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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 8:30AM to 12:00 Noon, 1:00PM to 8:00PM Friday 8:30AM to 12:00 Noon, 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 Exposition8:00AMBenediction of the Blessed Sacrament12:15PMMass12:30PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:30AM & 4:00PM

(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 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.

CARE of the SICK: Visitation and/or Communion for the sick upon request.

LEGION OF MARY - Prayer group: Saturday Mornings at 10:00AM.

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PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Wisdom School 416-393-5273
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"There will be joy in Heaven over one sinner who repents."

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS

Monday, September 16th is the *Feast of St. Cornelius* pope, and *St. Cyprian* bishop, martyrs.

Tuesday, September 17th is the *Feast of St. Robert Bellarmine*, bishop & doctor.

Thursday, September 19th is the *Feast of St. Januarius*, bishop & martyr.

Friday, September 20th is the *Feast of St. Andrew Kim Taw-gon* priest, *Paul Chong Ha-Sang*, and *companions*, martyrs.

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.

FEAST OF ST. MICHAEL: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH, 2013

The Archbishop writes, "... for pastoral reasons I am declaring that this year, on September 29th, the Feast of St. Michael is to be celebrated throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto. The Mass of the Feast of the Archangels should be used in its entirety, with both suggested readings being used."

"As part of the Year of Faith, I had issued a Decree granting certain Plenary Indulgences. One of these was for those who, on the Feast of St. Michael participate in Holy Mass or in the Liturgy of the Hours adding the Profession of Faith in any legitimate form at any church. I encourage you to remind your parishioners of this, as well as the usual conditions needed for obtaining a plenary indulgence, as it is a means of great spiritual benefit."

The usual conditions to obtain a plenary indulgence are: to be truly repentant, duly confessed, communing sacramentally, and to pray for the intentions of the Supreme Pontiff.

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF CATHOLIC TRIVIA

What are the three sacraments of initiation? (Hint: they are all mentioned this week!)



Answers on the next page.

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PARENTS' INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24TH at 7:00PM

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 & Registration meeting at the Parish on Thursday, October 24th at 7:00PM.

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 mandatory meeting and register them. Please bring a Completed Registration Form AND a copy of your Child's Baptism Certificate to this Meeting. Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office or the Welcome Desk in the Church Fover.

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 & First Holy Communion.

If you and your family belong to Annunciation, but have not registered as members of the parish, please do so. Registration Forms are available from the Parish Office or at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING FOR PARENTS & THEIR GRADE 8 CHILDREN

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29TH at 7:30PM

All Grade 8 students whose families belong to and attend Annunciation Parish, and who wish to be confirmed, must attend a mandatory Confirmation Information and Registration Meeting at Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish on Tuesday, October 29th at 7:30PM with their parents. Please bring a copy of your Baptismal Certificate AND a Completed Registration Form with you to this meeting as these forms will be accepted only at this meeting. Registration Forms are available from the Parish Office or Welcome Desk.

If Annunciation Parish is not your parish of worship, please contact your own parish immediately to register to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you and your family belong to Annunciation, but have not registered as members of the parish, please do so. Registration Forms are available from the Parish Office or at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

INSIDE Annunciation Church:

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION



Sunday School Registration is **this Sunday between 8:45AM and 11:00AM** in the Parish Hall.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

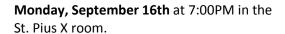
Boys and girls in grade 2 who attend public schools and wish to make their First Communion this school year are asked to **register and attend the Sunday School program**. Those who need to be baptized before they make their First Communion should also register and attend the Sunday School Program.

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION

Next weekend we take up our monthly Building Fund Collection. Thanks you for your continuing support of Annunciation Parish and its needs.



ALTAR SERVER COMMITTEE MEETING:





CWL NEWS

The first General meeting for this new year will be held on **Thursday, September 19th** from 7:00PM to 9:00PM in the Parish Hall. The meeting will be a Pot Luck Dinner. Members will have the chance to meet, greet and feast with one another. Bring out your favourite recipes, bring along the "goodies" and let us enjoy the great start to our new season. May the GOOD LORD bless our coming endeavours!

ANNUNCIATION SENIORS GROUP

Meetings will resume on **Tuesday, September 17th** at 10:00AM in the parish hall. We hope everyone enjoyed their summer. We are looking forward to meeting old friends and making new ones. Our \$5 membership covers the cost of activities from September 2013 to June 2014. Please make a note of ideas for activities and excursions for the coming year.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE FALL 2013

The Marriage Preparation Course will take place on Wednesday evenings from **October 2nd, 2013 to November 20th, 2013** from 7:30PM to 9:00PM in Annunciation Parish Hall. The completion of this course is a necessity for all couples who wish to be married at a Catholic Church. Please call or visit the Parish Office to register.

NEWEST CATHOLIC MEMBERS...



The following children were welcomed into our worshipping community recently through the Sacrament of Baptism: *Isaac Theo Calumpang Armentano, Andrea Adri-*

enne Hagley, Christina Maya Malvena Leacock and Eunika Keiza Quitos. Please keep these children in your prayers.



Answer: Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation



Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

Sept. 15—Sept. 21

Our lamps are lit:

In loving memory of Joseph Mancuso, on his 4th death anniversary. We remember you always. Requested by his wife Anna Mancuso and his four children

In loving memory of my devoted wife Enid Miranda, beloved wife, mother and grandmother. Missed and cherished always Requested by Michael Miranda and Family



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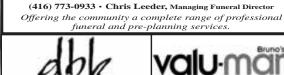
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