REGINA MUNDI CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS: Sunday, Monday, Saturday: Closed Tuesday - Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 5 p.m. - 8 p.m.



PARISH TEAM

Reverend Charlie Jordan Sue Hamilton - Pastoral Assistant Lynda Flood - Office Administrator Michael Pollard - Caretaker

PARISH SCHOOLS

Regina Mundi St. Teresa of Avila St. Vincent de Paul

(905) 383-7244 (905) 385-7555 (905) 385-3734

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If hospitalized or confined to home Please call the Parish office

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL STORE

For pick up call (905) 549-3902

CATHECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE

For those in public schools Call the Chancery Office: (905) 528-7988

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Contact Dolores (905) 648-5599 or Mary (905) 388-0101 regina mundi cwl@shaw.ca

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Contact Tom Sauder (905) 387-5447

MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m. Children's Liturgy: 9 a.m. Mass Weekday schedule in the Bulletin

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in the family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For info on Catholic burial, please contact 1-800 661-5985, or visit the website at www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday - Friday 4 p.m. - midnight Thursday 9 a.m. - midnight Call: Sharon (905) 388-4071 Delia (905) 318-4833

HOME & FAMILY BLESSING

Please call Fr. Charlie at the Parish to arrange this.

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT

PARENTS Following each Mass on the second Sunday each month

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday:6:15 - 6:45 p.m.Saturday:4:00 - 4:30 p.m.Other times by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish to arrange. Baptism Preparation last Monday of month for parents & godparents SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE At least six months notice required Call to make an appointment

GOOD SHEPHERD OUTREACH

Parish Contact: Nina (905) 388-2718

LEGION OF MARY

Contact: (905) 389-4223

PRAYER OUTREACH

A Network of prayers Call Rosemary (905) 574-1803 or use the box at Our Lady's Shrine

PARISH COUNCIL

rmparishcouncil@shaw.ca

Sunday February 24, 2013 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



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WELCOME to all who visited our Parish today. We pray that you were nourished by our Liturgy. If you are new to our community, please fill in a registration form and return it to the office or place it in the collection basket. Registration forms are in the main entrance of the church.

LITURGIES AND DEVOTIONS

Monday	Feb 25	No Mass	
Tuesday	Feb 26	7:00 p.m.	Todd Rawlinson, Giuseppe, Pietro & Maria Modica
			Isca & Eugenio Netto, Donna Marec, Dino Cognigni,
Wednesday	Feb 27	8:30 a.m.	Eva Schubert
Thursday	Feb 28	8:30 a.m.	Amalia Ciannavei
Friday	Mar 1	7:45 a.m.	Lectio Divina
		8:30 a.m.	Intentions of Sue Hamilton
		7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
Saturday	Mar 2	5:00 p.m.	Americo Pietrangeli, Silvio Cianfrini, Klaus Grundel,
			Rosina Sabetti, Augusto Colman, Augusto Colman
			Algerino Ventresca & Salvatore Ventresca & family



Welcome into God's family **Noah Silva, Mae McCrory, Aoife Flanigan, Avah Tusim** who were baptized in February.

MEETINGS THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

An open invitation is warmly extended for you to join any of the activities in our parish

Monday	Feb 25	Office Closed	Thursday	Feb 28	9:00 a.m.	Prayer for Priests
Wednesday	Feb 27	7:00 p.m. Book Club			2:00 p.m.	Italian Prayers
			Friday	Mar 1	6:30 p.m.	Youth Group
			Saturday	Mar 2	9:00 a.m.	Marriage Preparation

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING IN OUR FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY, ESPECIALLY:

Leo D'Atri, Maria Boneventure, Susan Parkes, Joseph McMahon, Cathy Bain, Anne McKay, Betty Devlin, Patricia Dobosz, Marie Masys, Amy Younger, Jim Klein, Barbara Neo, Loretta VanReizen, Mason Messina, Christine Bolduc, Honorato Ortiz, Marion McNeil, Evan Inrig, Meaghan O'Connor, Don MacDonald, Mike Losak, Richard Johnson, David Somasundarum, Mario Esmas, Taylor Lively, Sister Genevieve, Maria Nguyen Thi Mui, Tracy Giannou, Maureen LaRose, Fred Corradetti, Maria Djordjevic, Elena Corrado, Shannon Marshall, Hawa Kuwabong, Dianna Ortyl, Anthony Terbogt, Margaret Morris, Colleen Dadswell, Janet Dionne, Carol Angle, Loretta Ward, Tussa Sulkowski, Elizabeth Nagy, Susan O'Connor, Susan Benedetto, Thekla Soar, Jo-Anne Brown, Sheila Palmer



