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PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor
Rev. David Gikonyo IMC, Associate Pastor
Robert Suthers, Deacon
Lydia Rogers, Secretary
Stephanie Benedetti, Youth Minister
Catherine Ecker, Catechist
Neil Pereira, Seminarian

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	Jolene Sunseri	905-859-2719
10:00 Choir	Angela Hay	905-951-2920
12:00 Choir	Nicholas Cifelli	
Eucharistic Ministers	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134
Justice Committee	Carmel Hilli	905-857-4328
Lectors	Michele Steko	416-587-3665
Pastoral Care Group	Molly Jakeman	905-857-1053
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'Etto	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	Tina Trama	905-951-7676
Knights of Columbus	Dennis Busca	905-857-3865



ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 14th, 2015

"Lord, it is good to give thanks to you."

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 call the parish office at 905-857-1938 and leave a message for Catherine Ecker, our parish catechist.

IS GOD CALLING YOU?

If you have wondered about becoming a full member of the Catholic Church and participating in receiving the Body and Blood of Christ, we welcome the opportunity to have a conversation. For more information on becoming a full member of the Catholic Church, please speak with Fr. Larry, or Fr. David, or call the office: 905-857-1938, or email: Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca.

CONFIRMATION AND FIRST COMMUNION CERTIFICATES

There are a number of Confirmation and First Communion certificates which were left in the church. If you do not have your certificate, please stop by the office. If you have any questions, please contact Catherine Ecker, our parish catechist, 905-857-1938 or email: Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca

PREPARING TO CELEBRATE CONFIRMATION IN 2016 Important Information

In February 2015, Archbishop Cardinal Collins sent a letter to all pastors explaining that after consultation he has *"decided for the Archdiocese of Toronto to change the elementary school grade for the candidates for Confirmation from 8 to 7. This will take effect September 8, 2015 in terms of the sacramental preparation."*

The change instituted by Cardinal Collins will impact each parish in the Archdiocese. To facilitate effective communication, we shall be holding a meeting for all parents of young people currently enrolled in grades 6 and 7. The meeting will be held at Holy Family Parish on three different occasions. Each Parent is asked to attend one meeting.

Wednesday June 17th 7:30 – 8:30 pm
OR
Sunday June 21st 2:00 – 3:00 pm

Important information regarding the preparation process and dates for celebrating Confirmation in 2016 will be shared.

STEWARDSHIP

Like the sower in today's Gospel, I scatter as seed my gifts of time, talent, and resources; and trust that, by God's grace and in God's time, these small gifts of myself may grow and flourish and help to bring about the kingdom of God.

**Do not distrust
the Providence of God.
He who made your corn to
grow will assuredly help
to gather it in.**

St. John vianney



**Working wonders with families
In our neighbourhoods . .**

Total to Date: \$52,994.70

The Smith family came for counselling to deal with the sudden death of their parent. The children's grief was complicated by the fact that they were now residing with their other parent, with whom they had not spent a great deal of time, due to long work hours to provide for the family. As this grief stricken family learned about each other, how to relate, how to trust, how to love and build a new definition of "family", they begin to open up to their counsellor and share what their life was like before their parent's tragic death. One child in the family shared that a trusted adult in their life used to be very abusive to them – physically assaulting them, locking them in closets, and making them hurt each other – to name just a few of the milder incidents. That disclosure to the family therapist led to the arrest of that individual and it also resulted in those children no longer feeling afraid of any future victimization. Closer family intimacy, safety, and a brighter future resulted for the Smith Family. Last year, ShareLife-supported Family Service agencies, provided family counselling to over 5,100 people in the Greater Toronto area.

**Thank you for your generosity.
Together we can work wonders!**

VOCATIONS

If God is calling you to life as a deacon, religious, or priest, call 416-968-0997, or email: vocations@vocations.ca.

Humanitarian Relief Nepal Earthquake

The Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting financial contributions for humanitarian relief following the catastrophic effects of a serious earthquake. Relief workers from the official Catholic relief agency on the ground, Caritas Internationalis, say the victims most need temporary shelter, water, sanitation and hygiene supplies. Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

-On line through the Archdiocese of Toronto website:

www.archtoronto.org;

-By phone through the Development Office, 416-934-3411;

-Through the parish, making cheques payable to **Holy Family Parish-Nepal Earthquake-Humanitarian Relief**

We offer our prayers for the victims of this natural disaster and those who have been displaced. Thank you for your ongoing efforts to help those in crisis in Nepal.

MOMS & TOTS

Moms, Dads and caregivers with babies and toddlers are invited every Wednesday morning, from 9:30 am - 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!

TRAVEL THE HOLY LAND With Fr. Larry & Fr. Scott Spring, 2016

Parishioners are invited to join Fr. Larry and Fr. Scott Young for a memorable trip to the Holy Land. For details and itinerary, please speak with Fr. Larry, or call 905-857-1938. Brochures are available in the office.

**Have an attitude
of gratitude!**

WORLD YOUTH DAY Krakow, Poland July 2016



There will be an information meeting on **Sunday, June 14th at 2:00pm** in the parish hall. Information packages are available in the parish office.



The following items are needed for craft supplies: used newspapers, Pringles cans (both sizes), paper towel and toilet paper rolls, old CD's, plastic water bottles, empty cereal and toothpaste boxes and film canisters. If you can save and bring any items to the office, it would be greatly appreciated. Many thanks!!



Fridays at 7:00pm

The Edge is open to students in grades 6, 7 & 8.



Saturdays 5:00pm Mass

Life Teen is open to all high school students.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY OF HEALING

Our next get together is planned for Friday, June 19th, at 9:00 am. Bring any finished shawls, which will be



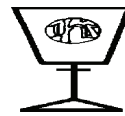
blessed at the 10:00 am mass. If you are interested in creating shawls, which in turn will be gifted to someone who is ill, grieving, or in a life transition and in need of prayer and comfort, please join us! No knitting experience required.

ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC



SAVE THE DATE!

Sunday July 5th, 2015



**Mass
Intentions**

Monday June 15th

7:00 pm †Domingo Yalung
Requested by Lani Cracco
†Paul De Faria
Requested by His Wife

Tuesday June 16th

10:00 am †Mary Vecchiarino
Requested by Lisa & Anna

Wednesday June 17th

7:00 pm †Alfredo Argiro
Requested by the Argiro Family
†Clara Pichardo
Requested by Elena maury
†Maria Galati
Requested by Rosa Rizzuto

Thursday June 18th

10:00 am †John Rynn
Requested by Rita Rynn
7:00 pm St. John Paul II Graduation Mass

Friday June 19th

10:00 am †Liam & Mary McClellan
Requested by Tom McGarvey

Saturday June 20th

5:00 pm

Sunday June 21st

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

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(June 10th - June 16th, 2015)
Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic
Shirley Wakeman
Letitia Grant
Ottavio Petrucci

**"Things start to make sense
in the classroom of silence.**

**Whatever it is
you are trying
to make sense of,
are you giving it
the silence it needs?"**

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