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St. Charles Garnier 905-884-0223

Fr. Henri Nouwen 905-884-8086

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Wednesday

8:30 am - 8:00 pm

Closed daily 12:00-1:00 pm for lunch

MASS TIMES

Lauds: Monday to Friday 7:30 am

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am

Friday 8:00 am

7:00 pm

Saturday 8:30 am

5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday 8:00 am

9:30 am (Italian)

11:00 am

12:30 pm

4:30 pm

CONFESSION TIMES

Friday 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

or by appointment with a Priest

ADORATION & EXPOSITION

Friday 1:00 pm - 6:45 pm

DEVOTIONS

Rosary - After morning Mass

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Friday at 3:00 pm

Sacred Heart - Friday at 6:45 pm

Perpetual Help - After morning Mass on Saturday

Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group - Every

Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 pm

BAPTISM

1st Sunday during 12:30 pm Mass

3rd Sunday at 2:00 pm

Baptismal Class: 1st Thursday at 7:00pm

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Contact the Parish office to register.

MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Priest one year in advance

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule.

Thank you for your ongoing financial support during these hard times.

Ways to Support your Parish

- **At Mass** in the offertory basket after Mass at the exit door.
- **Drop off** your regular weekly offertory contribution envelopes through the mail box slot of the parish office door.
- **By mail to** St. Mary Immaculate Parish
10295 Yonge St.
Richmond Hill, Ontario
L4C 3B9
- **Electronic online.** Visit our website www.smirh.com for more information.

STAY IN TOUCH WITH OUR PARISH

By phone at 905-884-1784. Nadia, our Parish secretary, is working partially at the office and remotely and will answer your call during the office hours. After hours, please leave a message and we will contact you as soon as possible.

By email at office@smirh.com.

Visit us on twitter @SMIRichmondHill.

YouTube Channel SMI Parish.

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Mon. Aug 24	Feast	St. Bartholomew, Apostle
Tues. Aug 25	Memorial	St. Louis St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest
Thurs. Aug 27	Memorial	St. Monica
Fri. Aug 28	Memorial	St. Augustine, Bishop, Doctor
Sat. Aug 29	Memorial	The Passion of St. John the Baptist

READINGS THIS WEEK

23 Isaiah 22.15, 19-23 Romans 11.33-36 Gospel: Matthew 16.13-20

24 Revelation 21.9b-14 Gospel: John 1.45-51

25 2 Thessalonians 2.1-3a, 14-17 Gospel: Matthew 23.23-

26 2 Thessalonians 3.6-10, 16-18 Gospel: Matthew 23.27-32

27 1 Corinthians 1.1-9 Gospel: Matthew 24.42-51

28 1 Corinthians 1.17-25 Gospel: Matthew 25.1-13

29 Jeremiah 1.17-19 Gospel: Mark 6.17-29

OFFICE OPENING BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

We are happy to announce that the Parish office will be open three times a week starting next week. However, **by appointment only.**

**Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays
from**

8:30 am – 12:00 pm noon.

Please contact the Parish office to schedule an appointment. Mask is mandatory to enter.

WEEKLY REGISTRATION FOR WEEKEND MASSES

Begins every Monday after 8:30 am and ends Friday at noon. Please make sure to register or contact the parish office during these times.

Parishioners are reminded to check your temperature before coming to Church and to keep a self-log of when you come to Church. If you display any of the symptoms associated with COVID-19, please stay home and contact your healthcare provider. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

to help with the re-opening and disinfecting teams before and after some of the weekend Masses. If interested please contact the parish office.



MARK your CALENDAR

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM (VIRTUAL) SEPTEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 13

Under normal circumstances the Sunday school program is held in the Parish hall on Sundays. However, this year due to COVID-19 the program will be held virtually. Sunday School teaches catechism to children once a week. It is intended to assist parents, the primary faith teachers, in their children's Faith journey. Whether your child is in a non-Catholic or Catholic School, your child's journey in faith will be enriched by our program. The program will take place virtually Sunday mornings, between 9:00 am to 9:45 am using Google Meets. The Sunday school program will help your child draw closer to God, Jesus and the Holy Spirit. There is no registration fee however, registration is required.



MARK your CALENDAR

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD PROGRAM (VIRTUAL)

SEPTEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 13

Under normal circumstances the Children's Liturgy program is held during the 11:00 am Mass. However, this year due to COVID-19 the program will be held virtually. Children's Liturgy of the Word is a program in which the Sunday scripture readings and Gospel are proclaimed and explained to children, at an age-appropriate level, from grades K through 6. It is intended to enrich your child's Faith journey, as well as encourage children to form a loving and generous response to the Word of God. The program will take place virtually Sunday mornings, between 10:00 am and 10:15 am using Google Meets. Children from the Sunday school program are encouraged to join the Children's Liturgy of the Word program as well. There is no registration fee however, registration is required.



BIBLE STUDY (VIRTUAL)

BOOK OF REVELATION: THE KINGDOM YET TO COME



In *Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come*, presenter Jeff Cavins pulls back the veil on the rich symbolism present in Revelation. Discover what the mysterious figures and images of Revelation mean and see how Revelation is more than an apocalyptic vision of the "end times." Explore the Church's teaching on the second coming of Christ and the Last Judgment. Understand how God, the Divine Bridegroom, and the Church, his spotless bride, enter into a heavenly, holy, and mystical marriage every time we celebrate Mass. Study will begin in September. Registration is required. Please contact the Parish office.



