# St. Mary Immaculate Parish

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at 9:30 a.m.

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Sunday Masses:

5:00 pm Saturday Sunday 8:00 am

9:30 am (Italian)

11:00 am 12:30 pm 4:30 pm

Lauds: Monday to Friday: 7:30 am

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am

7:00 pm Friday: Saturday: 8:30 am

Confession:

Friday: 6:00 - 6:45 pm Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 pm or by appointment with a priest

**Baptism:** 

2nd & 4th Saturday at 10:00 am Baptismal Class: 2nd Sunday at 2:00 pm

Marriage:

Contact the priest one year in advance

Friday Exposition & Adoration: 1:00 pm to 6:45 pm

Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group: Every Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Italian Prayer Group: Every Wednesday at 7:00 pm

**Moving?** Please contact the Parish Office to update your information.

#### Schools

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SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION Cardinal Thomas Collins has decided to change the elementary school grade for the candidates for Confirmation from grade 8 to grade 7 for the Archdiocese of Toronto. This will take effect September 2015. In order for us to maintain simplicity and to prepare for this double cohort, we will keep our Confirmation celebrations at the same time, that is to say, close to the Solemnity of Pentecost, May 15, 2016. Confirmations will still be done per school with children attending schools outside our church boundary interspersed throughout the dates. More information will be distributed in September / October 2015 to the parents of Gr. 7 and Gr. 8 students.

**DO YOU WISH TO BECOME CATHOLIC OR KNOW SOMEONE ELSE WHO DOES?** Adults interested in becoming Catholics, needing the Sacrament of Confirmation or seeking to deepen 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. Call the office to register.

#### THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

**Wednesday, July 15th, St. Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor** St. Bonaventure was born about the year 1218 in Tuscany, Italy. He was one of the first teachers in the newly founded Franciscan Order. He wrote extensively in the field of philosophy and theology. He died 1274.

Thursday, July 16th, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. Amid the many persecutions raised against the Order of Mount Carmel, newly arrived in Europe, St. Simon Stock, General of the Order, turned with filial confidence to the Blessed Mother of God. As he knelt in prayer on July 16, 1251, She appeared before him and presented him with the well-known brown scapular. It was given as an assurance for all who died wearing it of Her heavenly protection from eternal death. An extraordinary promise indeed, but one requiring a life of prayer and sacrifice. Blessing and Bestowing of the Brown Scapular will take place after the 8:00 am Mass. All are welcome.

July is the Month of the Precious Blood of Jesus!

#### MEMORARE TO OUR LADY OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD

Remember, O Lady of the Precious Blood, the sorrowful sheddings of the Blood of your Jesus and the most bitter tears you mingled with His Redeeming Blood. In the name of the Blood of the Victim of Reparation and of your holy tears; in the name of the seven swords which pierced your heart, by which you became the Mediatrix of all graces for the human race and the Queen of Martyrs, have pity on my soul and on all its miseries; have pity on sinners and on the innocent souls they seek to pervert; have pity on the poor, the sick, the infirm, on all their sufferings, both physical and moral; have pity on the agonizing, especially upon those who, except for your intercession, would leave this world without being purified in the Blood of the Lamb. It is by the Blood of your Dying Son, by His inexpressible Sufferings, by His last plea to His Father in favor of mankind, by His ignominious Death and by the perpetuation of His Sacrifice on Catholic Altars, that I beg you not to reject my supplications, but graciously to hear them. Amen.

**CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD for children** 3-7 yrs old. A **Montessori approach** to learning about our faith. Sessions begin in October. If interested, please call Anita at 905-508-9275.

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT will be from 6-7 p.m. on Fridays during July and August.

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u> that the Church will be locked at 6:00 p.m. on Mondays to Thursday during the months of July and August.

**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS** Please note that during the months of July and August, the office hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

**COINS FOR LIFE FILLED UP BOXES** can be dropped off in the Sacristy after Mass. Thank you for your contribution on behalf of those who have no voice – the unborn. Pease remember to pray for the unborn, and for those who have been affected by abortion. Visit <a href="https://www.coinsforlife.org">www.coinsforlife.org</a> for more information.

