OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD Roman Catholic Church

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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 Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Saturday 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM		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.	
Sunday 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM		<i>Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:</i> On request. Communal Anointing of the Sick annually in early Spring.	
SUNDAY MASSES Saturday 5:00 PM Sunday 9:00 AM, 10:45 AM, and 12:30 PM WEEKDAY MASSES Monday 8:00 AM		<i>Marriage:</i> One year's notice is required. Contact priest one year in advance. <i>Communion to the Sick and Housebound:</i> If you are unable to attend Sunday Eucharist and would like communion brought to you at home, please call the parish office	
Monday Tuesday Wednesday (Our Lady of Perpetual Help) Thursday Friday First Friday 7:00 PM Mass, Holy Saturday & Holidays	12:00 Noon 7:00 PM 8:00 AM 7:00 PM	and speak to Cathie Furfaro. <i>Rite of Christian Initiation of Ad</i> . If you would like to join our someone who does, please call t	r Catholic Community or know
PARISH TEAMev. Fr. Michel DumontPastorev. Fr. Morosco LettAssociate Pastorev. Mr. Malcolm PeakeDeaconev. Fr. Jim HuthWeekend Assistancer. Michael HryniukDirector of Spiritual Care and Adult Faith Formationathie FurfaroLay Pastoral Assistantita CincinnatoLay Pastoral Assistant			
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SCHOOLS IN PARISH BOUNDARIESCHRIST THE KING329 Valleymede Drive905-771-6036OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS275 Redstone Road905-884-4023SAINT JOHN PAUL II155 Red Maple Drive905-709-3134ST. JOSEPH RICHMOND HILL301 Roney Avenue905-884-5077JEAN VANIER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL		Children's Liturgy of the Word Confirmation Preparation Country Christmas Craft Show Evening of Fellowship Finance Committee First Reconciliation Preparation First Communion Preparation Garden Angels Grassroots Parish Ecumenism Homebound and Nursing Homes Knights of Columbus Marriage Preparation Ministers of Communion Ministers of Hospitality/Ushers Ministers of the Word	RCIA Religious Education Religious Store Renovation/Building Committee Sacred Heart Home Family Retreat Screening Committee Special Events Committee Spiritual Care St. Vincent De Paul Welcoming Committee 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.



JANUARY 11

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.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Rita Cincinnato, David DuQuesnay, Elizabeth Van Arem and Giovanni Tornambe

WE REMEMBER OUR DECEASED

Maria Henrietta Fernandes and Mary Morier

FIRST COMMUNION ~ PARENT MEETING

Parents of children registered in our preparation program for First Communion are reminded of the Parent Information Meeting on January 15, 2015 at 7 PM in the Parish Hall. This meeting is for parents and guardians, only.

Thank 🖽 You

On behalf of the staff, I would like to thank you for the many gifts, cash and generous greetings you showered us with over this festive season.

Blessings Father Michel

Special thanks to all the ministries who made our Christmas Celebrations so beautiful and meaningful:



Altar Society, Children in the Christmas Pageant, Decorating Volunteers, Knights of Columbus, Garden Angels, Youth Media Ministry, Altar Servers, Ministers of Hospitality, Ministers of Communion, Ministers of the Word, Money Counters and to our Music Ministry.

THANK YOU FAMILY SERVERS

Thank you to the **MENEZES FAMILY, GABRIEL FAMILY, MARCONI FAMILY AND GUARRASSI FAMILY** that served at the altar Saturday, December 27th and Sunday December 28th, 2014.

On the last Sunday of every month, we invite families to serve together. If your family is interested in helping with this important ministry, please contact office at (905) 884-7006.



Monday, January 12 8:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, January 13 12:00 noon + Gregorio Abogado req. Austriaco Family

Wednesday, January 14

7:00 p.m. + Pietro Nicola Cristillo req. Family

- + Catherine de Corte req. Dorothy Whelan
- + Lincum Yip-Hoi req. Family
- + Angelo & Maria Cerundolo req. Cerundolo Family Thanksgiving Mass req. Pearl Graziano

Thursday, January 15 8:00 a.m. Mass

Friday, January 16 7:00 p.m. + Philomena Goveas req. Marion Menezes

Saturday, January 17 9:30 a.m + Francis Sequeira req. Joyce D'Souza 5:00 p.m + Jock Sequeira req. Pinto Family

Sunday, January 18

9:00 a.m. + Pablo Abanto req. Orietta Coz 10:45 a.m. Missa Pro Popolo 12:30 p.m + Milan Bicanic req. Mirko Bicanic

PREPARATION SESSIONS FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Students registered in our preparation program for Confirmation are reminded that the first session takes place on Wednesday, January 14, 2015 in the Parish Hall at 7 PM. Please arrive promptly.

LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

It is important to know that Liturgy of the Word with Children is more **worship** than catechesis. It recognizes the integral part of children in the liturgical celebration. The purpose of celebrating the Liturgy of the Word with children is to lead them to full, conscious and active participation as they listen to God's Word in a language that is appropriate to them and their ability to understand.

SAVE THE DATE!!! OLQW WOMEN'S GROUP PRESENTS PEOPLE IN THE PEWS: REPRODUCTIVE ISSUES.

Monday, January 19, 2015 at 7 PM in the Parish Hall



Dr. Moira McQueen LL.B.MDiv.PhD is the Executive Director of the Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute She teaches moral theology in the Faculty of Theology, University of St. Michael's College. She will be joined by Dr. Wendy D'Andrea, Specialist in Family Medicine and devoted

parishioner of Our Lady Queen of the World Parish. Together, they will lead us in a discussion about the bioethical principles that emerge as science and medicine develop new techniques that sometimes raise moral questions that seem to challenge Catholic teaching on the dignity of human life. Please confirm your attendance at: <u>cathie@olqw.com</u>

GOODNEWSPEOPLE ~ SESSIONS RESUME JANUARY 13TH AT 7:15 PM

By now, all participants have had their "Immersion Experience" where they explored faith in action and ways to advocate for the poor. On January 13th, we will reflect on the immersion experience together and share our stories. This immersion experience was an invitation to see the connection between love and justice and to seek out good news in places throughout our community where we encounter the power of faith, hope, and love in action. As disciples we ask ourselves how we can each be a bearer of light and hope for one another, especially for the most vulnerable.

Loving God, we thank You for opening our eyes and touching our hearts with Good News breaking into our lives and our communities. The light of God's love illuminates the darkness. In all we do, may we be light for others. We ask this, in Jesus' name.

GRASSROOTS PARISH ECUMENISM (GPE)

We were pleased to have been with several of the "Ecumenists-to-be" in our gathering before Christmas. It's becoming clearer now that our focus in celebrating the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in January 2015 will take a sizeable timeframe in its preparation and delivery.

Thus, our attention will move to a date close to the Feast of **Pentecost, in May. Emails will be sent to members with further details.**

YEAR 2015 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The 2015 envelopes are available for pick-up in the church hall until the end of January. Contact office (905) 884-7006 in case of errors.

Welcome all new Parishioners

Please pick up a box of envelopes and fill out a registration form. Please consider enrolling in the **PAG** (**Pre-authorized Giving**) **Plan.**

MILKBAGS FOR SIERRA LEONE A GREAT BIG "THANK YOU!!!"

With the combined efforts of the JV students who come out on alternate Wednesdays together with the whole parish event that took place on Dec 20^{th} , we were able to complete 15 more mats for immediate shipment to Sierra Leone where they will bring some comfort to those suffering from Ebola and other diseases. Thank You!

On the third Saturday of each month*, all parishioners are invited to help out in the Parish Hall. If you can even spare half an hour, that would be great! We are in the hall from 10 am to 4 PM. Come and stay as long as you can.

Here are the dates for 2015:

- January 17
- February 21
- March 21
- April 18
- *June 20 (4th Saturday of the month)

VILLANOVA COLLEGE – OPEN HOUSES

You are cordially invited to attend our January Open House on Friday, January 16th from 10am-2pm. As York Region's only independent, Catholic school, Villanova College offers an enriched academic program from Grade 4 to university admissions, focusing on the development of the whole child through the teachings of the Catholic Church and through extensive co-curricular programs. Please join us at our Open Houses or for an individual tour contact our Office of Admissions. For more information, please visit our website at <u>www.villanovacollege.org</u> or contact the Office of Admissions at 905-833-1909 or <u>admissions@villanovacollege.org</u>

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM YORK CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD: WINTER PROGRAMS 2015

The YCDSB offers a variety of educational programs throughout the school year for Elementary & Secondary students as well as Adults living in York Region.

We offer Elementary Literacy/Numeracy, Art and Computer Programs, Secondary Night School Credits and Driver's Education Program, Adult General Interest Courses in Computers, Conversational Languages and Instructor Training Certificate Course and English as a Second Language Courses.

For more information or to register online, please visit the Continuing Education webpage at <u>http://ce.ycdsb.ca</u>. Kindly take note of the various upcoming registration deadlines and register early to avoid disappointment. We thank you for your continued support.

