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## Pastoral Staff

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## New Parishioners

Welcome to our parish family! Please register by filling out a form available at the back of the church or online.

## Sacrament of Baptism

The desire for Baptism for a child must be accompanied by a very serious commitment to raise the child within the Catholic faith community and to educate the child in the truths of the church. An essential part of the commitment is regular attendance at Sunday Mass. Baptisms are held on the 4th Sunday of every month. Please contact the parish office for a Baptismal package.

## Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples planning to be married should contact the parish one year in advance. They must also attend a Marriage Preparation Course prior to entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil divorce or religious marriage with another person, please notify the priest as soon as possible as the priest is not permitted to set a wedding date until the Bishop's Office has been contacted.

## Sacrament of the Sick

In this Sacrament we celebrate Christ's healing presence among us today. If you, a relative or friend, require this Sacrament at home or nursing home, please call the parish office. For your spiritual needs during a hospital stay, the Archdiocese of Toronto has assigned a full time Roman Catholic Chaplain to each of the two Mississauga hospitals. For the Chaplain, speak to the Nurses' Desk or call the Spiritual Care Office.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM  
Every 2nd & 4th Friday: 7:30 PM  
(or by appointment)

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
Closed Daily: 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

## MASS

Sunday Eucharist  
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM (fulfills the Sunday obligation)  
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM & 12:30 PM  
*Children's Liturgy at: 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM Mass*

*Weekday Eucharist*  
Mondays / Wednesdays / Fridays 7:00 PM  
Tuesdays / Thursdays 8:00 AM

\* Morning Prayer / Evening Prayer  
(One half hour before Mass)

## DEVOTIONS

*Holy Hour*  
Fridays (excluding holidays) 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

*Rosary & Our Lady of Perpetual Help*  
Mondays 6:30 PM

*Divine Mercy*  
Fridays (excluding holidays) 3:00 PM

## PARISH LIFE

Legion of Mary (Wed 7:30 PM) 905-822-8132  
Knights of Columbus (Mike Genua) 416-804-3457  
Social Committee 905-822-8132  
Ministry of Consolation & Hope 905-822-8132 ext. 3  
RCIA 905-822-8132 ext. 4  
St. Vincent de Paul 905-822-8132 ext. 5  
J.O.Y. Social Club joysocialclub@st-ignatius-loyola.com  
Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544  
Charismatic Prayer Group 905-822-8132 Ext. 3  
(Thursdays 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.)

## SCHOOLS

St. Francis of Assisi 905-822-3183  
St. Margaret of Scotland 905-820-5115  
Christ the King 905-569-0220

# TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 25, 2017

*Faith*  
makes all things Possible  
not Easy

How can we fight fear with faith? We need to remember that the Lord is ever present to us. And in our time of testing he asks the same question: *Why are you afraid? Have you no faith?* Do you recognize the Lord's presence with you, especially when you meet the storms of adversity, sorrow, and temptation? Whenever we encounter trouble, the Lord is there with the same reassuring message: *"It is I, do not be afraid."* We can be sure that God cares for us and protects us. The disciples of Jesus are called upon to keep their focus on God. Those who can harm the body do not have ultimate power; God does. Still, persecution and suffering can not be avoided or prevented.

What are the characteristics of faith and how can we grow in it? Faith is a gift that God GIVES to us. Believing is only possible by grace and the help of the Holy Spirit. Faith enables us to relate to God rightly and confidently, with trust and reliance, by believing and adhering to his word, because he is utterly reliable and trustworthy. If we want to live, grow, and persevere in faith, then it must be nourished with the word of God.

Fear does not need to cripple us from taking right action or rob us of our trust in God. Courage, working with faith enables us to embrace God's word of truth and love with confidence and to act on it with certainty in God's promises. The love of God strengthens us in our faith and enables us to act with justice and kindness towards our neighbor even in the face of opposition or harm.

*"Lord Jesus, increase my faith in your redeeming love and power that I may always recognize your abiding presence with me. And give me courage to do your will in all circumstances."*

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## THANK YOU TO OUR WONDERFUL VOLUNTEERS AND PARISHIONERS



I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to all those who give of their time, talents and energy to serve our Parish Community. I am especially grateful for the amazing generosity of all of our parishioners. Have a safe and wonderful summer!

