
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

THE CHOIR AND ORGANIST ARE TAKING A WELL-DESERVED HOLIDAY. MUSIC WILL RESUME IN THREE WEEKS.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, AUGUST 19

St. John Eudes, Priest

8:00 Needs of all priests

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor

8:00 (+) James Utrecht, req. by Nhu Tong

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

St. Pius X, Pope

8:00 For all Christians

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 Daniel Kotwa, req. by Sophie Kotwa

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

St. Rose of Lima, Virgin

8:00 Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

St. Bartholomew, Apostle

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 90th birthday of Ivan DeCouto

PARISH FINANCES FOR AUGUST 11

Offertory Collection: \$2,197

Maintenance & Debt: \$536

Month-to-date: \$2,644

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

At our parish, the Society has been visiting homes and handing out food vouchers to families in need. You can help by becoming a volunteer member or donating financially to this cause at our parish. A tax receipt will be given annually for a minimum donation of \$20. Please keep the members of the Society in your prayers.

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**MISSION COOP COLLECTION WILL BE
TAKEN UP AT ALL MASSES THIS
WEEKEND**

Today's second collection is in support of the Mission Appeal for Honduras that was given last weekend by Father Alberto Gauci, O.F.M.

CANADIAN MISSIONS COLLECTIONS

There will be a second collection on **August 24-25** for Catholic Missions/Canadian Missions. Catholic Missions in Canada and the selected Dioceses in Northern Canada who will benefit from your generosity, help sustain and extend the Catholic faith to isolated, poor and hard-to-reach mission areas in Canada. In these areas, a mission church or parish can be the remaining community place for the faithful. Your support will be a blessing for those who fulfill the challenging work of keeping the Catholic faith alive and strong in the remotest parts of our country.

Thank for your support of this important work!

VOCATION DISCERNMENT

"...let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us..." If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, speak to one of the Fathers of the Oratory or contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email: www.vocations@archtoronto.org

PILGRIMAGES:

*Following the Footsteps of Newman:
October 11 - 20, 2019*

Fr. Michael Eades will be leading a pilgrimage to Rome, Assisi, Birmingham, Oxford and London. If you are interested, please contact Halina at 905-886-0232 ext. 315 or halina@ihtours.com For more details go to: <https://www.ihtours.com/itinerary-6032> Cost is \$3,900.

Holy Land and Jordan: March 1- 12, 2020

Fr. Thomas Trottier will be leading the pilgrimage. More information on this pilgrimage can be found at <https://www.ihtours.com/itinerary-6020> Cost \$3,990.

The Oberammergau Passion Play:

May 29 - June 10, 2020

Fr Martin Hilbert will be leading a pilgrimage to see this play in 2020. The detailed itinerary can be found at <https://www.ihtours.com/itinerary-6000>. Cost is \$5,290.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION

Let us pray that families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human development".

RELIGIOUS BOOK DONATIONS

There will be another religious book sale at this year's Polish Festival on Saturday, September 14th. Religious book donations will be collected after all Masses starting on August 25 – a parishioner will be at the back of the church to collect book donations. All proceeds from the sale will go to SVP. If you would like to volunteer for the book sale, please call the parish office at 416-535-7646.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program was founded 60 years ago in Rome and offers to the youngest children the most essential aspects of our faith, knowing that these truths will nurture their need to love and be loved and their capacity to enjoy God's presence in their life. From the time of its founding, the program reminds us to look to the child for that sign of deeply religious life: Joy. The Gospels teach us how to embrace that sign: *Jesus called the children to him and said, "Let the little children come to me. And do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."* (Luke 18:16) The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program responds to Christ's instruction by creating a Montessori-style environment, called the Atrium, where children are able to come to God in their own way and at their own speed. In the Atrium, children from the age of three onward are introduced to the essential truths of the faith through handmade materials that encourage meditation. The program normally runs in a small group setting, once a week, in a dedicated space. If you are interested in finding out more about the program for your children, about the process of becoming a CGS catechist, or if you would be interested in helping us establish an Atrium with the Ordinariate parish of St. Thomas More and the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, please contact Leslea Verver at leslea.verver@gmail.com to learn more about the program. We are in need of so many different talents: wood working, painting, sewing, crafting, secretarial skills, and of course, being with the children as a Catechist or as an assistant.

LIFE CHAIN CAPTAIN

October 6 is Life Chain. We are looking for a captain who will lead our parish for Life Chain. This person will be responsible for handing out and collecting the posters and taking up the donations. If you are interested please call the office at 416-535-7646.

**Thank you from Campaign Life Coalition!!
Our parish raised \$742.79 for Coins for Life 2018.**

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD EXHIBIT

August 18 – 23 from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

St. Francis Xavier Church, 5650 Mavis Rd., Mississauga.

Please join us as we host the Vatican-approved Eucharistic Miracles of the World exhibit. The exhibit, designed and created by Venerable Carlo Acutis, features panels that each tell the story of a Eucharistic miracle and allows you to "virtually visit" the places where the miracles took place. For more information, please call 905-890-5290 or visit the website: <https://stfrancisxavierchurch.blogspot.com>

KINTORE COLLEGE OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, August 24 from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Kintore College, 75 Charles St. W., Toronto.

You and your family are invited to Kintore College, a female student residence on the University of Toronto campus. While visiting the two oratories, multiple study rooms, bedrooms with ensuite bathroom and other areas, you will learn how the family atmosphere encourages serious study, self-reflection, service toward others and greater self-confidence. Tours can be provided on a daily basis without any appointment. Refreshments will be provided. If you are interested please contact Karina at 416-944-8323 or email: info@kintorecollege.ca website: www.kintorecollege.ca

POPE ST. PIUS X, PRAY FOR US!!

Pope Pius X, born Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto. He came to the papal office in 1903 and died 11 years later in 1914. He was born in 1835 at Riese, near Venice, and was one of eight children. His family was poor. He felt a calling to be a priest at a young age and was ordained in 1858. After 26 years, he was named bishop of Mantua, Italy, and in 1893, he became Patriarch of Venice. As Pope, he issued decrees making the age of First Holy Communion earlier (at the age of 7) and advocated frequent and even daily reception of the Eucharist. He promoted the reading of the Bible among laypeople, reformed the liturgy, promoted clear and simple homilies, and brought back Gregorian chant. He revised the Breviary, reorganized the curia, and initiated the codification of canon law.

SAINT RITA NOVENA

Every second Thursday of the month there will be a Mass at 7:00 pm with Novena prayers to St Rita and the veneration of St. Rita's relic at Marylake Shrine, King City. Please call 905-833-5368 or go to

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