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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.**

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

} Cantor/Congregational Singing

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.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 1, 2016

"Be gentle to all and stern with yourself."

-St. Teresa of Avila

Holy Mass

Opening Hymn - #496 – Alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord

Psalm Refrain – Let the peoples, praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you

Offertory Hymn - # 570 – Gift of finest wheat

*Closing Hymn -# 611 –Immaculate Mary
Geoffrey Butler, music director & organist*



Demographic Survey

Inserted in the bulletin today and at all of the Church entrances is a copy of the demographic survey that we kindly ask you to complete and return to the Parish

Office (via collection basket or delivery to the office) by May 22, 2016. We are in the process of updating our Parishioner database and would appreciate your assistance.



SAVE THE DATE

On Wednesday **May 18, 2016** from **7:00 PM – 9:00 PM** at the Church, there will be a talk on

issues related to Euthanasia. As the Canadian government moves forward to legalize euthanasia, please join us to share reflections on the momentous impact that this will have on the inherent dignity of each person and the sanctity of human life.

Following the talk will be a reception in the Parish Hall.

The speakers joining us for this event are:

Charles Lewis

Freelance Writer

Former Religion Editor, National Post

Rabbi David Novak

Professor of Philosophy

J. Richard and Dorothy Shiff Chair of Jewish Studies

University of Toronto

Dr. Patricia Murphy

Assistant Professor, Moral Theology

St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto

Monsignor Robert Nusca

Pastor, Holy Rosary Church

Associate Professor, New Testament

St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto



Dear Parishioners:

Please respect the Church, the staff & our volunteers that work very hard to keep the Church clean. Please do not leave garbage in the pews. If you do see garbage please pick it up and throw it away. **Join us on Saturday, May 7th at 10:00 am (after the 9:00 am mass) for a fun time of work and fellowship** as we come together to clean up our church grounds for spring! We'll be pulling weeds, pruning, mulching, raking, planting and more. **So grab your work gloves, and a rake if you have one**, and join us for a great time of working outside together. Please call the office before the cleanup date to let Angeli know that you will be attending!



Our parish has been FORMED. We have subscribed to an online platform where every parishioner will have 24/7 access to the best Catholic content online. The login information is as follows:

Go to: www.formed.org , Select Login

Enter E-mail: international@formed.org

User Password: formed (do not change this password)

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 1, 2016

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 2, 2016

12:10 pm. Donald MacDonald (+)
Requested By: Anne Kobliha

Tuesday, May 3, 2016

12:10 pm. Shirley Maroney (+)
(5th Anniversary)
Requested By: John Maroney

Wednesday, May 4, 2016

12:10 pm. Herminigilda Lampong (+)
& Francisco Lampong (+)
Requested By: Ana Lampong

Thursday, May 5, 2016

12:10 pm. Judith Bunda (+)
(1 Year Death Anniversary)
Requested By: Her Daughter, Vilma

Friday, May 6, 2016

12:10 pm. Enid Christine Wu (+)
Requested By: The Sinn Family

*Multiple Intentions: David Doyle
(Death Anniversary) (+)*

Saturday, May 7, 2016

9:00 pm. Special Intentions
Requested By: Maria Larginho
5:00 pm. Jacinto, Estrella &
Jerome Bendebel (+)
Requested By: Ines & Celso Apduhan

Sunday, May 8, 2016

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners
9:30 am. Julia Mascarinas (+)
Requested By: Anita Mascarinas
11:00 am. Nora Bruce (+) &
Laura Power (+)
12:30 pm. Mary Davis (+)
Requested By: Jo-Ann Davis & Family



CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR
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and Peace**

COFFEE SUNDAY

Today is Development and Peace's Coffee Sunday. We are celebrating the month dedicated to Mary and to all mothers. Join us for Fair Trade chocolate fondue with strawberries and a special treat with the first rhubarb of the season after the **8:00 am, 9:30 am and 11 am masses.**

YOUTH NEWS!

Confirmation for the Catechetical Program students and Holy Rosary School students will be celebrated on **Sunday, May 8th at 4:00 pm** with The Most Reverend Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick. Please pray for the young people of our Parish as they receive the grace of the Holy Spirit in this sacrament.

OUR
SCHEDULE!

Sunday, May 1 – First Communion at 9:30 am
(Catechetical Program Students)
- First Communion at 12:30 pm
(Holy Rosary School Students)
- Development & Peace Coffee Sunday after the 8:00 am,
9:30 am & 11:00 am masses only.

Wednesday, May 4 – Confirmation Retreat –
Parish Hall 9:00 am – 3:30 pm
(Catechetical Program & Holy Rosary Students)
- Confirmation Rehearsal (Church) 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
Sunday, May 8 – Confirmation at 4:00 pm (Catechetical
Program & Holy Rosary Students)
Tuesday & Wednesday, May 17 & 18 – St. Elizabeth
Convent will be selling hand-made
Byzantine ecclesiastical art and vesture before and after
the 12:10 pm mass.

Wednesday, May 18 – Talk on issues related to
Euthanasia 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm (Church)

Monday, May 23 – Victoria Day – Office Closed
***MASS AT 9:00 am** – There is **NO 12:10 pm Mass**

Sunday, May 29 – SHARELIFE SUNDAY –
3rd Collection

Saturday, June 11 – Baptismal Preparation Course at
10:30 am in the Church

MAY'S Food of the Month suggested donation is
**CANNED PLAIN BEANS, CHICKPEAS,
and LENTILS ETC.** Please note that the
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