*Fr. Bernard*

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## STEUBENVILLE TORONTO

July 28 - July 30 UOIT Campus, 2000 Simcoe St. N., Oshawa  
Steubenville Toronto is Canada's largest annual conference for Catholic teens. This year's theme is "ELEVATE" which is based on Revelation 21:5, "Behold, I make all things new. The cost to register is \$275 per person, which includes entrance to the conference, six meals (Friday dinner to Sunday lunch) as well as accommodations for Friday and Saturday night. For more information contact Office of Catholic Youth at or call 416-599-7676.

## THANK YOU!



The members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul sincerely thank those who contributed to Marygrove Camp. Through your generous donations, we have raised \$1770 to send girls on an 8-day camping experience. We also wish to thank those whose contributions to the St. Vincent de Paul poor boxes, at the doors of the Church, have made it possible to continue to assist the less fortunate.

Mass  for the  
Intentions Week

**MONDAY, JUNE 26 – 7:00 P.M.**

S.I. A Prayer of Thanksgiving

**TUESDAY, JUNE 27 – 8:00 A.M.**

+ Margaret Micheal

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28 – 7:00 P.M.**

*Intention Available*

**THURSDAY, JUNE 29 – 8:00 A.M.**

In reparation for offences committed against the Most Holy Eucharist.

**FRIDAY, JUNE 30 – 7:00 P.M.**

*Intention Available*

**SATURDAY, JULY 1 – 5:00 P.M.**

+ Kam Kai-Hong

**SUNDAY, JULY 2 – 13<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**8:00 A.M.** + Dominador Sunga

**9:30 A.M.** S.I. Parish Community

**11:00 A.M.** *Intention Available*

**12:30 P.M.** *Intention Available*



**Living the Gospel by helping youth to rebuild their lives...**

Seventeen-year-old Emily arrived at Sancta Maria earlier this year having previously spent time at Whitby Shores. Her biggest surprise is the warmth and calm acceptance she feels here at her new "home". Having grown up in a home with no father, Emily spent a great deal of time in conflict with her mom, which caused a great deal of anxiety. She eventually ended up in a Toronto clinic at sixteen, and soon discovered that the lack of acceptance did nothing to build up her self-esteem. At Sancta Maria House, Emily has gained her independence and improved her confidence in cooking skills. As well, she has developed her job search skills, having applied for several positions with hopes to start a job soon. ShareLife-supported Sancta Maria House has provided life-transforming services for young women in need for over 40 years in the Greater Toronto Area.

**Please make a sacrificial gift to ShareLife through your parish, or at [www.sharelife.org](http://www.sharelife.org)**

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the 2017 ShareLife Parish Campaign. You have made a brighter future much easier for many of the most vulnerable in our communities by your generosity. We have reached \$115,798, which is 91% of our goal of \$127,000. If you would like to make a donation to ShareLife, the campaign continues until July 31st. Thank you to all who have supported this important appeal.

**FAMILY OF FAITH**

In July 2015 the parish completed active fundraising for the Family of Faith campaign. The campaign raised a total of \$746,103 in cash and pledges, or 111% of our goal. It is projected that when the pledges are fulfilled, \$224,577.25 will be returned to the parish for our own local needs.

Your generous support and prayers for the success of the Family of Faith campaign helped make this effort truly successful at our parish. However, some pledges are not being fulfilled because of missing payment information, changed credit card number etc. If your pledge belongs to that category, you may have already received a letter from the Family of Faith Donation Processing Centre. If this is the case please contact the parish office or the Processing Centre at [campaign@archtoronto.org](mailto:campaign@archtoronto.org) or call 416-934-3400 x555 to provide the missing information.

On behalf of the parish, and all the volunteers who assisted with the Family of Faith campaign, thank you for your prayers and support of our mission.

**RIGHT TO LIFE**

Mississauga-Brampton Right to Life exists to promote and defend the right to life of all innocent human beings, from the time of fertilization until natural death. On Wednesday June 27 they will be holding their Annual General Meeting following the 7 p.m. Mass for the Unborn at Merciful Redeemer parish. All are welcome to attend.

**WRAPPING UP FOR THE SUMMER.....**

**Bulletins**

Please note that the church bulletin will not be published during July and August. Keep checking the bulletin board in the vestibule of the church for all the Parish news.

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in September 2017 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

**Mass Intentions**

Please note that Weekly Mass Intentions will be posted on the bulletin board. Kindly come to the Parish Office if you would like to book a Mass Intention.

**Children's Liturgy Program**

The Children's Liturgy Program wraps up for the summer on Sunday, June 18. Thank you for entrusting your children to us this past school year, we have enjoyed sharing God's Word with them. The program restarts Sunday, September 17th.



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