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# 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

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## EASTER SUNDAY

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*There is a special link on the Oratory website [here](#) with details about various Covid-19 protocols. Please check the link for latest updates.*

Public Masses have RETURNED at our usual times!! Registration is necessary for Sunday Masses, as we have a limit of 52 persons including priest, servers and volunteers.

There will be Confessions before all Masses, as per our traditional practice.

Our 8:00 a.m. Mass Monday to Friday and our Saturday 10 a.m. Mass are live-streamed.

**We are required under the city of Toronto by-law to wear masks in church, unless we are exempted. Sanitizing materials are available in the church for you to sanitize the place where you are praying. The protocol has changed: if a pew is not going to be used again within an hour it does not need to be sanitized. Sanitizing, therefore, will not be needed Monday to Saturday, but will be needed on Sunday, and we ask everyone to sanitize his own place. We recommend that you sanitize both upon your arrival and your departure.**

### EMAIL LIST

Are you receiving emails from the parish priest? If not, it will be difficult for us to notify you of last-minute news about the ever-evolving Covid situation. Recipients of these emails do not see one another's addresses, so you do not have to worry about your privacy. If you want to be added to the list, please send an e-mail to [dutrecht@yahoo.ca](mailto:dutrecht@yahoo.ca) with "Add me" in the subject line.

### MASS INTENTIONS

**There are many dates available!** Simply call the parish office at 416-535-7646. For an announced (specific date), Mass Intention the stipend is \$20; for unannounced Masses the stipend is \$10.

### FORMED.ORG

*For both adults and children, there are great spiritual books, movies, audio books for Easter. Go to the website: <https://formed.org/signup> with Holy Family Toronto*

### THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

The website carries event listings, photos, helpful contacts, historical data, and much more. Learn more about your faith, and stay up to date on all the latest news. [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org)

## MASS INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, APRIL 5

#### Easter Monday

10:00 For Jaime Guzman's health

### TUESDAY, APRIL 6

#### Easter Tuesday

8:00 Beth Eayrs

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

#### Easter Wednesday

8:00 (+) Maria Catalina & (+) Ana Maria, req. by Vaessen family

### THURSDAY, APRIL 8

#### Easter Thursday

8:00 MacManus family intention

### FRIDAY, APRIL 9

#### Easter Friday

8:00 Emily Eayrs

### SATURDAY, APRIL 10

#### Easter Saturday

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 Dionne Hastings, req. by Jean D'Cruz

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## PARISH FINANCES FOR MARCH 28

**Offertory Collection:** \$5189

**Maintenance & Debt:** \$1,220

Thank you to all who have supported the parish during these trying times!

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## VOCATION DISCERNMENT

The glorious Feast of the Resurrection of Christ proclaims, forever, that life is greater than death. Jesus commanded us to preach this good news to all peoples in all places at all times. If you feel God is calling you to minister in His Church as a priest, religious or deacon, please speak to one of the Fathers of the Oratory or contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocations Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

## CHRIST IS RISEN!



A Blessed Easter to all parishioners. Many thanks to all who have helped to make our Holy Week celebrations beautiful. May all of us rejoice in His mercy, and continue in this Easter season with the joy of renewed hearts.

## THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

### *Reclaiming Love*

**Thursday, May 20** from 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Virtual Event

The realities of masculinity, femininity, and gender, and the relation of these to our identity, are being questioned like never before. In this free webinar, Jason Evert, internationally-known Catholic speaker and author, will lead the discussion beyond feelings to help us embrace an integrated understanding of the truth of our identity. Speaking the truth in love, he shows how the recognition of what our biology reveals helps us to understand who God created us to be and accompany others on their life's journey. Praise and Worship by Chico Nuguid, a worship leader in the Archdiocese of Toronto. To register for this event please contact: Annalisa Parente at 416-934-3400 ext. 569 or [aparente@archtoronto.org](mailto:aparente@archtoronto.org)

For another Theology of the Body virtual event, what Sr Helen Burns calls a ginormous conference, see <https://tobinstitute.kartra.com/page/DfI155>

## PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY WITH FR ROCHE

**October 5-15, 2021 - \$3,890**

Day 1 - Departure Toronto – Paris - Venice

Day 2 - Morning arrival in Venice. We then are transferred to Padua where we visit the Basilica of St. Anthony and his tomb and celebrate Mass. Later we visit the magnificent Scrovegni chapel. We continue to our hotel for rest, dinner and overnight stay.

More details to follow!

**The whole week, from Easter Sunday until April 10 (inclusive) is known as the Easter Octave. Each day is a solemnity, so Easter Friday is not a day of penance or abstinence from meat.**

## SHARELIFE

### *Living the Gospel by sharing our blessings*

ShareLife Sunday is April 18th. Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$13,300.

This year we are encouraging you to give at [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org), where you can make a one-time or monthly gift by credit card and designate it to our parish's campaign. Monthly giving is a convenient way to spread your ShareLife contribution over the course of a year. Using a green ShareLife envelope, found in the pews or available from the parish office, simply fill out the form on the envelope and include a void cheque. Submit it to the parish office or drop it in the offertory basket at any time. Contact ShareLife at [slife@archtoronto.org](mailto:slife@archtoronto.org) or 416-934-3411 if you have any questions about pre-authorized giving.

***Thank you for supporting ShareLife!***

### WAYS YOU CAN DONATE TO THE PARISH:

***Thank you to all who have been generously donating to the parish. God bless you for it.***

1. Your Sunday offerings can be mailed to St Vincent de Paul Parish / 263 Roncesvalles Avenue / Toronto / M6R 2L9, dropped off in the mail slot of the parish office, or placed in the collection basket when you are here for Mass on Sunday morning.
2. You can sign up for PAG. Contact the parish office for information on how to do so. But note that the Archdiocese is now encouraging one of the following means of donating online.
3. You can donate online either through the Oratory's website [www.oratory-toronto.org](http://www.oratory-toronto.org) or through the Archdiocesan website: [www.archtoronto.org](http://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](mailto: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. ***This method of giving to the parish puts you in charge. You do not need to get in touch with us to alter amounts, frequency, or even to cancel. If you use web banking this is the best option for you.***



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