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## **PARISH SCHOOLS**

St. Anne	905-883-0311
St. Mary Immaculate	905-884-5381
Corpus Christi	905-770-8713
St. Charles Garnier	905-884-0223
Fr. Henri Nouwen	905-884-8086
St. Theresa of Lisieux HS	905-787-1407

## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Friday from 8:30 am – 4:30 pm.  
Closed daily 12:00 – 1:00 pm for lunch.

## **MASS TIMES**

Monday – Friday	8:00 am
First Friday of the Month	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**

Saturday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
and any time upon request

## **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Friday 8:30 am – 9:30 am

## **DEVOTIONS**

Rosary - After morning Mass  
Divine Mercy Chaplet - Friday at 3:00 pm  
Sacred Heart - Friday 7:50 am  
(10 mins before Mass)  
Perpetual Help - Saturday 8:20 am  
(10 mins before Mass)  
Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group –  
Last Wednesday of the month 5:30 -6:30 pm

## **BAPTISM**

Contact the Parish office to register.

## **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.

**Please remember St. Mary Immaculate Parish in your will. Thank you!**

FROM THE  
PASTOR'S DESK

Beloved Parishioners,

This Friday is Remembrance Day, we pray to our heavenly Father as we remember those whom He has gathered from the storm of war into the peace of His presence. May that same peace calm our fears, bring justice to all peoples and establish harmony among the nations.

We continue to pray during the month of November at all the Masses for our departed Brothers and Sisters.

I invite you to join us this Friday for our Social Wine & Cheese and Book Sale event. It's a great opportunity to spend time with fellow parishioners. Hope to see you there.

In Christ,  
Fr. Pawel

**THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK**

<b>Wed. Nov 9</b>	Feast	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
<b>Thurs. Nov 10</b>	Memorial	St. Leo The Great, Pope, Doctor
<b>Fri. Nov 11</b>	Memorial	St. Martin of Tours, Bishop Remembrance Day
<b>Sat. Nov 12</b>	Memorial	St. Josaphat, Bishop, Martyr

**READINGS THIS WEEK**

6 2 Maccabees 7.1-2, 7, 9-14 ++: 2 Thessalonians 2.16 – 3.5:

Luke 20.27-38 (longer) or 20.27, 34-38 (shorter)

7 Titus 1.1-9: Luke 17.1-6

8 Titus 2.1-8, 11-14: Luke 17.7-10

9 Ezekiel 47.1-2, 8-9, 12 or 1 Corinthians 3.9b-11, 16-17: John 2.13-22

10 Philemon 7-20: Luke 17.20-25

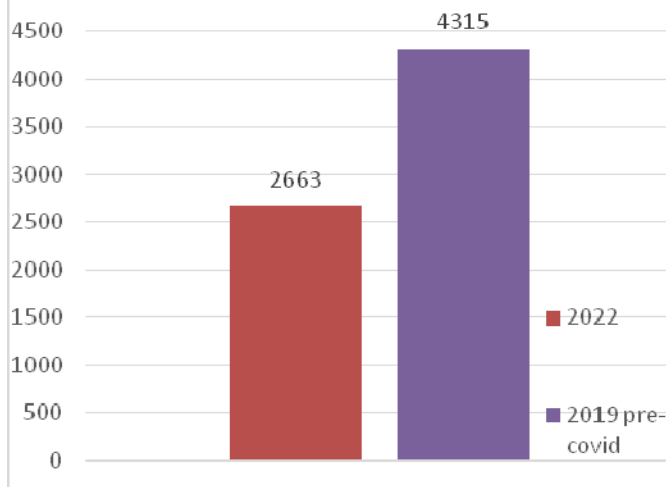
11 2 John 4-9: Luke 17.26-37

12 3 John 5-8: Luke 18.1-8

**SHEPHERDS' TRUST COLLECTION**

The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to raise awareness and funds so the elderly priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. The fund supports the needs of retired clergy in the Archdiocese of Toronto who have served for many years. Through our support of The Shepherds' Trust, the retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years. For more information about The Shepherds' Trust please go to: [www.shepherdstrust.org](http://www.shepherdstrust.org). **The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese next weekend, November 12/13. Envelopes are available at all the entrances to the Church.** This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it is a tangible way to care for those who always cared for us and give thanks for the blessings we have received through them. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

St. Mary Immaculate Parish  
Mass attendance comparison to pre-covid  
attendance

**CATHOLIC BY CHOICE PROGRAM**

"Are you a cradle Catholic? Are you a convert or a revert? Whether we are born, become or return to Catholicism, our faith always involves an element of *choice*. In every place and at all times, the Church encourages us to *live* out the Catholic faith. Perhaps we struggle to *love* the faith because, we realize that first, we need to *learn* more about the faith? You might be asking "where *can* I get answers that are clear, congruent and compelling?" In further supporting the community, through educational endeavours, we are pleased to present **Catholic by Choice**. This 4-week seminar series presents, the case for; God, for Christ, for the Church and for the Bible. By exploring what the Church teaches, you can better explain why YOU, choose to be Catholic."