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# MARK your CALENDAR

THE PURSUIT OF JOY Walking towards the Freedom We Long for. Young Adults retreat ages 18-35 Men and women on July 17-19 at St. Augustine's Seminary, Scarborough, ON. Retreat includes: Prayer / Confession / times of silence / fellowship / talks by the Sisters of Life. To register, contact Sr. Maria Regina at 416-463-2722 or Toronto@sistersoflife.org Cost: \$175. Deposit of \$75 before July 10<sup>th</sup>.

EGYPT: Solidarity. Hope and Faith Amidst the Chaos DINNER on Tuesday, July 28th at St. George Centre, 9116 Bayview Ave., Richmond Hill (North of 407 and South of 16th Ave). Join Cardinal Thomas Collins and Fr. Henri Boulad, sj for a special fundraising dinner featuring insights and commentary on Egypt, the Near East and religion in today's world. Doors open at 6 p.m. Meals served at 6:45 p.m. Remarks at 7:30 p.m. \$75 per person for a four course meal with \$30 of the ticket price going to Caritas Egypt (tax receipts available). For tickets, please contact6 Daniel at 416-275-2151 or bouladcanada@gmail.com



<u>PILGRIMAGE</u> happening in Sept. 22 – 27<sup>th</sup> <u>is filling up.</u> We have a coach bus with a seating of 56 Pilgrims. Forms for our **Sept. 24-27**<sup>th</sup> **trip** are at the entrances of the Church.

Prices have changed for the new registrants. For info please call Antoinette at 905-884-3179 or Boots at 416-832-1608.

**ORAT OPEN HOUSE:** to celebrate the contributions of all who are involved in the resettlement of refugees, on **Friday, August 28**th from 11 am to 6 pm at the Office for Refugees, Archdiocese of Toronto, 371 Old Kingston Rd., Unit 7, (CIBC Plaza Bldg), Scarborough, ON. Join us for Mass at 11 am celebrated by Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick at St. Joseph's Parish, blessing of our new office, volunteer recognition and learn how to process refugee cases.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES & FUNERAL SERVICES of the ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO wishes to invite all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday, August 12th at 7 p.m. The Celebrant for the Holy Cross Cemeteries is Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick. All Are welcome. In the event of rain, the Mass will be held in the mausoleum.

**COME JOIN THE PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE, SPAIN & PORTUGAL with FR. PAWEL! October 11-22, 2015**for \$2790. To join or for more info, please call Stan at 647-463-9057 or Halina at 647-294-4116.

#### 12 luglio 2015 - 15a del tempo ordinario

"Partirono dunque questi pescatori di pesci, e riportarono la vittoria sui forti, i ricchi e i sapienti. Miracolo grande! Deboli com'erano attraevano senza violenza i forti alle loro dottrine; poveri, istruivano i ricchi; ignoranti, facevano dei sapienti e dei prudenti i loro discepoli. La sapienza del mondo ha ceduto il posto a quella sapienza che è di per sé sapienza delle sapienze (Efrem, *Diatessaron*)."

"Prima della venuta del Signore, il Vangelo deve essere annunziato a tutte le genti. L'attività missionaria non è né più né meno che la manifestazione, cioè l'epifania e la realizzazione, del Piano divino nel mondo e nella storia: con essa Dio, attraverso la missione, attua all'evidenza la storia della salvezza. Essa con la parola e la predicazione, con la celebrazione dei sacramenti, di cui è centro e vertice la Ss.ma Eucaristia, rende presente quel Cristo, che della salvezza è l'autore. Ogni elemento di verità e di grazia presente e riscontrabile, per una nascosta presenza di Dio, in mezzo alle genti, essa lo purifica dalle scorie del male e lo restituisce intatto al suo autore, cioè a Cristo, che rovescia il regno del demonio ed allontana la multiforme malizia del peccato. Perciò ogni elemento di bene presente e riscontrabile nel cuore e nella mente umana, o negli usi e civiltà particolari di popoli, non solo non va perduto, ma viene sanato ed elevato e perfezionato per la gloria di Dio, la confusione del demonio e la felicità dell'uomo. (Dai "Documenti del Concilio Vaticano II", L'attività missionaria, 637-638)."

