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Capuchin Franciscan



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Monday - Friday: 9am - 5pm (closed 1:30-2:30pm), Saturday: 9am - 3pm, Sundays & Holidays: CLOSED

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5pm,
Sunday: 9:15am, 12noon, 8pm
Monday - Saturday 8am

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4 - 4:45pm

BAPTISM:

Arrangements for infant baptism may be made by calling the parish office for details.

MARRIAGE:

Couple to be married must contact a priest one year in advance.

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:

Please call the parish office & we can visit the sick at home or in hospital.

REGISTRATION:

Every family should be registered with the parish & use envelopes each Sunday. Parishioners, please inform the parish office of any changes of telephone or address.

HORARIO DE MISAS

Sábado Vigila: 6:30pm
Domingo: 1:30pm
Miércoles 7pm

CONFESIONES:

1/2 hora antes de las misas
Dominicales

BAUTISMO:

Arreglos para bautizar su niño, llame la oficina de la parroquia y hable con el sacerdote.

MATRIMONIO:

Parejas planeando casarse deben contactar al sacerdote con un año de anticipación.

COMUNION DE LOS ENFERMOS

Llamar a la oficina de la parroquia y lo podemos visitar en la casa o el hospital.

REGISTRACIÓN:

Regístrese y utilice los sobres para la colecta dominical. Favor de informar la oficina de cambio de dirección o número de teléfono.

ORARIO DELLE MESSE

Domenica: 8am & 10:30am
Lunedì - Venerdì 7:15am
Sabato 8:30am

CONFESSIONI:

Venerdì 4pm - 5:30pm

BATTESIMO:

I genitori che desiderano richiedere il battesimo per i loro bambini sono invitati a mettersi in contatto con l'ufficio parrocchiale e parlare con un sacerdote.

MATRIMONIO:

Le coppie che desiderano celebrare il loro matrimonio in chiesa sono pregati di mettersi in contatto con l'ufficio parrocchiale un anno in anticipo.

COMUNIONE AGLI AMMALATI:

Vi chiediamo di contattare la parrocchia e richiedere la visita del sacerdote a casa o in ospedale.

REGISTRAZIONI:

E' importante che le famiglie residenti in parrocchia si iscrivano in ufficio, richiedendo le buste per l'offertorio domenicale. Vi chiediamo la cortesia di informare l'ufficio su qualsiasi cambiamento di indirizzo, numero telefonico.

PARISH REGISTRATION: Please fill & place in collection basket.

ENVELOPES? - Yes ☐ or NO ☐

New Parishioner ☐

Change of Address ☐

Moving out of Parish ☐

Name: _____ Phone: () _____

Address: _____ Apt.# _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Children Names & Birthdates: _____



This first Sunday of Lent, Jesus gives us an example: before ever speaking a Word in public ministry, Jesus moved by the Holy Spirit, went to the desert for 40 days of personal prayer – focused on the Father. He was tempted by Satan there. Mark tells us that He “lived with wild beasts,” that is, struggles, tests, sufferings, scarcity, temptations.... But Jesus wasn’t abandoned to luck, he wasn’t alone. The Holy Spirit was with Him as Guide, as strength and as a link to unite with God the Father. We have Jesus’ words, his first public words after the 40 days of prayer and fasting: “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent, and believe in the gospel.” Let’s live this Lent as a time to reorganize our lives – through prayer, fasting and almsgiving – always placing God first in our lives. When we feel Satan’s temptations, know that we are not alone. The angels serve us as they did Jesus. The Spirit is also our guide, our strength and our link to unite to God the Father.

Este primer domingo de Cuaresma Jesús nos da un gran ejemplo: antes de decir una sola palabra en su ministro público, Jesús, impulsado por Espíritu Santo, se retiró al desierto donde pasó cuarenta días en oración personal - enfocado en el Padre. Allí fue tentado por Satanás. Marcos nos dice que "vivía con los animales salvajes", es decir, luchas, pruebas, sufrimientos, escasez, tentaciones... Pero Jesús no estaba abandonado a su suerte, no estaba solo. El Espíritu Santo estaba con Él como guía, como fuerza y como vínculo de unión con Dios Padre. Tengamos en cuenta las palabras de Jesús, sus primeras palabras públicas después de cuarenta días de oración y ayuno: "Se ha cumplido el tiempo y el Reino de Dios ya está cerca. Arrepíentanse y crean en el Evangelio." Y vivamos la Cuaresma como un tiempo para reordenar nuestras vidas - por la oración, el ayuno y la limosna - poniendo a Dios siempre en el primer lugar de nuestras vidas. Y cuando sintamos la tentación de Satanás, sabemos que no estamos solos. Los ángeles nos sirven como a Jesús. El Espíritu es también nuestro guía, nuestra fuerza y nuestro vínculo de unión con Dios Padre.

