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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Wednesday

8:30 am - 8:00 pm

Closed daily 12:00-1:00 pm for lunch

MASS TIMES

Lauds: Monday to Friday 7:30 am

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am

Friday 8:00 am

7:00 pm

Saturday 8:30 am

5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday 8:00 am

9:30 am (Italian)

11:00 am

12:30 pm

4:30 pm

CONFESSION TIMES

Friday 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

or by appointment with a Priest

ADORATION & EXPOSITION

Friday 1:00 pm - 6:45 pm

DEVOTIONS

Rosary - After morning Mass

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Friday at 3:00 pm

Sacred Heart - Friday at 6:45 pm

Perpetual Help - After morning Mass on Saturday

Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group - Every

Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 pm

BAPTISM

1st Sunday during 12:30 pm Mass

3rd Sunday at 2:00 pm

Baptismal Class: 1st Thursday at 7:00pm

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Contact the Parish office to register.

MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Priest one year in advance

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Thank you for your ongoing financial support during these hard times.

Ways to Support your Parish

- **At Mass** in the offertory basket after Mass at the exit door.
- **Drop off** your regular weekly offertory contribution envelopes through the mail box slot of the parish office door.
- **By mail to** St. Mary Immaculate Parish
10295 Yonge St.
Richmond Hill, Ontario
L4C 3B9
- **Electronic online.** Visit our website www.smirh.com for more information.

STAY IN TOUCH WITH OUR PARISH

By phone at 905-884-1784. Nadia, our Parish secretary, is working partially at the office and remotely and will answer your call during the office hours. After hours, please leave a message and we will contact you as soon as possible.

By email at office@smirh.com.

Visit us on twitter @SMIRichmondHill.

YouTube Channel SMI Parish.

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Tues. Sep 1		World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
Wed. Sep 2	Memorial	Blessed Andre Grasset, Priest, Martyr
Thurs. Sep 3	Memorial	St. Gregory the Great, Pope, Doctor
Fri. Sep 4	Memorial	Blessed Dina Belanger, Virgin
Sat. Sep 5	First Friday of the month	We honour the Sacred Heart of Jesus
	First Saturday of the month	We honour the Immaculate Heart of Mary

READINGS THIS WEEK

30 Jeremiah 20.7-9 Romans 12.1-2 Matthew 16.21-27

31 1 Corinthians 2.1-5 Luke 4.16-30

1 1 Corinthians 2.10b-16 Luke 4.31-37

2 1 Corinthians 3.1-9 Luke 4.38-44

3 1 Corinthians 3.18-23 Luke 5.1-11

4 1 Corinthians 4.1-5 Luke 5.33-39

5 1 Corinthians 4.6-15 Luke 6.1-5

OFFICE OPENING BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

We are happy to announce that the Parish office will be open three times a week starting next week. However, **by appointment only.**

Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from

8:30 am – 12:00 pm noon.

Please contact the Parish office to schedule an appointment. Mask is mandatory to enter.

WEEKLY REGISTRATION FOR WEEKEND MASSES

Begins every Monday after 8:30 am and ends Friday at noon. Please make sure to register or contact the parish office during these times.

We are happy to announce that we will be extending the number of parishioners that will be able to participate in Sunday Mass by opening up the Parish Hall. Please pass along this message to friends and family.

Parishioners are reminded to check your temperature before coming to Church and to keep a self-log of when you come to Church. If you display any of the symptoms associated with COVID-19, please stay home and contact your healthcare provider. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

to help with the re-opening and disinfecting teams before and after some of the weekend Masses. If interested please contact the parish office.

 **MARK your CALENDAR**

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM (VIRTUAL) SEPTEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 13

Under normal circumstances the Sunday school program is held in the Parish hall on Sundays. However, this year due to COVID-19 the program will be held virtually. Sunday School teaches catechism to children once a week. It is intended to assist parents, the primary faith teachers, in their children's Faith journey. Whether your child is in a non-Catholic or Catholic School, your child's journey in faith will be enriched by our program. The program will take place virtually Sunday mornings, between 9:00 am to 9:45 am using Google Meets. The Sunday school program will help your child draw closer to God, Jesus and the Holy Spirit. There is no registration fee however, registration is required.

