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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 8:00 am Friday 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

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.



I hope you had a good week. Today we have a second collection for the building fund. Let me take this opportunity to thank you all for your ongoing support of our Parish. Thank you for your generosity and your love towards the Church. Because of you, we were able to accomplish many projects. THANK YOU!

May God continue to bless You and your Family. Your Pastor,

Fr. Pawel

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Tuesday, February 5 – Memorial – St. Agatha, Virgin, Martyr. Wednesday, February 6 - Memorial - St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs.

Friday, February 8 - St. Jerome Emiliani, Priest. St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin.

WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE is celebrated in the Church on Saturday, February 2, 2019 and in parishes on the weekend of February 2-3, 2019. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation. All are welcome to come to a special Mass presided by Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick on Sunday, February 3 at 3 pm.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be hosting a complimentary pancake breakfast this Sunday, February 3, 2019.

The Pancake breakfast will be served in the parish hall, after the following Masses: 8:00 am, 9:30 am and 11:00 am. We hope you can join us!

SUPER BOWL PARTY HOSTED BY MENS GROUP & MOTHERS **GROUP** Come and enjoy watching the big game with your fellow parishioners in the parish hall this Sunday, February 3. Doors open at 6pm, kickoff is at 6:30pm. Mothers Group and Mens Group will be providing food and drinks. Donations will be accepted. Sharelife will have a sports-themed silent auction.

BLESSING OF THE THROATS for the feast day of Saint Blaise of Sebaste will take place at the 8:00am Mass on Monday, February 4.

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK-FEBRUARY 11, 2019: For those who are sick, preparing or recovering from surgery, in pain or suffering, afflicted with illness and disease, anointing of the sick will take place at the 8:00 am Mass on Monday, February 11.

2019 PARISH OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: A reminder for those who still have not picked up their envelopes to please pick them up. Envelopes will be removed by the end of February. If you are new to the parish and wish to use envelopes, please drop by the office to pick up a registration form.

FORMED is a multimedia platform created by the Augustine Institute that gives Catholics instant access to all kinds of Catholic content, including videos, movies and books. It is referred to as a Catholic "Netflix". SMI has renewed its subscription for all members of our Parish to enjoy. REGISTER NOW! Go to www.stmary.formed.org (compatible only with google chrome, firefox or edge browsers) and use Parish code DWMDQ7.

"THAT MAN IS YOU" is a men's group that meets every Saturday morning at 7:00 am in the parish hall. We discuss subjects that pertain

to men in the modern world. Come and join us for a session or two and who knows it might be just what you are looking for.

THE GREAT ADVENTURE BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM: Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom, builds on The Bible Timeline and Matthew by showing how Christ's Kingdom on earth is empowered to carry out his work in the world. The book of Acts shows the Church, enlivened by the Holy Spirit, teaching, preaching, healing, and restoring outcasts in the same way that Jesus did on earth. The Acts of the Apostles provides an historic framework for understanding the rest of the New Testament. Paul's letters in particular come alive in a new way when they are read within the context of the Acts narrative. Bible study will begin this Thursday, February 7 at 1:00 pm in the Fr. Kolbe room. To register, contact the Parish office at 905-884-1784 or email office@smirh.com.

THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE of St Mary Immaculate Parish ask all parishioners to please write and send the **Pornography Hurts** Campaign Postcards to the Prime Minister, Minister of Justice, Attorney General of Canada and your Member of Parliament (Majid Jowhari). Please ask our Federal politicians to stop the proliferation of pornography in Canada. Postcards will be distributed after all the weekend Masses. Postcards do not require postage.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be selling tickets for their Valentine's Day Dinner & Dance after all Masses this weekend. The dance is on Saturday, February 16. Tickets are \$45 for adults and \$20 for children 12 & under. The proceeds from this charity event will go to the various charities supported by the Knights of Columbus, which includes the 'Coats for Kids program'.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS WITH CARDINAL

COLLINS: As part of Marriage Sunday 2019 celebrations, Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside at a special Mass to honour couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2019. If you (or a couple you know) are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2019, you are invited to join in this special celebration. The Mass will take place at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 10 at St. Clare of Assisi Parish (150 St. Francis Ave., Woodbridge). A reception will follow Mass. All are welcome to attend - couples celebrating milestone anniversaries are asked to register online or by phone to ensure reserved seating. Registration and other important information can be found at: https://www.archtoronto.org/marriage or by calling 416-934-3400, ext. 523.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION REGISTRANTS will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Confession) in the Church Wednesday, February 13 at 7:00 pm.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE: The next marriage preparation course being offered is February 27/19 - April 10/19. This 7 week course offers practical talk on topics related to marriage. At the end of the course, couples will receive a certificate which is a mandatory requirement of the Archdiocese for couples wishing to marry in the Catholic Church. If you are planning to marry in the near future and would like to register, contact the Parish office.

FREE SEMINAR-CATHOLIC CEMETERIES & FUNERAL SERVICES - ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO:

Has the Winter got you down? How to BEAT the Winter Blues.

Thursday, February 28 - 7 to 8 p.m.

Holy Cross Catholic Funeral Home, 211 Langstaff Road East, Thornhill. This time of year, GRIEF can leave us frozen in our tracks. Join us for a casual evening as we take a closer look at the symbolism of winter and discover greater insight into accepting peace and comfort as we go through this seasonal journey. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome!

