ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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Served by the Fathers of the Oratory



(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 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Hymn: 561- Christ is made the sure foundation
Kyrie: Roman Missal Chant
Gloria: 211 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)
Responsorial Psalm Refrain:
"O THAT TODAY YOU WOULD LISTEN TO HIS VOICE! HARDEN NOT YOUR HEARTS."
Credo: 202 – Kyriale III
Offertory Hymn: 601- Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!
Sanctus: Roman Missal Chant
Agnus Dei: Roman Missal Chant

Hymn after Communion: 538 – Ave Regina Caelorum (Mode VI)

Concluding Hymn: 560 - The Church's one foundation **Organ:** Ciacona in E Minor (*BuxWV* 160) (Dietrich Buxtehude) – *in memoriam J.B.K.*

PARISH FINANCES FOR FEBRUARY 1 Regular collection: \$1880 Anniversary Fund: \$437

PANCAKE BREAKFAST - FEBRUARY 15



Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, February 15th after all Masses. Come down to the hall and get fat before Lent starts! Pancakes, sausages, tea and coffee; the whole sticky mess! \$10/family; \$5/single. If anyone, young or older,

would like to stir, flip or serve pancakes; or bus tables, wash and dry dishes after any of the Masses, we would love your company and help and will fill you with pancakes and sausages! We will email or call out to families over the next couple of weeks to make up a schedule of servers. See you soon.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

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

PILGRIMAGES:

Shroud of Turin- May 10-23, 2015 *Rome & Greece-* September 30- October 12, 2015 Brochures at the back of the church.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES, PRAY FOR US

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9 8:00 (+) Jim Furney, req. by Pierre family

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10 St. Scholastica, Virgin 8:00 (+) Osmond, Marie & Reginald Simmonds

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11 Our Lady of Lourdes 8:00 Halina Janusz, req. by Henry Janusz

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12 8:00 (+) Jim Furney, req. by Pierre family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13 8:00(+) David Sylvester, req. by Gudino family

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14

St. Cyril, Monk, & St. Methodius, Bishop 10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners 5:00 Lewis Wandel, req. by Emily Wandel

WHERE HAS HE GONE?

Don't worry, no one has stolen our statue of our patron, St Vincent de Paul. The long-awaited project of restoration and repainting has finally begun. St Vincent has gone to the artist's studio, and will soon return!

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG)

This form of giving will greatly assist the parish. PAG is accomplished by automatic monthly debit from your bank account. It has been used successfully in the Archdiocese of Toronto since 2002.

Enrolment in PAG is ongoing. Forms are available at the back of the church and can be submitted in the offertory or they can be mailed to the parish office

VOCATION DISCERNMENT

Jesus created much excitement in His day through His preaching, teaching, and healing. Today, the Church communicates that same wonder and grace by those active in priesthood, religious life, and lay ministries. If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, talk to one of the Fathers of the Oratory or call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997 or email: vocations@archtoronto.org



CAMPAIGN UPDATE Last week's Commitment

Family of Faith We received 15 new pledges, totalling \$30,400. Several other

parishioners have indicated that they are still praying about their decision. Our parish total for the Family of Faith campaign now stands at \$254,960, from 48 donors. This is 18% OVER our assessed goal! Our parish's share as the pledges are redeemed will be over \$80,000.

This marks the official end of our campaign, but gifts are still welcome, and are very useful, as our parish share of any further gifts will be 75%. Pledge forms can be dropped off at the parish office or put in the collection in an envelope marked "Family of Faith". A special thank you to all the dedicated volunteers who have made our Family of Faith campaign such a success.

PALMS FOR ASHES

Lent is just one month away. Please bring your blessed palms from the last year(s) to be burned for the ashes to be used on **Ash Wednesday**, February 18. Bring them to the office **before Thursday**, February 12.

FAMILY DAY OF RECOLLECTION

On February 21, beginning with Mass at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Family Church. The day includes talks for adults, adolescents and children and concludes with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:00 p.m. Babysitting available. Candidates for Confirmation at St Vincent's are required to attend as part of the spiritual preparation for Confirmation. Lunch is provided but you **must register** by calling 416-532-2879 or email: www.oratory-toronto.org

MARRIAGE COURSE: JANUARY 26 – MARCH 9, 2015

Where: Holy Family Church -- Parish Hall

1372 King Street West, Toronto, ON M6K 1H3

When: Monday Evenings, from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., beginning on 26 January 2015 and running for seven consecutive weeks.

Cost: \$100 per couple getting married at Holy Family or St. Vincent de Paul Church; outside of these churches \$150 per couple.

Registration: Takes place at first session. But please contact hf@oratory-toronto.org or 416-532-2879 if you are planning to come. It helps us to know how many people to expect.

CATHOLICS URGED TO SUPPORT PHYSICIANS' CHARTER RIGHT OF FREEDOM OF CONSCIENCE AND RELIGION

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (CPSO) in a proposed new draft document states: "Where physicians are unwilling to provide certain elements of care due to their moral or religious beliefs, an effective referral to another health care provider must be provided to the patient". Catholic physicians believe that a mandate for an "effective referral" is a violation of a physician's rights, as it compels the physician to violate his or her own conscience by being a participant in the very act, the very procedure to which he or she objects in the first place. The CPSO is accepting submissions from all Ontario citizens until February 20. We are all called to inform the CPSO in writing that we reject the proposed "effective referral" mandate for doctors whose Charter right of freedom of conscience and religion must be respected. The Catholic Civil Rights League (CCRL) is one Catholic lay group coordinating these efforts. Go to www.ccrl.ca to find out more and to get involved.

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!

KOLBE EUCHARISTIC MINI-RETREAT

February 14 - 2:00-4:30 p.m. at St. Brigid's Church (300 Wolverleigh Blvd.) The talk given on "The Nine Invitations of Pope Francis: The Joy of the Gospel, Part Two" <u>www.kolbeapostolate.com</u>