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CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD PROGRAM (VIRTUAL) SEPTEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 13

Under normal circumstances the Children's Liturgy program is held during the 11:00 am Mass. However, this year due to COVID-19 the program will be held virtually. Children's Liturgy of the Word is a program in which the Sunday scripture readings and Gospel are proclaimed and explained to children, at an age-appropriate level, from grades K through 6. It is intended to enrich your child's Faith journey, as well as encourage children to form a loving and generous response to the Word of God. The

program will take place virtually Sunday mornings, between 10:00 am and 10:15 am using Google Meets. Children from the Sunday school program are encouraged to join the Children's Liturgy of the Word program as well. There is no registration fee however, registration is required.



BIBLE STUDY (VIRTUAL)

BOOK OF REVELATION: THE KINGDOM YET TO COME



In *Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come*, presenter Jeff Cavins pulls back the veil on the rich symbolism present in Revelation. Discover what the mysterious figures and images of Revelation mean and see how Revelation is more than an apocalyptic vision of the "end times." Explore the Church's teaching on the second coming of Christ and the Last Judgment. Understand how God, the Divine Bridegroom, and the Church, his spotless bride, enter into a heavenly, holy, and mystical marriage every time we celebrate Mass. Study will begin in September. Registration is required. Please contact the Parish office.



The ShareLife office is pleased to provide an update on the continuation of the 2020 ShareLife campaign. They have received permission from the Episcopal Board to continue the campaign into the fall of this year.

New Collection Dates:

September 12 & 13 / October 10 & 11 / November 7 & 8

Thank you for your support!

LEBANON HUMANITARIAN RELIEF EFFORT

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

- 1. Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org.** Click on the "Donate Now" button at the top right of the landing page.
- 2. By phone through the Development Office.** Please call: **(416) 934-3411**.
- 3. Through our Parish, making cheques payable to: St. Mary Immaculate— Lebanon Relief Effort – Disaster Relief** and sealed in an envelope clearly marked for **Lebanon Relief**.

The people of Lebanon need our assistance. It is at times like these when we are called to respond in a special way to our Christian mission to love our neighbour.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE (VIRTUAL)

Our Parish is offering virtual marriage preparation course.

Fall session: Wednesday evenings beginning

October 14 – November 18, 2020. If you are planning to marry in the near future and would like to register, contact the Parish office.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS

Available to offer for loved ones for a one week period. Sanctuary lamps are the red votive candles lit beside the tabernacle. To

request an intention for the sanctuary lamps, please call the Parish office at 905-884-1784 during office hours.

AUG 31– SEP 6: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN FOR

+Jason Boodram

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THEIR CAREGIVERS

If you would like to mention a loved one who is sick or a caregiver caring for a sick loved one that are in need of prayers, please contact the parish office or email office@smirh.com. Names will be removed after the last Sunday of each month unless renewed with the office.

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Julie, Gus, Peter Fernandes, Bernardine Fernandes, Joe Rybka, Maria Petruzzo, Nazzareno Lombardi, Marcus Gibbons, Dante Gibellini, Lucia Gibellini, Michael McGee, Clara Pacitti, Sandi Weinholdt, Emil Atienza, Samantha Pasut, Domenic, Ramesh Sharma

MASS INTENTIONS AUG 31 – SEP 6

Mon. Aug 31	8:00 am	Thanksgiving to St. Anthony
Tues. Sep 1	8:00 am	+Joseph Pustijanac
Wed. Sep 2	8:00 am	+Virginio & +Candelora Marsella
Thur. Sep 3	8:00 am	+Giorlando Scavone
Fri. Sep 4	8:00 am	+Lidia & +Nick Natale
Sat. Sep 5	8:30 am	+Roman & +Wood Families +Herbert, +Catherine & +Patrick Paxton +Stephen Lappin +Tsai-Chung Li +Stipan Begic +Ascunio Aguillon-Oribiana Thanksgiving for benefits received Thanksgiving for wedding anniversary
	5:00 pm	+Maria & +Guerrino Dallo +Tiziana Furlin
Sun. Sep 6	8:00 am	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	9:30 am	+Donato Ciuffetta
	11:00 am	+Julia Isabel Torres de Rojas
	12:30 pm	Thanksgiving for Aloysius Gonzaga
	4:30 pm	Spec. Int for Marilyn Sharma

Congratulations!

Sacrament of Marriage:

Vincent Pulla & Christina Simonetti

Christopher Wonnell & Allison Holmes

Nicholas Gibson & Jessica Masucci

We wish them an abundance of God's graces and the loving care of our Mother Mary!

Sacrament of Baptism:

Sienna Servello and Lia Astorino

We welcome them into the Church! We wish the parents and Godparents of the newly baptized, God's blessing and protection of our Mother Mary!

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