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Fr. Marc-André Campbell
Fr. Tom Kluger
Rev. Mr. Rudy Ovcjak
Rev. Mr. Ken Sylvan
Shelly Coish
Patricia Smith Robertson

LITURGICAL LIFE

Altar Servers	Deacon Rudy Ovcjak	647-970-4495
Children's Liturgy	Doris Sweeney	905-837-2944
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Teresa D'Amelio	647-200-9315
Gregorian Schola	Michelle Cuyugan	Please call the parish office
Lectors	John L. Santos	905-665-5217
Music Coordinator	Anna Hughes	905-576-9398
Organist	Andrew Weleschuk	
Parish Choir	Anna Hughes	
Sacraments of First Holy Communion & Confirmation	Ext. 505	
Ushers & Greeters	Carlos Figueroa	905-420-3794
Youth Choir	Vanessa Lowing	

YOUTH MINISTRY Shelly Coish Ext. 223

EDGE Programme: Grade 6, 7 & 8

Please join us on the 2nd and 4th Friday of the month

Lifeteen Programme: High School Students

Please join us on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month

OTHER APOSTOLATES

Bereavement	Please call the parish office	
Legion of Mary	Fran Baduel	Ext. 504
Rosary Apostolate	Camille Jacques-Carr	647-294-5454
St Vincent de Paul	Desmond D'Mello	Ext. 502

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Women's League	Marie James	905-839-8890
Knights of Columbus	Allan Ashby	905-427-3273
Children's Play Group	Ramona Kelland	905-831-5772
Parish Finance Council	Bart Calderone	905-839-9116
Bldg/Maint. Council	Paul Bertrand	905-622-5910
Refugee Committee	Jean Khabouth	416-894-2691

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES 416-733-8544

PARISH SCHOOLS

PRINCIPAL

St. Elizabeth Seton	Norma Wheeler	905-839-0005
St. Isaac Jogues	Valerie Cappuccitti	905-839-1844
St. Wilfrid	Mike Young	905-427-6225
St. Mary Secondary	Susan Duane	905-420-7166

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil	4:30pm
Sunday	8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am, 7:00pm

(Rosary 15 minutes before each Mass)

DAILY MASSES

Monday to Friday	7:30am
Wednesday	7:00pm
Saturday	8:30am
First Friday	7:00pm
First Saturday:	11:00am Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite (Latin)

(Mass will be offered at 10:00am on Public Holidays)

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 9:00 to 9:30am, 3:45 to 4:15pm
Sunday: 15 minutes prior to each Holy Mass
(Any time by appointment)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday between the morning and evening Masses
First Fridays after morning Mass until 6:30pm Holy Hour

DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Wednesday at 7:00pm
First Friday: Holy Hour at 6:30pm

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated at least once per month. Parents are to be registered parishioners. To register your child for baptism, pick-up a baptism package in the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married contact the parish office at least one year in advance. No wedding date is to be set before consultation with the Priests/Deacons. At least one of the parties must be a registered parishioner.

RITE OF INITIATION OF ADULTS INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH (RCIA)

Interested in becoming Catholic? Please contact the office.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE ILL OR HOMEBOUND

Requests for the Sacrament of the Sick, prayers or visitations, please call the parish office.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to the Catholic Church locally. Please introduce yourself to the Priests or Deacons and register in the office.

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING



Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

MONDAY 25 NOVEMBER

7:30am Mass: + Rocky Jaurigi Sapien

3:30pm Youth Choir

7:30pm RCIA

TUESDAY 26 NOVEMBER

7:30am Mass: Thanksgiving

1:00-3:00pm Bible study session

WEDNESDAY 27 NOVEMBER

7:30am Mass: + Donovan Fernandes

3:30pm Youth Choir

6:40pm Benediction

7:00pm Mass: Multiple Mass Intentions

8:00pm Parish Choir

THURSDAY 28 NOVEMBER

7:30am Mass: Special Intentions – Mary Bhamra

7:00pm Legion of Mary

7:00pm Gregorian Schola

FRIDAY 29 NOVEMBER

7:30am Mass: Mr. M. Thiagarajh

SATURDAY 30 NOVEMBER – ST ANDREW, APOSTLE

8:30am Mass: Multiple Mass Intentions

4:30pm Mass: + Chang Shou Tai

SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:30am Mass: + Vency D'Mello

10:00am Mass: Pro Populo

11:30am Mass: + Philomena D'Souza

7:00pm Mass: + Douglas James Nayler

THIS WEEK THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS IN HONOUR OF LORRAINE BYRNE

Throughout this month of November there is a **Book of Remembrance** located beside the statue of St. Joseph on the Sanctuary. You are invited to inscribe the names of those who have passed away and we will remember them during each Mass during the month of November.

Prayers during the Month of November

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful children who have departed from this life, but have not yet attained the joys of heaven.



Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Children's Liturgy is for those in Junior Kindergarten up to and including grade 3 (ages 4 to 8 years). **Children under the age of 4 years are welcomed, but MUST be accompanied by an adult.**



VOCATIONS

"Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom." Can you lead others to make this request of our Lord and King? Give your life to Jesus and others are sure to hear, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise." If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997**

emailvocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca



Learn more about how your gift to ShareLife is making a difference! ShareLife has released its annual Impact Report, detailing the results of the 2019 campaign and the many ways your generosity is improving the lives of those in need. Copies of the report are available at the parish or can be read online at www.sharelife.org



Handicraft Holy Land Christians

The weekend of **November 30th and December 1st** we will have with us a special guest from Sebastien Cardinal's team representing "Handicraft Holy Land Christians", who after the Masses will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in The Holy Land. Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support through conscience prayers and the purchase of these special religious art pieces.

Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. Cash, debit and credit cards will be accepted.

May God Bless you for your generosity, for help, and for your prayers." www.HolylandChristians.ca

Novena in honour of Our Lady and the Solemnity of her Immaculate Conception on December 9th.



The novena will be recited in the chapel or church at the following times:

Friday - November 29 - 7:00 pm - CHAPEL

Saturday - November 30 - 3:00 pm - CHAPEL

Sunday - December 1 - 3:00 pm - CHAPEL

Monday - December 2 - 7:00 pm - CHAPEL

Tuesday - December 3 - 7:00 pm - CHAPEL

Wednesday - December 4 - 8:00 pm (after the Perpetual Help Mass) - CHAPEL

Thursday - December 5 - 7:00 pm - CHURCH

Friday - December 6 - 8:00 pm (after first Friday Benediction) - CHAPEL

Saturday - December 7 - 2:00 pm - CHURCH



**Saturday November 23rd
(one week earlier than usual)
following the 4:30pm Mass**

Come and enjoy a night of fun and fellowship hosted by the Knights of Columbus! Feast on a tasty pasta dinner followed by 10 regular games of Bingo. Children are welcome for dinner, however, due to ACGO regulations, anyone under 18 years of age cannot play. We offer supervised children's activities during Bingo.

The charity chosen for this month is Special Olympics Ontario – Greater Durham.

<https://greaterdurham.specialolympicsontario.ca/>



MONTHLY LUNCHEON

St. Isaac Jogues Catholic Women's League monthly luncheon will be held on **Wednesday, November 27th beginning with rosary or Mass at 11:30am.** Please send a quick email to

CWL.Luncheon@gmail.com or call 905-831-3353 to confirm your attendance and indicate if you need a ride. This helps us to ensure sufficient table settings and food! Lunch is served at 12 noon, bingo and social time at 1:00pm. Cost is \$5.00 per person (please pay at the door). In an effort to reduce the time and labour involved in washing and drying the coffee mugs, and to help the environment by saving water and energy, we are asking all luncheon attendees to LUG-A-MUG. We appreciate your help in reducing this time consuming aspect of our luncheon.

The Knights of Columbus are having a "Sock Drive" this year. The items will be distributed to the less fortunate to help keep their feet, hands and heads warm in the cold months. Only new socks, mitts and hats will be accepted. Please place them in the bins at the back of the church. Thank you!



CHILDREN'S

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Sunday, December 15, 2019

St. Isaac Jogues Parish Hall

Doors open at 12:30pm

Complimentary light lunch,
drinks and snacks.



Children are invited to participate in our annual Christmas Party. There will be games and entertainment, and a special visit from **Friendly Freddy the Clown** and **SANTA**.

We are looking for teen volunteers to help with face painting and games. Community Service Hours can be provided. **Contact Claude Rochefort (905-509-3581) if you are able to help. Hope to see you there!**

We invite you to bring a donation of an unwrapped toy or a non-perishable food item to help make Christmas special for children in need.

Sponsored by the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Fundraising Lunch!

Sunday, December 8th, 2019

To be served after the 11:30 am Masses.

Country Harvest Soup and Hot chicken sandwich.
All proceeds go towards the Parish Refugee Sponsorship.
Cash only!

"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat" –
Matthew 25:35

Coffee Sunday: We are looking for volunteers especially for the 8:30am Mass. **NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY** and your commitment would be 2 or 3 Sundays for approximately 2 hours each time. High school students (**especially those needing community service hours**), families, couples, singles, interested in helping and meeting new people are very welcome. Training will be provided. Please contact Karen (905-420-9847).



First Saturday Rosary Devotion: Please join us in praying all Mysteries of the Holy Rosary in the Chapel on **Saturday December 7th from 2:00 - 4:00pm.** We will pray the Mysteries along with dedications and Spiritual offerings. For more info please contact Teresa at 647-200-9315 or Adrian (after 5:00pm) at 905-839-1506.



Each year the Knights of Columbus support the worldwide **Light Up for Christ/Keep Christ in Christmas** campaign to remind us that Christmas is, above all else, a holy day to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. To help communicate this message, our Council is hosting an Advent event **Wednesday, December 4th, beginning with Mass at 7:00 pm.** We encourage all Knights, their families, friends, and fellow parishioners to attend this event. Together with Fr Marc-André and Fr Tom, we will gather outdoors where there will be a Christmas tree and nativity scene (manger). The order of service will include carols, passages from Scripture, blessing of the Christmas tree and manger. With the turning on of the lights simultaneously, a symbolic message will be conveyed that we should all prepare for the birth of the Lord. As in previous years, refreshments will be provided afterward in the parish hall.

Smile of the day:

The stranger approached the pastor after service and said, "I'd like you to pray for my hearing." The pastor placed his hands on the man's ears and said a passionate, earnest prayer. "How's your hearing now?" the pastor asked.

Looking surprised, the man said, "Well, it's not until tomorrow."

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