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SUNDAY MASSES
 Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:00, 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES
 Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m.
First Friday only: No Morning Mass 7:00 p.m.
 (Mass followed by Adoration)

PASTORAL TEAM
 Fr. Joseph Kalluvila, O. Carm., Pastor
 Fr. Felix Antony, O.Carm., Assoc. Pastor
 Rev. Mr. John Cannon, Deacon
 Kate Watkiss, Pastoral Associate

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READINGS OF THE WEEK

Mon	Oct 12	Romans 1.1-7; Luke 11.29-32
Tues	Oct 13	Romans 1.16-25; Luke 11.37-41
Wed	Oct 14	Romans 2.1-11; Luke 11.42-46
Thurs	Oct 15	Romans 3.21-30; Luke 11.47-54
Fri	Oct 16	Romans 4.1-8; Luke 12.1-7
Sat	Oct 17	Romans 4.13-16-18; Luke 12.8-12
Sun	Oct 18	Isaiah 53.10-11; Hebrews 4.14-16; Mark 10.35-45

CHURCH

Tues	Oct 13	Adult Choir 8 – 10:00 p.m.
Thurs	Oct 15	Folk Choir 8 - 10:00 p.m.
Sat	Oct 17	Ministry Training 11 – 11:30 a.m. Children's Choir 9:45 – 11:00 a.m.

SEMINAR ROOM

Wed	Oct 14	Prime Time Crafts 2 – 4 p.m. Non Catholic Sac Prep 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Sat	Oct 17	Rosary Apostolate 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. CFC CLP 6:30 – 10:00 p.m.

BOARDROOM

Tues	Oct 13	Liturgy Meeting 7 – 9 p.m.
Wed	Oct 14	P.S. Confirmation 6 – 8:30 p.m.

NESSINGER HALL

Tues	Oct 13	Campaign Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Thurs	Oct 14	K of C General Meeting 7 – 10:00 p.m. CIC 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT



There is a promise of marriage between:
Timour Alli and Veronica Pandolfi
Ken Dietrich and Chantel Martins

LET US PRAY FOR A HAPPY MARRIAGE

**NEXT WEEKEND IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
 A SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN**

Perhaps you've been wondering about
 which issues you should be considering in the **Federal Election**. The Canadian Bishops Election Guide gives some examples of the application of Catholic moral and social teaching and we will look another of these issues this week. The heading for this week is **A healthy country in a health environment**. Protecting the environment means a number of things, including implementing responsible stewardship practices for the environment, honouring international agreements to reduce gas emissions, reducing our dependence on fossil fuels, and trying to curb urban pollution. It also covers developing public transit, encouraging investment in renewable energy and energy efficiency and developing natural resources without harming life quality in those communities. When thinking of future generations we must bequeath a sustainable and healthy environment and protect water as an essential resource. These are topics spoken of often by Pope Francis. There is a lot to consider here, but these are issues we are invited to ask the political parties and our own candidates about.

For more information please visit
<http://www.cccb.ca/site/eng/media-room/announcements/4242-ccb-edition-of-the-new-encyclical-laudato-si>

Calling All Eucharistic Ministers!

A very special workshop for all Eucharistic Ministers is being held on Saturday, October 17th
 9:30 a.m. to Noon

This will be led by a member of the Diocesan team of Formation for Discipleship and so will be a very special opportunity to receive some unique formation for this very special ministry.

Looking forward to seeing you there!

THANKSGIVING DAY

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
 MONDAY OCTOBER 12th, 2015**

We have a need-

Please read on as to how you can be of great help in our parish. We are looking for people who would like to assist with the formation of our children who are preparing for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. We meet with them each Wednesday evening from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. For more information please call Kate at the parish office.



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ADULT FAITH DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY
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REFLECTION OF THE WEEK

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dangers of Riches

**“Fill us with your love, O Lord, that we may
rejoice and be glad.”**

How can the pleasures and comforts of this world
become barriers to your relationship with God?

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Telephone voice mail extensions at the parish for questions regarding sacramental preparation for baptized children attending Catholic school. Messages will be returned by Sacramental Team.

905 821-1331 Ext. 225 1st Communion / Reconciliation

905 821-1331 Ext. 230 Confirmation

Messages left on these voice mails will be returned by members of the Sacramental Team.

PRIME TIME CLUB (for individuals 50 and over)

Activities are: Monthly Potluck in Nessinger Hall, monthly Luncheon at a local Restaurant.

Crafts: Wednesday from 2:00 - 4:00 pm.

Contact Barb @ 905- 819- 9099 for info.

New members are always welcome. Membership fee is \$10.00 per year. Contact Raymonde 416-564-4484.

Ministry to the Bereaved

- > The ministry is intended to offer spiritual support and the healing comfort of God to all who mourn a loss through death.
- > Support is offered in a group setting or on an individual basis.
- > Our ministers journey with the person through their grief, offering consolation and compassion as wounded healers.
- > This ministry is offered to all who feel ready to take this step in their journey of grief.
- > We ask that the person who wishes to begin this program, contact the parish office personally.
- > Please pass on the word and let us be a parish of compassion and consolation, reaching out to those who suffer alone.
- > Our next 6 week group session begins October 30th at 6:30p.m.
- > Individual sessions are scheduled on mutually convenient times.
- > Contact the parish office 905 1331 or
- > Muriel Haney 905 507 1581



COFFEE SUNDAY

Served in the Rotunda

Hosted by the Youth and Altar Servers

Saturday, October 17th after 5 p.m. Mass &

**Sunday, October 18th after the 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
and Noon and 4:00 p.m. Masses.**

make sure you are not trapping another car in the parking lot.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

If we really believe in something, it does not seem to be a sacrifice to give up everything else to pursue that new dream. Jesus asks the same as any great leader...total dedication, but He promises rewards no one else can promise. “You will have treasure in Heaven, then come, follow Me.” Follow the call of Christ as a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you think God is calling you to one of these, call **Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416- 968-0997** www.vocationstoronto.ca

CARMEL HEIGHTS GARAGE SALE

The Carmelite Sisters are conducting their garage sale of furniture, etc. on Friday, October 16th, 1:00 to 8:00 p.m. and Saturday, October 17th, 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Location: Carmel Heights, 1720 Sherwood Forrest Circle, Mississauga, Ontario.

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