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PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor
Rev. David Gikonyo IMC, Associate Pastor
Robert Suthers, Deacon
Lydia Rogers, Secretary
Julia Coffa, Youth Minister
Catherine Ecker, Catechist

MASS TIMES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.
Monday & Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 10:00 a.m.
Thursday Rosary: 2:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:15 p.m.

DAY TIME OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Monday to Thursday: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

BAPTISM:

Please approach one of the parish priests, after Sunday mass only, for a Baptism Preparation Package. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized are expected to be members of our Parish Community.

MARRIAGE:

Couples, wishing to be married, must themselves contact the Pastor at least one full year in advance. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.

VISITATION OF THE SICK:

Anyone who cannot attend Mass with us in the Church, because of illness, handicap or age, or anyone who wishes to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick), please call the Parish Office. Please notify us of any hospitalizations so that we may visit.

PARISH SCHOOLS:

Holy Family	Elementary S.	905-857-1300
Pope John Paul II	Elementary S.	905-857-4241
St. John the Baptist	Elementary S.	905-951-8788
St. Nicholas	Elementary S.	905-857-7582
St. Michael	Secondary S.	905-951-8935
RF Hall	Secondary S.	905-584-1670

NEW PARISHIONERS AND REGISTRATION:

If you are new to the Parish, or have not yet completed a Registration Form, do take one from the rack in front of the office window. Completed forms may be handed into the office or put into the collection basket.

WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH MINISTRIES

PARISH MINISTRIES and COMMITTEES

Altar Servers	Deacon Robert Suthers	905-729-3974
Choirs:		
5:00 Saturday Choir	Jolène Sunseri	905-859-2719
8:30 Choir	Anatoly Ivchenko	416-669-5274
10:00 Choir	Nicholas Cifelli	416-725-7202
12:00 Choir	Joe Wojewoda	416-201-2487
Eucharistic Ministers	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134
Justice Committee	Carmel Hili	905-857-4328
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Property Committee	John Florian & Vince Limina	
R.C.I.A.	Catherine Ecker	905-857-1938
Share Life Co-Chairs:	Diana Ciarlandini	905-857-3287
	Frank D'Ettore	905-951-9665

Shepherds' Trust	Mike Stapleton	1-877-875-0771 Ext.652
Stewardship Committee	Lydia Rogers	905-857-1938
Ushers	Gabrielle Suthers	905-729-3974

PRAYER GROUPS

Charismatic Prayer Group	Betty-Anne Folkard	905-951-7273
Rosary Group	Margaret Mazza	905-857-3475

ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Women's League		
Knights of Columbus	John Ranieri	416-473-2852



NINETENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 7th, 2016

*"Happy the people the Lord
has chosen as his own."*

Psalter Week III



Parents wishing to baptize their children at Holy Family are invited to approach either Fr. Larry, Fr. David, or Deacon Robert after any of the Sunday masses, in order to obtain a Baptism Preparation Package.

BAPTISM FOR CHILDREN IN SCHOOL

Baptism is the first Sacrament of Initiation and it is the sacrament that prepares us to celebrate Confirmation and First Eucharist. If your child is not baptized, or if your child was baptized in another Christian Church (Anglican, Lutheran, etc.) and you would like your child to be a member of the Catholic Church, please contact Catherine Ecker, 905-857-1938, or email: catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca.

MUSICIANS NEEDED!



Do you enjoy singing and praising God with song? If so, you are invited to join the 12:00 noon choir. We practice every Wednesday at 6:00 pm and would welcome new members! For further information, please speak with Joe after mass, or email: jwoje@rogers.com.

STEWARDSHIP

Am I waiting for the 'right' time to become a good steward: Do I plan to share my time and talents 'later'?

Today's Gospel urges us to give generously and thus build up treasure in heaven. For "wherever your treasure lies, there your heart will be."

LIVING THE YEAR OF MERCY



As we continue to enjoy the rhythm of summer and less schedules, we may find ourselves a little impatient with our family or friends. When we are feeling impatient, praying this short prayer may assist us in letting God's mercy shine, "Set, O Lord, a guard over my month, keep watch, O Lord, at the door of my lips (Psalm 141: 3).

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Wednesday August 17th, 2016

Masses throughout the Greater Toronto Area and Barrie will take place for the souls of the deceased buried in our Catholic Cemeteries, on Wednesday August 17th, at 7:00 pm. Please consult the bulletin board for locations and celebrants.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE



Our property committee is in need of anyone with expertise in plumbing, electrical, HVAC, painting, minor repairs, etc. If you are available and can assist from time to time, please call Lydia in the parish office, 905-857-1938.

