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OFFICE HOURS

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

(9:00 AM to 4:00 PM in the summer)

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

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00 PM Saturday

Rev. Michel Dumont

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday & Thursday 8:00 AM Tuesday 12:00 Noon Wednesday (Our Lady of Perpetual Help) 7:00 PM 7:00 PM (First Friday - Mass, Holy Hour, Benediction)

Saturday & Holidays 9:30 AM

PARISH TEAM

Pastor

Rev. Joel B. Pabilona, Jr. **Associate Pastor** Rev. Mr. Malcolm Peake Deacon Dr. Michael Hryniuk **Director - Spiritual Formation** and Co-ordinator of Youth Mrs. Odelie Gaudet Spiritual Guidance Sister Nida Fe Chavez, csj Pastoral Associate

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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Reconciliation: After the 9:30 AM mass on Saturday or by appointment.

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

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 Sister Nida Fe Chavez.

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.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to OLQW! We ask that you please register. Forms and envelopes are available at the church entrance and office. Parishioners with a change of address, please inform the parish office.



MINISTRIES

Altar servers Money Counters Altar society Prayer Group Baptismal preparation **RCIA** Bereavement Religious Education Children's Lituray Religious Store Confirmation Program Renovation/Building Committee Country Christmas Craft Show Sacred Heart Home Family Retreat Evening of Fellowship Screening Committee **Finance Committee** Special Events Committee First Reconciliation Program Spiritual Formation First Communion Program Spiritual Guidance Food Drive St. Vincent De Paul **Fundraising Committee** Steubenville Garden Angels Summer Bible Camp Homebound and Nursing Homes Website Knights of Columbus Welcoming Committee Marriage Preparation Women for Women Minister of Communion Young At Heart Ministers of Hospitality

Ministers of the Word

Ministry Fair

Music Ministry

(for more info about our ministries please visit our website)

Youth Ministry



December 5

Campaign Goal: \$1,200,000 Funds Pledged: \$1,028,509 Number of angels: 307

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ADVENT SERIES— THE SPIRITUALITY OF WAITING

Are you seeking some time for a little rest and reflection this Advent season? Come join your fellow parishioners for a series of Advent mini-retreats on the theme of "The Spirituality of Waiting." We will reflect on the spiritual meaning of Advent as a time of waiting and let biblical figures such as Zechariah, Elizabeth, Mary and Joseph be our guides into a deeper appreciation of the meaning of Christmas. December 8 and 15 from 7:30-9:30 pm at the OLQW Parish Centre.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Susan Marshall, Martin Diaz, Geraldene Kelly, Jolly Joseph, Derek Wu, Stella Chanady, Diana Finan, Therese Duchesne, Debbie Mathais, Doreen Ambrose, Patrick Lobo, Kehmraj Thagu, George Pinto, Odette Casmiro, Lily Hennessey, Juan Chavez, Monty O'Brien and Tony Tiburini

WE REMEMBER OUR DEAD

Danila Michieli, Jerry Watt and Elena D'Agustino.

EVENING OF FELLOWSHIP

You are invited every Thursday, from 7:00 to 8:45 p.m. in the parish hall with WARM-UP EXERCISES TAI-CHI, LINE DANCING and exciting activities.

BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER MINISTRY

Tuesdays from 7:30PM - 9:30 PM at the Parish Hall
Theme: Gospel According to Matthew
Jan. 11 - Feb. 8, 2011 - Part II

This Bible Study is based on The Little Rock Scripture Study Program

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday December 6 8:00 a.m. Nora Bischof req. Lind Elpert

Tuesday December 7 12:00 +Jillianne Gabriel req. Victoria Iwanow

Wednesday December 8

7:00 p.m. +Doris Colquhoun req. Sharon Colquhoun

+Valter Betinelli req. Maggi Yip Hoi +Albert D'Souza req. Frederic De Souza

Thursday December 9 8:00 a.m. +Suehart Ma req. Ma Family

Friday December 10 7:00 p.m. +Mamie McMurray req. Jim McMurray

Saturday December 11 9: 30a.m. +Heredian Po req. by Family 5:00 p.m. Thanksgiving mass req. Lorga Ong

Sunday December 12

9:00 a.m. +Blanche & Avril Nazareth req. Family

10:45 a.m. Missa Pro Populo

12:30 p.m. +Joseph Bunyan req. Josie Kerr

YOUNG AT HEART

JOIN YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS WHO ARE RETIRED AND YOUNG AT HEART.

