## Immaculate Conception and Our Lady of the Lake Parish Family



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#### **Pastoral Team**

#### Rev. Sherwin Holandez, Pastor

Rev. Mr. Stephen Palmer, Deacon Rev. Mr. Brian Mason, Deacon Kim Bingham, Administrative Assistant Cathy Thompson, Bookkeeper Shannon Connors, Youth Minister

#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday:	4:00 p.m.	Keswick
•	6:00 p.m.	Sutton
Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Sutton
	11:00 a.m.	Keswick

#### Weekday Masses:

Monday:	7:00 p.m.	Sutton
Tuesday:	8:30 a.m.	Sutton
Wednesday:	7:00 p.m.	Sutton
Thursday:	8:30 a.m.	Keswick
Friday:	7:00 p.m.*	Keswick
Saturday:	8:30 a.m.	Keswick

<sup>\*</sup>except on 1st Fridays when we would follow Adoration Schedule

#### **Reconciliation:**

Saturday: Keswick - following 8:30 a.m. Mass until 10:00 a.m. Saturday: Sutton from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Also available by appointment or anytime Father is in the office.

#### First Friday Adoration of Blessed Sacrament:

Alternating between Sutton and Keswick: Mass - 8:30 a.m.

Adoration - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Benediction - 8:00 p.m.

#### **Parish Office Hours:**

Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Our offices are located in Keswick.

#### **Parish Schools:**

St. Bernadette's (Sutton): 905-722-6226 St. Thomas Aquinas (Keswick): 905-476-7784 Prince of Peace (Keswick): 905-476-1551

Our Lady of the Lake College (Keswick): 905-656-9140

#### New Parishioners and Registration:

If you are new to the Parish, or have not completed a Registration Form, do take one from the foyer of church. Completed forms can be handed into the office or put into the collection basket.

#### Visitation of Sick and Shut-ins:

It is our pleasure to visit the sick and elderly of our Parish who cannot attend Mass but wish to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick.) Please notify the office.

**Baptisms:** Please approach the Parish Priest and/or Deacons after any Sunday Mass for a Baptism Package. An interview with the Parish Priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized are expected to be members of our Parish Community. Preparation Class attendance is required and Baptisms are celebrated one month later, at the earliest.

**Marriages:** Couples wishing to be married must themselves contact the pastor at least one full year in advance. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.

#### **Bulletin Notices:**

Must be received at the office by Tuesday a.m.

#### Parish Organizations:

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	Knights of Columbus:	Don Finlayson	905-989-2014
	Women's Group:	Cathy Clements	905-476-4941
	· ·	Maureen Wilcox	905-476-2550
	R.C.I.A.:	Tony Snider	905-476-4765
	St. Vincent de Paul:	Parish office	905-476-0097
	Catholic Women's League:	Ann Palmer	905-989-1244
Women of Immaculate Conception: Rose Sheppard		905-722-3623	
	Development & Peace:	Brendan Rutledge	905-476-8041

#### **OUR PILGRIMAGE TOGETHER**

To create a unified community and foster growth in faith.

The Mission of the Catholic communities of Immaculate Conception and Our Lady of the Lake is to respond to God's call with personal conviction, commitment, and community action. Our purpose is to be like the disciples of Emmaus who recognize Him in the breaking of the bread and persevere in our focus to know Him more deeply and love Him more faithfully. Our dream, therefore, is to build a community based on the Eucharist, henceforth on forgiveness of one another, caring for each other, bearing one another's burdens, personal prayer and sacramental worship.

## Responsorial Psalm for August 11 Ps. 33 Blessed the people the Lord has chosen as his heritage.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

We join in prayer with those who have requested that Masses be offered for their loved ones, living or deceased.

Monday, August 12 - Sunday, August 18

Mon. August 12, 7pm (S):

Tues. August 13, 8:30am (S):

Wed. August 14, 7pm (S):

Thurs. August 15, 8:30am (K):

Fri. August 16, 8:30am (K): + Katharina Urban

Sat. August 17, 8:30am (K):

Sat. August 17, 4pm (K): People of the Parish

Sat. August 17, 6pm (S): + John & Lindsay Comeau

Sun. Aug. 18, 8:30am (S): + Catherina & Franceso Perri

Sun. August 18, 11am (K): + Antonio Attanasio

#### **PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

Please contact the office to add a name to the list. Names will remain on the list for one month. Please keep the following people in your prayers. Matt Douglas, Gertrud Henriques, Joe Zammitt, Clayton Palbiski, Sandra Palbiski, Gwen Taylor.

#### **VISITS TO SHUT-INS**

We are happy to take Communion to those in our parish who cannot worship with us because of illness or infirmity. Contact the office if you would like a visit or know of someone who should be contacted. If you are interested in being a visiting Minister of Communion, contact Deacon Brian Mason through the office or see him after Mass.

