

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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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

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.

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416-393-5273

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*"I give you a new commandment,
that you love one another."*



2022 SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN
5th Sunday of Easter—May 15, 2022

"Our goal can be met, but only with your help. I invite you to join today's generation of heroes by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife. As you contemplate the blessings God has entrusted to you, please join me in giving to ShareLife to the best of your ability."

– Cardinal Thomas Collins

The final ShareLife Sunday of the year is June 5.
To date our parish has raised: \$37,986.05
Thank you for supporting our parish's
ShareLife campaign!

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION
May 21/22

The Pope's Pastoral Works collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding the victims of war, famine and natural disasters. By contributing to the Pope's Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity.

The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

Pope Francis has launched the Synod on Synodality: a two-year global process of listening to the faithful that will help the Church reflect on how we can do God's will in the world today. This synod is of great importance to the Holy Father and the universal church. It cannot succeed without the participation of the entire people of God. Please go online and give your input to the Synod Survey which can be found at www.archtoronto.org/synodality

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2022 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product of service. Call Liturgical Publication at 905-624-4422.

UKRAINIAN HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

Ukraine has been plunged into war after the Russian military invaded the country, resulting in widespread violence and a looming humanitarian crisis.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will channel donations to support the Office for Refugees, Archdiocese of Toronto (ORAT) and the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA). Your donation will help Ukrainians who are beset by violence in Eastern Europe and it will help some of them find a new home in Canada.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: Annunciation Parish – Ukrainian Relief – Humanitarian Relief

Please continue to pray for the Ukrainian people and all those who suffer under the human tragedy of war. Thank you for your continued assistance.

MASS CARDS

You may arrange to have a Mass celebrated for a living and deceased person or for a special intention by visiting the parish office during office hours. The stipend is \$10.00. Please note Annunciation Parish does not provide announced Masses.

**MEMORIAL LAMPS
& SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

The Sanctuary lamps that burn next to the tabernacle may be lit for one week as memorial or special intentions. Prayer requests will be listed on the bulletin. The offering is \$25 per lamp. To reserve a lamp, please contact or visit the parish office for details.



**Memorial Lamps
& Special Intentions**
May 15—May 21

Our lamp(s) are lit:

In loving memory of our mother, **Zachia Morales**
Will be deeply missed and eternally cherished.
Requested by your children Jimmy,
Gemma (Dennis), Budwin, Robert, Sally
and your grandchildren.

ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



WEARING FACE MASKS AT MASS

We ask everyone, at this time, to continue to wear facemasks when attending Mass or going to confession, as we have been advised. Throughout the pandemic, the advice we have been given has kept all of us in our parish safe while attending Mass and we would be wise to continue to follow it. Caring for each other is at the core of Jesus' teaching.

CATHOLIC WOMAN'S LEAGUE MOTHER'S DAY TEA



On Thursday, May 19, at 1PM, the CWL will hold a Mother's Day Tea. Bring your mother and your daughters. Be our guest. To make the festivities more interesting, we will hold a contest to find out who is wearing the best "Fascinator Hat". The lady wearing the best "Fascinator Hat" will have her CWL dues for the new year.

WELCOME TO SEMINARIAN JOSEPH DO

A warm welcome to Joseph Do of St. Augustine's Seminary to our parish community. Joseph will be with us for 4 months. He has completed his third year of theology and will begin his fourth and final year of theology in September. Joseph's home diocese is Bui Chu in the North of Vietnam.

HAVE YOU MOVED?



If you have moved, please inform the parish office of your new contact information either by phone, email at parish@bvm-toronto.com or drop by the parish office and fill out a Change in Address form. It is important that the parish have your current information for donation receipt purposes, as well to ensure our database is up-to-date.



THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY – MAY 28/29

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul will be collecting used clothing and household linens, to support the needy of our residential programs. The truck will be open on:

Saturday, May 28, from 4:30PM to 6:00PM;

Sunday, May 29, from 7:30AM to 1:30PM;

Sunday, May 29, from 6:30PM to 8:00PM

Volunteers will be there to assist with loading before and after each Mass. Please bring your donation and follow the COVID-19 protocols by maintaining social distancing and masks must be worn at all times when dropping donations off. The parish office will not be accepting clothing donations. Clothing donation may not be left inside the church.

Only clothing, shoes and linen donations are accepted. Thank you for your donation!

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