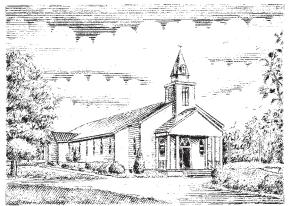
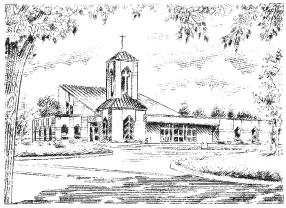
Immaculate Conception and Our Lady of the Lake Parish Family



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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	
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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.19 – Lord, you have the words of eternal life.

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 10 – Sunday, March 15</u>

Tues. Mar 10, 8:30am (S): + Fr. Norman Fitzpatrick Wed. Mar 11, 7pm (S): SI Kathleen Aconomides Thurs. Mar 12, 8:30am (K): + Fr. George Coppens Fri. Mar 13, 8:30am (K): + Eddy Narducci Sat. Mar 14, 8:30am (K): + Fr. Ernest Munachi Ezeoga Sat. Mar 14, 4pm (K): + Maureen Quirico Sat. Mar 14, 5:30pm (S): Sun. Mar 15, 8:30am(S): Sun. Mar 15, 11am (K): + Luigi, Connie & Gus DiDiodato

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

3rd Sunday of Lent - March 8th. Jesus cleaned out the temple of money changers. He was angry; He was zealous; He spoke with authority. He was doing what He had to do even though it involved risk, danger, insult and wonder. Such is a religious vocation in the Church. If you think God might be calling you to one, call Fr. Chris Lemieux at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org

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



Feb 28/Mar 1: \$5,062.32 -74%

ShareLife to date: \$3,372.90

Eucharistic Ministers - Sutton Mar 14 - 5:30: Rose S., Eliswa M. Mar 15 - 8:30: Joe T., Susanne S. Lectors - Sutton Mar 14 - 5:30: Rose S., Joe T. Mar 15 - 8:30: Carmela C., Pat F. Eucharistic Ministers – Keswick Mar 14 - 4pm: Silvio V. Mar 15 - 11am: Catherine P., Mary P., Lucy M., Marjorie M., Larry O., Rita W. Lectors - Keswick Mar 14 - 4pm: Anna V., Carmel R. Mar 15 - 11am: Maureen S., Margaret S.



Fri. Mar 13^{th -} Fr. Christopher Rm. Edge Movie Night.

LORETTO MARYHOLME - THE LENTEN JOURNEY

4 Wednesdays: Mar. 11th, 18th & 25th 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.

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.

THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL OUR PARISH READS FOR LENT!

3rd Sunday of Lent. This week we will be reading Chapter 2: Amid the crisis of communal commitment. Here Pope Francis lays out what he considers to be the challenges and temptations we face in today's world. Optional discussion session on the chapter on Thursday, March 12th in Fr Christopher Room at 7 pm. Missed out at the start of Lent? Start now – you will be able to catch up.

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St. ShareLife

Working wonders for those in our community...

"When Robert completed High School, there were very few options available to him. Of those options, many were inaccessible due to their remote location and lack of transportation services. We were blessed to find St. Jude's Academy of the Arts. It has been a valuable life saver for Robert and his family. The positive social interaction of St. Jude's has allowed Robert to grow and mature as a person. He has become more independent. St. Jude's educational program has a wonderful, positive impact on Robert and others like him. We are truly grateful for their existence!" Last year, over 43,000 services were provided to people with special needs from ShareLifesupported agencies.

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 14, 21 & 28) between 9:30-11am at Our Lady of the Lake Church. This Sacrament is received prior to 1st Holy Communion. Parents are welcome to receive this Sacrament at this time.

CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

Wednesday, March 11th at 7pm at Our Lady of the Lake Church. Session #6: "What would Jesus do?" (The Beatitudes – Path to True Happiness) and "Why I have what it takes?" (Building Virtue – Your Spiritual Workout.)

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The Catholic Women's League general meeting is on Wednesday, March 11th in Sutton after the 7pm Mass. All are welcome. Also a reminder that the CWL will be selling Easter Flowers (Easter Lilies and Hydrangeas) to decorate the churches. These can be purchased in remembrance of loved ones. Flowers can also be purchased 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 next and learn about membership to this great organization.

LENTEN SCHEDULE

March 29 - Palm Sunday

<u>April 2</u> – Holy Thursday- Showing of The Passion of the Christ at 5:30pm followed by the Mass of the Lord's Supper in Keswick at 8pm.

<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

STATEMENT FROM CARDINAL COLLINS

On Monday, February 23, the Ontario government released its revised Health & Physical Education curriculum. The Ministry of Education has indicated the curriculum will be implemented in schools across the province this September. Below is a statement from Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto and President of the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario: "As Catholics, we understand that parents are the primary educators of their children, and that especially in the teaching of family life issues, the parental role is vital. For more than 30 years, Ontario's publicly funded Catholic schools have provided a family life curriculum consistent with our faith. The goal is to present a Catholic view of human life, sexuality, marriage and family, complementing the efforts of parents to teach their children at home. While Catholic schools have a responsibility to follow the curriculum set out by the Ministry of Education, they have always sought to do so in a way that conveys, respects and models Catholic Christian principles to our students. They will continue this tradition. A group of Catholic educators will produce resources that support Catholic teachers so that the new curriculum is implemented in a way that is consistent with our Catholic teachings and appropriate within the context of a Catholic classroom." Since 1989, the Institute for Catholic Education (ICE) has coordinated the implementation of the family life curriculum in publicly funded Catholic schools. Visit www.archtoronto.org for a resource answering questions regarding implementation from a Catholic school perspective. Also posted on bulletin board.

