# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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#### Served by the Fathers of the Oratory



#### **SUNDAY MASSES:**

5:00 p.m. Saturday (Sunday liturgy)

8:30 a.m. English Mass 9:30 a.m. Low Mass

(Usus antiquior/1962 Missal)

11:00 a.m. Sung English Mass

12:30 p.m. Sung Mass

Catholic Parish of St. Thomas More (Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter)

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Before every Mass on Sundays Daily for 15 minutes before all Masses.

#### **WEEKDAY MASS:**

8:00 a.m. Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. Saturday

#### **MARRIAGES:**

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

**BAPTISMS:** On Sundays by appointment.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY: 647-727-8758

## PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Mr. Peter Bishop: 416-535-7646

#### **CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:**

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544

There is a special link on the Oratory website <u>here</u> with details about various Covid-19 protocols. Please check the link for latest updates.

With the suspension of public Masses, we are back to having short Holy Communion services for up to 10 people at a time (including the priest) on Saturdays and Sundays. These are scheduled in consecutive 15-minute segments. You can sign up for a timeslot at this link each week.

If you know parishioners who are not tech savvy, please feel free to sign them up, or ask them to call the Oratory (416 532-2879) between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. so that we can sign them up. Please sign up only once each weekend to allow as many parishioners as possible the opportunity to receive Communion. Please note that you can deregister yourself in case you are feeling sick or need to change your plans. You do not need to phone us to do it. The schedule for Communion services will be as follows:

Saturday: 3:00-4:00pm; 5:00-6:00pm Sunday: 8:00-10:30am; 2:00pm-4:00pm

The schedule of regular livestreamed Masses is as

follows:

Sunday 11 a.m. from St Vincent's; Sunday 11 a.m. from Holy Family, Solemn High Mass (Usus Antiquior); Monday to Friday, 7:45 a.m. (English), 11:30 a.m. (Latin). Saturday 10 a.m. (English), 11:30 a.m. (Latin).

Confessions:

Friday 11 a.m. – 12 noon

Saturday 4 - 5 p.m.

At Holy Family:

Monday through Friday 7:30 - 8:00 a.m. and 5 - 6 p.m. Also Wednesday and Thursday 8 - 9 p.m.; Saturday 4 - 5 p.m., Sunday 4:30 - 5 p.m.

We are required under the city of Toronto by-law to wear masks in church, unless you are exempted. Sanitizing materials are available in the church for you to sanitize the place where you are praying. If a pew is not going to be used again within an hour it does not need to be sanitized. Sanitizing, therefore, will not be needed Monday to Saturday, but will be needed on Sunday, we ask one person to sanitize the altar rail after each Communion Service.

#### St. Marie de l'Incarnation, pray for us!

Marie de l'Incarnation, founder of the religious order of the Ursulines in Canada. She was born on October 28, 1599 in Tours, France and died April 30, 1672 in Quebec City. Her work as a teacher helped to lay the foundations for formal education in Canada.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Masses will be offered on the DAY for which they were requested, but not necessarily at the TIME originally scheduled.

#### MONDAY, APRIL 26 Our Lady of Good Counsel

(+) Bill & Lucy Metcalfe, req. by Sherlock family

#### **TUESDAY, APRIL 27**

**Betsy Eayrs** 

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28 St. Peter Chanel, Priest & Martyr

(+) John Kotwa, req. by Sophie Kotwa

#### **THURSDAY, APRIL 29**

St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor

(+) Cyril Joseph Hendricks

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 30

#### St. Marie de l'Incarnation, Religious

(+) Irena, (+) Stanislaw & (+) Jan Kusinski, req. by Nowak family

#### **SATURDAY, MAY 1**

- (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners
- (+) Jerry Sherlock, req. by Sherlock family

#### PARISH FINANCES FOR APRIL 18

Regular Collection: \$5,010 Maintenance & Debt: \$925 Canada Helps: \$567.60 Sharelife: \$4,315

Thank you to all who have supported the parish during

these trying times!

#### **EMAIL LIST**

Are you receiving emails from the parish priest? If not, it will be difficult for us to notify you of last-minute news about the ever-evolving Covid situation. Recipients of these emails do not see one another's addresses, so you do not have to worry about your privacy. If you want to be added to the list, please send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:dutrecht@yahoo.ca">dutrecht@yahoo.ca</a> with "Add me" in the subject line.

#### PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Today is World Day Prayer for Vocations. Please pray for vocations.

O God, Who wills not the death of a sinner but rather that he be converted and live, grant we beseech you, through the intercession of the Blessed Mary ever Virgin, Saint Joseph, her spouse, St. Junipero Serra, and all the saints, an increase of laborers for your Church, fellow laborers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

#### **VOCATION DISCERNMENT**

This is World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The world needs leaders with courage and integrity. The Church needs good leaders as well, leaders who will unselfishly care for the needs of God's people and minister to them. If you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or deaconate, please speak to one of the Fathers of the Oratory or contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocations Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email: vocations@archtoronto.org

#### ST MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

#### Saturday, April 28 from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

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#### **ONLINE COUNSELLING SESSIONS**

Catholic Family Services of Toronto is now offering online quick access single sessions. Single-session counselling is a quick and effective way for individuals, couples or families to address a mental health or relationship concern. To arrange for a session, please contact: <a href="mailto:info@cfstoronto.com">info@cfstoronto.com</a> or 416-921-1163 or 416-222-0048. Leave a message with your name, email and phone number and a staff person will contact you. Counselling fees are charged according to a client's income level. No one is denied service because of their inability to pay fees.

#### **PILGRIMAGES:**

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#### Support vocations through ShareLife

When you support ShareLife, you help educate our future priests. Your gift to ShareLife is investing in our Church's future by supporting 54 seminarians at St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary in the current academic year. Our parish goal is \$13,300

To date, we have raised \$4,315

Thank you for your donations!

#### WAYS YOU CAN DONATE TO THE PARISH:

Thank you to all who have been generously donating to the parish. God bless you for it.

- 1. Your Sunday offerings can be mailed to St Vincent de Paul Parish / 263 Roncesvalles Avenue / Toronto / M6R 2L9, dropped off in the mail slot of the parish office, or placed in the collection basket when you are here for Mass on Sunday morning.
- 2. You can sign up for PAG. Contact the parish office for information on how to do so. But note that the Archdiocese is now encouraging one of the following means of donating online.
- 3. You can donate online either through the Oratory's website <a href="www.oratory-toronto.org">www.oratory-toronto.org</a> or through the Archdiocesan website: <a href="www.archtoronto.org">www.archtoronto.org</a>. If using the latter option, please use the dropdown menu of parish names to select "St Vincent de Paul".
- 4. You can donate through your online banking account. To do this, the Archdiocese will need to send you a unique account number. Please send an email to <a href="mailto:campaign@archtoronto.org">campaign@archtoronto.org</a> In the body of the email provide (i)Your name (ii) Address (iii) Parish Name St Vincent de Paul and (iv) Municipality Toronto. You will be emailed account information which you can use to set up the Archdiocese of Toronto as a Payee in your online banking. Your gift will be forwarded to our parish. You can make a one time or recurring gift to our offertory. This method of giving to the parish puts you in charge. You do not need to get in touch with us to alter amounts, frequency, or even to cancel. If you use web banking this is the best option for you.



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