a Completed Registration Form AND a copy of your Child's Baptism Certificate to the registration meeting. Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office or the Welcome Desk in the Church Foyer.

If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish as soon as possible to register your child so that they may prepare for and make their First Confession and First Holy Communion.

**H1N1 Flue Virus – Preventative Measures:**

Archbishop Thomas Collins has instructed that "for the health and safety of all people of faith, parishes must implement the changes outlined below at all masses as of Tuesday, November 3, 2009 until further notice.

- Temporarily suspend communion from the chalice.
- Temporarily suspend communion on the tongue.
- Parishes should provide hand cleaning stations near church entrances.
- Refrain from shaking hands during the sign of peace. A nod, bow or other appropriate gesture should be encouraged.
- All those distributing communion are asked to wash their hands before mass. An alcohol-based sanitizer should be provided so that all ministers may sanitize their hands before and after distributing communion.
- Please remind your parishioners that if they are feeling sick or ill, it is best for them to stay at home.

I ask that you communicate these changes widely to your parish community."

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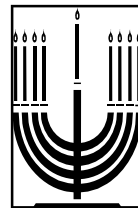
Congratulations to the following Annunciation Altar Servers who received the Cardinal Carter Altar Server Award at St. Paul's Basilica:

*Jasswin Deniston, Kevin Deniston,  
Brianna Thordarson, and Celeste  
Thordarson.*



**TO OFFER A MASS**

Parishioners may offer Masses for both the living and the dead by visiting the parish office during normal office hours. The Mass stipend set by the Archdiocese of Toronto is \$10.00. Mass cards are available. Annunciation Parish does not offer Announced Masses. We cannot give a specific date or time.



**Memorial Lamps  
Special Intentions**

*November 8th—November 14th*

*Our lamps are lit:*

- *Pray for the deceased members of the Catholic Women's League. May they rest in peace. Requested by the CWL executives and members.*
- *For Zora Shubat. Requested by Jenny Owens (Daughter & Family. Pat & Kim, children.)*
- *In loving memory of Gordon Nystrom. Requested by Anne Nystrom and family.*
- *In loving memory of our beloved son and brother, Antonio Figueira. So deeply loved, missed and eternally cherished. Requested by Dad, Mom and your loving sister Kerry Ann.*

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