

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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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,
TORONTO, ONTARIO**

*"I tell you, you should forgive not seven times,
but seventy-seven times."*

PRAY WITH THE SAINTS



Wednesday, September 20th is the Memorial of St. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, Priest, Paul Chong Ha-Sang and companions, Martyrs

Thursday, September 21st is the Feast of St. Matthew, Apostle, 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.

NOVENA TO ST. MICHAEL ARCHANGEL

Archbishop Leo is inviting the Catholic community throughout the archdiocese to join in offering a novena to Saint Michael the Archangel, leading up to the Solemnity of Saint Michael on September 29, 2023.

To learn more about the Novena to St. Michael Archangel, please visit <https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/archbishop-leo-invites-faithful-to-join-in-novena-to-saint-michael/>

The Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael, on Friday, September 29, 2023. All are welcome to join in a special celebration on that day at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.). Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass, with music from the world-renowned St. Michael's Choir School. As part of the celebration, the Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurkovič will confer the pallium on our archbishop, a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful.

Following Mass, there will be an informal reception with light refreshments in the St. Michael's Cathedral atrium and courtyard. Seating will be first come, first served. All are welcome to join in this special celebration for our archdiocese and archbishop!

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.

NEEDS OF CHURCH IN CANADA

September 24th

Every year, the Bishop of Canada appeal for financial assistance. This collection helps each diocese to make its annual contributions to the national Episcopal Conference and to the respective regional episcopal assembly. Any additional funds from the collection are at the disposal of the diocese for its own pastoral needs.

SUNDAY PASTORAL CARE

"For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me.' Matthew 25:35-36

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 10a.m. 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.



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ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION

September 16th-17th



This weekend, we take up the Monthly Building Fund Collection. Thank you for your continuing support to Annunciation Parish.

CWL GENERAL MEETING

Sunday, September 17th at 1:00 PM

The CWL's upcoming General Meeting is this Sunday, September 17th at 1:00 PM in the Parish Hall. This gathering will feature a potluck and a guest speaker. We extend a warm invitation to all current, past and new members to join us. Our agenda will include covering the year's events calendar and voting on important matters. Please join the CWL if you are interested in growing in faith and wish to witness to the love of God through ministry and service.

ANNUNCIATION SENIORS' GROUP SOCIAL

Tuesday, September 19th at 10:00 AM

Our first meeting after the summer break will take place on Tuesday, September 19th at 10:00 AM in the Parish Hall. We will also be collecting our Annual Membership Fee of \$20. Looking forward to seeing everyone again!

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 - 10 or ages 7-15 and rehearses on Sundays at 9:00am.
- The General Choir is open for ages 16 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>

UPCOMING MEETING

St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

Thursday, September 20th at 6:30PM in St. Pius X.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING

Thursday, October 12th at 7:30 PM

The journey of preparation for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion for the Grade 2's who families belong to Annunciation Parish begins with a Parents' Information & Registration meeting at the Parish on **Thursday, October 12th at 7:30 PM.**

If you are a member of Annunciation Parish and wish your child to make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in the Spring of 2024, you are to attend this **mandatory meeting and register them.**

Please bring a completed Registration Form and a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate to this meeting. Registration forms may be obtained from the parish office.

If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish as soon as possible to register your child so that they may prepare for and make their First Confession and First Holy Communion.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING

Tuesday, October 10th at 7:30 PM

In the spring of 2024, students of Grade 7 will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation takes place in your own parish, the parish where they and their family belongs and regularly attends Mass. If Annunciation is not your parish, please contact your own parish for this Sacrament.

Grade 7 students whose families belong to Annunciation Parish must attend the **Mandatory Information & Registration Meeting with their parents on Tuesday, October 10th at 7:30 PM** if they wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this Spring of 2024.

Please bring a copy of your Baptismal Certificate and a completed Registration Form with you as these forms will be accepted only at this meeting. Registration forms are available for pickup at the parish office.



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