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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

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(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-9944

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:30 SUNG ENGLISH MASS 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Hymn: 624, O God Our Help in Ages Past

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: 612, Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,

the King of Creation!
Sanctus: 203, Mass XVIII
Agnus Dei: Roman Missal Chant

During the Communion: Magnificat (Christopher

Walker)

Concluding Hymn: 547, Salve Regina

Organ: 4eme Verset, "Ave Maris Stella" (Jehan

Titelouze)

PARISH FINANCES, SEPTEMBER 28/29

Regular Collection \$3557 Anniversary Fund (M&D) \$745

Thank you very much for your generous support.

ANNIVERSARY FUND COLLECTION, OCTOBER 13

Thank you for generously supporting the Anniversary Fund. The collection for the month of September brought in a total of \$4812. The Anniversary Fund, which replaces the old Maintenance and Debt Fund, will help fund the repainting of the church as well as providing much needed support for ongoing and unexpected expenses. The next collection takes place **next Sunday**, **October 13**, **at all Masses**. Envelopes are available in this week's bulletin.

Anniversary Fund collections for the remainder of this year will take place on November 24 and December 15. Please be generous in the support of your parish!



OCTOBER 6TH BRUNCH - TODAY!

After the 11:30am Mass. See you downstairs in the hall!!

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Classes began last week, but it is not too late to register! Registration forms are at the back of the church.

Vespers and Benediction

Sundays at 5:00 p.m. at Holy Family Church, 1372 King Street West

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7 Our Lady of the Rosary

8:00 Teresa Bany, req. by Eric & Pat Robb 11:00 (SVP school Mass – all are welcome)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

Bl. John Henry Newman of the Oratory, Priest

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

8:00 Sr. John Mary de Souza, req. by the Pontisso Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners

5:00 (+) Gordon Robb

SVP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - NEW REQUEST

We are looking for parishioners who could help provide a weekend Mass attendance count on the third and fourth weekends in October. Please contact the rectory at 416 535 7646.

CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING SESSION – TODAY!

Join us on **Sunday, October 6th at 10:30 a.m.** in the parish hall for an informative session on estate planning. Have you been meaning to update your will or get one made? If so, then come to the estate planning session that the Development Office of the Archdiocese of Toronto will be holding at our parish. The Development Office conducts these sessions across the Archdiocese as a service to parishioners. The goal is to help you protect yourselves and your loved ones by creating a well thought out estate plan that respects your wishes and Catholic faith. Some of the topics will include:

- Estate planning from a Catholic perspective
- How to protect your loved ones with a proper will
- About powers of attorney
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, burial and funerals
- The importance of remembering our Catholic faith when creating your estate plan

An estate planning kit will be provided at no cost. Coffee and refreshments will be provided. We look forward to seeing you there!

LIFE CHAIN, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6 - TODAY!

LifeChain is a silent, prayerful demonstration that takes place every year, and it is an easy way for you and your congregation to witness to the sanctity of life. This afternoon, Sunday, October 6^{th} , there will be a gathering of faith groups at select intersections to bear public, silent witness for one hour between 2:00 and 3:00 p.m. The location for our parish is Keele and Bloor, as in previous years.

ST. COLUMBANUS CEILI: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD

This year, the Pope and Doctor has been moved over to February 22nd, 2014 so as to accommodate an Anniversary Fund Ceili at St. Vincent de Paul Church. SVP is trying to repaint the walls of the



church for its 100th Anniversary and so the Ceili revenue will go straight towards this. Move that paint brush!!

A ceili (kay-lee) (Irish spelling) or ceilidh (Scottish spelling), according to Wiki, "is a traditional Gaelic social gathering, which usually involves playing Gaelic folk music and dancing. It originated in Ireland and Scotland." Ceilis are for all ages; bring your nursing babies, toddlers, youth, aunts, uncles, and aged parents. Bring friends. In subsequent bulletins we will give you the details on the music, dancing, patron saint, food and drink of our parish ceili; so stand by!!!

UPCOMING PARISH EXCURSIONS

Trip to Our Lady of Fatima in Buffalo, NY and shopping on **Saturday**, **October 19.** Cost is \$40.00 per person. For more details and to book, please call Maria 416-532-0968. For seating preference, please book early.

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MARCUS GRODI (EWTN HOST) IN TORONTO

Topic: "In Search of Truth – A Call to Conversion"

Location: 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto (Don Mills & Eglinton)

Date: Saturday October 19, 2013

Marcus Grodi is a renowned apologist, founder of "The Coming Home Network" and EWTN host of "The Journey Home". He will give three talks, and there will also be a talk given by Patrick Sullivan, Catechist and speaker in the Archdiocese of Toronto.

For more information and to order tickets:

www.catholicchapterhouse.com/be-transformed, info@catholicchapterhouse.com or 1-888-522-2070. Student & Group rates available.

BL. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN:



TWO CONVERSIONS

Cardinal Newman was born in London on 21 February 1801. He was brought up in the Anglican tradition, and as a young man had a strong religious inclination that was mainly expressed in reading the Bible.

From his earliest years, Sacred Scripture endowed him with high moral standards, but his intellectual potential demanded something more precise and more clearly defined.

Very soon, when he was only 14 years old, he was tempted by disbelief and self-sufficiency. He wanted to be a gentleman, but not to believe in God. "I remember", he wrote about this, "that I wanted to be virtuous but not to be religious; I had not understood what loving God means". As the young student struggled with this temptation, God knocked at his heart.

During his holidays in 1816, he read *Force of Truth* by Thomas Scott and its content made a profound impression on him. He subsequently experienced his "first conversion", which he himself considered one of the most significant graces of his life. It involved acute awareness of the existence and presence of God and of the invisible world.

The "second conversion" of Newman took place nearly 30 years later. An Anglican priest at the time, while immersing himself in studies on the development of Christian doctrine, Newman realized that the Church of Rome was the Church of the Fathers, the true Church of Christ..... On 9 October 1845, he embraced the Catholic faith and was received by Bl. Dominic Barberi, an Italian Passionist, into the Catholic Church which he described as "the One Fold of Christ".

AT HOLY FAMILY CHURCH ...

CONCERTS COMING THIS FALL Friday October 25th, 8pm

Trio Sonata from The Musical Offering (J. S. Bach)

& Trio Sonatas of Henry Purcell

Friday, November 8th, 8pm

Sonatas for Violin & Harpsichord, J.S. Bach

B Minor, A Major, E Major

LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH

RCIA classes take place on Wednesdays at 7:30, and Adult Bible Study meets on Tuesdays at 7:30, in the hall at Holy Family. Call the rectory at 416-532-2879.

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