# 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:

Tuesday:	8:30 a.m.	Sutton
Wednesday:	7:00 p.m.	Sutton
Thursday:	8:30 a.m.	Keswick
Friday:	8:30 a.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 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 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: 9:00 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.

#### Communion Service, 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 morning.

#### Parish Organizations:

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 February 2 Ps.24 The Lord of hosts, he is king of glory!

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

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

#### Tuesday, February 4-Sunday, February 9

Tues. Feb 4, 8:30am (S): + Paula Thompson Wed. Feb 5, 7pm (S): + Joseph Howard Ng

Thurs. Feb 6, 8:30am (K): Fri. Feb 7, 8:30am (K): Sat. Feb 8, 8:30am (K):

Sat. Feb 8, 4pm (K):

Sat. Feb 8, 6pm (S): People of the Parish Sun. Feb 9, 8:30am (S): + Damien Glass

Sun. Feb 9, 11am (K): SI Roy Moniz

#### PRAY FOR OUR SICK

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. Betty Arsenault, Melissa Charpentier, Frank Cinelli, Vincent Cinelli, Kathleen H., Daniel Haze, Charlene Meredith, Don Minihan, Roy Moniz, Winnie Price, Eric Sutton, Cathy Thompson, Maria Luisa Casco

#### **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.

#### **VOCATIONS**

"Jesus did not come to help Angels, but the descendants of Abraham: If God is calling you to consider the priesthood or religious life, contact Fr. Hansoo Park at 416-968-0997, email vocations@vocations.ca or www.vocationstoronto.ca

#### **URGENT**

If you have a key to Our Lady of the Lake or Immaculate Conception, please call the office. Leave a message if you are calling after office hours.

#### POPE FRANCIS (@PONTIFEX) ON TWITTER

Jan 27 - Dear young people, let us not be satisfied with a mediocre life. Be amazed by what is true and beautiful, what is of God!

#### **COLLECTION UPDATE**



January 25/26: \$3,020.34

Goal \$6,800

#### **Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers – Feb 8/9**

SUTTON: Saturday, Feb 8, 6pm

(EM) Barb S., Lidwina G.

(LEC) Tom H., Helmut K.

SUTTON: Sunday, Feb 9, 8:30am

(EM) Patrick D., Gerry D.

(LEC) Marcel D., Carmela C.

KESWICK: Saturday, Feb 8, 4pm

(EM)

(LEC) Marilyn V.

KESWICK: Sunday, Feb 9, 11am

(EM) Sr. Mary, Don F.

(LEC) Katarina P., Sr. Yvonne, Michael S.,

Catherine P., Mary P., Lucy M.

#### KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration has begun for the 2014/15 school year. You can register your child at your local Catholic school or visit <a href="https://www.ycdsb.ca">www.ycdsb.ca</a> and click on the Admissions tab.

#### **1ST HOLY COMMUNION ENROLMENT**

Enrolment will take place during all Masses this weekend. Attendance is only required at one of these Masses. Children will hand in their decorated sheep given out during the Reconciliation Catechetical.

#### **INCOME TAX RECEIPTS**

2013 Income Tax Receipts are ready for pick up. They are available in the foyers of both churches. If you do not see your receipt please contact the office. Any receipts not picked up by February 28<sup>th</sup> will be mailed out.

#### 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL HAIRCUT FOR HOSPICE

Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10am-4pm at Allure Hair Creations stylist will wash, cut and style your hair for a \$20 donation (minimum) in support of Hospice Georgina. Walk-ins are accepted or book an appointment by calling 905-476-3146.

#### THANK YOU

"Your friends at the Gathering Place wish to thank all those who baked pies for our Christmas dinner. They were a welcome addition to our celebration".

