



# ST. MARY IMMACULATE PARISH EST. 1857

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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

Friday 8:00 am

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

Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group - Every

Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 pm

## **BAPTISM**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday during 12:30 pm Mass

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 2:00 pm

Baptismal Class: 1<sup>st</sup> 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.



Beloved Brothers and Sisters,

I hope you are enjoying such a beautiful time of the year.

Today, His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins instituted Stewardship Sunday. It is a great moment to realize how blessed and fortunate we are because of the generosity of our God. It's also a good opportunity to ask ourselves how we share our gifts, especially time and talent, with the Lord and one another.

Praying for you all. Be safe and healthy.

In Christ,

Fr. Pawel

**Thank you for your ongoing financial support during these hard times.**

### Ways to Support your Parish

- **At Mass** in the offertory basket after Mass at the exit door.
- **Drop off** your regular weekly offertory contribution envelopes through the mail box slot of the parish office door.
- **By mail to** St. Mary Immaculate Parish  
10295 Yonge St.  
Richmond Hill, Ontario  
L4C 3B9
- **Electronic online.** Visit our website [www.smirh.com](http://www.smirh.com) for more information.

### STAY IN TOUCH WITH OUR PARISH

**By phone** at 905-884-1784. Nadia, our Parish secretary, is working partially at the office and remotely and will answer your call during the office hours. After hours, please leave a message and we will contact you as soon as possible.

**By email** at [office@smirh.com](mailto:office@smirh.com).

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### THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

<b>Mon. Sep 21</b>	Feast	St. Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist
<b>Wed. Sep 23</b>	Memorial	St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest
<b>Thurs. Sep 24</b>	Memorial	Blessed Emilie Tavernier-Gamelin, Religious
<b>Fri. Sep 25</b>	Memorial	Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs
<b>Sat. Sep 26</b>	Feast	St. Jean de Brebeuf and St. Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs

### READINGS THIS WEEK

- 20 Isaiah 55.6-9 Philippians 1.20-24, 27 Matthew 20.1-16  
 21 Ephesians 4.1-7, 11-13 Matthew 9.9-13  
 22 Proverbs 21.1-6, 10-13 Luke 8.19-21  
 23 Proverbs 30.5-9 Luke 9.1-6  
 24 Ecclesiastes 1.2-11 Luke 9.7-9  
 25 Ecclesiastes 3.1-11 Luke 9.18-22  
 26 Revelation 7.9-17 2 Corinthians 4.7-15 Luke 9.23-26 or John 12.24-26

### CARDINAL COLLINS' HOMILY ON THE ARCHDIOCESE'S FIRST STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY- SEPTEMBER 20, 2020

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, has announced the institution of Stewardship Sunday across the Archdiocese on the 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time. The first Stewardship Sunday takes place this **Sunday, September 20, 2020**. To mark the occasion, Cardinal Collins, authored a homily on stewardship which is available in a video format on our website at [www.smirh.com](http://www.smirh.com).



September 20, 2020

**ShareLife agencies need your support during Covid-19**

Vita Centre is ShareLife-funded agency that provides practical support, education and counselling for pregnant and parenting young women in Peel Region. "In a post-Covid environment, the biggest challenge that we will face is ensuring we have an adequate amount of funding to continue our programs," says Tanya Pereira, Executive Director of Vita Centre. With your support, Vita Centre can continue to ensure young mothers and their babies benefit from a healthy start.

**October 11 is ShareLife Sunday  
Thank you for your support!**

### SECOND COLLECTIONS – FALL 2020

There are several second collections that are taking place, in addition to regular parish collections. The schedule is as follows:

- Needs of the Church in Canada—weekend of **September 26-27, 2020**
  - Pope's Pastoral Works—weekend of **October 3-4, 2020**
  - World Mission Sunday—weekend of **October 17-18, 2020**
  - The Shepherds' Trust—weekend of **November 14-15, 2020**
- All offerings may be placed in the offertory basket with regular weekly offerings after the Mass or drop off through the mail box slot of the parish office door, by mail or electronically online. Thank you for your support.

**Thank you to all our volunteers for doing such a fantastic job in welcoming back our Parishioners and for making them feel safe while at Mass.  
We could not have done it without you!**

### WEEKLY REGISTRATION FOR WEEKEND MASSES

We are happy to announce that we will be extending the number of parishioners that will be able to participate in Sunday Mass by opening up the Parish hall. Please share this message with your family and friends. Registration begins every Monday after 8:30 am and ends Friday at noon. Make sure to register or contact the parish office during these times. Parishioners are reminded to check your temperature before coming to Church and to keep a self-log of when you come to Church. If you display any of the symptoms associated with COVID-19, please stay home and contact your healthcare provider. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

## **2021 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION**

Updates and details are forthcoming in the next few weeks regarding the registration process for next year's 2021 First Holy Communion and Confirmation. We will communicate with parents through our schools, our bulletin and website at [www.smirh.com](http://www.smirh.com).

