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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.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today we celebrate the Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time.

During the month of November, we will continue to pray at all the Masses for our departed Brothers and Sisters.

His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins declared "Stewardship is not some new thing, some new program, something we should do in addition to what we are already doing.

Stewardship is a profound disposition of the heart and mind which transforms everything we do: it is an awareness that each of us has been entrusted with many gifts, and that all will benefit if we fruitfully develop them. "

Next weekend will be our Stewardship weekend. We invite you to share your Time & Talent with our parish community. At all the Masses, after the Homily, you will be asked to fill out our form listing the various ministries in our parish that are in desperate need of volunteers. Please select from the listing where you can assist and use your gifts at St. Mary Immaculate Parish. Think about it over the week and pray to the Holy Spirit for guidance.

Praying for you and your family, Fr. Pawel

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Friday, November 9 – Feast – The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica.

Saturday, November 10 – Memorial – St. Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES During the month of November, we will pray for our dearly departed loved ones at all the Masses. All Souls Day envelopes may be found at the entrances of the Church and in the parish office. You may drop off completed envelopes in the box provided in front of the altar, in the weekly offertory basket or at the parish office.

PARKING ON DUNLOP ST. It is with great pleasure to announce that thanks to the Town of Richmond Hill and Local & Regional Councillor, Vito Spatafora, parking has been extended on the north side of Dunlop St. east of Yonge St. all the way to Pugsley Ave. Parking is permitted from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm on Saturdays and 7:00 am – 7:00 pm on Sundays. Please continue to observe the parking signs as parking elsewhere may result in a parking ticket by the Town.

<u>FORMED</u> REGISTER NOW! Go to <u>www.stmary.formed.org</u> and use Parish code **DWMDQ7**

HOLY LAND CHRISTIAN FAMILIES will be visiting the parish next weekend, **November 10-11** to display the Olive Woods from the Holy Land. Due to religious wars and conflict; that led many Christian families to leave their homes because of job loss. Hand Carving Olive Woods are religious items that are hand made by these Christian families, such as crosses,

nativities, rosaries and statues. This is their only source of income and our mission is to help these families by selling their work to help with food, shelter and a better education, especially during this difficult time. Thank you for your support.

<u>CALLING ALL VENDORS</u> to join our **CWL Annual Tea**, **Poinsettia & Craft Sale** on Saturday, November 24, 2018 between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm. Cost of a Vendor Table is \$35. Register and reserve your table at the Parish Office. Deadline for Registration is **November 10**, **2018**.

MASS WITH CARDINAL COLLINS & ONE DAY CONFERENCE MARKING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF BLESSED POPE PAUL VI'S ENCYCYLICAL LETTER HUMANAE VITAE.

All are welcome to attend a one-day conference marking the 50th anniversary of Blessed Pope Paul VI's encyclical letter Humanae Vitae. Mary Eberstadt, Dr. Maria Wolfs, Steven Mosher and Fr. Raymond de Souza will speak on the prophetic and enduring wisdom of this encyclical. The day begins with Mass with Cardinal Collins at St. Basil's Parish, followed by a full-day conference at the University of St. Michael's College.

Saturday, November 10 - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

9 a.m. - Mass with Cardinal Collins at St. Basil's Parish, 50 St. Joseph St., Toronto

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. – Conference Sam Sorbara Auditorium Brennan Hall, University of St. Michael's College 81 St. Mary St., Toronto. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for students and free for religious and clergy. TICKETS: bit.ly/HumanaeVitaeTO WEBSITE: www.archtoronto.org/hv50 EMAIL: events@archtoronto.org

<u>REMEMBRANCE DAY PARADE – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER</u>

11 10:00 am - 12:30 pm starting at Wright Street, travelling south along Yonge Street to the McConaghy Centre. A portion of Yonge Street from south of Crosby Ave to North of Major Mackenzie Dr. will be closed. Please keep in mind that this closure will affect your drive and parking at some of our Sunday Masses.

CWL GENERAL MEETING will be held **Tuesday**, **November 13**, **2018** beginning with the Holy Rosary at 7:00 pm. Members are encouraged to attend, and we welcome all ladies interested in learning more about CWL Membership.

CHRISTIANS IN THE MIDDLE EAST 2018 BENEFIT DINNER-SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2018

This annual event raises money for projects throughout the Middle East-the majority of which are undertaken and managed by our Eastern Catholic Churches. This year Cardinal Collins will be in attendance with Bishop Bawai Soro, Chaldean Eparch in Toronto, being the keynote speaker. See the posters for more information or contact cmedinner@gmail.com or 416-275-2151.

FAMILY AT THE HEART OF SERVICE Cardinal Thomas Collins is pleased to invite families from across the diocese to our first archdiocesan gathering of families. Our family-friendly day will include inspirational talks from Cardinal Collins and families, prayer, praise and worship, and hands-on service activities. Grandparents, parents and children of all ages are welcome.

Saturday, November 17, 2018

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Our Lady Queen of Poland Church 625 Middlefield Road, Scarborough, M1V 5B8

There is no cost to attend, however registration is required. Registration closes on November 11 or when we have reached the maximum number of registrations. For more information or to register, visit: http://bit.ly/familyserviceTO or call 416- 934-3400 ext. 523. We encourage families in our parish to participate in this special day.

NEW BEGINNINGS PRESENTS:

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This unique seminar integrates the teachings of Pope Francis, the inspiration of Holy Scripture and the spirituality of St. Francis of Assisi. Guest Speaker: Br. Ignatius Feaver, Capuchin Friar and Spiritual Director.Light refreshments will be served following the seminar. Location: St. Augustine of Canterbury,80 Shoreham Drive North York, ON M3N 1S9.