#### **MARRIAGE SUNDAY FEBRUARY 8/9**

The Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates Marriage Sunday next weekend. This initiative highlights the importance of the sacrament of marriage and complements World Marriage Sunday celebrations that take place in many dioceses throughout North America. Let us continue to pray for married couples and those who support them on their journey. We hope that Marriage Sunday provides a special opportunity to celebrate the sacrament and give thanks for those who strengthen our communities through their loving commitment to God, their family and one another. On Sunday, February 9th at St. Paul's Basilica at 4pm there is a special invitation to all married couples who will celebrate their 25th, 40th, 50th or 60+ wedding anniversary anytime throughout 2014 to join with Cardinal Collins for Mass to highlight these special milestones.

#### **SENIOR MEN'S HIGH SCHOOL RETREAT**

The Senior Men's High School Retreat is an invitation for young men, grades 11 and 12, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Christ in order to better discern God's call for their lives. The weekend is organized by seminarians in conjunction with the Office of Vocations. Friday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm to Sunday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 2:30pm. Scarborough Foreign Missions Centre at 2685 Kingston Road, Scarborough. Deadline for registration is Monday, March 17<sup>th</sup>. Speak to Father if you are interested.

#### **INCOME TAX RETURN PREPARATION**

We have a parishioner who is a CPA, CA who is offering his services to parishioners with preparing their 2013 Income Tax Returns. This service is being offered to seniors and students at no charge. For others wishing to avail themselves of this service a free will offering to the church would be appreciated. Please contact the office if you are interested.

#### LORETTO MARYHOLME RETREAT CENTRE

February 14 - One Billion Rising - To demand an end to violence against women and girls and to call out for justice and gender equality. Enjoy a potluck supper followed by a celebration in song and dance. Donation in support of Sandgate Women's Shelter is suggested. February 14-16 - Stirring Your Soul: Meditative Writing Brenda Peddigrew, Sister of Mercy, with a specialty in Transformative Learning (CIIS) will create an ambience that opens and protects each participant's desire to move intentionally within her/his soul and write from that deeper place. The workshop will start with the One Billion Rising event. Register by Feb. 3rd, with deposit of \$75 www.lorettomaryholme.ca

## 22<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL CATHOLIC RENEWAL MINISTRIES LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY – HOPE RISING

Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup> from 9am to 5:30pm at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre. As always, there will be compelling speakers, uplifting music, Prayer, Confession, a Eucharistic Procession and Prayers for Healing & Empowerment. His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins will be the celebrant and homilist of the closing Mass. Calling all Youth! There is a separate Youth Rally featuring CMA award winning Musical artist Chris Bray, skits, power-packed talks. Don't come alone! Remember to Evangelize! Be inspired, encouraged and healed. For tickets (Adult \$20, Youth \$10) call 416-251-4255 or 905-270-2510 email: pdkromer@rogers.com or visit: www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.org

#### CATHOLIC CHAPTER HOUSE EVENT

"Put on the armour of God, that you may be able to stand against the deceits of the devil" (Ephesians 6:11) Featuring: Guest Speaker Steve Ray and Allan Smith. You are invited to join Catholic Chapter House in what is going to be another amazing day filled with prayer, faith and fellowship. It is a great opportunity to check out a variety of excellent faith-based organizations and meet hundreds of other amazing Catholics while being nourished and educated in the faith. Be inspired by world renowned Catholic apologist, author and filmmaker Steve Ray who will be giving three different talks. Also, we will have Catholic radio host and Executive Director of the Sheen Foundation of Canada, Allan Smith who will be giving a talk. Location: Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto (Don Mills & Eglinton) Date: Saturday April 12th. Schedule: Doors Open 9:30am, Event: 10am - 4pm. Tickets: \$53 (\$45 + HST and processing fee) (groups of 10+ get reduced rate.) Email cjoanneb@rogers.com) Parking is free on site (first come first served). Lunch is available for \$5.75. http://www.catholicchapterhouse.com/armourofgod

#### 1<sup>st</sup> HOLY COMMUNION

We have had our enrolment ceremonies for our 1st Communicants these past two weekends. They have been handing in their decorated sheep. We are asking that parishioners pick one up after Mass and take it home. Please keep this child in your prayers during this time of preparation.

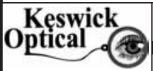
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