

# ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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## Parish Priests:

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## Parish Staff:

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday	10:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-8:00pm
Tuesday	10:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-4:00pm
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday-Friday	10:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-4:00pm
Saturday, Sunday, Public Holiday	Closed

*The Church opens 35 minutes before each Mass*

## 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	9:30AM
	(at other times by appointment)

## 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.

## CARE of the SICK

Visitation and/or Communion for the sick upon request.

## SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Wisdom School	416-393-5273
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
St. Isaac Jogues School	416-393-5315
Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

**ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH,  
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*"Invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet."*

**PRAY WITH THE SAINTS**



**Monday, October 16th** is the Memorial of St. Marguerite D'Youville, Religious

**Tuesday, October 17th** is the Memorial of St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr

**Wednesday, October 18th** is the Feast of St. Luke, Evangelist

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.



**Memorial Lamps  
& Special Intentions**

October 8—October 14

In loving memory of  
**my parents Mr and Mrs S. F. George Tsang,  
brother Arthur Yiu Wing, sister Anna Yee Mui  
and Helper Ah Yue**

Requested by Mr Y. L. Tsang, Tammy Tam,  
Agnes Tsang, Bryan Lee,  
Alan Tsang and Jasmine Kwan

October 15—October 21

For Special Intentions:

For my family

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

Thanking God for deliverance and breakthrough.

In loving memory of **Benito Udarbe**

From your wife, Marilyn Udarbe and family

In loving memory of **Josefa Bibat, Fernando Sr,  
Fernando Jr, and Rogildo Bibat**

May they have eternal rest in our Lord's house.

They may be gone, but not forgotten.

Forever in our hearts, Zenaida, Erlinda, Imelda,  
Wilfredo, Amado, Orlando and family.

**PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED  
OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY**



Please remember in your prayers all those parishioners who have gone to their rest in Christ, particularly those we remember who died recently: **Urcel Pencz**

**ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO  
THE ANNUAL MASS ATTENDANCE HEAD COUNT**

*October 14th/15th and October 21st/22nd*

This year, parishes are asked to conduct a parishioner attendance count on the weekends of October 14th/15th and October 21st/22nd. The count includes all Sunday Vigil and Sunday Masses, and Holy Communion visits to house bound parishioners or those in retirement or care facilities.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION**

*October 21st/22nd*

Since 1922, the Pontifical Missions Societies through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith has supported the temporal needs of missions as well as created awareness of the work of the missions throughout the world. Some examples of projects include: building churches, pastoral centres, cathedrals damaged by tsunamis and earthquakes, religious houses of formation, homes for the clergy, formation programs for lay missionaries, radio and television production, audio-visual materials for remote mission areas as well as support of pastoral work in various rural dioceses. For more information, please visit the Society for the Propagation of the Faith: [www.missionsocieties.ca](http://www.missionsocieties.ca)

**SUNDAY PASTORAL CARE**

The Sunday Pastoral Ministry is a compassionate group of adults who have the privilege of visiting the sick and housebound of our parish community. We bring our Lord to them in the Word and in the Blessed Sacrament two Sundays each month after the 10am Mass. We visit our parishioners in teams of two and feel blessed. If you would like to join this very rewarding ministry or would like further information, please leave your name and number with the parish office and one of our team will call you back. As well, if you know of someone in the parish who is unable to attend mass and would like to receive Holy Communion in his/her home, please contact the parish office.



## ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



### THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY - OCTOBER 28th/ 29th

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, Oct 28th, from 4:30PM to 6:00PM;**  
**Sunday, Oct 29th, from 7:30AM to 1:30PM; and**  
**from 6:30PM to 8:00PM**

Volunteers will be there to assist with loading before and after each Mass. Please bring your donation and help others in your community.

**Only** clothing, shoes and linen donations will be accepted. Thank you for your donation!

### 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 this Fall.

### ANNUNCIATION CHORAL MINISTRY

The Choral Ministry is delighted to have the choirs begin after the summer break! Our goal is to encourage singers to engage in singing, develop their musical and leadership skills, and grow their faith and relationship with God through their pieces.

- The Children's Choir is open for Grades 2 - 12 or ages 7-17 and rehearses on Sundays at 9:00am.
- The General Choir is open for ages 18 and up. They rehearse on Sundays at 11:00am and sing at the 12:00pm Mass.

New Choir Members are always welcomed! If you are interested, please visit the parish office to fill out a form or use the links below.

*Children's Choir Form:*

<https://form.jotform.com/232205583750251>

*General Choir Form:*

<https://form.jotform.com/232264202067245>

## CONFIRMATION

### CONFIRMATION MINISTRY SIGN-UPS

*October 14th/15th and October 21st/22nd*

A reminder to all registered confirmation candidates that signups for the altar-serving, choir and usher ministries will be taking place after all masses this weekend October 14th/15th and next weekend, October 21st/22nd. Please hand in the confirmation volunteer form found in your confirmation package to the staff at the welcome desk.

### ANNUNCIATION SENIORS' GROUP SOCIAL

*Tuesday, October 17th at 10:00 AM*

The Annunciation Seniors Club will be meeting on Tuesday, October 17th at 10AM in the Parish Hall. We will try our best to have a mini fitness session at the start of the meeting for a short time. It will be fun to participate and a benefit for all. At the meeting we will be collecting the membership dues as well as the monies for the trip in November. Looking forward to many more people joining us for this exciting trip!

### CWL GENERAL MEETING

*Sunday, October 22nd at 1:00 PM*

On Sunday, October 22nd at 1PM, the Catholic Women's League will be collecting tights/leggings/sweat pants and underwear for women. These items are in great need for the homeless woman. More information will be provided by our speaker during this meeting. Donations can also be left in the Religious Articles Booth.

### ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY



The Altar Server Ministry is a vibrant group of Children/Youth who assists the priests in the celebration of the Sunday Liturgy.

As an Altar Server, you have the privilege to experience the intimate closeness of Jesus by serving your parish community. If you are in elementary or in high school and would like to join our ministry, please email [bvmservers@gmail.com](mailto:bvmservers@gmail.com)

Full training is provided. Additional parent volunteers are also needed to help with the planning of various ministry events.



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