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Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am

9:30 am (Italian)

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

Lauds: Monday to Friday: 7:30 am

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am

Friday: 7:00 pm 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

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

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October is the Month of the Holy Rosary!

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Wednesday., Oct. 28th, St. Simon and St. Jude, Apostles. Simon is called "the Zealot" (Luke 6:15) and Jude is called the son of James. Their names occur on the 10th and 11th place in the New Testament list of Apostles.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES Owing to the many requests made for the Masses for the dead, please note that during the whole month of November, Masses will be offered for the deceased relatives and friends of the parishioners of St. Mary Immaculate, most especially those listed in the All Souls envelopes. All Souls Day envelopes may be dropped off at the offertory during Mass and at the parish office.

OUR LORD WAITS FOR YOUR VISIT. FRIDAY ADORATION HOURS: 1:00 – 6:50 p.m. We need more Eucharistic adorers. No dues, no meetings. Just a silent hour with Our Lord.

PROJECT HOPE In response to this global humanitarian crisis, Cardinal Thomas Collins has announced today the launch of "Project Hope," a special emergency appeal to respond to the tragic situation. The 100-day campaign will have a target of \$3 million and a goal of settling 100 refugee families within the Greater Toronto Area as soon as possible. The effort will also require 100 volunteer committees to assist with settlement services. The archdiocese will prioritize refugees fleeing war and violence in areas of greatest need, including Syria and Iraq, regardless of religious affiliation. We continue to pray for all those suffering, mindful of our call to welcome the stranger in our midst. Those interested in assisting with volunteer committees should contact the Office for Refugees at (647) 780-0827 Those wishing to support the campaign financially can do so through our church, making cheques payable to - SMI - Project Hope - Refugee Sponsorship.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR CHILDREN IN GRADES 1 - 6 is still open. We are welcoming more students. Come downstairs to the church hall at 8:45 a.m. on Sunday and we will answer any questions that you have. You can also contact Elizabeth Follows at 416-577-9521 or smirhsundayschool@gmail.com.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION If your **Gr. 7 and/or Gr. 8** child goes to a public or private school or a Catholic school outside our parish boundary, and you would like your child to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at our parish, please call the parish office to register your child.

THE TWO HEARTS ROSARY PRAYER GROUP prays the 4 mysteries on Wednesdays @ 5:30p.m. in the church. Everyone welcome,



CWL RELIGIOUS STORE & FR. PAWEL'S BOOK CLUB will be open after all Masses **this weekend**.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE-UP WEEKEND COLLECTION on Oct 24/25. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will hold their customary Bundle Up Collection next weekend. Bring your gently used clothing and household linens on that weekend to share with others. A SVDP truck is in the Church parking lot to receive donations. The Society will donate or sell these donations to support their outreach efforts. Thank you for your support.

SMI YOUTH GROUP will meet on Sunday, November 1st after the 4:30 p.m. Mass. All youth are invited to attend.

COME JOIN THE PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND & ITALY with FR. OMAR! May 23 – June 4, 2016 To join or for more info, please call Stan at 647-463-9057 or Halina at 647-294-4116.

33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY is a 6-week group retreat program in preparation for Consecration to Jesus through Mary. Join us in the Parish Hall from 7-8:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 3 and Mondays on Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30. If you need the book, please call the parish office to order. Consecration: Dec. 8th at the 7 p.m. Mass.

SYMBOLON: THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED is a vibrant, relevant and complete programme to reevangelize and reinvigorate our parish. Our 2nd of our 9-part sessions in our parish hall on **Wednesday, Nov. 11th from 7-8 p.m.** The rest of the sessions will be on Dec. 2, January 3, February 24, March 9, April 13, May 4, and June 8. **All are welcome!**

FREE MOVIE NIGHT The Knights of Columbus are inviting all parishioners for a free viewing of "The Book of Daniel" on Sat., Nov. 5th at 7 p.m. in the parish hall. Bring the whole family and learn more about the Bible.

