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# ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Fr. Frederick Foley - In Residence

Monday to Thursday 8:30am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 8:00pm Friday 8:30am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 4:00pm

Saturday 11:00am to 4:30pm

### The Church is open during the following hours:

Monday to Friday 7:00am to 9:00am, 11:00am to 1:00pm

First Friday 7:00am to 1:00pm

8:00am to 10:00am, 3:30pm to 6:00pm Sunday 7:00am to 1:30pm, 6:00pm to 8:00pm

#### **SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES**

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm, 7:00pm

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday 8:00am & 12:30pm

Saturday 9:00am Public Holiday 9:00am only

#### FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass followed by Exposition8:00amBenediction of the Blessed Sacrament12:15pmMass12:30pm

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:30am & 4:00pm

(At other times by appointment)

#### **BAPTISMS**

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Information Form to the parish office at least 4 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a parish priest or deacon is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish Community. Attendance at a Baptism 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.

**LEGION OF MARY - Prayer group** Saturday Mornings at 10:00am.

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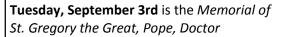
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## ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH, TORONTO, ONTARIO.

"Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted."

## **PRAY WITH THE SAINTS**





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.

#### **FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS**

Friday, September 6th is the First Friday of the month. Masses will be celebrated at 8:00AM and 12:30PM. The church will be open all morning for

adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and personal prayer. Our period of adoration ends with Benediction at 12:15PM in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Come and spend time in the presence of the Lord.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Have Mercy on us!

#### LABOUR DAY WEEKEND

Labour Day Weekend marks the end of the summer vacation period and the resumption of activities in home, parish and school. We hope you and your families had a wonderful summer and take this opportunity to encourage active and renewed participation in our community.

**Monday, September 2nd** is Labour Day. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00AM only. *The parish office will be closed*.

## SEPTEMBER 1- WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CARE OF CREATION

In 2015, Pope Francis declared September 1 as the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, as the Orthodox Church has done since 1989.

According to Pope Francis, "The annual World Day of prayer for the Care of Creation offers to individual believers and to the community a precious opportunity to renew our personal participation in this vocation as custodians of creation, raising to God our thanks for the marvelous works that He has entrusted to our care, invoking his help for the protection of creation and his mercy for the sins committed against the world in which we live."

## THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

**Universal:** That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.



# Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

July 7- July 27

In loving memory of **Menin Rodrigues.** Loved and cherished forever. Peace and joy in the Lord be yours always .

Requested by Anne, Agnes, Helen and the whole family.

In loving memory of **Serolina Rodrigues.**Mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother to the whole family who love and pray for you always.

Requested by Anne.

In loving memory of **Joe.B Rosales.**Requested by children Maris, Jovie, Lisette and
Karen, along with their families

In loving memory of **Clare McEachern**. Missed by all the family who love and cherish you forever.

Requested by Anne

In loving memory (20 years) of our dearest mother, **Mathilde Parker.** Always in our hearts and God's care Love, Vicki, Mary, Alex and family

One year death anniversary of our grandmother and great-grandmother, **Tjoa Sin Nio.** Requested by Fandy, Selvie, Clarissa and Claresta

## September 1—September 7

In loving memory of **Louis Figueira.**May you have eternal rest in our Lord's house. You
may be gone, but never forgotten. Forever in our
hearts, Dennis, Gemma, Kerry-Ann and Lucio.
Requested by: Dennis Figueira and Family

*In loving memory of* 

my parents Mr. and Mrs. S.F Tsang George, my brother Yiu Wing, sister Anna Tsang and Helper Ah Yue

> Requested by Mr. Y.L Tsang, Alan, Agnes and Jasmine.

## ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **NEWLY BAPTIZED CHILDREN**



The following children were recently baptized and welcomed into the Catholic faith community at our parish:

Jeremy Liam Cocon, Zaine Anthony Crabjales-Nelson, Jace Andrew Jacinto,

Cassie Grace Joyette, Charlotte Nilda Kavouras, Samantha Sayako Miura, Chiyo Kate Motomura, Ray Nate Niyonkuru, Maichail Jhowel Pinili, Gabrielle-Ansel Dalid Punongbayan, Charlezh-Alejandrei Raganit Recairdo, Oliver Nathan Rivera, Kai Mia Santos, Calvin-Karl Geronga Soriano, Louise Nicole Rodriguez Yabes.

Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

#### A PRAYER FOR STUDENTS

Lord, send your Spirit upon these students and fill them with your wisdom and blessings. I pray that they will not worry about things they cannot control, but that You will guard their hearts and minds and keep them trusting in You.

I pray that they will not only enjoy the peace of God, but peace with God. Grant that they may devote themselves to their studies and draw ever closer to you, the source of all knowledge. Amen.

## PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



Please remember in your prayers all those parishioners who have gone to their rest in Christ, particularly those we remember who died recently: Winkle Johnson, Allan Asselin, and Chu Ken "Joseph" Lin

#### **NEW TO OUR PARISH?**



If you are a new parishioner of Annunciation Parish we offer you a warm welcome. Please take the time to register and receive your personal

box of Sunday Offering Envelopes. You can register by visiting the parish office during normal business hours. We're glad you're here!

## MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE FALL 2019

The Marriage Preparation Course will take place on Wednesday evenings from **September 25th, 2019 to November 6th, 2019** from 7:15PM to 9:00PM in the Parish Hall. The completion of this course is a necessity for all couples who wish to be married at a Catholic Church. Please call or visit the Parish Office to register.

#### **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 on Tuesday evening's beginning in the Fall.



## ANNUNCIATION REPAIRS AND RENOVATIONS

Over the coming months there will be a number of repairs and renovations carried at Annunciation Parish. Some have already taken place and some are underway:

- The Church Piers (the pillars supporting the roof have had maintenance work done on them and have been painted, as has been the Bell Tower.
- The parking lot has been repaired and markers repainted.
- The base of the west wall of the Parish Hall and the concrete stairs at the back of the Parish Hall will be replaced.
- The lighting in the Church and Sanctuary has been replaced with all LED lighting.
- The kneelers' hinges in the Church are being repaired. The floor of the Church Foyer will be replaced.
- Work is underway to replace the floor of the Parish Hall and Kitchen, as well as repainting the Hall.
- During some of this work weekday masses will be celebrated in the parish hall.

All of this work has been planned by the Parish Property Committee and supported by the Parish Financial Council. We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding. Paul O'Connor

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