The ShareLife office is pleased to provide an update on the continuation of the 2020 ShareLife campaign. They have received permission from the Episcopal Board to continue the campaign into the fall of this year.

New Collection Dates:

September 12 & 13 / October 10 & 11 / November 7 & 8

Thank you for your support!

LEBANON HUMANITARIAN RELIEF EFFORT

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- 1. Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org.** Click on the "Donate Now" button at the top right of the landing page.
- 2. By phone through the Development Office.** Please call: **(416) 934-3411**.
- 3. Through our Parish, making cheques payable to: St. Mary Immaculate– Lebanon Relief Effort – Disaster Relief** and sealed in an envelope clearly marked for **Lebanon Relief**.

The people of Lebanon need our assistance. It is at times like these when we are called to respond in a special way to our Christian mission to love our neighbour.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE (VIRTUAL)

Our Parish is offering virtual marriage preparation course.

Fall session: Wednesday evenings beginning

October 14 – November 18, 2020. If you are planning to marry in the near future and would like to register, contact the Parish office.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS

Available to offer for loved ones for a one week period. Sanctuary lamps are the red votive candles lit beside the tabernacle. To request an intention for the sanctuary lamps, please call the Parish office at 905-884-1784 during office hours.

AUG 24 - 30: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN

+Marlene Santilli

&

+Deceased Members of the Ballon Family

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THEIR CAREGIVERS

If you would like to mention a loved one who is sick or a caregiver caring for a sick loved one that are in need of prayers, please contact the parish office or email office@smirh.com. Names will be removed after the last Sunday of each month unless renewed with the office.

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Julie, Gus, Peter Fernandes, Bernardine Fernandes, Joe Rybka, Maria Petruzzo, Nazzareno Lombardi, Marcus Gibbons, Dante Gibellini, Lucia Gibellini, Michael McGee, Clara Pacitti, Sandi Weinholdt, Emil Atienza, Samantha Pasut, Domenic, Ramesh Sharma

MASS INTENTIONS AUG 24 - 30

Mon. Aug 24	8:00 am	+Margaret & +Charles Nediger
Tues. Aug 25	8:00 am	+Maria Carino
Wed. Aug 26	8:00 am	+All Souls of Deceased Family
Thur. Aug 27	8:00 am	+Frank Kennedy
Fri. Aug 28	8:00 am	+Charles Perrett
Sat. Aug 29	8:30 am	+Members of the Naughton Family +Members of the Paxton Family +Tsai-Chung Li +Giuseppe D'Abruzzo
	5:00 pm	+Luigi Parente
Sun. Aug 30	8:00 am	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	9:30 am	+Benedetto Baccilieri +Donato & +Domenico Ciuffetta
	11:00 am	+Francesco & +Mafalda Faga
	12:30 pm	Thanksgiving for Arnold Gonzaga
	4:30 pm	+Rosa Vettese

Congratulations!

Sacrament of Marriage:

Morgan Maclean & Monique Foch-Ietswaart-Aug 1/20

Jeffrey Woodman & Jennifer Manzone-Aug 15/20

Thomas Mabey & Lisa Marie Tomasone-Aug 22/20

We wish them an abundance of God's graces and the loving care of our Mother Mary!

Sacrament of Baptism:

Scarlett Marques, Carmella Agueci, Christian Mazzone,

Matteo Federico, Jackson Stagno, Evelyn Paradiso,

Alessandra Morea, Violet Maclean, Nicholas Faccia,

Alessia Gallucci, Luca Bonfa, Zachery Bonfa, Valentina

Marinucci, Gabriele Piza-Llerena, Jake Cadrin, Emma

Iannetta and Matteo Elias

We welcome them into the Church! We wish the parents and Godparents of the newly baptized, God's blessing and protection of our Mother Mary!

 <p>Holy Name of Mary College School Catholic School for Girls (Grades 5 - 12) www.hnmcs.ca 905-891-1890 x103</p>	<p>Marco Stancato C.F.P., RIB(ON) Insurance - AUTO, BUSINESS, HOME, LIFE Cel 416-346-2814 Bus 905-237-2905</p>	<p>DR. J. D'SOUZA FAMILY DENTIST New Patients Welcome 324 Hwy. 7 E., Ste 103 (at Bayview) 905-886-6198</p>	
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<p>Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked for many favours. I now ask for a special favour (mention request). Take this favour, dear Jesus, and place it within your broken heart and when your Father sees it through His merciful eyes, it will become Your favour not mine. Please answer my prayers. Say three consecutive days. Trusting in your mercy. Published in gratitude.</p>	<p>Remember... Let our advertisers know you saw their ad here.</p>	<p>Boots Montano ABR, SRES Realtor M. 416.832.1608 boots.montano@remaxhallmark.com T. 905.883.4922 9555 Yonge St., Suite 201 Richmond Hill, ON L4C 9M5</p>	<p>ELGIN WEST SENIORS ASSOCIATION "New Members Welcome" Elgin West Community Centre 11099 Bathurst St Edda 905-884-3960</p>
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