"Mirabile è l'opera da lui compiuta nel mistero pasquale; egli ci ha fatti passare dalla schiavitù del peccato e della morte alla gloria di proclamarci stirpe eletta, regale sacerdozio, gente santa, popolo di sua conquista, per annunciare al mondo la tua potenza, o Padre, che dalle tenebre ci hai chiamati allo splendore della tua luce" (Prefazio I del Tempo Ordinario).

#### **AVVISI**

- 24-27 settembre: pellegrinaggio a Philadelphia per il Convegno Mondiale delle Famiglie con Papa Francesco. Per informazioni chiamate Antoinette (905-8843179) o Boots (416-832-16 08.)
- L'adorazione eucaristica si terrà ogni venerdì (6-7pm) durante luglio ed agosto.
- 3. La chiesa si chiude alle 6pm da lunedìa giovedì durante luglio ed agosto.
- 4. L'ufficio parrocchiale è aperto 8.30-4 da lunedì a venerdì durante luglio ed agosto.

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	12:00 p.::::	
	4:30 p.m.	Pro Populo
MON.	8:00 a.m.	+ Giuseppe Giusti
TUE.	8:00 a.m.	+Stephen Ahlowalia
WED.	8:00 a.m.	+ Deceased of the Mission &
		Mostyn-Lloyd Families
THURS.	8:00 a.m.	++ Deceased of the Mission
		& Mostyn-Lloyd Families
FRI.	8:00 a.m.	+ Deceased of the Mission &
		Mostyn-Lloyd Families
	7:00 p.m.	In Reparation to the Sacred
		Heart of Jesus
		+Members of the Winton &
		Madden Families
		+Members of the Naughton
		Family
		+Anil Chopra
		Holy Souls in Purgatory
SAT.	8:30 a.m.	In Thanksgiving to the
		Immaculate Heart of Mary
		In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph
		+ Deceased of the Mission &
		Mostyn-Lloyd Families
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PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK: Fr. Kenneth John		
Decker, Fr. McGough, Fr. Tilley, Ursula Addesi, Doris		
Anderson, Eugene Bomba, Matteo Burbano, Patrick		
Burke, Rory Burke, Stephanie Byrne, David Calado, Andy Calado, Victoria Carli, Bruno Cassara, Andrea Cavallin,		
Joe Cinno, Alan & Carol Cook, Manuela Clement, Rosa		
Corvinelli, Caterina De Grano, Paolo D'Elia, Thomas De		
Souza, Harry Dekharmenjan, Francesca Di Domenico,		
Tanya DiPersio, Maria DiZio, Nancy Duncan, Steven		
Fiorini, Frank, Roberto Garcias, Margaret Gardiner,		
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**July 12-18** 

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+Lauren Davis +Domenic Lecce

MASS INTENTIONS

5:0<u>0 p.m.</u>

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

12:30 p.m.

SAT.

SUN.

Weinholdt, Kayla Whelan, Louise, "Prayer is the place of refuge for every worry, a foundation for cheerfulness, a source of constant

Milberg Gibbons, Jessica Gonzales, Godfrey Gosein, Gertiudes Henriques, Andy Heutehaus, Theresa Hogan, Lawrence Howe, Rogelia Infante, Maria Iudiciani, Jolanta Karabowicz, Margaret Kelly, Olivera Lambeta, Ester Lin, Mary Malandrino, Macaria Margate, Chris Markle, Veronica Martin, Rachelle (Joy Ann) Mendoza, George Morgan, Susan, Nino Naccarato, Lydia, Michelle Antoinette Nedvedskaya, Helen & Catherine, Myola Nunes, Rosemary Palmieri, Lisa, Domenico Pileggi, Kaliopi & Eugenia Pandelopoulou, Olga Pasquale, Esther Reyes, Patricia Rybka, Todd Santaguida, Werner & Lucienne Schachatsiek, Claire Schickedanz, Vincenzo Sorbara, Pat Sullivan, Jannette Thompson, Linda Vincent, Therese Vincent, Nora Waldherr, Abigail Walz, Sandra

happiness, a protection against sadness." St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

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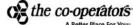
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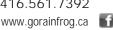


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