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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM During JULY AND AUGUST

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Friday Saturday 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM Sunday 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM, 10:45 AM, and 12:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 8:30 AM Tuesday 12:00 Noon Wednesday (Our Lady of Perpetual Help) 7:00 PM Thursday 8:30 AM 7:00 PM Friday

First Friday 7:00 PM Mass, Holy Hour, Benediction

Saturday & Holidays 9:30 AM

PARISH TEAM

Rev. Fr. Michel Dumont Pastor

Rev. Fr. Morosco Lett **Associate Pastor**

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5:00 PM, 9:00 AM & 10:45 AM

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SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: After the 9:30 AM mass on Saturday or anytime by appointment. Also, during Holy Hour on the First Friday of each month.

Baptism: An appointment is to be arranged. An evening baptismal course, which takes place once a month, is required.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: On request. Communal Anointing of the Sick annually in early Spring.

Marriage: One year's notice is required. Contact priest one year in advance.

Communion to the Sick and Housebound:

If you are unable to attend Sunday Eucharist and would like communion brought to you at home, please call the parish office and speak to Cathie Furfaro.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

If you would like to join our Catholic Community or know someone who does, please call the parish office.



MINISTRIES

Adult Faith Formation Ministry Fair Altar Servers **Money Counters** Altar Society **Baptismal Preparation Prayer Group** Bereavement **Prayer Shawl Ministry** Children's Liturgy of the Word **RCIA**

Confirmation Preparation Country Christmas Craft Show **Religious Store** Evening of Fellowship

Finance Committee First Reconciliation Preparation

First Communion Preparation

Garden Angels

Grassroots Parish Ecumenism Homebound and Nursing Homes Welcoming Committee

Knights of Columbus Marriage Preparation Ministers of Communion Ministers of Hospitality/Ushers

Ministers of the Word

Music Ministry (Choirs)

Religious Education

Renovation/Building Committee Sacred Heart Home Family Retreat

Screening Committee Special Events Committee

Spiritual Care St. Vincent De Paul Women for Women Young at Heart Youth Ministry Youth Media Ministry

Please visit our website at www.olqw.com for the weekly bulletin and for additional information Our Lady Queen of the World Parish is wheel-chair accessible and a scent-free environment.



APRIL 24

FINANCE UPDATE		
Last Sunday's Collection:		Compared to:
From envelopes: From non-	\$ 6,663.85	Same Sunday last year:
envelopes:	911.65	6,589.45
From P.A.G.:	\$ 2,671.84	From P.A.G 2,521.00
	\$10,247.34	\$9,110.45



Monday, April 25

8:30 a.m. + Nicole Muzzo req. Muzzo Family

Tuesday, April 26

12:00 noon + Vincent Chow req. Emily Chow

Wednesday, April1 27 7:00 p.m. Mass

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Thursday, April 28

8:30 a.m. + Joe Felix req. Manuel Ting

Friday, April 29 7:00 p.m. Mass

Saturday, April 30 9:30 a. m Mass

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, May 1

9:00 a.m Mass

10:45 a.m. M.P.P.

12:30 p.m. Mass

WE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK IN OUR PARISH ESPECIALLY:

Jack Pessotto, Chris Zolis, Gabriella Ludiwinska and Nestor Torres

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY ESPECIALLY

Cleria Rocca, Maria Iadipaolo, Maria Greco, Vincenzo Bono and Tina Lamanna

ASSISTIVE DEVICES AVAILABLE PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE

If you or someone you know is in need of the following items, you may contact the parish office and arrange to pick them up: Walker, hand rails, shower seat, commode. These items are available at no cost.

Share...Life!

Fifth Sunday of Easter April 24, 2016

Working wonders for our new arrivals in Canada...

"As an Iraqi Christian, the Office for Refugees (ORAT) has provided me with the opportunity to meet other people who have experienced the same thing that I have. We are able to help support each other in this new journey to Canada and without ORAT, I do not know where I would be today. It is possible I would still be in Jordan, afraid for my life, unable to practice my religion, and under threat of deportation. The work that ORAT did truly gave me hope and a chance at life free from persecution and fear. ORAT has also invited me to volunteer with them, and I am even able to sponsor a new person or family to come to Canada with their help, Sara, a Christian refugee from Iraq."

Since 2009, ShareLife-supported ORAT has sponsored over 2,500 families to be resettled in the GTA.

Next ShareLife Sunday is May 29, 2016 Please give generously. Together we can work wonders!

BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER GROUP TUESDAYS AT 7:15 PM IN THE PARISH HALL.

We invite all parishioners to gather in fellowship, prayer and contemplation on God's word every Tuesday evening as we deepen our relationship with the Sacred Word of God and reflect upon the upcoming Sunday's readings and Gospel. Please join us, one and all.