Date & Time: **November 17, 2018 @ 10:00 am Register @** https://wfwm.eventbrite.ca or call Arcangelo Limanni

(416) 587-7687

MARIANN HOME CHRISTMAS BAZAAR - SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH, 2018

Location: 9915 YONGE STREET (1 Block south of Major

Mackenzie) Time: 10A.M. - 2P.M.

Come one, Come all, to our CHRISTMAS BAZAAR.

Lots of CRAFT items, our Popular BAKED-GOODs items, TREASURE items, lovely TEA ROOM & RAFFLE TICKETS! ALL PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT RESIDENT ACTIVITIES AT MARIANN HOME.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO Our parish is organizing a pilgrimage to Mexico under the spiritual guidance of Fr. Jimmy Joseph from May 1 - 7, 2019. There will be an information meeting in the parish hall Nov. 22, 2018 at 7:00 pm. If you have any questions please call Stan Ph. 416-444-6666 x.339. Hearty welcome to join the Pilgrimage.

<u>ALTAR SERVERS & SACRISTANS</u> For those interested in serving as altar servers or sacristans, we will be holding training sessions for all existing and new members on

Saturday, November 24th at 9:30 am for adults, Sunday, November 25th after the 12:30 pm Mass for children. Boys and girls are invited.

4 novembre 2018 - 31a del tempo ordinario

Dio fece l'uomo a immagine e somiglianza sua (Gen 1,26). Tutte le virtù che seminò in noi nella nostra condizione primitiva, ci ha poi insegnato, con i suoi precetti, a restituirgliele. Questa è la prima: Amare il nostro Dio con tutto il cuore perché lui ci ha amati per primo (1 Gv 4,10), dal principio, prima ancora che fossimo. L'amore di Dio è la rinnovazione della sua immagine. Restituiamo perciò a Dio nostro Padre la sua immagine inviolata nella santità, perché lui è santo (Siate santi, perché io sono santo: Lv 11,44; 1 Pt 11,16), inviolata nella carità perché lui è amore (Dio è amore: 1 Gv 4,8), inviolata nella pietà e nella verità, perché lui è pio e verace. Evitiamo di farci un'immagine diversa da quella di Dio: infatti, sarebbe a immagine di un tiranno chi fosse superbo, iracondo, feroce. Dunque, affinché non ci diamo delle immagini di tiranni, dipinga in noi Cristo la sua immagine (Colombano Abate, Praecepta).

Solo il servizio al prossimo apre i miei occhi su quello che Dio fa per me e su come Egli mi ama. I santi pensiamo ad esempio alla beata Teresa di Calcutta hanno attinto la loro capacità di amare il prossimo, in modo sempre nuovo, dal loro incontro col Signore eucaristico e, reciprocamente questo incontro ha acquisito il suo realismo e la sua profondità proprio nel loro servizio agli altri. Amore di Dio e amore del prossimo sono inseparabili, sono un unico comandamento. Entrambi però vivono dell'amore preveniente di Dio che ci ha amati per primo. Così non si tratta più di un comandamento dall'esterno che ci impone l'impossibile, bensì di un'esperienza dell'amore donata dall'interno, un amore che, per sua natura, deve essere ulteriormente partecipato ad altri. L'amore cresce attraverso l'amore. L'amore è divino perché

viene da Dio e ci unisce a Dio e, mediante questo processo unificante, ci trasforma in un Noi che supera le nostre divisioni e ci fa diventare una cosa sola, fino a che, alla fine, Dio sia tutto in tutti (*1 Cor* 15, 28) (Benedetto XVI, *Deus caritas est*, 42).

AVVISI

- Adorazione del SS.mo Sacramento, ogni venerdi dall'1.00 alle 6.45 p.m.
- Buste per l'occasione sono a disposizione per coloro che volessero richiedere preghiere per i loro defunti durante il mese di novembre.
- 3. La S. Vincenzo de Paoli vi ringrazia per il vostro contributo alla recente colletta per i poveri della parrocchia.
- 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

INTENZIONI PER MESSE: 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

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, Rita McLennan

MASS INTENTIONS November 5 - 11		
Mon. Nov 5	8:00 am	+Virginia Lozano
Tues. Nov 6	8:00 am	+Fabiana Compostella
Wed. Nov 7	8:00 am	+Natalina DeLuca & Family members
Thur. Nov 8	8:00 am	+Americo Frade
Fri. Nov 9	8:00 am	+Dino, Velia & Tarcisio
	7:00 pm	+Deceased members of the Myers &
		Donnelly Families
		+Elia Battaglini-Morrone
		+Silvano Bortolussi
		Thanksgiving to St. Jude
		Spec. Int. for Francesco Faga
		+Eudosia Schiavone
		+Eva Ertl
		+Olga Campos
Sat. Nov 10	8:30 am	Thanksgiving for Jossette Desamparado
	5:00 pm	+Vincenzo Buffone & Benito
		Chiaravalloti
Sun. Nov 11	8:00 am	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	9:30 am	+Mario Catenaro
		+Carlo Carusi
		+Deceased members of Battaglia
		Family
		+Maria & Vincenzo Loberto
		+Cooper Riswick
	12:30 pm	+Tommaso DiZio
	4:30 pm	+Assunta Merenda

<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.



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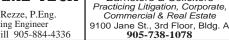
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