

St. Paul's Basilica Parish

Established in 1822

First Parish of the Archdiocese of Toronto

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Pastor: Fr. Edward J. Smith

*"May the message of Christ, in all its fullness, continue to find
a home in you."*

Colossians 3:16

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Mass available

At the Good Shepherd Centre

412 Queen St. East

Tuesday to Friday 12:00 noon

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:45 to 4:15 p.m.

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM,

CONFIRMATION,

FIRST COMMUNION,

MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish to begin the
process of preparation

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please call the parish office so that they
may receive communion regularly.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Micheline Dutil, Principal

Phone: 416-393-5204

PARISH MINISTRIES

Sacramental Preparation

Breakfast Club

Children's Liturgy

RCIA

Taize Prayer

Eucharistic Adoration

Choir

St. Vincent de Paul

Food Bank

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	Sept. 29	12 noon	+ Rosario & Miguel Faller
Wednesday	Sept. 30	12 noon`	Open
Thursday	Nov. 01	12 noon	Open
Friday	Nov 02	12 noon	Open
Saturday	Nov. 03	4:30 p.m.	Open
Sunday	Nov. 04	8:30 a.m.	Open
		11:00 a.m.	Misa Pro Populo. Installation of Fr. Smith



THE SANCTUARY LIGHT BURNS FOR:
GIACCHETTA FAMILY



Installation of Fr. Edward J. Smith by Bishop Boissoneau

September 27 at the 11:00 a.m. mass

Everybody is welcome to the installation Mass of Fr. Smith at St. Paul's Basilica by Bishop Boissoneau on Sept 27 at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

Fr. Smith asks that we continue to pray for one another.

Family of Faith Campaign



The Family of Faith Campaign is resuming in September here at St. Paul's. All will be contacted at some point along the way. We have a goal of \$295,000.

We can be proud to note that to date we have pledges totalling \$253,100.00 or 86% of our goal. We would encourage those who have already been approached to indicate what their intentions are. Of these funds 25% will stay at the parish, once we reach our goal then 75% will stay in the parish. If you have questions, feel free to call Fr. Smith at the parish or Ed Scheck, the chair of the parish committee at 416-499-3100, Ext 224.

Thanksgiving Food Drive

The parish has a food drive each year at Thanksgiving for the parish food bank. You will receive a grocery bag on the way out which we encourage you to fill while you are shopping for your feast. The food bank can always use baby formula and diapers, canned vegetables, fruits, fish, meat and soup; pasta and other dry foods. Please do not bring perishable or baked food. Thanks to everyone for their generous spirit.

Children's Liturgy is beginning again

The children's Liturgy starts today for all children in JK, SK, Grade 1 & 2, every Sunday at the 11:00 a.m. mass from now until December 19. Please try to be on time as the children gather and go into their group at the beginning of mass. They will return to you at the offertory. Thank you to all the volunteers who help in the program.



Welcome to Seminarians

St. Paul's Basilica gives a warm welcome to three seminarians from St. Augustine's Seminary. They will be in our parish from September 20 to December 31 this year and will be involved in liturgical activities as well as various parish and social settings around the church. Their names are Michael Grzymala, Alexander D'Silva and Adam Pantaleo

Theology on Tap

**Monday September 28 at 7:00 p.m.
at the Duke of York Pub
39 Prince Arthur Ave. Toronto**

Faith Connections invites young adults (19-39) to join them for an evening of thought-provoking theological discussions. Special guest: Dr. Dennis Patrick O'Hara. Theme Laudato Si- Pope Francis Challenge. Munchies provided. Cash bar. Contact: Jean-Paul Markides 416-467-2645.

Catholic Health Association of Ontario

**September 30 to October 2
Toronto Marriot Bloor Yorkville Hotel
90 Bloor St. East, Toronto**

Theme of the Conference: "The Palliative Care Alternative: Comfort, Love, Mercy." Among its guest speakers, His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins will give the opening keynote address (Dignity of the human person: A fundamental value of Catholic health care at the end of life) and Sister Nuala Kenny will be speaking on "The Supreme Court of Canada and challenges to the tradition of a good death".

Maturing Adults Group

The parish Maturing Adults group will have a Lunch and Learn meeting on **October 7 at 12:00 noon in the Breakfast Club (basement of church)**. The topic will be *Personal Safety/Street Smarts*. The speaker will be Constable Lynne Robertson of 51 Division. Bring your lunch, the parish will provide coffee and tea.

Help to the Refugee Crisis

In response to the global refugee crisis, Cardinal Thomas Collins has launched "Project Hope" a special emergency appeal. This 100-day campaign aims to raise 3 million in order to settle 100 refugee families in the Archdiocese of Toronto as soon as possible. The effort will also require 100 volunteer committees to assist with settlement services. To make a donation to support the appeal visit: **Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.** > or call 416-934-3411. You can also donate through our parish with a cheque made payable to *St. Paul's Basilica-Project Hope-Refugee Sponsorship*. We continue to pray for all those suffering, mindful of our call to welcome the stranger in our midst. Those interested in assisting by being a volunteer should contact the Office for Refugees at 647-780-0827.

END WOMAN ABUSE MASS

**Thursday October 1st at 7 p.m.
St. Timothy's Parish**

Woman abuse is a problem that affects the total community, not just the woman and her children. All are welcome to come and pray for the many women and families affected by abuse. Light refreshments will follow the Mass.

Contact: Catholic Family Services of Toronto 416-921-1163

COMMUNION MINISTERS AND LECTORS

New schedules for Lectors and Communion Ministers are available in the Sacristy. Please take one home.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND RETREAT October 2-4

Experience the life, mission and spirituality of the Daughters of St. Paul. Conferences, Eucharistic Adoration, Silent retreat day. For single woman 18-35. To register call Sr. Helena 416-781-9131 Ext. 226

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