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# ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Fr. Frederick Foley - In Residence

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

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 a 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.

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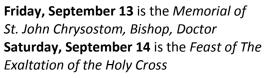
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#### **PRAY WITH THE SAINTS**





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

# EDUCATE, REFLECT, ACT! THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2019—7:30PM FEDERAL ELECTION DEBATE FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

You are invited to be a part of a special debate for the October 21 federal election! On October 3, join 1,000 Catholics from across the archdiocese as they listen to candidates from the four major political parties debate issues of importance to the Catholic community.

Moderated by veteran political journalist Don Newman, this free ticketed event will take place at the John Bassett Theater at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, and include reflections and prayers offered by Cardinal Thomas Collins. For more information, election resources, and to order free tickets, visit: <a href="https://www.archtoronto.org/election">www.archtoronto.org/election</a>

#### **ANNUNCIATION SENIORS CLUB**

IMPORTANT NOTICE. Due to construction in the Church Hall there will be NO MEETING IN SEPTEMBER!

You will be advised as soon as the date for our next meeting is assigned. At this meeting you must sign up and pay for our scheduled trip on October 22<sup>nd</sup> to Springridge and Dutch Mill Country Markets. The cost is \$50.00 per person and includes lunch. Details will follow.



# Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

September 8—September 14

In loving memory of **Vincent Manuele.**Forever missed, forever loved, and forever in our hearts and prayers.
Requested by loving wife Donna and son Vincent Edward

For Mr. M Sundaralingam and Mrs. S Santha Lucia

# CONFIRMATION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING FOR GRADE 7 STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1ST at 7:30PM

This year in Spring of 2020, students in Grade 7 will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. All Grade 7 students whose families belong to and attend Annunciation Parish, and who wish to be confirmed, must attend a mandatory Confirmation Information and Registration Meeting on Tuesday, October 1st 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 for pickup at the Parish Office.

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 at the Parish Office

# FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

PARENTS' INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3RD at 7:30PM

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 3rd at 7:30PM.

If you are a member of Annunciation Parish and wish that your child make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion Spring of 2020, you are to attend this mandatory meeting and register them. Please bring a completed Registration Form AND a copy of your Child's Baptismal Certificate to this meeting. Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office.

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 at the Parish Office.



# ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



# Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

August 4 - August 31

In loving memory of

my parents Mr. and Mrs. S.F Tsang George, my brother Yiu Wing, sister Anna Tsang and Helper Ah Yue

> Requested by Mr. Y.L Tsang, Alan, Agnes and Jasmine.

In loving memory of **Clara Rodriguez**. Requested by Joseph an Shanthi Rodriguez

In loving and cherished memory of **Joan and Felix Da Costa.** We love and miss you both dearly.
Requested by Coralie, John and Trevyn Fernandes

In loving memory of **Joseph Maheandiran.**You may be gone, but never forgotten. Forever in our hearts. Rest in peace.
Requested by Lekah, Suby, Shiamala, Siva, Mat and Julius

For the deceased members of the Misquitta Family: **Raymond, Elizabeth, Arthur, Sandra and Nita.** Requested by Germaine

In loving and cherished memory of **Victor Pereira** . You will always be in our hearts, loved and never forgotten.

Requested by Desmond, Lesley, Danielle, Alicia, Natalie, and Caitlin Alvares

For Abinaash. For the success on his exams.

In loving and cherished memory of **Raymond and Linda Alvares.** You will be always in our hearts,
loved and never forgotten.

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Requested by Desmond, Lesley, Danielle, Alicia, Natalie, and Caitlin Alvares





#### MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE FALL 2019

The Marriage Preparation Course will take place on Wednesday evenings from **September 25th, 2019 to November 6th, 2019** from 7:15PM to 9:00PM in the 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.

#### **RCIA**

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a Program to prepare Adults to become Catholic. If you, a member of your family or a friend are thinking about becoming a Catholic, please contact the Parish Office and walk the Journey of faith with us. We meet weekly on Tuesday evening's beginning in the Fall.



## ANNUNCIATION REPAIRS AND RENOVATIONS

Over the coming months there will be a number of repairs and renovations carried at Annunciation Parish. Some have already taken place and some are underway:

- Maintenance and paint work have been done on the Church Piers (the pillars supporting the roof), as well as the Bell Tower.
- The parking lot has been repaired and markers repainted.
- The base of the west wall of the Parish Hall and the concrete stairs at the back of the Parish Hall will be replaced.
- The lighting in the Church and Sanctuary has been replaced with all LED lighting.
- The kneeler hinges in the Church are being repaired.
- Work is underway to replace the floor of the Church Foyer.
- The flooring in the Parish Hall and Kitchen have been replaced, and the Hall has been painted.
- During some of this work, weekday masses will be celebrated in the parish hall.

All of this work has been planned by the Parish Property Committee and supported by the Parish Financial Council. We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding.

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