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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
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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
Lectors	Michele Steko	647-222-9702
Pastoral Care Group	Rosemary Shoemaker	905-857-6951
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	Dennis Busca	905-857-3865



TRINITY SUNDAY

May 22nd, 2016

*"O Lord, our God, how majestic
is your name in all the earth!"*

Psalter Week IV



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

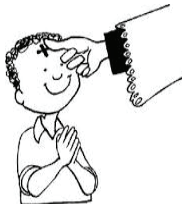
Baptism is the first Sacrament of Initiation and it is the sacrament that prepares us to celebrate Confirmation and First Eucharist. If your child is not baptized, or if your child was baptized in another Christian Church (Anglican, Lutheran, etc.) and you would like your child to be a member of the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

BECOMING A FULL MEMBER OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

If you have never been baptized and find yourself attracted to the Catholic faith, Holy Family Parish extends an invitation to explore the possibility of becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church. If you have been baptized in another Christian Church, or perhaps you have already been baptized in the Catholic faith, but have never celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist, your invitation is to complete your sacraments of initiation. Each of these invitations is to a new way of life, a way that draws one closer to God and to God's people. For more information on becoming a full member of the Catholic Church, please speak with Fr. Larry or Fr. David, or contact Catherine Ecker, our parish catechist, email: Catherine.ecker@holyfamilypolton.ca.

CELEBRATING CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation celebrations continue until June 2nd. We invite you to pray for the young people, their sponsors and families.



LIVING THE YEAR OF MERCY

This Jubilee Year of Mercy is dedicated to living out in our daily lives the mercy which God constantly extends to each of us. We are able to extend mercy because God is merciful with us. As we return to the season of Ordinary Time, you are invited to be deliberate in extending mercy to those in your family, school and workplace.



Doors of Mercy Walking Pilgrimage Sunday May 22nd, 2016 Rain or Shine!

All parishioners are invited to join us today as we walk from Holy Family to St. Patrick's, a distance of approximately 9.7 kilometers. Upon arrival at St. Patrick's, there will be an opportunity for prayer, reconciliation and fellowship. We will return to Holy Family by bus.

CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Wedding Anniversaries in May

We know that the wedding day for a couple is filled with joy, anticipation and hope. The sacrament of marriage begins on the wedding day and then for the rest of their lives, the couple learn how to live the sacrament. The married couples in our parish are a sign to us of God's faithfulness and through their witness we are strengthened. If you have celebrated a wedding anniversary in May, we shall pray with you and share in your joy on Saturday May 28th, at 5:00 pm, or on Sunday May 29th, at 8:30 am, 10:00 am and 12:00 noon. We thank God for the gift of the married couples in our midst.

**No God? No Peace.
Know God. Know Peace!**



"I first came to Rose of Sharon as a pregnant, young mom, thinking this would never happen to me, explains Brittany, now with her five year old son, Ethan and one year old daughter Sarah. At seventeen, Brittany came to the Rose of Sharon to enroll in the mother/baby programs designed to assist her and her new family get on their feet. Everything from diapers, food, clothing, cooking classes, completion of high school education, Ontario Works application, resume assistance and more was available to her. Within a year, she was able to use her new-found skills to adjust to her new life. Brittany thanks ShareLife donors for their financial support to help them deal with the challenges they have faced, and learning to grow as a family and enjoy each other. **Last year, over 6,300 young parents received the care, counselling and educational support they needed to care for themselves and their new families.**

**Next Sunday, May 29th, 2016
is ShareLife Sunday.**

**Thank you for your generosity!
You can work wonders!**

FAITH NOURISHMENT: VITAMIN 'F'

Come and join us for a time of conversation, prayer and catechesis. Our topic will be **Ordinary Time: Living as the Body of Christ**. We gather for refreshments at 7:15 pm, and conclude by 9:00. All parishioners are welcome!

NO SCENTS MAKES GOOD SENSE

Many of us suffer from allergies and sensitivities to strong scents. We ask that perfumes and heavy scents not be worn to church.



**BIRTHRIGHT BRAMPTON
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Birthright Brampton is located at the Honourable William G. Davis Centre for Families at 60 West Drive, on the lower level. By being in a location that offers so many other services and supports, we can better serve our clients. Some of the other agencies include Catholic Family Services of Dufferin-Peel, the Family Education Centre, Safe Centre of Peel and many more. ***"It is the right of every pregnant woman to give birth. . . and the right of every child to be born."***

**THANK YOU
FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**



The Squires of Holy Family Parish thank all those who supported our car wash. Thank you!!

**MOUNT ALVERNO
SPECIAL ANIMAL BLESSING
Saturday June 18th, 2016**



Bring your furry friends for a special blessing - all animals are welcome. Brother David Connelly will provide a special blessing for animals from parishioners of Holy Family on this day. Meet in the back courtyard, there is lots of room for your furry friends to run and play before and after the blessing. Mount Alverno is located at 20704 Heart Lake Road, Caledon. Donations are welcome to support local charities and Silent Children's Mission.

HEROIC CATHOLICISM

You are invited to join Tim Staples and Tanya Granic Allen, on May 28th, at the Canada Christian College in Toronto, in what is going to be another amazing day filled with prayer, faith and fellowship. In a world where it is increasingly more difficult to practice our faith, the work and the Church requires people to practice heroic Catholicism. To purchase tickets, call 1-888-522-2070.



Fridays at 7:00pm
The Edge is open to all students in grades 6, 7 and 8.



Saturdays 5:00pm Mass
Life Teen is open to all high school students.



**Summer is coming
and so is Holydays!**
**A limited number of spaces
are still available.**

VOCATIONS

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Listen to what Jesus says, "When the Spirit of Truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth." What is the 'truth' of your life? How can you best serve God? 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.

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!

**Love needs
time and space;
everything else
is secondary.**

Pope Francis

CHURCH PARKING

We welcome all visitors, friends and family to Holy Family Church, especially during First Holy Communion and Confirmation season!

However, we ask that parking etiquette and safety regulations be observed. **Please, do not park in the fire access routes, in the handicapped spaces, or on the grass.** Additional parking is available at both Holy Family School and the plaza across the street.



**Monday May 23rd Victoria Day, 10:00 am
No 7:00 pm Mass**

†Nicola Bevacqua
Requested by Ralph & Lani Cracco
†Carmela Sorbara
Requested by her family
†Anna Dziurdzinska
Requested by Kate Wrobel

Tuesday May 24th, 10:00 am

†Lino Cracco
Requested by Ralph & Lani Cracco
Wednesday May 25th

7:00pm Confirmation Mass
Thursday May 26th, 10:00 am

†Douglas & Doris Avery
Requested by John Avery
7:00pm Confirmation Mass
Friday May 27th, 10:00 am
†Silvia Duff

Requested by Patricia Franks
Saturday May 28th

5:00 pm
Sunday May 29th
8:30 am, 10:00 am, 12:00noon

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(May 18th - May 24th)
Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic
Shirley Wakeman
Letitia Grant

†††

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