
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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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

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-9944

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

The sung 11:30 Mass will resume on September 13.

PARISH FINANCES FOR AUGUST 23

Regular collection: \$2,998

Anniversary Fund: \$560

Total: \$3,558

Budget Need: \$3,863

PARISH FINANCES FOR AUGUST 30

Regular collection: \$2,268

Anniversary Fund: \$518

Total: \$2,786

Budget Need: \$3,863

A statement of expenditures and income for the first six months of the year is included with this bulletin.

R.C.I.A.

Do you want to become a Catholic? Do you want to understand your faith better?



Adult Catechism classes, also known as R.C.I.A., begin on **Thursday, September 10th** in the parish hall at Holy Family. The classes meet each week from 7:30-9:00 pm. They are open to those who want to be baptized, to those who are Christians and not yet Catholics, as well as those who are already Catholic. For more information, contact Fr. Michael Eades (416-532-2879). Last Easter, people from the class became Catholics at both St. Vincent de Paul and Holy Family Parishes.

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.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

10:00 (+) John M. Campbell, req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 (+) Wtadyslaw & Zofia Kotwa, req. by Sophie Kotwa

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

St. Peter Claver, Priest

8:00 (+) Wilfrid Bruhm

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

8:00 (+) Wilfrid Bruhm

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

8:00 (+) Wilfrid Bruhm

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Most Holy Name of Mary

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 Julian Ezman, req. by Ezman family

HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Please note **Monday, September 7** is Labour Day. Mass will start at 10:00 a.m.

ST. PHILIP'S SEMINARY

There will be a Mass of Inauguration of the Academic year at St. Philip's Seminary on Saturday, September 12 at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Family Church. St. Philip's Seminary, under the direction of the Oratory of St. Philip Neri, has been educating students for the priesthood since the 1980s. This year there are more than twenty students in residence at the seminary, with a similar number taking classes at St Philip's while residing and having formation at Serra House, Redemptoris Mater Seminary, or their Religious Institutes.



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*

FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY

...In the words of Saint Bernard, I invite everyone to become a trusting child before Mary, even as the Son of God did. Saint Bernard says, and we say with him: "Look to the star of the sea, call upon Mary ... in danger, in distress, in doubt, think of Mary, call upon Mary. May her name never be far from your lips, or far from your heart ... If you follow her, you will not stray; if you pray to her, you will not despair; if you turn your thoughts to her, you will not err. If she holds you, you will not fall; if she protects you, you need not fear; if she is your guide, you will not tire; if she is gracious to you, you will surely reach your destination."

(Benedict XVI, address at Heiligenkreuz Abbey)

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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.

POLISH FESTIVAL ROAD CLOSURES

We look forward to the annual Roncesvalles Polish Festival on the weekend of September 19 & 20. Parishioners should be aware of the road closures which will make access to the church difficult for those who drive or use public transit, and those who drive should be aware that parking will be at a premium. Roncesvalles will be closed from Dundas to Queen. For more information see www.polishfestival.ca. Our 100th anniversary committee plans to sell commemorative mugs in front of the church.

NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Students at all levels are back to school. Let us keep them in our prayers and in our hearts!

With the start of a new school year, many parish educational activities are also getting started. Please see below for important information about First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The sacraments of penance (confession, reconciliation) and Holy Communion are received by children for the first time when they have reached the age of reason, generally about seven years of age. Preparation in the parish is required in addition to the religion lessons in the school. Our classes will begin after Thanksgiving, with registration taking place on Sunday, September 27 in the parish hall after the 11:30 a.m. Mass. A charge of \$40 will be requested for educational materials and other costs.

CONFIRMATION

Registration for Confirmation classes will take place in the parish hall on Sunday, September 20, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Please note: Cardinal Collins has instituted a new policy in the Archdiocese of Toronto whereby the normal year for the reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation will be grade 7. Since this is the first year with this new policy, Confirmation classes will include students in grade 7 and 8, as well as older students who have not yet been confirmed. The cost is \$40. Adults who have not been confirmed should contact the parish to prepare for this sacrament; in most cases they will take the Adult Catechism class on Thursday evenings at Holy Family.

ORATORY CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The Oratory Children's Choir is taking new singers. The choir sings at the 9:30 a.m. Mass at Holy Family Church every Sunday during the school year. They practice on Tuesdays from 4:00-5:30 p.m. at Holy Family parish hall after school - snacks provided. The choir is open to boys and girls from grades 4-12. Call Philip Fournier, Music Director at 416-538-5893 to arrange an audition.

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