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Monday to Friday: 8:00 am Friday: 7:00 pm Saturday: 9:00 am

Wednesday Italian Mass: 7:00 pm

Confession:

Saturday: 4:00 to 5:00 pm Sunday: 4:00 to 4:30 pm

15 minutes before each Sunday Mass. Weekdays: Appointment with the priest

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GREED....

The heart is the seat of moral personality: "Out of the heart come evil thoughts, murder, adultery, fornication..." The struggle against carnal covetousness entails purifying the heart and practicing temperance:

Remain simple and innocent, and you will be like little children who do not know the evil that destroys man's life.

The sensitive appetite leads us to desire pleasant things we do not have, e.g., the desire to eat when we are hungry or to warm ourselves when we are cold. These desires are good in themselves; but often they exceed the limits of reason and drive us to covet unjustly what is not ours and belongs to another or is owed to him.

The tenth commandment forbids greed and the desire to amass earthly goods without limit. It forbids avarice arising from a passion for riches and their attendant power. It also forbids the desire to commit injustice by harming our neighbor in his temporal goods:

When the Law says, "You shall not covet," these words mean that we should banish our desires for whatever does not belong to us. Our thirst for another's goods is immense, infinite, never quenched. Thus it is written: "He who loves money never has money enough."

It is not a violation of this commandment to desire to obtain things that belong to one's neighbor, provided this is done by just means. Traditional catechesis realistically mentions "those who have a harder struggle against their criminal desires" and so who "must be urged the more to keep this commandment":

...merchants who desire scarcity and rising prices, who cannot bear not to be the only ones buying and selling so that they themselves can sell more dearly and buy more cheaply; those who hope that their peers will be impoverished, in order to realize a profit either by selling to them or buying from them... physicians who wish disease to spread; lawyers who are eager for many important cases and trials.

The tenth commandment requires that envy be banished from the human heart. When the prophet Nathan wanted to spur King David to repentance, he told him the story about the poor man who had only one ewe lamb that he treated like his own daughter and the rich man who, despite the great number of his flocks, envied the poor man and ended by stealing his lamb. Envy can lead to the worst crimes. "Through the devil's envy death entered the world":

We fight one another, and envy arms us against one another.... If everyone strives to unsettle the Body of Christ, where shall we end up? We are engaged in making Christ's Body a corpse.... We declare ourselves members of one and the same organism, yet we devour one another like beasts.

Envy is a capital sin. It refers to the sadness at the sight of another's goods and the immoderate desire to acquire them for oneself, even unjustly. When it wishes grave harm to a neighbor it is a mortal sin:

St. Augustine saw envy as "the diabolical sin." "From envy are born hatred, detraction, calumny, joy caused by the misfortune of a neighbor, and displeasure caused by his prosperity."

Envy represents a form of sadness and therefore a refusal of charity; the baptized person should struggle against it by exercising good will. Envy often comes from pride; the baptized person should train himself to live in humility:

Would you like to see God glorified by you? Then rejoice in your brother's progress and you will immediately give glory to God. Because his servant could conquer envy by rejoicing in the merits of others, God will be praised.

Catechism of the Catholic Church #2517, 2535-2540

<u>VOCATION SEEDS</u> "Be on guard against all kinds of greed." Grow rich in the sight of the Lord. Pray to know God's will, especially if you think He's calling you to a Church vocation. If you feel God is calling you, contact Fr. Park at 416-968-0997.

MISSION CO-OP Please note that we will have a representative from the Catholic Eparchy of Keren, Eretrea to ask for your help this weekend. The diocese has had a multitude of difficulties as 30 years of war has devastated the area. Please take the Mission Co-op envelopes home and bring them back next weekend. Thank you in advance for your customary generosity.

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT ON FRIDAYS will be limited to 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. during the months of July & August.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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DO YOU WISH TO BECOME CATHOLIC OR KNOW SOMEONE ELSE WHO DOES? Adults interested in becoming Catholics or deepening their faith are invited to call the Parish office for information about the **RCIA** (Rites of Christian Initiation of Adults). The program will begin in the fall. Please call the office to register.

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, have mercy on me, a sinner.

NEEDLESS TO SAY that as we enter into the summer season, let us remember that the Church is God's house and that modest attire should be worn at all times in this sacred place. The Catechism of the Catholic Church #1378 teaches us: "to prepare for worthy reception of this Sacrament, the faithful should observe the fast required.... demeanour (gestures, clothing) ought to convey the respect, solemnity and joy of this moment when Christ becomes our guest."

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES of the Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday, August 11, 2010 at 7 p.m. at Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill. Celebrant: Most Rev. William McGrattan.

RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY at 3 p.m. every Saturday at the Holy Cross Cemetery (in the Holy Family Mausoleum). Everyone is welcome.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REGISTRATIONS

during July and August will take place at the Admissions Office at the Catholic Education Centre, 320 Bloomington Rd. W., Aurora, For info, please visit www.ycdsb.ca or call 905-713-1211.

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GLAD DAYS FOR EPILEPSY Epilepsy York Region is hosting its annual fundraising and awareness campaign. Please help support the 14,600 individuals living with epilepsy in the York Region on Sunday, August 23rd outside the church after Mass (except the Sunday 4:30 p.m. Mass). Only \$5 for 5 gladiola stems! For info, please call Cathy or Carole at 905-508-5404.

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18^a del tempo ordinario - 1 agosto luglio 2010

Vuoi essere ricco davanti a Dio? Da' a Dio. (S. Agostino, Discorso 107/A, 7)

Il Signore non vuole che noi abbiamo la cupidigia del mondo. Nessuno dunque dica: Cerco il mio; non l'altrui. Guardatevi da ogni specie di cupidigia. Se amerai troppo i tuoi beni che possono perire, perderai davvero i tuoi beni che non possono perire. "Io – dici – non voglio né perdere ciò ch'è mio né prendere ciò che è di altri". Una simile scusa è segno d'una certa cupidità, non è un vanto della carità. Della carità è stato detto: Non va in cerca dei propri interessi, ma di quelli degli altri (1 Cor 13, 5). (S. Agostino, Discorso 107)

Non si vanti il saggio della sua saggezza, né il ricco delle sue ricchezze né il forte della sua forza (Ger 9, 23), anche se fossero giunti al sommo fastigio della sapienza, della ricchezza o della potenza. Io poi aggiungerò cose simili a queste: chi è famoso e celebre non si esalti per la sua gloria; né chi gode ottima salute per la sanità; né chi è bello per la sua avvenenza; né chi è giovane per l'età giovanile; in una parola, non vi sia nessun superbo o vanitoso che si glori in quelle cose che in questo mondo sono lodate; chi si vanta invece, si vanti di questa sola cosa: di conoscere e cercare Dio; e compiangendo la sorte degli sventurati, metta in serbo un po' di bene per la vita futura. Tutte le altre cose sono caduche e fragili, e, come in un gioco di sassolini, vengono gettate e trasferite dall'uno all'altro; così niente appartiene in proprio a chi lo possiede, che non debba consumarsi con l'andar del tempo, o trasferirsi ad altri con dispiacere. Quelle invece sono realtà sicure e stabili, che non vengono a mancare, né si dissolvono; la speranza di chi pone in esse la propria fiducia, non viene frustrata.

(S. Gregorio Nazianzeno, Discorso 14).

Davanti a Dio è preziosa l'umiltà del cuore di chi, non confidando in sé né nelle proprie capacità, ma tutto attendendo con fiducia dal Padre celeste, è riempito dai doni eterni della fede, della speranza e della carità.

AVVISI

1. Si chiede a chi avesse copie del vecchio libretto di canti con copertina rossa di donarle per l'uso del coro.

MASS IN	ITENTIONS	Aug. 1-7
SUN.	9:30 a.m.	† Gabriel Magnotta
		† Angelo Mignardi
		† Lino D'Ambrosi
		† Filomena de Chellis
		Holy Souls in Purgatory
		Intentions of our Holy Father
MON.	9:00 a.m.	†Milan Grm
TUE.	8:00 a.m.	†Barbara Morrin Keogh
WED.	8:00 a.m.	† Mr. & Mrs. H.W. Mok
WED.		•
	7:00 p.m.	In honour of St. Joseph
		† Gabriel Magnotta
		† Margherita & Franco
		Fiorentino
		† Carmine Di Nunzio
		† Holy Souls in Purgatory
		Intentions of Our Holy Father
		Intentions of the SMI priests
THURS.	8:00 a.m.	† Holy Souls in Purgatory
FRI.	8:00 a.m.	† Holy Souls in Purgatory
	7:00 p.m.	In Reparation to the Sacred
	•	Heart of Jesus
		† Jan Nadgorski
		Spec. Int of Jordan Walker
		and Family
		†Lino D'Ambrosi
		† Deceased Members of the
		Naughton Family
		†Deceased Members of the
		Paxton Family
		Holy Souls in Purgatory
		Intentions of SMI priests
		Intentions of our Holy Father
SAT.	9:00 a.m.	In honour of the Immaculate
3 ,	2.00 a	Heart of Mary
		† Wayne Campbell
		† Joey Daniels
		Holy Souls in Purgatory
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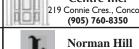
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