FIRST COMMUNION

For the next two weekends, April 30/May 1st and May 7/8th at all Masses, the young people of our parish will celebrate the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. They and their families have been journeying in Faith and God's Love, preparing for many months, and you, the parish family, have accompanied them in this journey through your prayers and witness. We ask you to remember them especially now, as the children come to feast at the Table of the Lord, in thanks and praise. May they go forth and live the Eucharist in peace and love for one another.

CONFIRMATION "INNERVIEWS"

Our Candidates for Confirmation have spent the last few months listening to God's call inviting them to carry out His mission of Justice and Love in the World. They have discerned, in their retreat, the gifts they can offer to this mission. Last weekend, they presented their response to this call in their Letter to the Bishop. Now, in their "Innerview", they will further discern what it means to be God's Beloved, anointed for mission – the "flock of the Lord."

All young people have already signed up for a 20 minute "Innerview". Parents are also expected to attend and will participate in the second half of the Innerview.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK -- MAY 1-6 OPENING DOORS OF MERCY!"

We invite all parishioners to join in celebrating Catholic Education Week 2016. For more than 160 years, Ontario's publicly funded Catholic schools have been integrating our faith into all aspects of school life, nurturing the gifts and talents of every student. We celebrate the distinctive contribution that Catholic schools provide, giving thanks and offering our prayers for all those who faithfully journey with our young people each day. For more information about Catholic Education Week, visit www.godnewsforall.ca

L'ARCHE DAYBREAK'S ANNUAL WALK WITH HOPE

Once again this year, Our Lady Queen of the World parish will be supporting L'Arche Daybreak's Annual Walk with Hope on Saturday, May 7th.

Next weekend, **Apri30/May1**, members of L'Arche Daybreak will be here to sell their crafts and promote the walk. You can join our parish team and sign up for the walk or sponsor our captain, Fr. Michel. Come join us in the hall after all Masses for coffee and more information about L'Arche. Please consider donating to help continue the mission of this amazing community! **Visit our team page to join us for the walk or sponsor Fr. Michel:** http://bit.ly/1MabDQj

ALZHEIMER'S YORK REGION PRESENTS ADVANCED CARE PLANNING

The Young At Heart invites you to a seminar on "Advanced Care Planning" for seniors on **Monday, April 25, 2016** from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

This presentation will help you see why, when and how to plan for your future care, what to consider in setting up a Power of Attorney and a Substitute Decision Maker.

A light lunch will be served after the presentation at a cost of \$5.00 per person. Non- members may register by calling the church office at 905-884-7006.

MILKBAG MINISTRY

<u>OLQW Parish</u> is participating in Catholic Education Week by providing its milkbag weaving frames to Luke 4:18 councils in the York Catholic DSB for their annual Symposium. Students for these Social Justice Councils come from different elementary schools in the region and will weave mats at the Board Office on May 5th. Their mission is to perform works of mercy and justice within their school communities and in the world. We are delighted to support their work. Next Parish Weaving Day: Saturday, April 30th from 10 AM until 4 PM in the Parish Hall.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS

This weekend, there will be a collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

EUTHANASIA/ASSISTED SUICIDE IT'S TIME TO ACT!

On April 14, 2016, the federal government introduced Bill C-14 – legislation that, if passed, will amend the criminal code to make euthanasia/assisted suicide legal in Canada. Thousands of Canadians have contacted their elected officials, respectfully expressing their concerns. We will need your help. Visit CanadiansforConscience.ca to urge elected representatives to protect health care workers and institutions from having to provide or refer for euthanasia/assisted suicide. We are also asking Members of Parliament to expand palliative care & support for the vulnerable. Thank you for your ongoing support!

GODSPELL

Musical Performance at Jean Vanier CHS

Jean Vanier Catholic High School is proud to present its first musical, Godspell, taking place at the school from **Tuesday**, **May 10th** – **Friday**, **May 13th at 7pm.** Godspell is a story about Jesus's time on earth, told through parables according to the Gospel of Matthew. This fun and powerful show is suitable for the whole family. **Tickets are \$15 for students and \$20 for adults.** Order forms are available at the Church entrance, school office and school website: jvh.ycdsb.ca. The staff and students behind this musical have been working tirelessly since September to prepare for this. All are welcome to come and see the students' God-given talents in this professional show that will not disappoint.

BUNDLE UP FOR SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Bring your gently used clothing, shoes, linen and household goods to share with others on **Sat. May 7**th & **Sun. May 8**th... A Saint Vincent de Paul truck will be in the church parking lot so please share what you can with those less fortunate. We will donate or sell these donations to support our outreach efforts. Thank you for your continued support.

"The truck will be open all day Saturday until after the 5:00 p.m. Mass and all day Sunday May 8^{th.} Volunteers will assist with the loading before and after each Saturday and Sunday Mass. St. Vincent de Paul Society needs new members to join, please call (905) 237-8669.

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