

# ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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## Parish Priests:

Fr. Jude Coyle  
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## Parish Staff:

Clarissa Adityani

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

IN PERSON: Monday & Wednesday 10:00am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 3:00pm  
BY PHONE OR EMAIL: Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10:00am to 12:00noon,  
1:00pm to 3:00pm  
416-445-1760 or email parish@bvmtoronto.com

**Booking a seat for Mass will not be necessary.  
It will be a first-come, first-served basis.  
Church doors close when Mass begins.**

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00noon, 7:00pm

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	8:00am & 12:30pm
Saturday	9:00am
Public Holiday	9:00am only

## FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass followed by Exposition	8:00am
Mass	12:30pm

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday	8:00am
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## BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Information Form to the parish office at least 6 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish Community. Attendance at an online Baptismal Preparation Meeting is mandatory.

## MARRIAGE

Couples themselves must contact the parish office at least *one full year in advance* of the anticipated marriage date. No date may be set before meeting with a priest. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. If either party has been previously married, permission to proceed must be obtained from the Chancery Office of the Archdiocese.

## SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

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Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

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*"All ate and were filled."*

## PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



**Tuesday, June 21st** is the Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

**Thursday, June 23rd** is the Solemnity of Nativity of St. John the Baptist, Special Patron of French Canadians

**Thursday, June 23rd** is the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Join us in prayer in communion with these great saints at the 8:00AM and 12:30PM Masses on weekdays, and 9:00AM Mass on Saturday.

**2022 SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN**  
**Body and Blood of Christ—June 19, 2022**

Did you know that, through your support, no one is turned away from ShareLife-funded agencies due to inability to pay? One of these agencies whose work you make possible is Catholic Crosscultural Services (CCS).

"The pandemic has affected the newcomer and refugee communities we serve greatly," the agency reports. Thanks to you, CCS continued its settlement and mental health services for this marginalized population without interruption. Thank you for your help!

**To date our parish has raised: \$53,117.25**  
**Thank you for supporting our parish's**  
**ShareLife campaign!**

## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Catholics worldwide are urged to pray for Priests on June 24 on World Day of Prayer for Priests. The day was begun by Saint John Paul II in 2002 with the objective having all Catholic faithful join in prayer for the sanctification of Priests. The World Day of Prayer for Priests coincides with the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

## CHAPLAINCY CONNECT AND CATHOLIC MINISTRIES

Attention Grade 12 students: If you're going to university or college in the fall, campus ministry is waiting for you! Connect with the Catholic community on your campus by visiting: [www.chaplaincyconnect.ca](http://www.chaplaincyconnect.ca)!

## FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI



The Feast of Corpus Christi (The Body and Blood of Christ) celebrates the gift of the Eucharist. As Catholics, we believe that the bread and wine placed on the altar are transformed by the words of the priest and the breath of the Spirit.

They become the true Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, our risen Lord and Saviour. To receive Holy Communion is to receive Jesus into our hearts.

*"Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed."*



## EUCCHARIST

Eucharist (Greek *eucharistia* = thanksgiving) was at first the name for the prayer of thanksgiving that preceded the transformation of the bread and wine into Christ's Body and Blood in the liturgy of the early Church. Later the term was applied to the whole celebration of the Mass.

## In what way is Christ there when the Eucharist is celebrated?

Christ is mysteriously but really present in the Sacrament of the Eucharist. As often as the Church fulfills Jesus' command, "Do this in remembrance of me." (1 Cor 11:24), breaks the bread and offers the chalice, the same thing takes place today that happened then: Christ truly gives himself for us, and we truly gain a share in him. The unique and unrepeatable sacrifice of Christ on the Cross is made present on the altar; the work of our redemption is accomplished.

Source: pg. 213 & 219, *YOUCAT (Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church)*

## ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THANK YOU FR. XAVIER RAJ SAM MICHAEL

Fr. Sam Michael decided to leave early. Fr. Sam Michael's last day of ministry at Annunciation Parish was on Wednesday, June 15th. We thank Fr. Sam Michael for his three years of service at Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish and we ask God's choicest blessings upon him and his future ministry.

### RCIA



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a Program to prepare Adults to become Catholic. If you, a member of your family or a friend are thinking about becoming a Catholic, please contact the parish office and walk the Journey of faith with us. We meet weekly beginning mid October.

### NEWEST CATHOLIC MEMBERS



The following children were recently welcomed into our worshipping community through the Sacrament of Baptism:

**Aries Scott, Ehijator Iyoha, Sophia Dike, Spencer and Theo Naraine**

Please keep these children and their parents in your prayers.



## Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

June 19—June 25

In loving memory of  
**Menin Rodrigues**

Loved and respected for his good deeds and devotion to his parents, sisters and their families.

Requested by Anne on behalf of the family

Special Intention for deliverance  
for my family,

**Ariel Samuel Charles, Beverly Charles,  
Ethan Charles Smith and  
Marina Samuel Charles**

Requested by Marina Samuel Charles



## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

### A PRAYER FOR FATHER

God our Father,  
We give you thanks and praise for fathers  
young and old.

We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation; May they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice.

We pray for our own fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering; May they know that the God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow.

We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with fatherly love and advice.

We remember fathers, grandfather, and great grandfathers who are no longer with us, but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love.  
Amen.

### We wish a Happy Father's Day to all the fathers of Annunciation Parish!

*"Best wishes to you on your day!" And "Thank you for all you do for your children: thank you. May St. Joseph bless you and accompany you." -Pope Francis*



### WEARING FACE MASKS AT MASS

Everyone is encouraged to continue to wear a facemasks when attending Mass or going to confession, following medical advice that we have been given. Throughout the pandemic, the advice we have been given has kept all of us in our parish safe while attending Mass. Caring for each other is at the core of Jesus' teaching.



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