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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'Etore	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



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 4th, 2015

*"May the Lord bless us
all the days of our lives."*

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.

WELCOMING NEW MEMBERS!

On Sunday September 27th during the 10:00 am mass, our parish formally welcomed five people who are asking to be baptized and confirmed so that they may participate fully in Sunday Mass, including receiving the Body and Blood of Christ. You are asked to pray for Deborah, Matthew, Hailey, Shianne and Sarah as they embark on this journey to full initiation.

CELEBRATING THE LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN New Leaders are Welcome!

We will celebrate a separate Liturgy of the Word with children on October 10th during the 5:00 pm mass and October 11th during the 12:00 noon mass. All children between the ages of 4 and 8 are welcome to participate. The children and leaders are sent after the Opening Prayer to celebrate a separate Liturgy of the Word. They return during the Preparation of the Gifts.

If you are interested in becoming a leader, or have any questions, please contact Catherine, parish catechist at: Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca

**Prayer changes
everything.**

*DynamicCatholic.com
Matthew Kelly*

PREPARING FOR CONFIRMATION IN 2016

Parents who attended the parent candidate information meeting received information regarding the preparation process and registration. If you wish to register a young person currently in grade 7 or 8 to celebrate confirmation in 2016, you are to complete the registration forms and submit them with a legible **photocopy** of the candidate's Baptismal Certificate and the Sacramental Preparation envelope. You may register **AFTER** Mass on one of the following dates, October 3rd/4th, or October 10th /11th, 2015

DID YOU MISS THE PARENT CANDIDATE INFORMATION MEETING?

If you did not attend the candidate information meeting and you wish to prepare a young person currently in grade 7 or 8 to celebrate Confirmation, you are asked to attend a meeting on Thursday, October 8th, from 7:30 - 9:00 pm. This meeting is for both parents and the candidates.

PREPARING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION IN 2016

Families who attended the parent information meeting received information regarding the preparation process and registration. If you wish to register a young person to receive First Holy Communion during Easter season 2016, you are to complete the registration form and submit it with a legible **photocopy** of the young person's Baptismal Certificate and sacramental preparation envelope. You may register **AFTER** any Sunday (Saturday) mass during October.

UNITED IN LOVE

Let Us Go to Serve!

World Mission Sunday Sunday, October 18th, 2015

World Mission Sunday was set aside by Pope Pius XI in 1926, so that it can be the "feast of catholicity and universal solidarity" and that the whole world may publicly renew its commitment to the missionary movement: the propagation of the faith and the proclamation of the Gospel to all peoples. This year, **World Mission Sunday** will take place on October 18th. It is celebrated on the same day in all parishes around the world in order to allow us to make an offering to the poorest churches. Let us put together our hope and let us take the opportunity, during this month of missions, to show solidarity with our poorest brothers and sisters of the suffering churches in Africa, Asia, Oceania, Europe and South America.

VITAMIN 'F': FAITH NOURISHMENT

Preparing to Vote in the
Federal Election

Tuesday October 6th, 2015

Our Canadian Bishops have prepared a guide to assist Catholics as they prepare to vote in the federal election. Vitamin 'F' will focus on how we can apply Catholic and moral social teaching to the issues facing our country. We shall gather at 7:15 for refreshments and conclude by 9:00 pm with Night Prayer. All are welcome to join in.



**ALL CANDIDATES MEETING
Thursday, October 15th, 2015
7:00 pm**

Please join us as we prepare for the federal election on October 19th, 2015

ANNUAL THANKSGIVING

Food Drive



Our annual Thanksgiving food drive takes place October 10th/11th. Non-perishable food items such as pasta, rice, cereals, canned goods, etc. can be brought to all masses this weekend. Gift cards from Garden Foods, Zehrs, Walmart, and Giant Tiger are also welcome. Proceeds will be donated to The Exchange.

THANK YOU!!

PROJECT HOPE REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP

In response to the global refugee crisis, Cardinal Thomas Collins has launched "Project Hope", a special emergency appeal. This 100-day campaign aims to raise \$3 million in order to settle 100 refugee families in the Archdiocese of Toronto, as soon as possible. The effort will also require 100 volunteer committees to assist with settlement services. To make a donation to support the appeal, visit www.archtoronto.org, or call, 416-934-3411. You can also donate through our parish with a cheque made payable to: **Holy Family Parish-Project Hope-Refugee Sponsorship**. We continue to pray for all those suffering, mindful of our call to welcome the stranger in our midst. Those interested in assisting with volunteer committees should contact the Office For Refugees at 647-780-0827.

ST. FRANCIS CENTRE Retreat Day

St. Francis Centre in Caledon is offering a one-day retreat, open to all, on Saturday October 10th. The cost is \$40.00 and includes lunch. Gather your spiritual strength and focus and join the Franciscan Friars and staff at St. Francis for a wonderful moment of growth and joy in the Lord. The retreat begins with registration and a welcome snack at 8:30 am and ends no later than 4:00 pm. For further information, please the Centre, 519-941-1747.

FAIR TRADE SALES



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May God bless us with anger at injustice, oppression, and exploitation of God's creations, so that we may work for justice, freedom, and peace

Franciscan Benediction

Fair trade coffee, tea and chocolate will be for sale this weekend and every first Sunday of the month. Help support sustainable agriculture in third world and emerging nations

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knights of Columbus will be offering "Roses for Life" after all masses, October 17th and 18th. All proceeds will be used to support our anti-abortion initiatives.



Saturdays 5:00pm Mass

Life Teen is open to all high school students.



Fridays at 7:00pm

The Edge is open to all students in grades 5, 6 and 7.

VOCATIONS

Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest or religious? If God is calling you, contact 416-968-0997, or email: vocations@vocations.ca.

PART TIME EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

A part time position has become available in the parish office. We welcome applications from students in Grade 10 and over who are available for at least one evening per week and Saturday and/or Sunday. For further information, please call Lydia in the parish office, 905-857-1938.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY OF HEALING

Our next get together is planned for Friday, October 16th, 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 or crochet experience needed.



Mass Intentions

Monday October 5th, 7:00 pm

†Sharon McLean

Requested by Denyse Hinc

Tuesday October 6th, 10:00 am

†Dolores Ottogalli

Requested by John & Leonie Avery

Wednesday October 7th, 7:00 pm

†Eric Fuller

Requested by Jeanette & Dwight Hitchins

†Vittoria, Carmen & Giovanna Palazzo

Requested by Tony Palazzo

Thursday October 8th, 10:00 am

†Zita Cracco

Requested by Lani & Ralph Cracco

Friday October 9th, 10:00 am

†Irena Prociw

Requested by Ann wallace

Saturday October 10th

5:00 pm

Sunday October 11th

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

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(September 30th - October 6th)

Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic

Shirley Wakeman

Letitia Grant

Francesco Ciarlandini

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