In questa prima domenica di Quaresima, Gesu' ci propone un esempio: prima di pronunciare una qualsiasi parola nel pubblico ministero, Gesu' mosso dallo Spirito Santo si reca nel deserto per 40 giorni di preghiera personale - concentrata sul Padre. Lì fu tentato da Satana. Marco ci dice che egli visse "con le bestie selvatiche", ovvero, lotte, prove, sofferenze, scarsità, tentazioni...ma Gesu' non fu abbandonato alla sorte, non era solo. Lo Spirito Santo era con Lui in qualità di guida, di forza e di legame con Dio Padre. Riceviamo le prime parole di Gesu', le sue prime parole pubbliche dopo 40 giorni di preghiera e digiuno: "Il tempo è compiuto, e il regno di Dio è prossimo; pentiti e credi al Vangelo". Viviamo questa Quaresima come tempo di riorganizzazione delle nostre vite - attraverso la preghiera, il digiuno e la carità - sempre ponendo Dio al primo posto nelle nostre vite. Quando avvertiamo le tentazioni del Maligno, sappiate che non siamo soli. Gli angeli ci servono così come fecero con Gesu'. Lo Spirito è anche guida per noi, la nostra forza e il legame che ci unisce a Dio Padre.

Franciscan Saint of the Week

March 2: St. Agnes of Prague was born around 1205. She was the daughter of the King of Bohemia. Instead of marrying, she joined the Poor Clares in 1236. She enjoyed the friendship of St. Clare, herself, writing several letters to her that still exist today dealing with Franciscan spirituality. She died in the early 1280's.



God promises a safe landing, not a calm passage.



Fr. Paul Duplessie, OFM Cap., Pastor

TOGETHER WE ARE CONTINUING TO WORK WONDERS...

Pope Benedict XVI has described charity as "the true force that changes the world." That statement is certainly true when we talk about ShareLife, the primary charitable appeal of our Archdiocese. In our region, we have the chance to exercise Catholic charity in a true meaningful way. Through our active involvement in ShareLife, we reach out to some of the most vulnerable, marginalized and needy people in our midst. We also help our neighbours, friends and fellow parishioners as they work through difficult times. **Please consider supporting ShareLife, the annual fundraising appeal of our Archdiocese, during this Lenten season.**

— *Cardinal Thomas C. Collins, Archbishop of Toronto*

1st ShareLife Sunday-March 25, 2012 Together, we can work WONDERS!



Messa Vedove March 1, 2012-6:30pm

Liturgy Committee meets February 29 at 7p

There is no 1st Friday Mass in March or April due to Lenten Stations of the Cross.

Please remember to pray for all our **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** candidates. They and their families have been faithfully coming to the **RCIA** classes learning and sharing about God. They will all be received into the Church this Easter Vigil.

Also, remember in your prayers all of our students who faithfully come to classes for **First Holy Communion and Confirmation**.

They receive their respective Sacraments this April and May.

HELP WANTED - St. Vincent de Paul Society

needs YOU! We need volunteer **DRIVERS** to visit local families to deliver food baskets throughout LENT!



This Lent can you sacrifice an hour a week?

Please call 416-241-3101x229 to volunteer!

CALLING ALL PARISHIONERS: Please help the St. Vincent de Paul stock their shelves for this Lent & Easter!

Please bring canned food to the office M-F 9a-8p & Sat 9a-3p. Our neighbours desperately need help !

Come celebrate the 20th **Lift Jesus Higher Rally**

Sat. March 3, 2012 9am-5:30pm at the Metro Convention Centre

Cardinal Thomas Collins-Celebrate Mass with our new Cardinal!

Youth Rally for ages 12-20, please call 416-251-4255

Totus Tuus Catholic Youth Bible Camp returns July 1!

All students in grades 1 to 12, ask your parents to bring you to this week-long camp to deepen your Faith, teach you our Church Catechism, love & adore God and make brilliant friends! We'll also have parties to celebrate! See the poster & parish website.



First Sunday of Lent

Capuchin Franciscan Friars host a
"COME AND SEE"
DISCERNMENT WEEKEND
on **March 23-25, 2012**



Lent: the springtime of the soul...is a time to make a new covenant with God, develop new signs of our relationship with our Creator. Go into your own desert and discover what God is asking of you. If you think God could be calling you to a Church vocation and are young men from age 18-50, please contact **Br. Louis 416-819-6687**

Stations of the Cross on Fridays:
6:30pm English
Via Crucis Venerdì di Quaresima:
7:15pm Italiano
Via Crucis Viernes de Cuarezma:
8:00pm Español



7th Sunday of Ordinary Time

2011 \$7,940.72

2012 \$8,206.86

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de la Misa Intenziones della Messa

Monday, February 27

7:15 am † Anime in Purgatorio

8:00 am † Deceased of all parishioners' fam

Tuesday, February 28

7:15 am † Domenico & Cesidia Tantalo

8:00 am † Vocations to Religious Life, Priest

Wednesday, February 29

7:15 am † Frank & Joe Carusone

8:00 am † Gasperino DeGasperis' Intentions

Thursday, March 1

7:15 am † Selina & Cesidi Francesco

8:00 am † Michele Tamburrini

Friday, March 2

7:15 am † Giuseppe & Lucia Falovo

8:00 am † Joseph Mulhall

Saturday, March 3

8:00 am † Florencia Santiago

8:30 am † Alfredo Polesel

5:00 pm † Giusti & Domenico

6:30 pm **Misa en Español**

Sunday, March 4

8:00 am † Felipe Salome & Rosa Rietro

9:15 am † Aires Brito

10:30 am † Armando Tersigni

12:00 pm † Ruben Sovran

1:30 pm **Misa en Español**

8:00 pm For all parishioners



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