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# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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Served by the Fathers of the Oratory



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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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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](mailto: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, OCTOBER 25

8:00 (+) Roy Shel

##### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26

8:00 Kathy Molto, req. by Mike & Lydia Sherlock

##### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:00 (+) Jerry Sherlock, req. by Sherlock family

##### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28

###### SS. Simon & Jude, Apostles

8:00 Trudy Bretzler, req. by Mike & Lydia Sherlock

##### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:00 Michael Sherlock, req. by Mike & Lydia Sherlock

##### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

10:00 (+) Friends and relatives of parishioners

5:00 Mary Tingle, req. by Nhu Tong

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#### PARISH FINANCES FOR OCTOBER 17

**Regular Collection:** \$1,414

**Maintenance & Debt:** \$210

**ShareLife:** \$51

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

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#### VOCATION DISCERNMENT

The blind beggar Bartimaeus would not listen to the many people scolding him to be quiet, but shouted all the louder in prayer "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Only then did Jesus call him over and answered his need. Bartimaeus becomes a powerful example of how persistent we must be in prayer when we are asking God to show us His Will for our lives. And then, ask Him for the grace to accept it. If you feel God is offering you the grace of a Church vocation, please speak to one of the Fathers of the Oratory or contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocations Director, email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) or call 416-968-0997

#### PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY WITH FR ROCHE

**April 25 to May 5, 2022 - \$3,890**

**TO GO OR NOT TO GO? THAT IS THE QUESTION**

Our pilgrimage to Italy has almost half the required number to get us off the ground! Because of uncertainty, I know some people are hesitant to book a spot. To alleviate this, our travel agent is offering an insurance policy, for only \$99 (!), which guarantees a full refund for cancellation FOR ANY REASON (!!!) UNTIL 35 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE. BUON VIAGGIO!

### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY – TODAY

There will be a collection today for the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as World Mission Sunday. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church and it is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic communities globally. Our offerings are combined with those of other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. Thank you for your support of this important work.

### SHARELIFE

#### *ShareLife update – Your gift will be matched!*

The ongoing pandemic has made life even harder for those who are poor and marginalized. A couple that has supported ShareLife for many years felt so moved by this unprecedented crisis that they wanted to do more to help and are inviting you to join them. For every dollar you give to ShareLife, they will do the same. From now through November 15, your gift will be matched up to a total of \$750,000. The needs are greater than ever. And now your gift will go even further towards making our communities more caring and compassionate. Next Sunday, October 31 is the final ShareLife Sunday of 2021. Please give generously during the special collection or anytime at [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org).

### A TIME OF STRESS

**Monday, October 25** at 7:30 p.m.

In this 60-minute workshop, you will learn:

- What stress is and how it affects the body
- How to take an audit of your mental, emotional, and physical needs to prevent the pot from boiling over with stress and anxiety
- Practical action steps to refuel, be resilient, and bring you joy

Presented by Vicenta Blake, Certified Professional Coach. Cost is \$25.00 per person. To register for the zoom link, please email her at [blakelifecoach@gmail.com](mailto:blakelifecoach@gmail.com)

### CATHOLIC NURSES CANADA

**Tuesday, October 26, 2021, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.**

Looking for support in your vocation as a Catholic health professional? Join the National Association of Catholic Nurses-Canada (NACN-Canada) via Zoom for prayer on first Fridays at 3 p.m. and for fellowship on the final Tuesday of each month (except December.) Contact us by email for the meeting links. NACN-Canada's goal is to align professional practice with faith through prayer, education, service, and participation in public discourse.

Contact: NACN-Canada PO Box 19525, Manulife PO, 55 Bloor St. W., Toronto ON M4W 3T9 or email: [nacncanada.boardcontact@gmail.com](mailto:nacncanada.boardcontact@gmail.com) More information on the website: <https://catholicnurses.ca/>

### MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT – TODAY

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

### ORATORY NEWS

The Fathers and Brothers of the Toronto Oratory are delighted to announce that Br. Alexander Griffiths and Br. Christopher Huynh are to be ordained priests by His Eminence Cardinal Collins at Holy Family Church on **Saturday, November 6 at 10 a.m.**

Regrettably, with COVID-related restrictions still in place, the number of people able to attend is limited. For everyone unable to be there in person, the Ordination Mass will be livestreamed on our YouTube channel.

Please remember to keep Br. Alexander and Br. Christopher - and the whole community as always - in your prayers

### 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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