COUPLES FOR CHRIST FOUNDATION FOR FAMILY AND LIFE (CFCFFL) & KIDS FOR LIFE (KFL) PRESENTS ALL SAINTS DRESS UP FUN DAY ON OCT. 31ST FROM 12:30 - 4:00 PM IN THE CHURCH HALL. We invite all children from the parish to celebrate All Saints Day with us by wearing costumes depicting their most admired saint. This becomes a good avenue to open up the eyes of our young ones about saints they have not known until today or if they did to ponder upon them and actually consider the admirable qualities these saints possess with the help of their parents. Expect a half day's worth of fun, learnings and more fun for the children to experience and meet new friends while celebrating the Saints. We'll appreciate if parents could bring some "treats" for the children. We also invite the parents to stay & witness the Walk for Sainthood procession that the children will be marching before the event & then proceed to the Meeting room to listen to 2 short talks:

- Parenting is HEART Work: Advocating for Children with Special Needs (45 min.)
- RRSP2 "- Read, Rhyme, Sing, Play & Pray (45 min.)

ANGELS & DEMONS On Saturday, October 31st, join Exorcist Fr. Gary Thomas (the priest who the movie "The Rite" was based on), and a specialist in Demonology and the Occult, Wilson Orihuela from Vericast at the Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto (Don Mills & Eglinton) from 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. You are invited to join us in what is going to be another amazing day filled with prayer, faith and fellowship. On a day that is traditionally known for demons and the occult we will take back All Hallows Eve for Christ. You will learn about angels, demons, the occult/ new age, how to protect yourselves against the snares of the Devil with the spiritual arsenal at our disposal and the saving power of God and His Mercy. Parking is FREE on site (first come first served). Lunch is available for \$6. Register before the event at 1-888-522-2070 or info@serviamministries.com

THE LOVE OF CHRIST URGES US ON to radically respond to His call to follow Him whole-heartedly **on November 6-8 at the St. Augustine's Seminary.** This is an opportunity for young men of 18 years & older to spend a weekend with time for time of prayer, reflection, and info on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic priesthood.

ST. ANDRE BESSETTE 1ST ANNUAL "BUILDING A VISION" GALA DINNER BANQUET will be held on Friday, November 13th at the Fontana Primavera Event Centre in Woodbridge. Cocktails will be served at 6:30 p.m. - Open Bar and Antipasto Bar - with a 5-Course dinner being served at 7:30 p.m. There will be door prizes, a raffle, and a Silent and Live Auction. All monies collected will go directly toward St. Andre's building fund, which thanks to supporters such as yourself, is growing at a steady pace, bringing them closer to having their Church built. For tickets or for more information, please call 289-553-1610.

CWL ANNUAL TEA, POINSETTIA & CRAFT SALE The Catholic Women's League will be holding its Annual Tea, Poinsettia and Craft Sale in the Parish Hall on Saturday, November 21, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. This is for the benefit of our Outreach Ministry and for the future renovation of our Parish Hall Kitchen. We invite Vendors to secure their table for their hand-made/homemade products such as paintings, crocheted and knitted items, religious articles, quilts, jewelry and accessories, baked goods, preserved items, candles, and cards. Please contact Grace Stewart for information or to book a table at 905.884.7871 or gracestewart45@gmail.com.

CELEBRATE YOUR MARRIAGE WITH A WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND! Married couples: You deserve a weekend to cherish being together; to rediscover each other and focus on ways to make your relationship even better on Nov. 20-22. For info and application, visit www.wwme.org or contact: Gerard & Marge at gerard.marge@rogers.com or (905) 792-1925

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Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in Nov. 2015 and supports the bulletin service. Please support our bulletin & advertise your product or service. Call 1-800-268-2637 for more information.

AVVISO

- Durante il mese di ottobre, da lunedì a venerdì, si recita il Santo Rosario in chiesa alle 9am.
- Ogni venerdì, adorazione del Ss.mo Sacramento, 1.00-6.50pm Vi si prega di iscrivervi sui foglietti all'entrata della chiesa. Si ricorda agli adoratori che il Santissimo non dovrebbe essere lasciato solo durante l'adorazione.

