
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

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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

We are now in Step 3 of the Province's reopening regulations. Because of the 6' distancing rule, we are keeping our capacity limit at 90 persons.

Registration is still necessary for Sunday Masses, but not for the Saturday afternoon Mass or if you wish to attend the Mass of our sister parish, St Thomas More. If you know parishioners who are not tech savvy, please feel free to sign them up, or ask them to call the Oratory (416 532-2879) between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on Wednesdays so that we can sign them up. Please note that you can deregister yourself in case you are feeling sick or need to change your plans.

There will be Confessions before all Masses, and we will continue to have Confessions on Friday morning from 11 a.m. to 12 noon

We are required under the city of Toronto by-law to wear masks in church, unless you are exempted.

Sanitizing materials are available in the church for you to sanitize the place where you are praying. 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.

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 with "Add me" in the subject line.

REGISTER WITH THE PARISH

There are Offertory Envelopes on the table at the back of the church. Take a numbered box, fill in your information and use the envelopes for donations.

When you need a passport signed, or a letter of reference to teach in the Catholic School or baptism of a child, it's necessary that you be known by the Parish priest. You will receive a tax receipt at the end of the year of your total donation to the parish.

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

You can help, by becoming a volunteer member or donate financially to this cause at our parish. Please keep the members of the Society in your prayers.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

St. Vincent de Paul, Priest

8:00 In honour of St. Vincent de Paul

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

St. Lorenzo Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs

8:00 (+) Gail Cotter

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

SS. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels

8:00 (+) Jerzy Gierada, req. by Sophie Kotwa

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Dedication of St. Michael's Cathedral

8:00 Mary Seeman & family

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1

St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor

8:00 Don Metcalfe, req. by Mike & Lydia Sherlock

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2

The Holy Guardian Angels

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 (+) Roger Gudino

PARISH FINANCES FOR SEPTEMBER 19

Regular Collection: \$3,212

Maintenance & Debt: \$515

Canada Helps: \$278.60

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

PILGRIMAGES:

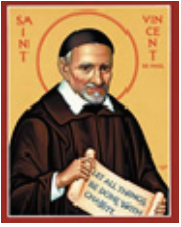
To Italy with Fr Roche: April 25 – May 5, 2022 - \$3,890
Visiting Venice, Padua, Florence, Siena, Assisi, Cascia and Rome. See sites connected with St Anthony, Fra Angelico, St Francis, St Rita, and of course many saints of Rome including our St Philip.

Oberammergau Passion Play with Fr Martin:

May 30 – June 11, 2022 - \$5,290

This tour will visit Augsburg, Oberammergau for the Passion Play, the Shrine of Altötting, Prague, Budapest, and in Poland, Zakopane, Krakow, the salt mines in Wieliczka, the Shrine of the "Black Madonna" in Czestochowa, Auschwitz (including the cell of St. Maximilian Kolbe), and the Divine Mercy Shrine in Lagiewniki. For more details on both pilgrimages write halina@ihtours.com (or Stan or Henry at the same address) or call 416-444-6666.

FEAST OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL



He was born on April 24, in the southwest of France to a poor family. He was an intelligent youth, studying theology at age 15. His ordination to the priesthood was in 1600 and he worked as a tutor to students in Toulouse. During a sea voyage in 1605, Vincent was seized by Turkish pirates and sold into slavery. His captivity lasted until 1607, during

which he converted his owner to Christianity and both escaped from Tunisia.

Although Vincent had initially begun his priesthood with the intention of securing a life of leisure for himself, he underwent a change of heart after hearing the confession of a dying peasant. Moved with compassion for the poor, he began undertaking missions and founding institutions to help them both materially and spiritually.

In 1625, he established the Congregation of Priests of the Mission. Not long after this, he worked with the future Saint Louise de Marillac to organize the Daughters of Charity, the first congregation of women religious whose consecrated life involved an extensive apostolate among the poor, the sick, and prisoners. The order collected donations, which Vincent distributed widely among the needy.

He was admired for all his accomplishments during his lifetime, but he maintained humility, using his reputation and connections to help the poor.

St Vincent de Paul died on September 27, 1660. Pope Clement XII canonized him in 1737. In 1835, the French scholar Blessed Frederic Ozanam took him as the inspiration and namesake for the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, a lay Catholic organization working for the relief of the poor.

Collect

O God, who for the relief of the poor and the formation of the clergy endowed the Priest Saint Vincent de Paul with apostolic virtues, grant, we pray, that, afire with that same spirit, we may love what he loved and put into practice what he taught.

Through

SHARELIFE

ShareLife Sunday is next weekend

Your gift to ShareLife facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto last year. They are among the 150,000 people helped by generous donors like you.

As we emerge from the pandemic, let's not forget the plight of those facing hardship and persecution, and continue our efforts to welcome them to Canada.

We encourage you to support this work by making a gift to ShareLife. Donate: at the parish or online at sharelife.org or monthly Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG). Contact ShareLife at slife@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3411

Please give generously.

NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA – TODAY!!

An appeal is made to all Catholics to be generous in supporting the work of their Bishops. In addition to contributions, we are also asked to pray for the work of the Bishops and to participate in and cooperate with the various projects of the CCCB. Envelopes are on the table at the back of the church.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH HALL & ZOOM

RCIA CLASSES:

Mondays at 7:30 p.m. Please email Deacon Alexander at 6paulg@gmail.com if you're interested in attending.

BIBLE CLASSES:

Tuesdays from 7:30-9:00 p.m. To join the group on ZOOM, use the following: Meeting ID: 889 0876 6900; password: Scripture.

FIRST FRIDAY

EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on **Friday, October 1** until noon.

Could you not watch with me one hour?

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 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. ***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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