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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 School	416-393-5273
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
St. Isaac Jogues School	416-393-5315
Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

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"He makes the deaf hear and the dumb speak."

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS

Tuesday, September 8th is the *Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.*

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

**THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS
FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER**

Universal: ~ *Opportunities for the young* ~ That opportunities for education and employment may increase for all young people.

Evangelization: ~ *Catechists* ~ That catechists may give witness by living in a way consistent with the faith they proclaim.

A PRAYER FOR STUDENTS

Lord, I pray that these students will experience the peace of God this year that exceeds all understanding. I pray they will not worry about things they cannot control, but that You will guard their hearts and minds and keep them trusting in You. I pray they will not only enjoy the peace of God, but peace with God. I pray they will develop a spirit of gratitude and thanksgiving as they look to You daily for their needs. I pray that You will give them the capacity for joy that bubbles up from Your peace.

(Isaiah 26:3; Philippians 4:6-7; Romans 5:1)



**Memorial Lamps
& Special Intentions**

September 6—12

Our lamps are lit:

*In loving memory of my grandfather,
Rodolfo Lupena.*

May he rest in peace.

*Requested by: all your children,
grandchildren and great grandchildren.*

**CARDINAL COLLINS VISITS
Annunciation Parish**

On **Sunday September 13th, 2015**, our Archbishop, Cardinal Thomas Collins will visit Annunciation Parish. Cardinal Collins will preach at the following masses: 8:00AM, 9:30AM, 11:00AM, 12:30PM. The Cardinal will speak to The Family of Faith Pastoral Plan and Campaign and their importance in the life of our Archdiocese. We invite all members of our parish community to come and hear Cardinal Collins' homily at one of the Sunday morning masses.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION &
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

There will be an Information & Registration meeting for parents of Grade 2 students who wish to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist on **Thursday, October 8th at 7:00PM**. Parents who wish for their child(ren) to receive the sacraments in Spring 2016 must be registered members of Annunciation Parish. If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish. Registration Forms are available from the Parish Office or at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

This year, students in Grade 7 and 8 will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. There will be an Information and Registration meeting for all students and their parents on **Monday, October 5th at 7:30PM**. Parents of students wishing to receive the sacrament in Spring 2016 must be registered members of Annunciation Parish. If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish as soon as possible. Registration Forms are available from the Parish Office or at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

THANK YOU SEMINARIAN VANG TRAN!

This weekend is Seminarian Vang's last weekend with us, as he will be returning to St. Augustine Seminary. We would like to thank Seminarian Vang for all his hard work and dedication during his stay. Parishioners wishing to say goodbye will be able to see him in the foyer after all masses this weekend. We wish him all the best as he continues in his studies!

ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

LABOUR DAY

Monday, September 7th is Labour Day. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00AM only. There will be no 8:00AM & 12:30PM Mass. *The parish office will be closed.*

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



Let us remember in our prayers all those parishioners who have gone to their rest in Christ, particularly the recently deceased, *Veronica Walsh.*

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School will be resuming on Sunday September 13th from 9:00AM to 10:30AM in the Parish Hall.

RCIA

Are you, a family member or a friend interested in becoming a Catholic? Please contact the Parish Office for further details. Classes begin October 13th, 2015.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The Children's Choir begins a new season with its first rehearsal on Thursday, September 10th from 5:30PM to 6:30PM. New choir members in Junior Kindergarten to Grade 7 are welcome to join. Please contact the parish office for more information.

MEETING DATES

Pastoral Council:

Tuesday, September 8th at 7:30PM in the Parish Hall.

Altar Servers Committee:

Tuesday, September 15th at 7:00PM in St. Pius X room.

Confirmation Facilitators' Meeting:

Thursday, September 17th at 7:00PM in the St. Cecilia room.

St. Vincent de Paul:

Thursday, September 17th at 7:00PM in the St. Pius X room.

RCIA Team:

Monday, September 21st at 7:00PM in the St. Pius X room.

Seniors Altar Server:

Saturday, September 26th at 11:00AM in the Parish Hall.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE FALL 2015

The Marriage Preparation Course will take place on Wednesday evenings from September 30th, 2015 to November 18th, 2015 from 7:30PM 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.

SUNDAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY

The Sunday Eucharistic Ministry Group is looking for new members. We bring our Lord in the Holy Eucharist to parishioners who are unable to come to mass, following the 9:30AM mass each Sunday. If you are interested in volunteering about an hour of your time on Sundays for this important ministry, please contact the parish office.

As well, if you or anyone you know is unable to attend mass and would like to receive Holy Communion each Sunday, please contact the parish office.

WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY/ BOOK CLUB GROUP

The Women's Spirituality/ Book Club Group will resume their Tuesday meetings from September 15th to December 1st from 1:00PM to 3:15PM in the Pius X room. Facilitator—Sister Anne Lemire, CSJ. The only costs associated are for the book being used. Anyone interested in joining are invited to contact the Parish Office by September 10th.

CWL NEWS

The first Executive Meeting for the coming season will be held on Thursday, September 10th at 1:15PM in the St. Pius X room. All members of the exec. team are asked to attend.

The first General Meeting will be held on Thursday September 24th at 1:15PM in the St. Pius X room. All CWL members are invited to attend.

SHARELIFE 2015

Thank you Annunciation Parishioners!
Our ShareLife Parish total is:

\$136,362.00

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