CREATING A CLIMATE OF CHANGE In December, world leaders will be meeting in Paris at the United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP21) to negotiate a binding and universal agreement on the world's climate. Countries like Canada will need to transition to renewable energies, and move away from fossil fuels. Responding to the call of our Cardinal, please take a moment to sign Development and Peace's Action Card today which will be sent to the Prime Minister asking him to sign on to an agreement at COP21 that sets the target to keep the rise in temperature below 2°C and to be a leader in achieving that target. If you've missed the parish campaign you can sign the card https://www.devp.org/en/education/fall2015/action

THINKING ABOUT SEPARATION OR DIVORCE? Is your marriage or someone you know heading for divorce? Retrouvaille, a Catholic based programme, is a program highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For confidential information about or to register for the live-in weekend and Post sessions, call 416-281-6007 or visit the web site at www.torontoretrouvaille.com

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK: Fr. Kenneth John Decker, Fr. McGough, Ursula Addesi, Doris Anderson, Eugene Bomba, Severino Bucci, 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, Nicholas Di Cearare, Francesca Di Domenico, Tanya DiPersio, Maria DiZio, Nancy Duncan, Steven Fiorini, Frank, Gail Frey, Roberto Garcias, Margaret Gardiner, Jessica Gonzales, Godfrey Gosein, Gertiudes Henriques, Andy Heutehaus, Theresa Hogan, Lawrence Howe, Rogelia Infante, Maria Iudiciani, Jolanta Karabowicz, Margaret Kelly, Olivera Lambeta, Ester Lin, Gabriella Ludwinski, 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, Esther Reyes, Patricia Rybka, Todd Santaguida, Mike Sartor, Werner & Lucienne Schachatsiek, Claire Schickedanz, Vincenzo Sorbara, Pat Sullivan, Jannette Thompson, Linda Vincent, Therese Vincent, Nora Waldherr, Abigail Walz, Sandra Weinholdt, Kayla Whelan, Louise.

MASS INTENTIONS Oct. 25 - 31		
SAT.	5:00 p.m.	+Holy Souls in Purgatory
SUN.	9:30 a.m.	+Nazzareno Cristini
		+Benedetto Baccilieri
		+Walter Gargaro
		+Catarina Carrocia
		+Gina Polsinelli
		+Luisa Iafrate
		+Domenico e Pasqualina
		D'Agostini
		+Domenico e Maria Di Pede
		+Assunta compagnone
		+Marcello Frasca
	44.00	Le anime del purgatorio
	11:00 a.m.	+Kenneth Stewart
	40.00	+Honorata & Jan Nadgorski
	12:30 p.m.	+Edilberto Bustos
	4:30 p.m.	+Maria Vettese
MON.	8:00 a.m.	+Michael Bucci
TUE.	8:00 a.m.	Dec. of the Compagnone &
		Lombardi Families
WED.	8:00 a.m.	+Deceased of the DeLuca &
		Piccolo Families
THURS.	8:00	+Luciano & Natalina Piccolo
a.m.		& dec. family members
FRI.	8:00 a.m.	+Donato & Teresa Tarquini
	7:00 p.m.	In Reparation to the Sacred
		Heart of Jesus
		+Francesca e Sante Perruzza
		+Liliana Creatura
		+Lucia Tomasone
		+Dec. of the Battaglia Family
		+Luigi & Assunta Rinaldo
		+Albino Rinaldo
		+Paxton Family Members
	0.00	+Holy Souls in Purgatory
SAT.	8:30 a.m.	In Reparation to the
		Immaculate Heart of Mary
		+Deceased Members of the
		Legion of Mary
		+Domenico & Rosaria
		Capacchione & Deceased

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alive or through length of time, are forgotten by all. Spare them, O Lord, and remember Your own when others forget to appeal to Your mercy. Let not the souls You have created be parted from You, their Creator. Amen.

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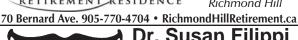
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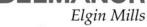


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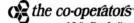
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