#### **FATHER CHRISTOPHER ROOM**

The Father Christopher Room is now available for rent. This room has a 75 person capacity and is perfect for small functions. Ideal and convenient for Baptism celebrations, post wedding rehearsal gatherings, birthday parties. Please call the office

#### **VOCATIONS**

"Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." What do you hope for in the future? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Hansoo Park 416-968-0997 or email vocations@vocations.ca or www.vocationstoronto.ca

#### **COLLECTION UPDATE**

Goal \$6,800



←August 4th \$6,006.50 - 88%

#### **Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers – August 17/18**

SUTTON: Saturday, August 17, 6pm

(EM) Barb S.

(LEC) Tom H., Helmut K.

SUTTON: Sunday, August 18, 8:30am

(EM) Gerry D.

(LEC)Lynne P., Marcel D.

**KESWICK: Saturday, August 17, 4pm** 

(EM)

(LEC) Carol C.

KESWICK: Sunday, August 18, 11am (EM) Mary F., Scott D.

(LEC).Don F., Peter R.

#### **INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF RELIGIOUS SONG**

The 24th International Festival of Religious Song will be held from November 23-24th at the John Paul II Cultural Centre in Mississauga. The Festival will feature two evenings of quality music, song and a joyful celebration of faith, all highlighted with The theme is "Go and make multimedia effects. disciples of all nations" (Mt 28:19) This theme ties into this year's World Youth Days in Brazil. It is also timely, as we continue to live out the Year of Faith and are called to become more authentic disciples to our evervdav world. The festival has been a tool of evangelization from the very beginning. Music and song have repeatedly proved matchless in expressing the deepest of human experiences.. Catholic Youth Studio - KSM Inc. is the organizing body of the International Festival of Religious Song. Parish groups and individual performers are invited to submit their applications by September 30th. information, please email festival@catholicradio.ca. You can also visit the festival webpage at catholicradio.ca/festival.

#### **PILGRIMAGE**

Fr. Sherwin is leading a pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes and the Holy Land from October 12-26th. For more info., call International Heritage Tours at 1-877-999-8868 or 905-836-0232. Ask for Halina at ext. 315 or Stan at ext. 339 or visit www.ihtours.com.



Catholic Cemeteries - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families within the Archdioceses of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wed., August 14th at 7pm. Cemetery locations for this year's Annual Mass are as follows: Assumption, Mississauga, Christ the King, Markham, Holy Cross, Thornhill, Mount Hope, Toronto, Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge, Resurrection, Whitby,

All are welcome!

St. Mary's, Barrie,

#### **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

Altar Server Training will be held Tuesday evenings in August at Our Lady of the Lake Church at 6pm. Pizza dinner will be provided. This is for children who are currently Altar serving as well as those children who are interested in becoming Altar Servers. Only those who have received their First communion and older are invited.



#### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to the "Parish Peddlers" who participated in the Bike Ride on June 23rd in Keswick and also to those who contributed financially many thanks from Joan Dawson, your support and kind contributions raised \$2,431 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation which is much appreciated. A special "thank you" to Rose and Diana for their assistance and also a special thank you to Fr. Sherwin for participating in the Bike Ride. Well done everyone. Again, thank you and God bless.

#### MCMASTER CATHOLIC STUDENTS ASSOC.

If you are a student at, or entering, McMaster University in the Fall, then we'd like you to know about the McMaster Catholic Students Association, called MASCA! MACSA is a great community of Catholic university students on campus, where you can learn more about the Catholic faith, meet some like-minded people, or explore how faith and university life can coexist.. You can email us at maccatholics@gmail.com or like us on our Facebook page called McMaster Catholic Students Association or look for us at Clubsfest at Welcome Week at McMaster.



Visit www.archtoronto.org/discipleship for details.

### LORETTO MARYHOLME SPIRITUALITY CENTRE OPEN GARDEN

The last Sunday of August from 4-6 pm. The gardens are open to all who wish to enjoy the space, explore the woods or bring a picnic. Outdoors only.

#### **CONVERSATIONS FOR CONNECTIONS**

A 2 day workshop, Sept 4-5, for committed couples to strengthen your relationship. The program is based on the theory and practice of the book, "Hold Me Tight", by Sue Johnson. For more info 905-476-4013 or <a href="https://www.lorettomaryholme.ca">www.lorettomaryholme.ca</a>

#### **CHURCH PHOTO DIRECTORY**

To book appointments for September, please call Jim or Sheila McDermott at 905-476-5902 for times in Keswick and Rose Sheppard at 905-722-3623 for times in Sutton. There is no charge to parishioners or our church and everyone who sits for a photo will receive a directory at no charge. Please help us make this a great success. We also encourage our Summer parishioners to participate. The time requirement is approximately 30 minutes

#### **DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE**

Divine Mercy Pilgrimage is hosted by the Regina Mundi Retreat Centre - 19309 Warden Ave., Queensville, Ontario. For 9 consecutive Sundays starting June 30th until August 25th. Program of activities starts at 1pm. All are welcome.

#### **THANK YOU**

Thanks to all the generous parishioners who have helped us reach our goal for the 3 Youth Ministry programs.



The Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults will begin again in October. If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic or if you are a baptized Catholic and are wishing to complete the Sacraments of Initiation, please contact the office or approach Father Sherwin after Mass.

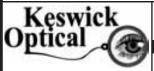
#### **SCHEDULES**

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