CONTACT: Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services-Archdiocese of Toronto. **PHONE:** 416-733-8544 x 2047 **EMAIL:** <u>info@cc-fs.ca</u>

WEBSITE: catholic-cemeteries.com LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY!

Be inspired, encouraged and healed at the largest single day Catholic event in Canada, the 27th annual **Lift Jesus Higher Rally!** The theme of this year's rally is "**Hope In The Midst of Suffering**". **Saturday, March 2nd, 2019, 9:00 am - 5:30 pm** Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W.

- ✓ Inspired talks by Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields and guest speaker Fr. Mark Goring.
- ✓ The adult high mass (with Sunday readings) will be celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins
- \checkmark There will be a separate youth event (13-18 years) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits. Theme is "Storms"
- $\ensuremath{\checkmark}$ The youth mass (with Sunday readings) will be celebrated by Fr. Mark Goring.

For Tickets: \$25 for adults and \$15 for the youth. For additional information, please see our website or kindly contact us at (647) 243-9441, Email: contact@lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca , visit: www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca.

DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH

Calling ALL Girls - Mother Daughter Event Friday, March 22 -7pm to 10:00pm

Location: John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre

4300 Cawthra Road Mississauga, Ontario 416-907-1042

Speakers & Topics:

Dr. Ray Guarendi from EWTN - The Logic of Being Catholic.

Katarzyna Ryba - Straight From the Heart.

Isabella & Natalie Bruno - *Three Tips for a Great Mother Daughter Relationship.*

Dorothy Pilarski - The Truth About Work.

10TH ANNUAL DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE - Opening Mass celebrated by

Cardinal Thomas Collins at St. Maximillian Kolbe Parish in Mississauga at 9:10 am.

Saturday, March 23 – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Location: John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre

4300 Cawthra Road Mississauga, Ontario 416-907-1042

Speakers & Topics:

Dr. Ray Guarendi – from EWTN Laughter: *The Sanity of the Family Life*.

Mary Wagner - Jesus Won My Heart.

Fr. Eric Mah – Lawyer to Priest – The Journey.

Dorothy Pilarski: Motherhood Matters.

Limited Seating!

Register at http://dynamicwomenfaith.com/ Questions? CONTACT: 416-907-1042

AID TO WOMEN SPRING GALA ON APRIL 25TH, 2019

Aid to Women is a Christian based charity that offers supportive options and practical help to pregnant women in crisis, enabling them to choose life for their unborn children. For over 30 years, they have helped thousands of women make a life-affirming decision. You are invited to attend the AID TO WOMEN 30th Anniversary Spring Gala Fundraising Dinner on Thursday, April 25th, 2019 at The Venetian Banquet Hall, 219 Romina Dr., Concord ON. To purchase tickets or for more information, please visit https://www.aidtowomen.ca/events. Thank you in advance for considering assisting our Moms and their babies.

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO</u> Our parish is organizing a pilgrimage to Mexico under the spiritual guidance of Fr. Jimmy Joseph from **May 1 - 7, 2019.** For more information, please contact Stan Ph. 416-444-6666 ext.339.

AVVISI

- 1. Le buste per le offerte del nuovo anno sono disponibili nel atrio della Chiesa.
- 2. Adorazione del SS.mo Sacramento, ogni venerdi dall'1.00 alle 6.45 p.m.
- Se desiderate che un ammalato o altre persone in bisogno di preghiere siano nella lista mensile, vi si prega di lasciare il relativo nome presso l'ufficio parrocchiale o tramite email office@smirh.com

<u>INTENZIONI PER MESSE:</u> La pratica di offrire Messe per i nostri cari in vita o per i nostri defunti e' parte della nostra vita e tradizione Cattolica. Se volete offrire delle Messe per amici e familiari vi preghiamo di venire all'ufficio parrocchiale durante le ore di apertura.

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, Jan Dolezel, Sara, Catarina Clyke, Maria Giancola, Rosa Maria Santos, Marco Cianfarani, Dante Gibellini, Lucia Gibellini

MASS INTENTIONS February 4 - 10		
Mon. Feb 4	8:00 am	+Holy Souls in Purgatory
Tues. Feb 5	8:00 am	+Private Intentions
Wed. Feb 6	8:00 am	+Therese & Philip Vincent
Thur. Feb 7	8:00 am	+Holy Souls in Purgatory
Fri. Feb 8	8:00 am	+Americo Frade
	7:00 pm	+Members of the Naughton Family +Members of the Paxton Family +Vicenzo Spagnol +Daisy Heusel +Teodula Alvarez
Sat. Feb 9	8:30 am	+Members of the Madden & Winton Families +Pasquale Virginillo +Catherine DiTommaso +Mark Merkley
	5:00 pm	+Ester & Riccardo Porro
Sun. Feb 10	8:00 am	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	9:30 am	+Alberto Romano +Teresa Nudo +Pietro Francescutti
	11:00 am	+Stephen Galle
	12:30 pm	+Maria Mannella
	4:30 pm	+Carmela Caia

<u>SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS</u> are 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, come by the Parish office during office hours.

February 4 - 10: The Sanctuary Lamps Burn For: Piacente, Francesco & Ciraco, Marianna



SMI PARISH COUNCIL INVITES YOU TO UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, April 27, 2019 Sunday, June 23, 2019 November 15, 2019 Garage Sale Parish Picnic Dance Gala



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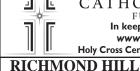
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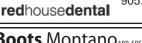
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