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PARISH STAFF

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

(Office Closed for Lunch from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.)

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

(Office Closed on Statutory Holidays)

MUSIC DIRECTORS

Edwin Chiu: Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Geoff Butler: Sunday 9:30 am, 11:00 am & 12:30 pm.

T.C.D.S.B. SCHOOL CONNECTED TO THE PARISH

Holy Rosary Catholic School Office: (416) 393-5225

Bianca Auciello: Principal

FAMILY CATECHETICAL PROGRAM

(September - May)

9:30 a.m., Sunday Family Mass in the Church

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Catechetical Classes in the Parish

Hall & Holy Rosary School

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

We ask new parishioners to register with the Parish.

Forms and Church envelopes are available at the doors of the Church and at the Parish Office.

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

- Community Celebration:
Choir, Piano and Guitar

Sunday **8:00 a.m.**

- Mass Without Music

Sunday **9:30 a.m.**

Sunday **11:00 a.m.**

Cantor/Congregational Singing

Sunday **12:30 p.m.**

WEEKDAY MASSES

12:10 p.m. Monday - Friday

9:00 a.m. Saturday

ROSARY

Monday to Friday: 11:40 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday: 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday: 11:50 a.m. to 12:05 p.m.

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

People seeking Baptism for their children must be registered in the Parish for at least three months, must have an interview with a member of the Parish staff and must complete a Baptismal Preparation Course.

ARRANGING A WEDDING

Couples wishing to arrange a wedding are required to contact the Parish 1 year in advance. A wedding reception should not be set before the date is confirmed with the Pastor. A Marriage Preparation Course is Required.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK AND CARE FOR THE ELDERLY & SHUT-INS

Those confined to their homes by illness, infirmity or age, may arrange to receive communion by contacting the Parish Office.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 7, 2016

"Marriage is an act of will that signifies and involves a mutual gift, which unites the spouses and binds them to their eventual souls, with whom they make up a sole family - a domestic church."

– Pope John Paul II

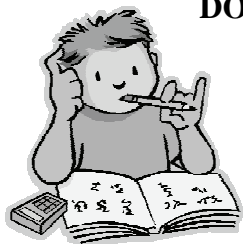
Holy Mass

Opening Hymn - #630 – Holy, Holy, Holy
Psalm Refrain – Before the angels I sing your praise, O Lord.

Offertory Hymn - # 714 – Be not afraid

Closing Hymn -# 631 – Holy God, we praise thy name
Geoffrey Butler, music director & organist

DO YOU NEED HELP WITH YOUR HOMEWORK?



If so, it is your lucky day! Holy Rosary will be having a **Homework Club** from **February 25 – June 9**. It will be held on **Thursday's from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM** in the Parish Hall - Lounge.

There is no cost and children in Grades 1-8 are welcome! Snacks will be provided. We are also looking for volunteers/ tutors. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Angeli. For more information, please call the Parish Office at 416-923-8471 or email angeli@holyroary.ca

Parish Pastoral Plan

We are happy to share that the Parish Pastoral Plan Committee has been meeting regularly developing a plan based on parishioners input from the open forums and from the surveys received. We look forward to presenting a draft plan in late February / early March.

Thank you to those who participated

FEBRUARY'S Food of the Month suggested donation are **CRACKERS**. Please support your Churches-On-The-Hill Foodbank to help those in need, donations can be left at the back of the church. *Please note that the Foodbank no longer needs egg cartons and plastic bags at the present time.



Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace

Development and Peace of Holy Rosary will be meeting on Monday, February 22, 2016 in the Parish Hall, Room 4 at 7:15 pm. New members are most welcome!

MARRIAGE SUNDAY



The Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate **Marriage Sunday** in our parishes the weekend of February 6/7, 2016. On Saturday, February 13, 2016 at 4:30 p.m.

couples from across the archdiocese will gather for A Celebration of Marriage with Cardinal Thomas Collins at St. Andrew Kim Parish.

Let us continue to pray for married couples and those who support them on their journey. We hope that Marriage Sunday provides a special opportunity to celebrate the sacrament and give thanks for those who strengthen our communities through their loving commitment to God, their family and one another.



DID YOU KNOW?

On **Monday, February, 15th, 2016** the **Parish Office** will be closed all day for Family Day and will reopen on Tuesday, February 16th, 2016 at 9:00 am. The 12:10 mass on February 15th is offered for the families of Holy Rosary and for all of our parishioners.

The **next Development and Peace Coffee Sunday** is on **Sunday, March 6th, 2016** after the 8:00 am, 9:30 am & 11:00 am mass only.

