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# 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

(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 Archdiocese of Toronto—Chancery Office.

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

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

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

#### PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Wisdom School416-393-5273Annunciation School416-393-5299St. Isaac Jogues School416-393-5315Senator O'Connor College School416-393-5505

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

"The last will be first, and the first will be last."

#### PRAY WITH THE SAINTS

**Tuesday, September 23rd** is the *Feast of St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)*, priest.

**Wednesday, September 24th** is the *Feast of Blessed Émilie Tavernier-Gamelin*, religious.

**Thursday, September 25th** is the *Feast of Sts. Cosmas and Damian*, martyrs.

**Friday, September 26th** is the *Feast of St. John de Brébeuf and St. Isaac Jogues*, priests, *and companions*, martyrs, Secondary Patrons of Canada.

**Saturday, September 27th** is the *Feast of St. Vincent de Paul,* priest.

Join us in prayer in communion with these great saints and all saints in Heaven at the daily masses, Monday to Friday at 8:00am and 12:30pm & Saturday at 9:00am.

#### **World Tourism Day**

September 27

A World Tourism Day was created 1979 by the World Tourism Organization. The Church is concerned about tourism in the world, remembering the words of Jesus to his disciples, "Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" and if anyone is there who shares in peace lives there, your peace will rest on that person" (*Lk* 10.5-6).

#### IS GOD CALLING YOU?

"Seek the Lord while he may be found..." While searching, listen; could it be that you are being called to serve as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, 416-968-0997.

#### 'COME AND SEE' WEEKEND

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

#### October 31st—November 2nd, 2014

#### St. Augustine's Seminary

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

# FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CHILDREN & PARENTS' INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING TUESDAY, 07 OCTOBER 2014 at 7:00pm

The journey of preparation for First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion for the Grade 2 students who belong to Annunciation Parish begins with an *Information & Registration meeting at the Parish on Tuesday, 07 October 2014 at 7:00pm.* 

Parents, if you are a member of Annunciation Parish and wish to have your child(ren) make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in Spring 2015, you are to attend this mandatory meeting and register your child. Bring a completed Registration Form AND a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate to the meeting. Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office during office hours or at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer after all weekend masses.

If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish as soon as possible to register your child so they are prepared for and can make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. If you and your family belong to Annunciation but have not registered as members of the parish, please do so. Parishioner registration forms are also available from the Parish Office during office hours or at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer after all weekend masses.

# CONFIRMATION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING FOR PARENTS & THEIR GR. 8 CHILDREN. THURSDAY, 09 OCTOBER 2014 at 7:30pm

Grade 8 students whose families belong to and attend Annunciation parish, and who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation must attend a mandatory *Information & Registration meeting at the Parish on Thursday, 09 October 2014 at 7:30pm with their parents.* Please bring a copy of your Baptismal Certificate AND a completed Registration Form with you to the meeting as these forms will be accepted at this meeting only. Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office during office hours or from the Welcome Desk after all weekend masses.

If Annunciation Parish is not your parish of worship, please contact your 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. Parishioner registration forms are also available from the Parish Office during office hours or at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer after all weekend masses.

# INSIDE Annunciation Church:

#### **NEWLY BAPTIZED CHILDREN**



The following children were recently welcomed into our worshipping community through the Sacrament of Baptism: *Christian Alexander Mark-Carter, Olivia Jasmine Senior, Raven Chloe Pattalitan Emmett.* 

#### PARISH SCHOOLS MASS



Our parish schools, St. Isaac Jogues Elementary, Annunciation Elementary and Our Lady of Wisdom Elementary, will gather together with the Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ, to celebrate the start of a new school year with

mass on **Wednesday**, **September 24th**, **10:00am** at Annunciation Church.

#### BUILDING FUND COLLECTION



This weekend, we take up the monthly building fund collection. Thank you for your continuing support to Annunciation Parish.



## Memorial Lamps Special Intentions

September 21st—27th

Our lamps are lit:

In loving memory of the late George Mayer. Loved forever by his wife, children and grandchildren of the Mayer Family.

> In loving memory of Cherry Ann Mades. Deeply loved and missed by mom and son.

In loving memory of Joe Mancuso. Always remembered from wife and children. Requested by Anna Mancuso.

In loving memory of Djolina and Sujitno. On the first and twentieth anniversaries of your passing. We miss you still grandma and grandpa. Requested by your daughter Miki & family.



#### IMPORTANT MEETINGS FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, LECTORS AND USHERS

A friendly reminder to all new and current members of the Eucharistic Ministers Ministry, Lectors Ministry and Ushers Ministry:

You are reminded to attend the following meeting(s) appropriate to you. All meetings take place in the Parish Hall.

- **Eucharistic Ministers** meet on Monday, 22 Sept. at 7:30pm.
- **Lectors** meet on Tuesday, 23 Sept. at 7:30pm.
- **Ushers** meet on Wednesday, 24 Sept. at 7:30pm.

#### 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, October 4th from 4:30pm to 6:00pm, and again on Sunday, October 5th from 7:30am to 2:00pm, 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!

#### NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA September 28

Each year the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) is asked to speak out, give leadership, and provide guidelines on a wide variety of topics. In order for our Bishops to be able to make sound judgments on modern topics, they must have the benefit of research and expert advice.

Research and gathering information require staff, time, and money. Through the yearly Bishop's collection for the needs of the Church in Canada, an appeal is made to all Catholics to be generous in supporting the work of their Bishops at the conference level. Most dioceses have the collection at this time, but an individual diocese may choose another date.

We are also asked to pray for the work of the Bishops and to participate in and cooperate with the various projects of the CCCB.

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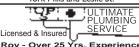


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