PREPARING TO CELEBRATE CONFIRMATION IN 2017



All parents of young people, born in 2004 (currently in grade 6) or later, who are baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and are interested in preparing to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation, are invited to attend an important information meeting on **Tuesday September 13th, 7:30 - 9:00 pm, OR Sunday September 25th, 2:00 - 3:30 pm.** Participation in one of the meetings is essential. **Both parents and candidates are to attend.**

PREPARING YOUNG PEOPLE TO SHARE IN HOLY COMMUNION 2017



All parents of children born in 2009 (currently grade 1 or earlier, who are baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and wish to be prepared to share in Holy Communion, are asked to attend an important information meeting on **Sunday September 18th, 2:00 - 3:30 pm, OR Tuesday September 27th, 7:30 - 9:00 pm.** Participation in one of the meetings is essential. To assist with full participation, we encourage you to arrange for child care. Any questions, can be directed to Catherine Ecker, parish catechist, at catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca



Thank you
for sharing the air!

The circumstances
you ask God
to change
are often
the circumstances
God is using
to change you.

BAPTISM BY FIRE

A reflection on Christianity in the Middle East

Join us for a fundraising dinner in solidarity with those affected by conflicts in the Middle East, with Fr. Henri Boulad SJ, September 10th, 2016, at the Madison Convention Centre, 17 Vinyl Court, Woodbridge. Tickets are \$75/pp. For further details, please call Germaine, 416-473-3717.

SAVE THE DATE!

September 29th and 30th, 2016 St. Michael's Cathedral Rededication Celebrations

On the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, patron saint of the Archdiocese of Toronto, St. Michael's Cathedral, mother church of the archdiocese, will be rededicated after several years of significant restoration. A series of events is planned to commemorate this milestone. Please refer to the bulletin board in the gathering space for further details.

CALLING ALL LAITY!

St. Augustine's Seminary

Courses are offered towards diplomas and degrees in lay ministry, theological studies, and religious education. For more information about the degree and diploma programs please call 416-261-7207, or visit: www.staugustines.on.ca.

HOLY NAME OF MARY COLLEGE SCHOOL

Holy Name of Mary College School is an independent Catholic school for girls in grades 5-12. We provide a university preparatory program that educates, inspires and empowers the girls of today to become the next generation of confident female leaders of character.

We currently still have a few spots available for September 2016 for those who would welcome the opportunity to be successful at HNMCS. Please call Giselle Fernandes at 905-891-1890, ext. 103 for further details.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Please include your name and address on your weekly collection envelope. Thank you!



Many thanks
for all your donations!



Saturdays 5:00pm Mass
Followed by Ultimate Frisbee!!



Have a great summer!
We will resume
in September!!

MOMS & TOTS



Moms, Dads and caregivers with babies and toddlers are invited every Wednesday morning, from 9:30am - 12:00 noon for refreshments and fellowship. Please join Deacon Robert and his wife Gabrielle for fun, frivolity and a "cuppa". Bring the kids. We have a great selection of toys and refreshments!

VOCATIONS

"Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the connection of things not seen." What do you hope for in the future? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-968-0997.

May you be blessed to witness an itty-bitty, teeny-tiny act of God that gently taps you on the shoulder and secretly (just to you) whispers "Isn't life amazing?!!!"



Mass Intentions

Monday August 8th 7:00pm

†Margaret Mazza

Requested by the Rosary Group

Tuesday August 9th 10:00 am

For All the Sick of the Parish

Wednesday August 10th 7:00pm

†Gabriella Lombardi

Requested by the parish team

Thursday August 11th 10:00 am

†Lino Cracco

Requested by Ralph Cracco

Friday August 12th 10:00 am

†Zita Cracco

Requested by Ralph Cracco

Saturday August 13th

5:00 pm

Sunday August 14th

8:30 am, 10:00 am, 12:00noon

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(August 3rd - August 9th)

Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic

Shirley Wakeman

Letitia Grant

Gracious and holy Father,
please give me intellect
to understand you,
reason to discern you,
diligence to seek you,
wisdom to find you,
a spirit to know you,
a heart to meditate upon you,
ears to hear you,
eyes to see you,
a tongue to proclaim you,
a way of life pleasing to you,
patience to wait for you,
and perseverance
to look for you.
Grant me a perfect end.
Your holy presence.
A blessed resurrection.
And life everlasting.

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