

# 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

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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

\*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:

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.*

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Responsorial Psalm - Ps. 71

**My mouth will tell, O Lord, of your deeds of salvation.**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

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

**Monday, February 4 – Sunday, February 10**

Mon. Feb 4, 7pm (S)

Tues. Feb 5, 8:30am (S): + Joseph Howard Ng

Wed. Feb 6, 7pm (S):

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

Fri. Feb 8, 8:30am (K):

Sat. Feb 9, 8:30am (K):

Sat. Feb 9, 4pm (K): People of the Parish

Sat. Feb 9, 6pm (S): + Damian Glass

Sun. Feb 10, 8:30am (S): + Paul Wolscht, Sr.

Sun. Feb 10, 11am (K): + Ofelia Aguilera

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

Please contact the office to add a name to list. Names will remain on the list for one month. Call the office to have names re-listed. Please keep the following people in your prayers. Arienne Cripps, Dave Ruttan

#### **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 Stephen Palmer through the office or see him after Mass.

#### **VOCATIONS**

No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. Do not be discouraged by jeers when considering religious life or priesthood. If God is calling you contact Fr. Hansoo 416-968-0997 or email [vocations@vocations.ca](mailto:vocations@vocations.ca).

#### **CATHOLICISM DVD SERIES**

For those of you who missed this series when it was presented in Keswick as a study program, or if you just want to enjoy it again, we will be showing Fr. Robert Barron's DVD series Catholicism starting Wednesday, February 20<sup>th</sup> from 5:45pm-6:45pm before the 7pm Mass in Sutton. We will show this series for 10 consecutive Wednesdays. This is not a study program. Come on out and enjoy.

#### **COLLECTION UPDATE**

January 19/20: \$4,094.66

Includes Mortgage & Renovation Funds.

PAG January: \$3,086.

Mortgage Balance: \$229,682.75

#### **Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers**

**February 9/10**

SUTTON: Saturday, February 9th at 6pm:

(EM).

(LEC). Kim B., Cassie D.

SUTTON: Sunday, February 10th at 8:30am:

(EM). Gerry D.

(LEC). Patrick D., Marcel D.

KESWICK: Saturday, February 9th at 4pm:

(EM)

(LEC). Anna Vale

KESWICK: Sunday, February 10th at 11am:

(EM). Mike S., Mary P.

(LEC). June S., Tracy M.

#### **TUESDAYS WITH FATHER**

In Father's continuing effort to get to know the parishioners, we are continuing Tuesdays with Father.

We have put the black binder in the foyer of both churches to sign up.

#### **LUNCH FOR FATHER**

If anyone is interested in providing Father with lunches on Wednesdays and Fridays please sign up in the blue folder in the foyer.

#### **TREE OF LIFE**

This is a wonderful way to commemorate a loved one or celebrate your family. If you are interested in purchasing a leaf for the tree please contact the office.

#### **PANCAKE SUPPERS**

**St. Bernadette's School Council** is hosting their Annual community Pancake Supper on Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> from 5-7pm in the school gym.

**Our Lady of the Lake Women's Group** is also sponsoring a Pancake Supper at Our Lady of the Lake High School on Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> from 5-7pm.

**No tickets are required for either supper but donations are being accepted for the Georgina Community Food Pantry.**



The topic for Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup> is Actions = Words (Integrity). The goal is to show our youth the importance of personal integrity as a part of their Christian lifestyle and mission.

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

The children preparing for 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion will be celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation every Saturday morning from 9:30am to 11am from February 2nd to February 23rd in Keswick. Please choose whichever day is most convenient to you. If you cannot make one of these days, please call the office to arrange another day and time.

### CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

We will have Enrolment Ceremonies at all Masses the weekends of February 23/24 & March 2/3 for all children preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. This is an opportunity for the congregation to be introduced to the Confirmandi. Each child will receive a wooden cross on a rope to wear to Masses. They will also hand in the letters they have prepared for Fr. Sherwin about why they would like to be Confirmed.

### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

This weekend the Church celebrates the World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life. In the Archdiocese of Toronto we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 1,000 religious men and women of over 100 different religious congregations. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these religious sisters, brothers and priests and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience. All are welcome to come to a special Mass this Sunday at 3pm at St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto to celebrate with and pray for these men and women religious who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese.

### ADORATION

**"The worship given to the Trinity of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit... must fill our churches also outside the timetable of Masses... Let us be generous with our time in going to meet him in adoration and in contemplation that is full of faith and ready to make reparation for the great faults and crimes of the world. May our adoration never cease." Pope John Paul II.** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held the first Friday of every month. It is a beautiful time for peace, prayer, and reverence. We begin with 8:30am Mass followed by Adoration until 8pm, then Benediction. Ideally we need at least 22 people to fill the time slots, 2 people per hour. There are sign-up sheets at the back of both churches. **Next Adoration is Friday, March 1st in Sutton.**



### FORMATION PROGRAMMES FOR PARISHIONERS

Visit [www.archtoronto.org/discipleship](http://www.archtoronto.org/discipleship) for details.

**The Ministry of the Word: Proclaiming God's Deeds of Power. A Workshop for Lectors** at St. Elizabeth Seton Parish, 17955 Leslie Street, Newmarket, Feb. 6th from 7:15 – 9:30 p.m. The role of the parish lector is integral to the celebration of Sunday Eucharist. This session will explore the root of lay liturgical ministry, highlight the role of the assembly, review the place of the Liturgy of the Word and reflect on spiritual preparation for those who are called to proclaim the Word of the Lord. Suggestions and tips for effective proclamation will be addressed in this workshop. This workshop will be of interest to those serving as lectors and those interested in this ministry. To assist with preparation pre-registration is requested. A registration form is available at [www.archtoronto.org/discipleship](http://www.archtoronto.org/discipleship) or you may call Catherine Ecker, Office of Formation for Discipleship at 705 726 2153 and leave a message to register.

### "A QUICK JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE"

The **Quick Journey Bible Study** DVD program begins this Monday at 7pm in the Fr. Christopher room and runs for 8 weeks. This series is a precursor to The BibleTimeline beginning in the Fall. Although you won't want to miss any of this series, a weekly commitment isn't necessary, come when you can. Everyone is welcome!



The KofC Officers' meeting is on Feb 11th at 8pm in Sutton and General meeting is scheduled for Feb 25th at 8pm in Keswick.

### THE WAY OF THE CROSS

We will be praying the Way of the Cross every Friday during Lent alternating between churches. We will begin Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup> in Sutton at 7pm and the following week, Friday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm in Keswick. Gratitude goes to a parishioner who has kindly purchased new books for our use. Be sure to leave them in the churches at the end of the evening.

### CHANGES IN MASS TIMES FOR LENT

Every Friday beginning February 15<sup>th</sup> Masses will be at 8:30am instead of the regular 7pm in order to accommodate the Way of the Cross in the evening.

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