## **CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**

The Archdiocese of Toronto in consultation with members of the Episcopal Board, have decided that we may resume with the celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Detailed dates and times in October will be emailed to the families in the next few weeks.

## **RCIA PROGRAM (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)**

Have you or any friend or family member considered becoming Catholic? Are you an adult who has not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation? If you are interested in learning more about our RCIA program (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), we invite you to call our Parish office. Our program will begin **September 22, 2020**.

## **BIBLE STUDY (VIRTUAL)**

### **BOOK OF REVELATION: THE KINGDOM YET TO COME**

In *Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come*, presenter Jeff Cavins pulls back the veil on the rich symbolism present in Revelation. Discover what the mysterious figures and images of Revelation mean and see how Revelation is more than an apocalyptic vision of the "end times." Explore the Church's teaching on the second coming of Christ and the Last Judgment. Understand how God, the Divine Bridegroom, and the Church, his spotless bride, enter into a heavenly, holy, and mystical marriage every time we celebrate Mass. Study will begin virtually through zoom on **Thursday, September 24 from 1:00 – 3:30 pm**. Registration is required. Please contact the Parish office.

## **SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM (VIRTUAL)** **SEPTEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 13**

For children in grades 1 through 6 in public, private and catholic schools interested in learning or expanding their Catholic faith. The program will take place virtually Sunday mornings, between 9:00 am to 9:45 am using Google Meets. There is no registration fee however, registration is required. Visit our website at [www.smirh.com](http://www.smirh.com) to register or contact the Parish office at [office@smirh.com](mailto:office@smirh.com) or [smirhsundayschool@gmail.com](mailto:smirhsundayschool@gmail.com).

## **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD PROGRAM (VIRTUAL)** **SEPTEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 13**

Children's Liturgy of the Word is a program in which the Sunday scripture readings and Gospel are proclaimed and explained to children, at an age-appropriate level, from grades K through 6. The program will take place virtually Sunday mornings, between 10:00 am and 10:15 am using Google Meets. There is no registration fee however, registration is required. Visit our website at [www.smirh.com](http://www.smirh.com) to register or contact the Parish office at [office@smirh.com](mailto:office@smirh.com) or [smirhchildrenliturgy@gmail.com](mailto:smirhchildrenliturgy@gmail.com).

## **MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE (VIRTUAL)**

Our Parish is offering virtual marriage preparation course. **Fall session: Wednesday evenings beginning October 14 – November 18, 2020**. If you are planning to marry in the near future and would like to register, contact the Parish office.

## **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.

## **SEP 21 - 27: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN FOR** **Healing of Riley Evans**

## **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](mailto:office@smirh.com). Names will be removed after the last Sunday of each month unless renewed with the office.

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Julie, Gus, Peter Fernandes, Bernardine Fernandes, Joe Rybka, Maria Petruzzo, Nazzareno Lombardi, Marcus Gibbons, Dante Gibellini, Lucia Gibellini, Michael McGee, Clara Pacitti, Sandi Weinholdt, Emil Atienza, Samantha Pasut, Domenic, Ramesh Sharma

## **MASS INTENTIONS SEP 21 - 27**

<b>Mon. Sep 21</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Laura Varlese-Garofalo
<b>Tues. Sep 22</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	Thanksgiving blessing for new grandson
<b>Wed. Sep 23</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	Spec. Int. for Roy Chan
<b>Thur. Sep 24</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Michael Mikulec
<b>Fri. Sep 25</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Tsai-Chung Li
<b>Sat. Sep 26</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	+Members of the Naughton Family +Members of the Paxton Family +Ynocencio Maria Delgado +Filipina Baptista +Jahrid Diaz +Cecil Evelyn Javate Spec. Int. for Sophie & Kris Bicante Marriage Spec. Int. for Paul & Chyrene Trottier
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	+Ezia Mariani
<b>Sun. Sep 27</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	<b>9:30 am</b>	+Benedetto Baccilieri +Rosina, +Angelo & Family +Giuseppe Marini +Pia & +Mario Panizza
	<b>11:00 am</b>	+Francesco & +Mafalda Faga
	<b>12:30 pm</b>	+Marcus Bruno-Gibbons
	<b>4:30 pm</b>	+Nina Sarracini

## **Congratulations!**

### **Sacrament of Marriage:**

John Salvaggio & Ashley Faria

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

### **Sacrament of Baptism:**

Weston Costa, Logan Ultimo, Mattia Forno  
& Giorgia Finolio

*We welcome them into the Church! We wish the parents and Godparents of the newly baptized, God's blessing and protection of our Mother Mary!*



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