# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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# SUNDAY MASSES:

5:00 p.m. Saturday (Sunday liturgy)
8:30 a.m. English Mass
9:30 a.m. Low Mass (Usus antiquior/1962 Missal)
11:00 a.m. Sung English Mass
12:30 p.m. Sung Mass
Catholic Parish of St. Thomas More (Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter)

# **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Before every Mass on Sundays Daily for 15 minutes before all Masses.

# WEEKDAY MASS:

8:00 a.m. Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. Saturday

# **MARRIAGES**:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

**BAPTISMS:** On Sundays by appointment.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY: 647-727-8758

# **PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:**

Mr. Peter Bishop: 416-535-7646

# CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544

# MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

## 11: 00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS Holy Family

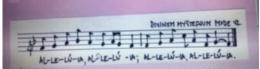
Entrance Hymn: 322 – O come, all ye faithful Entrance Antiphon: [Choir] The shepherds / went in haste, \* [All] and found Mary and Joseph and the Infant lying // in a manger. Kyrie: Kyriale Simplex, Ordinarium V (No. 55) & Mass in D Minor (C. H. Kitson)

**Gloria:** 211 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

**Responsorial Refrain:** 

# [All] BLESSED IS EVERYONE WHO / FEARS

**THE LORD. \* AND WALKS // IN HIS WAYS. Gospel Acclamation:** *"Divinum Musterium"* (Mode VI)



# [*Choir*] Alleluia, alleluia; alleluia, alleluia.

[*All*] Alleluia, alleluia; alleluia, alleluia. [*Choir*] Long ago God spoke to our ancestors / by the prophets; \*

[All] in these last days he has spoken to us // by the Son.

#### [All] Alleluia, alleluia; alleluia, alleluia.

Credo: 202 – Kyriale Romanum III

**Offertory Hymn:** 331 – Of the Father's love begotten **Sanctus:** 203 – Mass XVIII

Agnus Dei: 204 – Mass XVIII

# **Communion Antiphon:**

[*Choir*] Our God has ap/peared on earth, \*

[All] and // lived a-mong us.

**During the Communion:** Nunc dimittis servum tuum in pace (Tone III) with Antiphon:

Lumen ad revelationem gentium, et gloriam plebis tuae Israel (Mode VIII)

**Concluding Hymn:** 325 – Hark! the herald angels sing!

**Organ Postlude:** Two Chorale Preludes, "Vom Himmel hoch, da komm' ich her"/"*From highest heaven to earth I come*" (*Orgelbüchlein & BWV* 738) (J. S. Bach)

#### FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on **Friday**, **January 5** until noon. *Could you not watch with me one hour?* 

# MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JANUARY 1 Mary, Mother of God

#### **TUESDAY, JANUARY 2**

**SS. Basil the great & Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops & Doctors** 8:00 Bruce & Louise Gay & family, req. by Gudino family

# WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3

Most Holy Name of Jesus 8:00 (+) Margaret Murphy, req. by Hannah Murphy

#### **THURSDAY, JANUARY 4**

8:00 (+) Jack Murphy, req. by Hannah Murphy

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5 8:00

# **SATURDAY, JANUARY 6**

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners 5:00 (+) Souls in Purgatory

# **PARISH FINANCES FOR DECEMBER 17**

Regular Collection: \$2,454 (Weekly Budget: \$2,700) Maintenance & Debt: \$214 Month-to-date: \$2,720 (Monthly Budget: \$3,500)

# THE CAMINO

#### May 27 to June 9, 2018

If you would like to join a group of mainly young pilgrims walking the last 160 km to Santiago de Compostela in seven days, please get in touch with Fr Martin Hilbert at 416-532-2879 right away. The total cost of the trip will be \$2,400, all-inclusive, even taxes. Sightseeing will include Leon, Fisterra, Salamanca, Avila, and San Lorenzo el Escorial.

# PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND & ROME WITH FR. DAVID ROCHE

# April 22 to May 3, 2018

This pilgrimage begins in the Holy Land and ends up in Rome, with a general audience with the Holy Father. The cost is \$3,790, which includes all taxes and tips. See <u>https://www.ihtours.com/itinerary-540</u> or <u>http://oratory-toronto.org/pdf/Holyland.pdf.</u>

#### **OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2018**

Offertory envelopes for 2018 are available for pick up. Please check that you have picked up **YOUR** box of envelopes.

#### PAG

Forms to sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving are also on the table. At present, about \$2,500 per month are donated to the parish by PAG. A significant increase in this would be a great help to our budget. Many people who use PAG still take offertory envelopes; they can be put into the collection with 'PAG' written on the front.

# MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

January 22 – March 5, 2018

Where: Holy Family Church -- Parish Hall

1372 King Street West, Toronto, ON M6K 1H3

**When:** Monday Evenings, from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., beginning on January 22 and running for seven consecutive weeks.

**Cost:** \$100 per couple getting married at Holy Family or St. Vincent de Paul Church; outside of these churches \$150 per couple.

**Registration:** Takes place at first session. No need to preregister. Couples are invited to show up a few minutes early on January 22 to register.

# HOLY FAMILY CHRISTMAS DINNER

**Saturday, January 6, at 6:00 p.m.** in the parish hall Tickets are \$25 per person or \$50 per family -- wine included. You can reserve your tickets by calling the office at 416-532-2879.

#### LECTIO DIVINA WITH CARDINAL THOMAS COLLINS

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St.

January 7, 2018, Prudence and Common Sense Sirach 8:1-19

Vespers begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by Lectio Divina from 7:30-8:15 p.m.

**IDENTITY IN CHRIST: YOUNG ADULT RETREAT January 19 - 21, 2018 starting at 7:00 p.m.** Caledon

A weekend retreat for men and women ages 18-35. Delving into questions like "Who am I?" this retreat offers an introduction to prayer, extended times of silence, Eucharistic adoration, Mass on Saturday and Sunday, opportunities for confession and talks given by the Sisters of Life and the Dominican Friars. Please enquire with the Sisters about venue information. The cost is by donation. Please contact The Sisters of Life at 416-463-2722 or by email: toronto@sistersoflife.org The website: www.sistersoflife.org

#### THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY



The Feast of the Holy Family is dedicated to Jesus, Mary and Joseph, commemorating their life together in Nazareth and calling us to focus on Catholic family life. Because this is the Patronal Feast of the Holy Family Parish, a plenary indulgence may be

gained by all the faithful who visit that church today and pray the Creed and the Our Father, and, in addition, (1) receive Holy Communion and go to Confession within several days (before or after), (2) pray for the Pope's intention, and (3) are completely detached from sin, even venial sin. [See the Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1471-79.]

#### ST FRANCIS XAVIER RELIC



A first-degree relic of missionary Saint Francis Xavier is coming to the Archdiocese of Toronto, **January 12-14**, **2018.** The forearm of the saint, permanently displayed at the Church of the Gesù in Rome, will be in Canada from December 29 – February 2, as part

of a 14-city Canadian visit. In our archdiocese, the relic will be hosted by St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (Jan. 12), St. Francis Xavier Church, Mississauga (Jan. 13) and Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Toronto (January 14). More information about the visit and a full schedule of events can be found at: <u>www.cco.ca/relic</u>

Organizers believe this is the first time the relic has been on Canadian soil. The body of St. Francis Xavier, which is buried in Goa, India, as well as the relic of his arm, are incorrupt—they have not experienced natural decay since his death in 1552.

# SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

December 31: NO Mass or confessions in the evening to anticipate the Solemnity of the Mother of God.
Holy Family Church: Vespers at 5:00 p.m. (First Vespers of Mary, Mother of God.) Confessions from 10:00 to 11:00 p.m. Holy Hour at 10:00 p.m. and Mass (Sung English) at 11:00 p.m.
Monday, January 1
8:30 a.m. Mass in English
9:30 a.m. Low Mass in Latin, Usus Antiquior 11:00 a.m. Sung Mass in English
(12:30 p.m. Mass: Ordinariate Parish of St Thomas More)

Note that for each weekend, you must attend one Mass for the Sunday and one Mass for the Holy Day of Obligation.

