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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 by appointment with a priest

Baptism:

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

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Contact the priest one year in advance

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

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Beloved Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

Welcome back after summer break! It is great to see new faces in our Church. Many of you returned from your cottages, traveling, summer escapes and might be little bewildered to see new priests at the Parish. After two months of being here at St. Mary Immaculate, on behalf of Fr. Omar, Fr. George and myself I can tell you: it is so good to be with you!

Please, mark in your calendar two dates. On September 21, at 12:30 Mass Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will install me as a pastor. All of you are invited for Mass and refreshments to follow in the parish hall.

The weekend of September 27 and 28 will be the weekend of sharing the 'Time and Talent' with our parish community. All of you will be able to see different ministries in our Parish and be invited to share your gifts by joining them. Think about it, pray about it and make a decision in what ministry you want to be involved in. We need you, the Church needs you, Jesus needs you in spreading the good news.

May the Lord give you peaceful week! I am praying for you daily!

Fr. Pawel

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The biblical Readings of Mass this Sunday converge on the theme of brotherly love in the community of believers whose source lies in the communion of the Trinity. The Apostle Paul says that the whole Law of God finds fullness in love, so that in our relationships with others the Ten Commandments and every other precept are summed up in these words: "Love your neighbour as yourself" (cf. Rom 13:8-10). The Gospel text from chapter 18 of Matthew on the life of the Christian community tells us that brotherly love also involves a sense of mutual responsibility. For this reason if my brother commits a sin against me I must treat him charitably and first of all, speak to him privately, pointing out that what he has said or done is wrong. This approach is known as "fraternal correction": it is not a reaction to the offence suffered but is motivated by love for one's brethren.

St Augustine comments: "Whoever has offended you, in offending you, has inflicted a serious injury upon himself; and would you not care for a brother's injury?... You must forget the offence you have

received but not the injury of one of your brethren (*Discourse* 82, 7). And what if my brother does not listen to me? In today's Gospel Jesus points to a gradual approach: first, speak to him again with two or three others, the better to help him realize what he has done; if, in spite of this, he still refuses to listen, it is necessary to tell the community; and if he refuses to listen even to the community, he must be made to perceive that he has cut himself off by separating himself from the communion of the Church.

All this demonstrates that we are responsible for each other in the journey of Christian life; each person, aware of his own limitations and shortcomings, is called to accept fraternal correction and to help others with this specific service.

Another fruit of love in the community is unanimous prayer. Jesus said: "If two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in Heaven. For where two or three are gathered in My name, there Am I in the midst of them" (Mt 18:19-20). Personal prayer is of course important, indeed indispensable, but the Lord guarantees His presence to the community — even if it is very small which is united and in agreement, because this reflects the very reality of the Triune God, perfect communion of love. Origen says "we should practise this symphony" (Commentary on the Gospel according to Matthew, 14,1), in other words this harmony within the Christian community. We should practise both fraternal correction — which demands deep humility and simplicity of heart — and prayer so that it may rise to God from a community truly united in Christ.

Let us ask all this through the intercession of Mary Most Holy, Mother of the Church

Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, 4 September 2011

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Monday, September 8th, Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This feast celebrates the birth of Our Lady, the dawn announcing the coming of God's Son into the world.

Tuesday, September 9th, St. Peter Claver, Priest. St. Peter Claver was born in Spain in 1580 and joined the Society of Jesus in 1600. He was sent to Cartagena in South America, then the centre of the slave trade. For nearly forty years, he ministered tirelessly to the slaves and pleaded for their humane treatment. He died in 1654 and was canonized in 1888.

Friday, September 12th, Most Holy Name of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This feast honouring the holy name of Mary was instituted by Pope Innocent XI. We call upon her holy name in times of need and out of love for our heavenly mother.

Saturday, Sept. 13th, St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor. St. John Chrysostom was elected Bishop of Constantinople in 397 and proved himself a capable pastor, committed to reforming the life of the clergy and the faithful. Twice, he was forced into exile by the hatred of the imperial court and the envy of his enemies. He died on September 14, 407.

THE SANCTUARY LAMPS THIS WEEK BURN:

+Jason Boodram

FRIDAY EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT will be at 6:00 p.m. until further notice. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament will be at 6:50 p.m.

<u>CWL RELIGIOUS STORE</u> will be open after all Masses on next weekend in the church foyer.

CWL General Meeting of the Catholic Women's League will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 9, following the Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m., at the church hall. Our guest speaker is Sr. Jocelyne Monette. Her topic will be: Four Messianic Miracles of Jesus. All SMI parishioners (men and women) and all CWL members are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

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 Sept. 23. Call the office to register.

DO YOU WANT TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO THE IRAQI CHRISTIANS? The Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA) is a papal agency providing humanitarian and pastoral support for Christians all over the Middle East, Eastern Europe, Northeast Africa and India. The Archdiocese of Toronto will channel any funds collected through this papal agency. Those wishing to contribute may do so online through the website www.archtoronto.org; By phone through the Development office – 416-934-3411; or Through the parish, making cheques payable to **St. Mary Immaculate – Iraqi Christians**

PRAYERS FOR PEACE INTERFAITH SERVICE hosted by Cardinal Collins on Sunday, Sept. 7th at 3 p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica.. All are welcome. We pray for people in all areas of conflict and, in a special way, in the Middle East.

SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS are needed. If you like to work with children and can commit to two hours every Sunday, then this rewarding ministry is for you. Please contact Elizabeth Follows at either followselizabeth@gmail.com or 905-237-6272.

