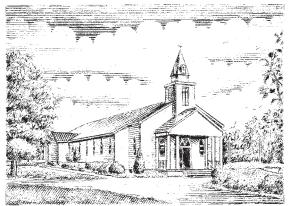
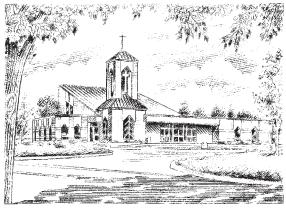
# Immaculate Conception and Our Lady of the Lake Parish Family



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#### Pastoral Team Rev. Sherwin Holandez, Pastor Rev. Mr. Stephen Palmer, Deacon Rev. Mr. Brian Mason, Deacon Kim Bingham, Administrative Assistant

Shannon Connors, Youth Minister

#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday:	4:00 p.m.	Keswick
•	5:30 p.m.	Sutton
Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Sutton
·	11:00 a.m.	Keswick

#### Weekday Masses:

Tuesday: 8:30 a.m. Sutton	
Labbaay. Ole Callin Datton	
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Sutton	
6:45 p.m. Novena to the Mother of Perpetual Help	
Thursday: 8:30 a.m. Keswick	
Friday: 8:30 a.m.* Keswick	
Saturday: 8:30 a.m. Keswick	
*except on 1st Fridays when we would follow Adoration Sche	dule

#### **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
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
Shepherds' Trust:	Jim McDermott	905-476-5902
Adult Faith Formation:	Carol Eakins	905-476-0343

#### **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**

Ps.137. Let my tongue cling to my mouth if I do not remember you!

#### MASS INTENTIONS

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

#### <u>Tuesday, March 17 – Sunday, March 22</u>

Tues. Mar 17, 8:30am (S):

Wed. Mar 18, 7pm (S): Si Margaret & Anne Cummings

Thurs. Mar 19, 8:30am (K): + Fr. Rudolf P. Volk

Fri. Mar 20, 8:30am (K): + Mary Hughes

Sat. Mar 21, 8:30am (K):

Sat. Mar 21, 4pm (K): SI of Carmel Reddy

Sat. Mar 21, 5:30pm (S): + Judith and Kevin Derouin

Sun. Mar 22, 8:30am(S): + Cathy Thompson

Sun. Mar 22, 11am (K):

# PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Call 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, Grant Madill, Josephina Plati, Janis Scully, Brad Sheppard.

#### **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 or someone you know wants a visit. If you are interested in being a visiting Minister of Communion, contact Deacon Brian Mason through the office or see him after Mass.

#### VOCATIONS

Fourth Sunday of Lent - March 15. St. Paul reminds us that we are "created in Christ Jesus for good works". If you think God's plan for you could be a vocation in His Church, call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997 email vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

# **INCOME TAX RETURN PREPARATION**

We have a qualified parishioner who is offering his services to seniors and those in need to prepare their Income Tax Returns. Goodwill offering to the church is acceptable. Please contact the office if you are interested in this service.

# **COINS FOR LIFE**

Please return your Coins for Life boxes at Mass or to office. Thank you.

### COLLECTION UPDATE

Mar 7/8: \$3,141.25 – 46%



ShareLife to date: \$4,972.90 ShareLife Goal: \$22.500.

Eucharistic Ministers - Sutton Mar 21 - 5:30: Barb S., Rose S. Mar 22 - 8:30: Gerry D., Joe T. Lectors - Sutton Mar 21 - 5:30: Cassie D., Tom H. Mar 22 - 8:30: Treena B., Janet C. Eucharistic Ministers – Keswick Mar 21 - 4pm: Ron E. Mar 22 - 11am: Ann P., Scott D., Mike K., Mary F., Alzirina A., Bruna K. Lectors - Keswick Mar 21 - 4pm: Marilyn V., Carol C. Mar 22 - 11am: Don F., Tony S.

EDGE

No Edge on March 20<sup>th</sup>. Next Edge Night is Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> in the Fr. Christopher Room. Mission: Possible – Pentecost/Discipleship.

### LORETTO MARYHOLME – THE LENTEN JOURNEY

Wednesdays: Mar. 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 pm at Loretto Maryholme. Soup & crackers are served from 6-7 pm. Prayer is 1 hour of music, quiet and scripture at 7 pm. Almsgiving: Loretto Missions in India, or the Georgina Food Pantry. No registration necessary.

### THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL OUR PARISH READS FOR LENT!

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent – Our reading this week is chapter 3: the proclamation of the Gospel. Pope Francis reminds us that the entire people of God proclaims the Gospel. Join us to share your insights, reflections, questions on Thursday Mar 19. 7 pm. What a great way to remember St Patrick & St Joseph. Patrick proclaimed The Gospel to Ireland and thereby to the entire world of the Irish missionaries and Joseph is the patron Saint of Canada. Remember it is not necessary to come each Thursday. Come when you want but keep reading!

No Knitting Club on Tuesday. Resumes March 17<sup>th</sup>.

# St. ShareLife

Working wonders for people locally and around the world....ShareLife provides for everyone in our archdiocese to have access to a Catholic Family Services counselling office, regardless of their background or religious affiliation. Housebound seniors receive care from Society of Sharing volunteers. Our brothers and sisters in Christ receive assistance overseas through Development & Peace, Canadian Food for Children and the Pastoral Mission Fund. Immigrants and refugees are helped through Catholic Crosscultural Services and the Office for Refugees. ShareLife supports the education for our priests and deacons at Serra House, Redemptoris Mater and St. Augustine's seminaries. ShareLife creates a happier and safer community for us all.

Next ShareLife Sunday – April 12, 2015

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

# **1st COMMUNION PREPARATION**

<u>Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation</u> (Confession) Saturdays during the month of March (March 21 & 28) between 9:30-11am at Our Lady of the Lake Church. This Sacrament is received prior to 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion. Parents are welcome to receive this Sacrament at this time.

# **CONFIRMATION PREPARATION**

Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Our Lady of the Lake Church. Session #7: "Are you talking to me?" (Getting to Know God Through Prayer.) "Why do I have to go to Mass?" (Building Virtue – Your Spiritual Workout.)

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The CWL will be selling Easter Flowers to decorate the churches. These can be purchased in remembrance of loved ones or for your personal use in your homes as well. A CWL member will be taking orders this weekend and next. Thank you for your support in our efforts.



Please join members of the Knights of Columbus for coffee after Mass this weekend and learn about membership to this great organization.

# BOOK DRIVE AT PRINCE OF PEACE

Prince of Peace Catholic Elementary School is holding a book drive from March 23rd to April 2nd. Kindly bring your gently used books to the school between 9:30am to 2:30pm Monday to Friday. Thank you.

# LENTEN SCHEDULE

March 29 - Palm Sunday

April 2 – Holy Thursday

<u>April 3</u> - Good Friday - Celebration of the Lord's Passion in Keswick at 3pm

<u>April 4</u> - Holy Saturday - Midday Prayer with Anointing of Catechumens and Blessing of Easter Baskets at 11:45 am in Keswick

April 4 - Easter Vigil - Mass in Keswick at 8pm

<u>April 5</u> - Easter Sunday

Stations of the Cross

March 13 in Keswick at 7pm

March 20 in Sutton at 7pm

March 27 in Keswick at 7pm

April 3 - Good Friday - Youth Stations of the Cross (Re-enacted) in Keswick at 7pm

# DISCOVER THE EPIC STORY OF THE EARLY CHURCH

The Epic bible study is now being held on Monday nights at 7pm at Our Lady of the Lake. Epic is a powerful, fast-paced journey of the first 500 years of the Church. Call Carol Eakins at 905-476-0343 or c.eakins@rogers.com.

### NATIONAL CATHOLIC MISSION 2015 "Beware the Holy Spirit!" on VISIONTV

The National Catholic Mission 2015 - "Beware the Holy Spirit!" will be broadcast on VISIONTV on Monday, March 30<sup>th</sup> (Pt. 1) and Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> (Pt 2) at 6pm and repeated at 10pm. It will be hosted by Fr. Pat Fitzpatrick and feature Spiritan Fr. Anthony Gittins.

# MONSIGNOR EDGARDO PAN

Monsignor Pan is celebrating his 40th year in the priesthood on Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup>. Mass at 3pm at St. Francis Xavier Parish in Mississauga. Potluck reception to follow. He is extending his invitation to all who would like to celebrate this day with him.

#### SUPPORT FOR RECENTLY SEPARATED OR DIVORCED CATHOLICS

Catholic Family Services of Toronto is offering a 10 week program for adult men and women coping with the many struggles involved in the process of separation and divorce. Group participants will receive support and guidance as they move through this difficult period of transition. The group will run on Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30pm beginning April 9<sup>th</sup> to June 11<sup>th</sup> at 1155 Yonge Street (Summerhill Subway Station.) For further information, please contact lan Singer at 416-921-1163.