For Weekend of February 17/18, 2013:

Offertory: \$6,026 St. Vincent de Paul: \$322.50 Building Fund: \$1,112.65 Seminary: \$175 We thank you for your generosity



On Thursday, March 14th we will be welcoming <u>Deacon Rob Kinghorn</u> from the archdiocese of Toronto. Deacon Rob has a ministry to inner city Toronto which includes the homeless and sex trade workers. His mission has grown as has his reputation as a truly caring individual. He has been featured in the Catholic Register for the work he does. Deacon Rob will speak to us about his ministry during a presentation beginning at 7 p.m. in the Church. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend what should prove to be an inspiring <u>Lenten talk</u>.

YEAR OF FAITH: THE FAITH WE PROFESS

As we begin the Season of Lent, the focus of our Year of Faith Celebration is on The Faith We Profess. During the Season of Lent, all the faithful are encouraged to prepare themselves to celebrate the Paschal Mystery by remembering their Baptism and by penitential practices. One of the ways we will do this is by listening to the Scripture Readings which have been traditionally used with those preparing for Easter Baptism. Even though we are in year C of the Sunday Lectionary Cycle, we will listen to the readings assigned for the Third, Fourth and Fifth Sundays of Lent in year A. From John's Gospel, we will listen to the story of the Samaritan Woman at the Well, the Man Born Blind, and the Raising of Lazarus. In these beautiful stories we will come to know Jesus Christ as the Living Water, the Light of the World, and the Resurrection and the Life.



Our parish will be hosting a <u>Marriage Preparation Program</u> on Saturday, March 2nd from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Registration forms are available from the Parish Office.

Please call the parish office for more details.

WORLD DAY of PRAYER 2013 Informed Prayer,

Prayerful Action: The Service is written by the Women of France /La France. Please join us, and invite your family and friends to attend the World Day of Prayer service. Learn more about France and its unique culture and heritage. Join Christians in more than 170 countries around the world and 2,000 communities across Canada who will gather to pray and act in solidarity with the people of France. With our Neighbours we will be celebrating **World Day of Prayer at the Church of the Resurrection, 435 Mohawk Road W. (at Garth St. beside the fire hall) on Friday, March 1st at 1:30pm. The theme is "I was a stranger and you welcomed me". Refreshments will be served after the service.**

<u>"A Journey through Faith"</u> God is seeking daily to touch our lives. Inviting all women of the parish to a retreat **Saturday, March16.** The retreat will begin with a light lunch at 11:30a.m. and will close at 4p.m. Nominal cost \$5(lunch and materials). Please contact the parish office by Friday, March 8 at (905) 385-3297 to register. Please register early as space is limited.



Keep It Clean: Make sure your car is properly maintained so that it runs with maximum efficiency. This will reduce the amount of waste that's created when you must idle. ~THE GREEN TEAM Manners are accepted means of behaviour that show care, respect and consideration for others. Good manners make a person more socially acceptable and successful. Parents who take the time to both **teach** and **model** manners to their children help them to have positive life experiences. Teach by example - they are watching us more than they are listening to us! (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

When arguments get out of control, the words spoken can be very damaging. They are words of



anger and not words from the heart, so they leave a negative and lasting effect. In times of tension use these tips: learn

to use a quiet voice; speak as though you are at work; take a break from the discussion and agree to talk about it later; learn to put "we" above "me" by speaking from the heart instead of the anger. Take some time to learn good communication skills so you can avoid resorting to words of anger. You will never regret speaking the truth in love. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250).

Do you feel alone? - Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **March 15** - **17**, **2013**, please call **905-664-5212** or email: retrouvaille.hamilton@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org