Contact Persons: Gillian D'Souza and Georgina Schneider. Please call the office for more information 905-884-7006

OLQW BAKED PIE SALE

after all the Masses.

Please pick up the pies after all the masses on December 4/5,2010.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

We are starting a prayer shawl ministry in our parish. Prayer shawls will be given to family members who are sick. If you knit or crochet, please call Sr. Nida at 905-884-7006 or Jean Morier 905-884-7576. Donations toward the wool will be greatly appreciated.

First Meeting: Saturday, December 11 from 10:00 a.m. – 12 noon at the Parish Centre

SAVE THE DATE

Musical Celebration Concert - Time Capsule

Come join us on Sunday December 5, 2010, as we witness and celebrate a rare and spectacular event. We will be opening a "Time Capsule", which was placed at the base of the Bell Tower, 50 years ago. This will be followed by a "Musical Celebration Concert", in the church, and a "Celebration Gathering" after the concert in the church basement (refreshments and desserts served).

<u>Time Capsule Opening - 6:00 p.m.</u> <u>Musical Celebration Concert - 7:00 p.m.</u> <u>Celebration Gathering - 9:00 p.m.</u>

OLQW YOUTH TAKE THE LEAP OF FAITH COMMUNITY, SPIRITUALITY, RECREATION

<u>Youth Nights</u> – Jean Vanier High School, 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. December 10, 2010

<u>God Nights</u> – OLQW Parish Centre, 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. December 18, 2010

FROM THE BOOK OF LIFE TO TREE OF LIFE

Having prayed for the deceased members of our families during the month of November, we move towards the living with the start of the Holy Season of Advent. During this season we look forward to the coming of Christ and how he came to give us life and hope. Christmas can be a time when many people feel like life has not been too kind to them. We as a community will have an opportunity to bring a little glimpse of hope to the many families helped by St. Vincent de Paul. At the entrance of the church we will have the Tree of Life. On it, angels will be hung with the particulars of a member of a family in need. We ask that you take one of those angels and buy something for that person for Christmas or bring in a Turkey Voucher to the office and it will be included with the gifts. Bring back the gift to church with the angel attached to it and put it under the tree by Sunday December 18/19. Because of your generosity the St. Vincent de Paul volunteers will be able to make Christmas a day to remember, that Jesus has indeed come to bring "Joy to the World."

WIN GREAT PRIZES

It is time once again for the Friar's Student Writing Award. Students aged 14-18 are invited to write a five hundred – word essay on the theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, celebrated January 23-30, 2011. The Theme for this coming year is "One in the Apostles' Teaching, Fellowship, Breaking of Bread and Prayer". First prize is an I Pod touch (32GB memory), second prize is an I Pod nano, 16GB memory and third to sixth prizes are a one year subscription to The Catholic Register and other prizes. The top three winners will have their work published in the Catholic Register. Deadline for entries is January 12, 2011. E-mail your essay to editor@catholicregister.org or FAX it to 416-934-3409. For further information call 416-934-3400, ext. 344 or 416-934-3410, ext. 407. Don't miss this opportunity.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT MASSEY HALL

Friday, December 10, 2010 – 7:30 p.m. Saturday, December 11, 2010 – 2:00 p.m. Massey Hall, Toronto

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2010 ADVENT SERIES CATHOLIC SOURCES OF PRAYER AND MEDITATION

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Scarboro Missions, 2685 Kingston Road, Scarborough.

Wed. Dec. 8 – Mary, Our Advent Guide and Companion by Joseph Clarkson, Retired Catholic School Principal, Christian Meditation Retreat Director.

Wed. Dec. 15 – Meditating on the Light of Christ in the four Directions by Katie Marshall Flaherty, Spiritan Lay Associate, wife, mother, youth retreat director, author, meditator.

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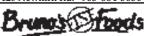
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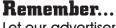
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