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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.

BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

MONDAY 13 JANUARY

7:30am Mass: Special Intentions – Robert Mollot
3:30pm Youth Choir
7:30pm CWL general meeting beginning with Mass at 7:00pm
7:30pm RCIA

TUESDAY 14 JANUARY

7:30am Mass: + Josephine Majerczak

WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY

7:30am Mass: + Mariam Gabriel, Gabriel Pillae, Antonette & Arul Sivagnanam
4:00pm Youth Choir
6:40pm Benediction
7:00pm Mass: Multiple Mass Intentions
8:00pm Parish Choir

THURSDAY 16 JANUARY

7:30am Mass: Lolita Dabu
9:00am Children's Play Group
7:00-9:00pm Baptism Preparation
7:30pm Legion of Mary meeting

FRIDAY 17 JANUARY

7:30am Mass: Peter English

SATURDAY 18 JANUARY

8:30am Mass: Multiple Mass Intentions
4:30pm Mass: Thanksgiving – Jess Defrancia

SUNDAY 19 JANUARY

8:30am Mass: + Jose Furtado
10:00am Mass: Pro Populo
11:30am Mass: + Mary Bernal Saravia
7:00pm Mass: + Charles Hegney

THIS WEEK THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS IN MEMORY OF JOSEPHINE MAJERCZAK

VOCATIONS

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus "a voice from heaven said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'" Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca



SANCTUARY LAMP: the lamp hanging in the sanctuary, when lit, indicates the Real Presence of Christ, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, reserved in the Tabernacle (the veil of the Tabernacle indicates the same reality). The flickering light is also a sign of the prayers of the faithful which remain after they have left the parish church. This is the whole purpose of votive lights, which we have before images of the Sacred Heart, Our Lady, St Joseph, etc. The suggested offering is \$20.00.

The Sign of Peace: At this time of year, when various illnesses are more prevalent and may be more easily spread, some people may feel reluctant to give or receive the Sign of Peace by way of shaking hands. In these cases, a nod of the head together with the greeting such as "The peace of Christ be with you" would be an alternate way of expressing peace. There is no reason the sign of peace cannot be expressed in other appropriate ways people feel comfortable with. It is important that everyone is sensitive and understanding when fellow parishioners choose to express the Sign of Peace in a way other than shaking hands.

Altar Server Meetings will resume in the New Year and will take place on the following Saturday evenings from 7:00-9:00 pm in the parish hall on **February 22nd and March 28th, and from 6:00 to 8:00pm on June 20th. Please mark your calendars. All altar servers are asked to attend.** Call Deacon Rudy at 647-225-1915 for further information.



CONFIRMATION: LETTER OF INTENT
Confirmandi are asked to submit their *Letter of Intent* DURING Mass on **Saturday, January 11th or Sunday, January 12th.**

FIRST PENANCE RETREATS:

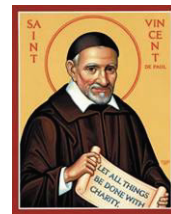
In November, each family signed up for a First Penance Retreat. You and your child **MUST** attend the retreat session you signed-up for. At your session, you will sign your child up to receive the Sacrament of First Penance. The retreat dates are Saturdays:

**January 11th: 10:00am-noon OR
1:00-3:00pm**

January 18th: 10:00am-noon



St. Vincent de Paul:



THANK YOU ... to our parishioners for your generous support of our Christmas Outreach Program. Our heartfelt gratitude also goes out to the Catholic Women's League, Knights of Columbus, Pickering Fire Fighters and to the students, teachers and staff at St. Elizabeth Seton and St. Isaac Jogues schools. Thanks also to Father Marc-André and Father Tom for their support of our appeal. This Christmas we helped over 60 families living within our parish boundaries. We can also share some resources with needy Catholic parishes in Ajax, Whitby and Oshawa. Income tax receipts for donations made in your name in 2019 will be issued by the end of February.

11th Annual Dynamic Women of Faith Conference
Saturday, March 28 – 8:30am to 4:00pm
Location: Le Tre Part Banquet Hall
1075 Queensway East, Mississauga, L4Y 4C1
416-907-1042

Speakers & Topics:

Kimberly Hahn (Scott Hanhn's wife will give 2 talks) *The Joy and Sorrows of Mary, Women of Wisdom: Sharing Heart to Heart*

Colleen Carroll Campbell – Award winning author, EWTN, former presidential speech writer will give one talk: *The Heart of Perfection*.

Dorothy Pilarski – Founder of Dynamic Women of Faith: *One Mother's Heart*.

Closing Mass celebrated by Fr. Edward Curtis, Rector, St. Michael's Cathedral. Mass will be celebrated at Le Trepart Banquet Hall. Register at <http://dynamicwomenfaith.com/> Questions? Contact 416-907-1042.

SECOND EVENT BELOW

Calling ALL Girls
Mother Daughter Event
Friday March 27 – 7:00 to 10:00pm

Colleen Carroll Campbell will be doing a book signing

Speakers & Topics:

Adeodata Czink – *What Makes a Lady a Lady?*

Dr. Sandra Sagrati – *Get Uncomfortable: Less Stress & Anxiety*

Dorothy Pilarski – *The Power of Prayer*



BINGO- Saturday January 25th
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.

Catholic Women's League Luncheon

The St. Isaac Jogues Catholic Women's League monthly luncheon takes place on **Wednesday, January 29th** beginning with rosary or Mass at **11:30am**. Please send an email to CWL.luncheon@gmail.com (or call [905-831-3353](tel: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 will be served at 12 noon, bingo and social time at 1:00pm. Cost \$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.



FREE SIJ Family Skate

St. Isaac's is having their first ever **Free Family Skate** event! Join us for an hour of fun and exercise on **Sunday February 2 from 2:00 – 3:00pm**

at the **Delaney Rink, Recreation Complex,**
1867 Valley Farm Rd., Pickering

Bring your skates, your family and your friends! See bulletin board for details. Brought to you by your Catholic Women's League & Knights of Columbus. Contact Tracy at 905-831-2099 or tracy.nolan@sympatico.ca if you have any questions.

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Kindergarten Registration

You are invited to register your child for Kindergarten at a Durham Catholic schools across the region. Your child must be turning 4 years of age by December 31, 2020 in order to enrol. Online registration begins **January 13-17, 2020**. Visit dcdsb.ca to register. For questions, email admissions@dcdsb.ca

Register for Grade 1 French Immersion

You enrol your child in a French Immersion program at schools across the Durham Catholic District School Board. Online registration take place from **December 9, 2019 to January 17, 2020**. Students entering Grade 1 in September 2020 are eligible to register. Visit dcdsb.ca and click on the French Immersion banner to register.

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