The next **Baptismal Preparation Course** is on **Saturday, March 12, 2016 at 10:30 am** please register in the Parish Office.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 7, 2016

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 8, 2016

12:10 pm. Ricardo de Leon (+),
Rosalia Nuevo (+), & Cecilio Nuevo (+)
Requested By: Adelaida de Leon

Tuesday, February 9, 2016

12:10 pm. The Honorable,
George W. Vari (+)
Requested By: His Wife, Helen Vari

Wednesday, February 10, 2016

ASH WEDNESDAY

9:30 am. Holy Rosary School Service
12:10 pm. Mass at Holy Rosary Church
*Please note if you miss the mass at HR you can attend mass
at St. Alphonsus Parish (St. Clair Ave. & Vaughan Rd.)*
7:30 pm. Mass at St. Alphonsus Parish

Thursday, February 11, 2016

12:10 pm. Rolando Lavilla (+) &
Sofronai Lavilla (+)
Requested by: Erlinda Lavilla

Friday, February 12, 2016

12:10 pm. Mr. Anthony Gerald Smith (+)
Requested by: Fr. John Elmer Abad

MULTIPLE INTENTIONS

Roberto Mopas (+), Emma Corre (Thanksgiving Mass),
Remedios Navidad (+), Philip Wong (+), Sarjo (+)

Saturday, February 13, 2016

9:00 am. Tom Murphy (+)
Requested By: Linda Riddell
5:00 pm. Vincent Chui (+)
Requested By: Holy Rosary D & P Group

Sunday, February 14, 2016

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners
9:30 am. Venancia Leling Omo (+) (1 Year Death
Anniversary), Edwin Eugenio (+), & Chedita Omo (+)
Requested By: Belinda Ramos
11:00 am. Labib Henein (+)
Requested By: Joseph Henein
12:30 pm. Eddy Narducci (+)
Requested By: The Narducci Family

WOMEN'S LENTEN RETREAT WEEKEND

February 19-21, 2016 at Queen of Apostles, Mississauga.
The retreat begins at 8:00 p.m. Friday and concludes with
Mass Sunday noon, followed by lunch. Preached by the
Centre Team. Please call 905-278-5229 for further
information or to register.

A Lenten Retreat for Teachers

All educators are welcome to attend this year's Lenten retreat
"Mercy in the Life of a Teacher" sponsored by the Catholic
Teachers Guild of Toronto. Led by Fr. John Yake, the day will
include opportunity for Adoration and Confessions. Lunch is
included. **COST:** \$20 or \$10 for teacher candidates and not-yet-
permanent teachers. To pre-register, email:
barry.white@tcdsb.org February 27, 2016 – 9:00 am at Loretto
Abbey - 101 Mason Blvd.

Dynamic Women of Faith Catholic Women's Conference

Saturday, March 19 – 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Dynamic Women of Faith Catholic Women's Conference
The John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre Next to St. Maximillian
Kolbe Parish - 4300 Cawthra Rd., Mississauga
Keynote speaker is renowned author and EWTN personality
Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle who is flying in from New York.
Other speakers: Deacon Doug McManaman, author of The
Logic of Anger, Anne Jamieson, Director of Catechesis,
Archdiocese of Hamilton, the Joy of Believing, Sister Maria
Kateri, The Power of Prayer, Dorothy Pilarski, author
Motherhood Matters, Salt & Light TV personality, How to Start
a Mothers Group. Celebrate the Jubilee Year of Mercy, walk
through the Holy Doors of the Eucharistic Chapel of St.
Maximillian Kolbe Church. **EARLY BIRD FEE** (before Feb.
20th) is \$55 **REGULAR FEE** \$60 **FEE INCLUDES:** light
breakfast, lunch & parking **CONTACT:** Dorothy Pilarski
PHONE: 905-279-7702 **EMAIL:**
dynamicwomenfaith@yahoo.ca

Lenten Day of Recollection - Living Lent in the Jubilee Year of Mercy

February 20 - 10:00 am - Newman Centre - 89 St. George St.,
Toronto Please join us for a Lenten Day of Recollection on
major themes of Pope Francis' Petrine Ministry with
Fr. Thomas Rosica, CSB, former Pastor of Newman Centre and
current CEO of Salt + Light Catholic Media Foundation. Fr.
Rosica will present three topics: 1) Why a Jubilee of Mercy? 2)
The Prodigal Father and Two Wayward Sons; 3) *Laudato Si'*
and Our Response. There is time for personal prayer and
reflection. All are welcome. **COST:** Free will offering. Please
bring your own lunch. Coffee and snacks provided. **RSVP:**
Wednesday, February 17 **PHONE:** 416 979-2468, ext. 223
EMAIL: fr.chris@newmantoronto.com

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