# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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(1581 - 1660)

#### **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)

11:30 a.m. Sung English Mass

### **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.

#### **PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:**

Mr. Peter Bishop: 416-535-7646

#### **CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:**

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-9944

#### MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, AUGUST 24 St. Bartholomew, Apostle

8:00 In thanksgiving, req. by Richards family

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25 St. Louis 8:00 Klaudia Krenca

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26 8:00 Bogumila Gierada

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27
St. Monica
8:00 Sophie Kotwa, req. by Ezman family

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28
St. Augustine, Bishop & Doctor
8:00 Kotwa family,req. by Ezman family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29
Passion of St. John the Baptist

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00 (+) Maureen Fitzpatrick, req. by Quigley family

#### PARISH FINANCES FOR AUGUST 16

Regular collection: \$2,169 Anniversary Fund: \$181 Total: \$2,350 Budget Need: \$3,863 Assumption Mass: \$1,249 Shared Collection: \$100

#### **SHARED COLLECTION**

Each August the archdiocese holds a special collection for the support of the Scarborough Foreign Missions and Catholic Missions in Canada. Through a misunderstanding, this collection was not taken up at all the Masses last Sunday. If you wish to contribute, please put your donation into one of the shared collection envelopes which can be found at the entrances of the church, and put it into the collection basket.

Please turn off your cell phone before entering the church.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, AUGUST 31

Bl. Juvenal Ancina of the Oratory, Bishop
8:00 In Honour of Bl. Juvenal Ancina

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

8:00 (+) Teresa Leben-Pivk, req. by Antonia Leben

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 Bl. Andre Grasset, Priest & Martyr 8:00 Bogumila Gierada

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
St. Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor 8:00 (+) Wilfrid Bruhm

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 Bl. Dina Belanger, Virgin

8:00 Genowefa & Wojciech Surman, req. by Teresa Surman

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00 (+) Joan Pimento, req. by Pimento family

#### MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

The choir has taken a well - deserved summer break. Choir will resume on September 13.

#### **PARISH OFFICE - CLOSED**

St. Vincent de Paul office will be closed from **August 24-28** for a summer break. If you need to book a Mass please leave a message. To reach one of the Fathers of the Oratory call 416-532-2879.

#### TWO-WEEK BULLETIN

Note: This bulletin is for two weeks, August 23-29 and August 30-Sept. 5.

#### **ANNIVERSARY FUND**

There will be a collection at all Masses for the Anniversary Fund on **August 23.** There are envelopes at the back of the church. Remember your obligation to support the needs of the church; our collections (both regular and anniversary fund collections) are not keeping up with the budget needs and the bills.

#### **BL. JUVENAL ANCINA**

The Feast Day of Blessed Juvenal Ancina of the Oratory, August 30, falls on a Sunday this year, and will be transferred to Monday, August 31. There will be a sung Mass at 5:30 p.m. at Holy Family Church. Blessed Juvenal is the only one of our Oratorian Blesseds to have known St Philip personally. physician, he was moved to a deeper practice of his Faith one day when hearing the *Dies Irae* at a funeral. He and his brother Giovanni Matteo went to Rome seeking a vocation and thought of joining the Carthusians. On a second trip to Rome Juvenal discovered the Oratory, and St Philip persuaded him to join, where he became one of the most popular preachers, and also composed music which was used at the Oratory exercises. In 1586 he was sent to the new Oratory at Naples, where his fame as a good preacher and holy priest continued to grow. When there was talk that he would be made a bishop he went into hiding for several months, but after St Philip's death he was unable to avoid the desires of the Holy Father and in 1602 was made Bishop of Saluzzo in Piedmont. St Francis de Sales was a close friend and gave testimony at the Process for Juvenal's beatification.

In 1604 Juvenal was poisoned by a friar whom he had rebuked for scandalous living, but refused to testify against him. He died on August 31.

### WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016 - KRAKOW, POLAND

The official dates for WYD next year are July 26 - 31. We are tentatively planning to leave Toronto on July 17, 18 or 19 and return on August 4/5. The plan is to fly to Prague, spend a few days there and then go to Slovakia to hike in the Tatra Mountains before arriving in Krakow on July 25. After WYD, we plan to visit Our Lady of Czestochowa, Auschwitz, and Wadowice before returning to Toronto via Prague. Cost approximately will be \$2,500. It will be spartan conditions, simple and no comforts. If interested please contact Fr Martin Hilbert at 416-532-2879.

#### **QUEBEC SHRINES**

There will be a pilgrimage to the Quebec Shrines on October 3 and 4: St. Benoit du lac, Sacred Heart du Beauvoir in Sherbrooke, Cap-de-la-Madeleine, and St. Kateri Tekakwitha. For more information and to book, please call Maria at 416-532-0968.

#### ASSUMPTION MASS & BLESSING



A Solemn High Mass in the Usus Antiquior was held in our church on the Solemnity of the Assumption, August 15, 2015. It marked the 100th anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of the church. At the conclusion of the Mass, the clergy and congregation gathered by the garden near the cornerstone for the blessing of the new statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary. A reception followed in the parish hall. Many thanks to all who had a part in this great event of our centenary year; special thanks to the anniversary committee, the social committee, the musicians, and those parishioners who organized the purchase and delivery of the new statue.

### **SVP100**

100 years at St. Vincent de Paul Parish

The Centenary year will come to a close with Mass on **October 3, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.** celebrated by Auxiliary Bishop John A. Boissonneau.

Volunteers will be needed to help for this great celebration. If you are interested call the office at 416-535-7646.

#### NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Natural Family Planning (NFP) is the general title for the scientific, natural and moral methods of family planning that can help married couples either achieve or postpone pregnancies. This method has been approved by the Roman Catholic Church. An introductory presentation will be on **September 1 at St. Joseph's Health Centre at 8:00 p.m.** There are a number of presentations in the GTA on different evenings. If you are interested call the NFP Association at 416-481-5465.

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