**Thursdays, 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm in the Parish Hall**

**Presented by: Arcangelo Limanni, MRE**

**November 3: The case for God**

**November 10: The case for Christ**

**November 17: The case for the Church**

**November 24: The case for the Bible**

**Register at: <https://cbc11.eventbrite.ca>**

**ROSARY APOSTOLATE**

The Rosary Apostolate group will be praying the rosary on **Wednesday, November 9 from 9:30 am – 11:30 am** in the Fr. Kolbe room. For further information contact [laura.rizzi@rogers.com](mailto:laura.rizzi@rogers.com) or call 905-737-6457.

**LECTORS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS MEETING & TRAINING – THIS THURSDAY**

All weekday and weekend lectors and Eucharistic Ministers are requested to attend a **mandatory** training session.

**Thursday, November 10, in the Church**

**6:30 pm for lectors**

**7:00 pm for Eucharistic Ministers**

Join Us this **Friday, November 11** for our  
**SMI Social Wine & Cheese And Book Sale**  
**7:00 pm – 9:00 pm in the Parish hall**  
**Free will donations accepted**  
**and books available at great low prices.**

All proceeds will go towards the renovations of the Parish hall,  
kitchen & elevator.

### BUNDLE-UP WEEKEND

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be collecting gently used clothing, shoes, linens and household goods to support our neighbours in need and our residential programs the weekend of **November 19/20**. We collect clothing, shoes, linen and small household goods. Please bring your donation and help others in your community. Please be aware, **NO BABY OR REGULAR FURNITURE, NO MATTRESSES, NO BOOKS, NO DISHES, NO APPLIANCES AND NO ELECTRONICS will be accepted.**

The container will be in the parking lot and will be open all day Saturday and all day Sunday. When placing your donation in the container please try to stack all items as far back as possible so that we can use all the container space. Thank you for your support.

### COME & SEE - WEEKEND RETREAT – NOVEMBER 18 TO 20 AT ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Retreat for men 18 years and older at St. Augustine's Seminary on **Friday, November 18 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 20 (2 p.m.)**. This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. parish build Registration must be done online at [www.vocationstontoronto.ca/comesee](http://www.vocationstontoronto.ca/comesee). For more information, please email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).

### FREE WEBINAR!!!

#### ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2022 AT 9:00 AM

Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation. The Archdiocese of Toronto estate planning team & Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral.

To register, send an email to:

[development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org) Please include 'webinar November 19th' in the subject line and provide your name in the body of a message. Also, we would be grateful if, for the sake of our statistics, you could let us know whether you are planning to watch this webinar alone or together with a family member. You will receive a link a couple of days before the webinar.

### CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Nico Andrey Di Francesco, Marco Di Francesco, Emma Oi Yin Hung, Hana Oi Yin Hung & Raya Oi Yin Hung  
We welcome you into the Church! We wish the Parents and Godparents of the newly baptized, God's blessing and protection of our Mother Mary!

### CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Melissa Di Bello & Paul Anthony Conti

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

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS

+Pearl Tam & +Costanzo Cefaratti

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

### 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.

#### NOV 7 - 13: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN FOR:

+Anna & Franco DiMatteo

&

Spec. Int. for the healing of Gilda Capone

### 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 call the parish office at 905-884-1784 or email at [stmaryimmaculateri@archtoronto.org](mailto:stmaryimmaculateri@archtoronto.org).

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Clara Pacitti, Monica Cozzolino, Robert Harvey

### MASS INTENTIONS NOV 7 – NOV 13

<b>Mon. Nov 7</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	Spec. Int. for Sophie Bicanic
<b>Tues. Nov 8</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Americo Rodrigues Frade
<b>Wed. Nov 9</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Lucy Bucci
<b>Thurs. Nov 10</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Antonieta Balli
<b>Fri. Nov 11</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Tomaso Di Zio
<b>Sat. Nov 12</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	+John & +Lucy D'Souza +Rita Nazareth +Ann Joseph +Joseph Andrade +Durga Raol +Prabhakar & +Rajani Wadadekar
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	+Tiberio Simoes
<b>Sun. Nov 13</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Raniero & +Angelo Grossi
	<b>9:30 am</b>	+Filomena Santopolo +Giuseppe Giusti +Secondo, +Angela & +Ines Garofani +Giovanni & +Concetta Volpe +Nicola Cifelli +Angela Cifelli +Giovanni D'Addario +Vincenza D'Addario Maddona Dei Miracoli
	<b>11:00 am</b>	+Assunta & +Mario Mazzotta +Maria & +Pietro Angiolella +Pearl Tam +Sabato Cogliano +Johnson & +Tagumpay Go +Nelson Co
	<b>12:30 pm</b>	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	<b>4:30 pm</b>	+Ingertroud Albert





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