GRADE 2 CHILDREN ATTENDING PUBLIC AND PRIVATE NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS AND WHO WILL BE RECEIVING FIRST HOLY COMMUNION next Easter are asked to register with our Sunday School programme.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION for children Grades 1 through 7 that are in the public and private school systems only – will happen on Sunday, September 7th from 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in the parish hall. For further information, please contact Elizabeth at either followselizabeth@gmail.com or 905-237-6272.

OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH, ANGUS will be having a Fall Marriage Preparation Course on Sept 26 (7-9:30 p.m.), 27 (8:30a.m. – 4:30 p.m.) and 28 (8:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m.). For info or to register, please call 705-424-1551.

23a del tempo ordinario - 7 settembre 2014

"Se uno giunge in piazza e vi trova anche un solo amico, tutta la sua tristezza sparisce. Ma noi non andiamo in piazza, bensì in chiesa: vi incontriamo non uno solo, ma molti amici, ci uniamo a molti fratelli, a molti padri. Non dovremmo dunque allontanare ogni nostro scoraggiamento e riempirci di letizia? Non solo per il numero delle persone che vi si radunano la riunione in chiesa è migliore degli incontri sulla piazza, ma anche per gli argomenti che vi si trattano. Vedo infatti come quelli che perdono il tempo in piazza e vi si siedono in circolo parlano spesso di cose inutili, fanno discorsi frivoli e si intrattengono su argomenti per nulla convenienti. Anzi, c'è l'abitudine di indagare e investigare con gran cura gli affari degli altri. Quanto sia incerto e pericoloso abbandonarsi a tali discorsi, oppure ascoltarli e lasciarsene influenzare, e quanto spesso questi convegni abbiano fatto sorgere dissidi nelle famiglie, non intendo trattarlo qui. Tutti senz'altro concorderanno che quei discorsi sono inutili, frivoli e mondani, ed anche che non è facile far entrare una parola spirituale in simili riunioni. Ma qui in chiesa non è così, anzi precisamente l'opposto. Ogni discorso inutile è bandito ed ogni insegnamento spirituale ha il suo posto. Parliamo della nostra anima e dei beni che interessano l'anima, della corona che c'è riposta nel cielo, della rettitudine nella vita, della bontà di Dio, e della sua provvidenza per tutto il mondo e ancora di tutte le cose che ci riguardano, il motivo per cui siamo stati creati e la sorte che ci aspettiamo quando ce ne partiamo da quaggiù, e la situazione che verrà per noi decisa. A queste riunioni non solo noi prendiamo parte, ma anche i profeti e gli apostoli; anzi, il fatto più grande è che il Signore di noi tutti, Gesù, sta in mezzo a noi. Egli stesso ha detto: "Dove due o tre sono raccolti nel mio nome, ivi sono io in mezzo a loro (Mt 18,20). Ma se Cristo è presente dove sono radunati due o tre, quanto più sarà in mezzo a noi quando tanti uomini, tante donne, tanti padri sono insieme con gli apostoli e i profeti. Per questo anche noi parliamo con tanto coraggio, nella certezza del suo aiuto (S. Giovanni Crisostomo, In Genes. 5)."

"Già tre riuniti nel Tuo nome formano la Chiesa. Conserva dunque le migliaia di adunati nella Tua casa, che prima hanno eretto nel loro cuore una chiesa e poi l'hanno portata nel tempio edificato nel Tuo nome! Che la chiesa interiore sia magnifica come lo è l'esteriore! Abita nella chiesa interiore e conserva l'esteriore, poiché sia il cuore che l'edificio sono consacrati nel Tuo nome! (Balaj, Madrase per la chiesa di Aleppo).

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MASS INTENTIONS		Sept 7 - 13
SUN.	9:30 a.m.	+Vincenzo e Carolina Conetta
		+Carlos Gayoso
		+Dec. Fam. Members of
		Vincenzo Iafrate
		+Giuseppina Pellegrini
		+Mario Forte
		+Antonio Forte
		+Attelio Forte
		+Lina Maggiacomo
		+Giuseppe e Rosaria
		+Maria Teresa e Domenico
MON.	9:00 a.m.	+Angelina e Sergio Durante
TUE.	8:00 a.m.	+ Maria John
WED.	8:00 a.m.	+Benpaz Manaclang
THURS.	8:00 a.m.	+Tanya D'Ambrosi
FRI.	8:00 a.m.	+Holy Souls in Purgatory
	7:00 p.m.	In Thanksgiving to the Sacred
		Heart of Jesus
		+Alberto Perriciolo
		+Giovanni Nonni
		+Maria DiFonzo
		+Jean-Mark Immatteo
		+Members of the Paxton Family
SAT.	8:30 a.m.	In thanksgiving to the
		Immaculate Heart of Mary

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, Caterina De Grano,

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PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK: Ursula Addesi, Doris

+Guiseppe Giusti

Gibbons, Jessica Gonzales, Godfrey Gosein, Carmel Harrison, Gertiudes Henriques, Andy Heutehaus, Theresa Hogan, Lawrence Howe, Elena Iacobelli, Rogelia Infante, Maria Iudiciani, Jolanta Karabowicz, Margaret Kelly, Olivera Lambeta, Mary Malandrino, Macaria Margate, Chris Markle, Veronica Martin, Marguerite McRae, Rachelle (Joy Ann)

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