
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

THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

News came out last weekend that the Latin Mass in Kitchener has been suspended because (or at least in part because) too many people were not wearing masks.

There is a special link on the Oratory website: www.oratory-toronto.org with details about various Covid-19 protocols. Please check the link before heading off to church.

Thank you for continuing to sanitize, wear masks, etc. We are required under the city of Toronto by-law to wear masks in church, unless we are exempted.

We need more volunteers for disinfecting the church after each Mass. If you can help, please contact Nikki at spnsvp@yahoo.ca

There is a basket at the back of the church for your donations – to reduce touch points, there will be no collection taken up during Mass. The other ways to donate to the parish listed below can also be used.

SACRAMENTS

Keep watching for information regarding preparation classes for First Confession, First Holy Communion and Confirmation for 2021.

SHARELIFE

November 8 is the next ShareLife Sunday. From now through November 8, you can double the impact of your donation. A generous donor is matching gifts up to \$500,000. Please give during the special collection or anytime using the ShareLife envelopes. You can also give securely online at sharelife.org/donate

MASS INTENTIONS

If you have been thinking about requesting a Mass for a special intention, now is a good time – **we have a few dates left in 2020**. You can come to the parish office during office hours or call at 416-535-7646. **Accepting 2021 Mass Intentions.**

MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT - TODAY

The Archdiocese of Toronto has asked us to count the attendance at all Sunday Masses this weekend.

MASS FOR PARISH VOLUNTEERS

There will be a Mass celebrated by Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, on **Wednesday, November 4 at 7:30 a.m.**, which will be livestreamed on the website: stmichaelscathedral.com

Please remember in your prayers those fellow parishioners who are still unable to attend Mass because of the Covid virus.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26

8:00 (+) Aurelia & (+) Manuel Mayol

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:00 (+) Irena Kusinska, req. by Nowak family

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28

SS. Simon & Jude, Apostles

8:00 (+) Stanislaw & (+) Jan Kusinski, req. by Nowak family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:00 Liz Worth

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

8:00 Mary Tingle, req. by Nhu Tong

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 (+) Zofia Forgiel, req. by Bogumila Gierada

PARISH FINANCES FOR OCTOBER 18

Offertory Collection: \$2,925

Maintenance & Debt: \$218

BILL C6 (WAS BILL C8)

The bill is ostensibly about prohibiting “conversion therapy”, which should be prohibited if it means coercive actions against people’s wills or degrading “therapies”. But the language of the bill is dangerous, for, as it stands it could be used to prosecute parents or priests who counsel chastity and speak about God’s gift of sexuality as the Church understands it, or to shut down groups such as Courage, which help people with same sex attraction to live authentic Christian lives. The proponents of the bill in their various propaganda say that C6 is not aimed against parents, priests, and other counselors, but it is the language of the bill as passed and not the smooth talk around it that will be the basis of its application. A website has been created advocating that the definition of conversion therapy be changed: <https://fixthedefinition.ca/>. Please consider signing the petition. Parents, priests and counselors need protection in proclaiming the truth about sexuality.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour before you go to bed on the night of Saturday, October 31.



POPE & DOCTOR PUBSTERS!

Due to the pandemic, there will not be the annual Pub Night. Even though we cannot meet this year at the pub we can raise a toast to all! And we

can donate our pub tickets to the parish, straight to its needs!!! You can just drop an envelope marked P&D off in the collection basket at the back of the church, or donate via one of the electronic means indicated elsewhere in this bulletin.

We can't be together but we can still help the parish

VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday, October 27 at 7:30 p.m.

The Office of Admissions of St Michael's College School is now open considering applications for September 2021. St. Michael's College School is Ontario's only independent Catholic school for young men from grades 7 – 12. We invite you to register for the virtual tour at ApplySMCS.com

DEVEBER INSTITUTE:

INAUGURAL VIRTUAL LECTURE

Thursday, October 29 at 8:00 p.m.

Join the deVeber Institute for our first virtual lecture! Our featured speaker Dr. Jane Pritchard will discuss the impact the COVID-19 pandemic has had on already marginalized individuals in Toronto. In addition, bioethicist Bob Parke will present on the urgent need to improve palliative care for individuals with intellectual disabilities. It is sure to be a thought-provoking evening of incredible discussion and research. We hope to see you there! Please contact to register: bioethics@deveber.org or call 416-256-0555

PLENARY INDULGENCE IN NOVEMBER

A plenary indulgence, to be applied to the souls of the faithful departed, can be gained by a visit to a cemetery from **November 1 to 8 (inclusive)** to pray for the dead, under the usual conditions, which are:

- Going to confession within about 20 days (before or after) of performing the indulgenced act.
- Receiving Communion within 7 days of performing the indulgenced act.
- Prayer for the Pope's intentions.
- Detachment from sin, even venial sin, while performing the act. To the extent that one's detachment is not perfect, the plenary indulgence becomes a partial indulgence.

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

41ST ANNUAL CARDINAL'S DINNER A VIRTUAL EVENING

November 5, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.

The 41st annual Cardinal's Dinner will be celebrated as a virtual event, open to all. Join us on Salt & Light TV and the Archdiocese of Toronto's Facebook page (www.facebook.com/archtoronto) for an inspiring 60-minute program that will include musical performances, profiles of Cardinal's Dinner beneficiaries, an interview with Cardinal Collins, greetings from dignitaries and a special thank you to volunteers who have been assisting parishes throughout the pandemic. There is no cost to attend the event; however, our goal is to continue to support the Cardinal's Dinner charities during these challenging days. For more information or to donate in support of the dinner, Please visit the website: www.archtoronto.org/cardinalsinner.

WAYS YOU CAN DONATE TO THE PARISH:

In addition to using the basket at the back of the church:

1. Your Sunday offerings can be mailed to St Vincent de Paul Parish / 263 Roncesvalles Avenue / Toronto / M6R 2L9 or dropped off in the mail slot of the parish office.
2. You can sign up for PAG. Download the form oratory-toronto.org/pdf/pag-svp.pdf . Print it. And then send a picture or scan of the filled-in form and a void cheque to this address or to spnsvp@yahoo.ca
3. You can donate online either through the Oratory's website www.oratory-toronto.org or through the Archdiocesan website: www.archtoronto.org If using the latter option, please use the dropdown menu of parish names to select "St Vincent de Paul".
4. You can donate through your online banking account. To do this, the Archdiocese will need to send you a unique account number. Please send an email to campaign@archtoronto.org . In the body of the email provide (i)Your name (ii) Address (iii)Parish Name – St Vincent de Paul and (iv) Municipality – Toronto. You will be emailed account information which you can use to set up the Archdiocese of Toronto as a Payee in your online banking. Your gift will be forwarded to our parish. You can make a one time or recurring gift to our offertory.

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