# 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

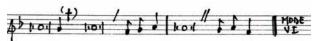
#### **CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:**

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544

#### MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY 11:00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS Holy Family

Entrance Hymn: 322 – O come, all ye faithful

**Entrance Antiphon:** 



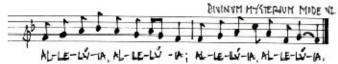
[Choir] The shepherds / went in haste, \*

[All] and found Mary and Joseph and the Infant lying // in a manger.

Kyrie: 210 – Mass VIII (de Angelis) Gloria: 211 – Mass VIII (de Angelis) **Proper Responsorial Psalm Refrain:** 

THE LORD / IS OUR GOD, \* MINDFUL OF HIS COVE//NANT FOR EVER.

Gospel Acclamation: "Divinum Mysterium" (Mode VI)



[Choir] Alleluia, alleluia; alleluia, alleluia.

[All] Alleluia, alleluia; alleluia, alleluia.

[Choir] Long ago God spoke to our ancestors / by the prophets; \*

[All] in these last days he has spoken to us  $/\!/$  by the Son.

[Choir] Alleluia, alleluia; alleluia, alleluia.

Credo: 202 – Kyriale Romanum III

**Offertory Antiphon:** (see above for the psalm tone) [Choir] In you have I put my trust, O / Lord; (†) \* I

said: "You / are my God, \*

[All] my destiny is // in your hands."

**Offertory Hymn:** 331 – Of the Father's love begotten

**Sanctus:** 212 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*) **Agnus Dei:** 213 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

**Communion Antiphon:** (see above for the psalm tone)

[Choir] Our God has appeared / on the earth, \*

[All] and // lived a-mong^us.

**Communion:** *In the bleak mid-winter* – Gustav Holst **Concluding Hymn:** 325 – Hark! the herald angels

sing!

#### **FORMED.ORG**

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There are many Catholic resources for all ages throughout the seasons of the year. Sign-up is easy. Go to <a href="https://formed.org/signup">https://formed.org/signup</a> and find Holy Family, Toronto.

There is a special link on the Oratory website <a href="https://oratory-toronto.org/covid19/">https://oratory-toronto.org/covid19/</a> with details about various Covid-19 protocols. Please check the link for latest updates.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 27** 

St. John, Apostle & Evangelist

10:00 (+) Jerry Sherlock, req. by Sherlock family

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28** 

**Holy Innocents, Martyrs** 

8:00 (+) Sue Almonte, req. by Stephanie Knott

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29** 

**Fifth Day of Christmas** 

8:00 (+) Janine Langan, req. by Stephanie Knott

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30** 

**Sixth Day of Christmas** 

8:00 Taya Jones

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31

**Seventh Day of Christmas** 

8:00 Sarah DeCouto

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 1** 

Mary, Mother of God

Holy Day of Obligation

See next page for schedule

## OFFICE HOURS FOR THE HOLIDAY December 27-31 & January 3: CLOSED

#### **MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2022**

If you have been thinking about requesting a Mass for a special intention, now is a good time – **many dates available!!** Simply call the parish office at 416-535-7646 or come to the office. Announced Mass Intention is \$20 and Unannounced is \$10.

#### FRIARS' STUDENT WRITING CONTEST 2022

It is time once again for the Friars' Student Writing Award. Students aged 13-19 are invited to submit a 450 - 500 word essay for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, celebrated from January 18-25, 2022.

This year the theme of the contest is: "We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him." (Mt. 2:2) The deadline for the writing contest is Monday, February 14, 2022 at 2 p.m. For more contest details:

https://bit.ly/FriarStudentWritingContest2022

#### BOOKSTALL

Pick up your 2022 Sunday Missal \$7 and Oratory Calendars \$5 at the bookstall or at the office during office hours.

#### SACRAMENT CLASSES

There are no classes for students until the New Year. Classes resume on **January 8, 2022**.

#### MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

If Mary is really the one giving birth to God, if she bears him who is the death of death and is life in the full sense of the word, this being the Mother of God is really a "new birth" (nova nativitas): a new way of giving birth inserted into the old way, just as Mary is the New Covenant in the midst of the Old Covenant, even as a member of the Old Covenant. This birth is no dying, but only a becoming, a bursting forth of life that casts off dying and leaves it behind once and for all. The title "Mother of God" points, on the one hand, back to the Virgin: this life is not received through the everyday dying and becoming but is pure beginning. On the other hand, the title points to the Assumption: from this birth comes only life, no death. This new "generation" does not demand the surrender of the old self as its sine qua non, rather it effects the ultimate validation of the world.

Pope Benedict XVI, Benedictus

#### **PILGRIMAGES:**

**Italy with Fr Roche**: April 25 – May 5, 2022 - \$3,890

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!

- Day 1 Departure from TO via Paris to Venice
- Day 2 Venice; Padua, St. Anthony's tomb, Mass.
- Day 3 Full day in Venice, canal cruise to St. Mark's.
- Day 4 Full day in Florence, frescos of Fra Angelico.
- Day 5 Florence; Siena, Mass, dinner & overnight.
- Day 6 City of Siena. Assisi for dinner, overnight.
- Day 7 Assisi; Cascia, the city of St. Rita.
- Day 8 Rome: Trevi Fountain, Spanish Steps, Pantheon
- Day 9 Vatican Museum, St. Peter's Basilica. Dinner
- Day 10 Audience w/ the Holy Father. Sites of Rome
- Day 11 Flight via Amsterdam to Toronto.

### Oberammergau Passion Play with Fr Martin:

May 30 – June 11, 2022 - \$5,290

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#### **OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2022**

Offertory envelopes for 2022 are available for pick up. They are in alphabetical order. Please check that you have picked up YOUR box of envelopes. If you have a change of address or have changed your phone number, please write the correct information on the envelope with "NEW".

#### FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

O God, who were pleased to give us the shining example of the Holy Family, graciously grant that we may imitate them in practicing the virtues of family life and in the bonds of charity, and so, in the joy of your house, delight one day in eternal rewards. Through.... ~ Collect

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Please note that because of the Covid regulations, our capacity is limited and pre-registration is required for all Masses. Registration has already begun. Call the Oratory (416-532-2879) if you have not received a link to the SignUpGenius pages or are unable to navigate to them from the Oratory website.

#### Monday, December 27

Holiday Schedule: Mass at 10:00 a.m. December 28 – 31 (a.m.) regular schedule

#### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

#### Friday, December 31

5:00 p.m. Mass in English

Confessions from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

(There will be a Holy Hour at 10:00 p.m. at Holy Family, followed by Mass at 11:00 p.m.)

#### Saturday, January 1

8:30 a.m. Mass in English

9:30 a.m. Low Mass in Latin, Usus Antiquior

11:00 a.m. Sung Mass in English

12:30 p.m. Mass: Ordinariate Parish of St Thomas
More

#### SUNDAY SCHEDULE-January 2 (Epiphany)

Please note that there is no Saturday afternoon Mass for the Sunday obligation on January 1, nor will there be confessions that afternoon.

8:30 a.m. Mass in English

9:30 a.m. Low Mass in Latin, Usus Antiquior

11:00 a.m. Sung Mass in English

12:30 p.m. Mass: Ordinariate Parish of St Thomas More



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