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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.

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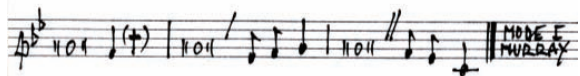
(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS
Advent I

Entrance Hymn: 310 – Come, thou long-expected
Jesus

Entrance Antiphon:



[Choir] To you, / O my God, *

[All] I lift // up my soul.

[Choir] In you, / I have trusted; *

[All] let me not be // put to shame.

[Choir] Nor let my enemies exult / ov-er me; *

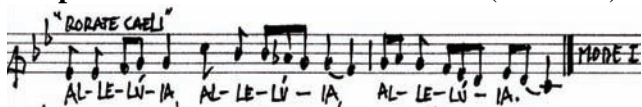
[All] and let none who hope in you be // put to
shame.

Kyrie: *Mass XVII*

Proper Responsorial Psalm Refrain:

“LET US / GO RE-JOICING * TO THE HOUSE //
OF THE LORD.”

Gospel Acclamation: “*Rorate Caeli*” (Mode VI)



[Choir] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

[All] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

[Choir] Show us your steadfast / love, O Lord, *

[All] and grant us // your sal-vation. [y.C]

[All] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Credo: 202 – *Kyriale Romanum III*

Offertory Antiphon: (see above for the psalm tone)

[Choir] Unto / you, O Lord, *

[All] I lift // up my soul;

[Choir] O my God, in / you I trust, *

[All] let me not // be a-shamed.

[Choir] Do not let my en/e-mies laugh^at^me; *

[All] for none of those who are awaiting you will //
be con-founded.

Offertory Hymn: 302 – Saviour of the nations, come

Sanctus: 203 – *Mass XVIII*

Agnus Dei: 204 – *Mass XVIII*

Communion Antiphon: (see above for the psalm tone)

[Choir] The Lord will bes/tow his bounty, *

[All] and our earth shall / yield its increase.

Communion Motet: Day by day – Martin Howe

During the Communion: *The Advent Prose* (Mode I)

Refrain: [All] DROP DOWN, YE HEAVENS,
FROM ABOVE, AND LET THE SKIES POUR
DOWN RIGHTEOUSNESS.

Concluding Hymn: 301 – O come, O come,
Emmanuel

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3

St. Francis Xavier, Priest

8:00 XAVIER EZMAN, REQ. BY HIS FAMILY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4

8:00 (+) Francis Rus, req. by Antonia Leben

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5

8:00 (+) Waciaw Majewski

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6

8:00 (+) Nikolaj Leben, req. by Antonia Leben

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7

St. Ambrose, Bishop & Doctor

8:00 Paul Richard, req. by Daphne

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8

Immaculate Conception

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 Sean & Diane Calapham & family, req. by Ezman
family

PARISH FINANCES FOR NOVEMBER 25

Regular Collection: \$2,691

Maintenance & Debt: \$113

Month-to-Date: \$2,704

MAINTENANCE & DEBT FUND – TODAY!!

A second collection taken up at all Masses.

FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION AND
BENEDICTION

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed
after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on **Friday,**
December 7 until noon.

Could you not watch with me one hour?

SNOW REMOVAL

A snow removal company will be clearing all the snow
around the church this winter. This should alleviate the
safety concerns of previous years. But all this comes at
a cost. Could you spare an extra twenty dollars to help
pay for this service? It would be appreciated.

God bless your generosity!

CHRISTMAS CRAFT & BAKE SALE – TODAY!!

Sunday December 2, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Mary, Mother of God School warmly invites you to join our Christmas Sale in the Parish Hall. Come and savour lots of yummy baked goods, our lunch bar of delicious sandwiches and soup, sweets, and shop for one-of-a-kind Christmas gifts!

ST THOMAS MORE PARISH

Tuesday, December 18 at 7:00 p.m.

Come join us for Service of Advent Lessons and Carols with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the church.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

On December 15/16 weekend, there will be a special collection at all Masses for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Your donation will provide food for those in our area who find themselves in need of help over the Christmas season. *Thank you for your generosity.*

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Through the centuries, the Church has become ever more aware that Mary, "full of grace" through God, was redeemed from the moment of her conception. That is what the dogma of the Immaculate Conception confesses, as Pope Pius IX proclaimed in 1854: *The most Blessed Virgin Mary was, from the first moment of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege of almighty God and by virtue of the merits of Jesus Christ, Savior of the human race, preserved immune from all stain of original sin.*



The "splendor of an entirely unique holiness" by which Mary is "enriched from the first instant of her conception" comes wholly from Christ: she is "redeemed, in a more exalted fashion, by reason of the merits of her Son". The Father blessed Mary more than any other created person "in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places" and chose her "in Christ before the foundation of the world, to be holy and blameless before him in love".

(CCC 491-492)

There will be a Solemn High Mass at Holy Family Church on Saturday, December 8 at 10:00 a.m.

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information: <https://www.ihtours.com/itinerary-65>

RENOVATIO: <http://oratory-toronto.org/renovatio/>

ADVENT FAMILY DAY OF RECOLLECTION

"Hail, Full of Grace"

The Advent Family Day of Recollection will be on **December 8**, beginning with Mass at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Family Church. The day includes talks for adults, adolescents and children and concludes with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 3:00 p.m. Babysitting will be provided.

Candidates for Confirmation at St Vincent's are required to attend as part of the spiritual preparation for Confirmation.

BOOKSTALL IS OPEN!!

There are Sunday Missals, calendars, Christmas cards and other items for sale at the bookstall.

GOVERNMENT CONSULTATION ON SEX ED

The Ontario government is soliciting input from all residents of the province on various aspects of education. The most controversial is sexual education. Please take the time to take part to keep immoral material out of the classrooms. Go to <https://www.ontario.ca/page/for-the-parents>. You may also wish to go to <http://www.pafe.ca/consultations>, the web site of Parents as First Educators. **The deadline for submissions is December 15.**

ST MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL CONCERT

December 9 at 3pm & December 10 at 7:00 p.m.,

Roy Thomson Hall

Repertoire to include Benjamin Britten's "A Ceremony of Carols" and an array of seasonal favourites. Tickets are from \$25 - \$60. To reserve your ticket please visit: www.roythomsonhall.com or call 416-872-4255.

PRAYER TO ST MICHAEL

Cardinal Collins has requested that parishes pray the Prayer to St Michael at the end of Masses. We will begin doing this at the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, December 1st. There are many translations of the prayer, of which the Cardinal prefers the one below, so it is the one we will use, including at the Low Masses of the Extraordinary Form, where the prayer is already being prayed.

**St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.
Be our defense against the wickedness and snares
of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly
pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts,
by the power Of God, thrust into hell Satan, and
all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen**

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