
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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Served by the Fathers of the Oratory



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

**THE CHOIR AND ORGANIST ARE
TAKING A WELL-DESERVED HOLIDAY.
MUSIC WILL RESUME NEXT WEEK.**

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 31

St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

8:00 Philip DeCouto

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor

8:00 Fr. Michael Eades

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2

St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop

8:00 Helena Kim

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

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

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4

St. Jean-Marie Vianney, Priest

8:00 Patrick Kotwa, req. by Sophie Kotwa

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5

Dedication of St. Mary Major

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners

5:00 (+) Donald Sutherland

PARISH FINANCES FOR JULY 23

Offertory Collection: \$2,249

Maintenance & Debt: \$32

PAG: \$1,553.44

CanadaHelps: \$77.90

MISSION PREACHER

Fr. David O'Connor will be our Mission Preacher, **August 12-13**. He will be preaching on behalf of the diocese of Huancane, Peru. A collection will be taken up at all Masses on **August 19-20** weekend.

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

At our parish the Society has been visiting homes and handing out food vouchers to those families in need. 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.

COMMUNION FOR THE HOUSEBOUND

Communion is distributed to the housebound on the first and third Friday of each month. Please let us know if you have relatives or friends who should be on our list. Contact the parish office, 416-535-7646.

ANNUAL MASS FOR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Wednesday, August 16 at 7:00 p.m.

The Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the Toronto Archdiocese to the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed. Please phone the cemetery in the event of rain.

Cemetery locations & Celebrants:

Assumption, Mississauga – Archbishop Leo

Christ the King, Markham – Bishop Vincent Nguyen

Holy Cross, Thornhill – Bishop John A. Boissonneau

Mount Hope, Toronto – Bishop Robert Kasun

Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge – Bishop I. Camilleri

Resurrection, Whitby – Fr. Dominic Barber

St. Mary's, Barrie – Fr. Laurence J. Leger

**WALKING PILGRIMAGE TO
MARTYRS' SHRINE**

August 21 - 26

Boys and girls going into grade 7 and higher in September. Walk, pray, learn, make new friends, and have a great time. **Cost: \$50.**

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**FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION
AND BENEDICTION**

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on **Friday, August 4** until noon.

Could you not watch with me one hour?

CANADIAN MISSIONS COLLECTION

The Canadian Missions Collection supports remote dioceses in NWT and in northern Alberta as well as Catholic Missions in Canada. CMIC fosters and extends blessings of the Catholic faith by supporting many missions in many regions of our country where the population is too small, or the economic situation of the community is too fragile for the people themselves to support their local Church and its ministry.

Catholic Missions in Canada and the selected dioceses in Northern Canada will benefit from your generosity to sustain and extend the Catholic faith to isolated, poor and hard-to reach mission areas in our country. Thank you for your support of this important work! There will be a second collection on **August 12-13** at all Masses.

ST. FRANCIS TABLE

If you would like to help serve meals to the poor at St Francis Table on Queen Street, please contact Christopher Jared at christopherjared@gmail.com No Questions about vaccination status will be asked of volunteers. With fewer restrictions, the ministry needs more volunteers. Holy Family volunteers usually serve lunch on Thursdays.

VOCATION DISCERNMENT

“Give your servant therefore an understanding mind...” Perhaps the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life awaits you. If God is calling you, please talk to one of the Fathers of the Oratory or call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto, at 416-968-0997 or email: vocations@archtoronto.org

SHARELIFE

Work together for good through ShareLife

The second reading tells us that all things work for good for those who love God, who are called according to His purpose. (Romans 8:28)

He is calling us to live our lives as disciples, and we can do so by sharing what we can with those who need it the most. Through ShareLife, we can reach out to the most vulnerable in our communities and those who continue to suffer around the world.

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Pastoral care for families and friends of people who experience same-sex attraction and/or gender dysphoria. For more information please visit the website: www.CourageRC.org/for-families or email: encouragetoronto@yahoo.com or call: 416-928-5094

ST JOHN VIANNEY, PRAY FOR US!

He was a priest in the village of Ars, near Lyons. He brought Christ to his parishioners through the celebration of the Eucharist, assisting the poor, and most especially by the Sacrament of Penance. Reports of his holiness and the gift of seeing souls soon spread. He spent eleven to sixteen hours a day hearing confessions of pilgrims. He died on August 4, 1859.

I love You, O my God, and my only desire is to love You until the last breath of my life. I love You, O my infinitely lovable God, and I would rather die loving You, than live without loving You. I love You, Lord, and the only grace I ask is to love You eternally... My God, if my tongue cannot say in every moment that I love You, I want my heart to repeat it to You as often I draw breath. ~ Prayer of St John Vianney

DEDICATION OF THE BASILICA OF SAINT MARY MAJOR

The construction of the basilica started in 358 by Pope Liberius. It was consecrated under the title of the Virgin Mary by Pope Sixtus III in 435, after the Council of Ephesus in 431 at which Mary was declared to be the Mother of God. It is also called Maria ad Nives, Mary of the Snows. It is said that Mary chose the site of the church by a snowfall on the spot in summer. At the same time, she appeared to a wealthy nobleman named John and to Pope Liberius, asking them to build a church. The basilica is also known as “church of the crib” because the relic of the holy crib/manger in which Jesus was laid at His birth is kept inside of a silver manger replica in a glass case. On Christmas day the holy manger is taken out of the case and exposed to the faithful.



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