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

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:30 SUNG ENGLISH MASS Lent I Entrance Hymn: 364- Lord Jesus, think on me Kyrie: Mass XVII Responsorial Psalm Refrain: "HAVE MERCY ON US, LORD, FOR WE HAVE SINNED."

Credo: 202 – *Kyriale* III Offertory Hymn: 363- The glory of these forty days Sanctus: Roman Missal Chant Agnus Dei: Roman Missal Chant Communion Hymn: 366- Attende Domine (Mode V) Concluding Hymn: 360- Lord, who throughout these forty days

FOLLOWING THE LONG TRADITION OF THE CHURCH, the organ is not played as a solo instrument during Lent (except on the fourth Sunday of Lent); its use is restricted to the accompaniment and support of the singing.

PARISH FINANCES FOR FEBRUARY 15

Regular collection: \$2443 Anniversary Fund: \$354 Total: \$2787 Budget Need: \$3,863

FINANCIAL REPORT

Please be sure to bring home and read the Financial Report for the parish for the year 2014. Father Daniel will speak about this, and the Budget for 2015, at all Masses this weekend. The Finance Committee of the Parish has concluded that, in addition to our monthly receipts from PAG and other sources of income, we need an average of \$3,863 each week in the combined offertory, M & D, and Anniversary Fund collections to cover the expenses of the parish. Beginning today, we will include this budget amount in each week's bulletin together with the collection totals.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Income Tax Receipts for donations to the parish in 2014 are now available. Please pick up yours from the table at the back of the church today; it will save us the expense of mailing them.

SISTERS OF LIFE

February 26 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at St Paul's Basilica, join the Sisters of Life for an evening of prayer and fellowship. For more information call 416-463-2722 or toronto@sistersoflife.org

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23 8:00 Rita Kiely, req. by Lair family

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY24

8:00 (+) Mary M. Mulhern, req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25 8:00 (+) Viktor Leben, req. by Antonia Leben

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26 8:00 Julia Ryan, req. by Fr. Michael Eades

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27 8:00 Hilary Muggeridge

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00(+) Janina Kusinska, req. by Nowak family



STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION

Every Friday during Lent at 8:00 p.m.

If any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me.

FIRST CONFESSION

Before receiving the sacrament of First Holy Communion the children will be receiving the sacrament of Penance which will be on **Saturday, February 28 at 10:45 a.m.** Please pray for them on this day.

TO THE PANCAKE SUNDAY VOLUNTEERS

Thank you, from the bottom of our syrupy pancake hearts to all the young people who donated so much of their time and energy to serving at the Pancake Breakfast last Sunday! We are thinking of Teresa, Theresa, Emily, Charlotte, Elly, and Patrick (who moved many chairs). Nikki and Julie were treated to the intricacies of Fr. Tom's cooking style; always more to learn.....

PILGRIMAGES:

Shroud of Turin- May 10-23, 2015-SOLD OUT! Rome & Greece- September 30- October 12, 2015

Lent, a season of prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

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HOT LUNCH-TODAY

We're excited to say that two new hearty soups are going to be prepared for you; again, one veggie and the other with a tad of meat. etc....!!! There will

be rustic bread and butter (gluten-free bread also), coffee, tea and juice. If you'd like to bring a few biscuits or some cake, we will not turn it down!!!! Again, we will ask for **\$2 a person**.....to cover costs, as this worked perfectly last month. It worked perfectly because you all kindly let me know whether you planned to attend or not, and this enabled us to gauge food quantities and defray waste.

A PILGRIMAGE TO THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF DIVINE MERCY, STOCKBRIDGE, USA

Leaving Saturday, April 11 and returning on Monday, April 13. There will be a live dramatic production of St. Faustina on Saturday evening and celebrations of Divine Mercy on Sunday. Deadline for reserving a seat for the play is March 8. For cost and additional information, please call Maria at 416-532-0968.

37TH ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S MASS AND CELEBRATION March 1 – 3:30 p.m.

St. Cecilia's Church, 161 Annette Ave., Toronto

Principal celebrant & homilist will be His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto. A reception will follow the Mass in the church hall, with Irish entertainment and refreshments.

COINS FOR LIFE

Would you and your family put aside your change during the next six weeks and contribute these savings to help in the struggle to end abortion in Canada, and create a Culture of Life and assist us with the March for life on May 14th in Ottawa! If so you will be offered a small container at the back of the church and there will be a bulletin announcement with the return date. Please remember that every coin helps. Make it a family or a school project. Remember that your small change can lead to a BIG change in our land as we work towards the right to life of the most defenseless among us - the baby in the womb. Thomas Cardinal Collins has said that "The Coins for Life project is a most appropriate way to support the important pro-life efforts of Campaign Life Coalition." Please pray for all pregnant mothers and their parents!

SHARELIFE FIRST SHARELIFE SUNDAY-MARCH 1, 2015

Pope Francis encourages us to show loving concern for each other, and in so doing care for those who are often forgotten. As a Catholic community, how does the challenge to show this love for our neighbour manifest itself across our archdiocese? Through ShareLife agencies, we reach out to some of the most vulnerable and needy people in our community, helping our neighbours, friends and fellow parishioners as they work through difficult times. We begin the ShareLife Campaign on March 1. Please consider ways of supporting ShareLife, our annual Archdiocesan appeal, during this approaching Lenten season.

-Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY Saturday, March 7th, 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Metro Convention Centre North Building(255 Front St. W.) A grace-filled day that includes: prayer ministry, Divine inspiring personal testimonies, Mercy Celebration, compelling talks & uplifting music, Eucharistic procession, Confession & Mass. A Youth Rally $(13 - \hat{1}8 \text{ years})$ will be held simultaneously in the theatre next door. Tickets: adult, \$20; youth, \$10. Visit the website www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.org.



CALLING ALL GIRLS March 13 – 7 to 10 p.m.

International Plaza Hotel, 655 Dixon Road, Toronto

An evening for mothers and their daughters, featuring Canadian Catholic song writer and singer Maggie Wang, radio producer Laura Cirami, Gary Zimak, an EWTN personality, Catholic authors, Moira Noonan and Dorothy Pilarski.

DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE March 14 – 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

International Plaza Hotel, 655 Dixon Road, Toronto A Catholic Women's conference with speakers, including His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Dr. Josie Lombardi, EWTN personality Gary Zimak, Ellen

Hrkach, president of Catholic Writers Guild, and Catholic authors Moira Noonan and Dorothy Pilarski www.dynamicwomenfaith.com, call 905-279-7702

