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(1581 - 1660)

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

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

DAILY ROSARY

The Rosary is recited in the church at the following times:
Monday - Thursday 8:40 a.m., Friday noon,
Saturday 10:40 a.m., & Sunday 10:25 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed from 8:30 a.m. until noon every Friday with Solemn Benediction on first Fridays & all day Tuesdays from 8:30 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

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:

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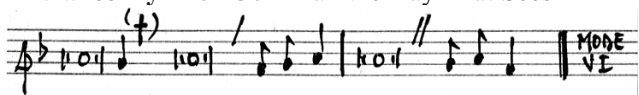
CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

11:00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS

Entrance Hymn: 430 – Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise



Entrance Antiphon (choir):

O men of Galilee, why gaze in wonder at the heavens?
This Jesus whom you saw ascending into heaven
will return as you saw him go, alleluia.

Kyrie: 210 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Gloria: 211 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Responsorial Psalm Refrain (all):

**GOD HAS GONE UP / WITH A SHOUT, * THE LORD
WITH THE SOUND // OF A TRUMPET.**

Gospel Acclamation: “LC9A” Mode VI



Verse:

Go make disciples of all nations.
I am with you always, to the end of the age.

Credo: 202 – Kyriale III

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

[Choir] O / Men of Galilee, *

[All] **why do you gaze at the sky / in as-tonishment?**

[Choir] This same / Jesus (†) * who was taken up from you /
in-to heaven, *

[All] **will come by the very way in which you saw him go
into heaven, * // al-le-luia.**

Motet: *Exultate justi in Domino* (Lodovico Grossi da Viadana)

Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the upright.
Give praise to the Lord on the harp; sing to him with the
psaltery, the instrument of ten strings. Sing to him a new
song, sing well unto him with a loud voice. (Psalm 32:1-3)

Sanctus: 212 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

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

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

[Choir] Behold, I am / with you always, *

[All] **even to the end of the age, * // al-le-luia.**

Hymn: 432 – Hail Thee, Festival Day!

Motet: *O sacrum convivium* (Lodovico Grossi da Viadana)

O sacred banquet, in which Christ is received, the memory of
His Passion is renewed, the mind is filled with grace,
and a pledge of future glory is given to us. Alleluia!

Concluding Hymn: 431 – See the Conqueror Mounts in
Triumph

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 18

St. Felix of Cantalice

10:00 In thanks to the parish of St Vincent de Paul for
the help given to the Sisters, req. by Missionary Sisters
of the Precious Blood

TUESDAY, MAY 19

8:00 For Roncesvalles neighbourhood

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest

8:00 (+) Daphne Kobewka

THURSDAY, MAY 21

**St. Christopher Magallines, Priest, & Companions,
Martyrs**

8:00 Fr Fred Chung, req. by the Pontisso family

FRIDAY, MAY 22

St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

8:00 Ming He, req. by Moses He

SATURDAY, MAY 23

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners

5:00 Zuzia Rita, req. by the Corrente Navascues family

PARISH FINANCES FOR MAY 10

Offertory Collection: \$2,794

Maintenance & Debt: \$200

CanadaHelps: \$877.47

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Monday is Victoria Day, a civic holiday. Mass will
begin at 10:00 a.m.

**ORATORY BOOKSTALL TODAY
IN THE PARISH HALL FROM
9:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.**

OFFICE CLOSED

The office will be closed from **May 18 - 29**. If you need
immediate assistance please contact Fr Martin or Fr
Michael at 416-532-2879. Phone messages will be
heard when the office is open.

**MANY DATES AVAILABLE FROM JULY TO
DECEMBER FOR MASS INTENTIONS COME
OR CALL THE OFFICE. GETTING A MASS FOR
SOMEONE IS THE MOST POWERFUL GIFT.**

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION – TODAY!

The Pope's Pastoral Works collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Pope contributes to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding the victims of war, famine and natural disasters. By contributing to the Pope's Pastoral Works, we give a universal dimension to our charity. **A second collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend.**

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Wednesday, May 20, our young Catholics will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation at 8 p.m. Mass. There will be a reception in the parish hall after the Mass. Everyone is welcome. We are grateful to Auxiliary Bishop Robert Kasun for coming to confirm our young people. *Please pray for these young students for the zeal of the Holy Spirit.*

YOUNG MOMS' GROUP

On **May 23 (Saturday)** the Young Moms' Group is meeting from 10-12pm. We meet in the church for Mass; we then go to the hall for conversation, education, and laughter. Coffee and snacks. Possibly babysitting. For information, contact Deni: Denireesandoval@gmail.com.

SHARELIFE

The 60th World Day of Social Communication

Your support of ShareLife supports human connection across the world, making a difference in the lives of thousands of people in our community and beyond—funding more than 40 agencies, which help children and youth, families in crisis, seniors, immigrants and refugees, people with special needs, international development and missions, and vocations.

The third ShareLife Sunday is May 31. Thus far we have raised \$4,832 toward our goal of \$19,000. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate

A DAY WITH MARY

Saturday, May 30 from 11am – 4pm

Villanova College, 2480 15th Sideroad, King City

Join us for an outdoor gathering with Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, activities for children, praying the rosary, keynote address by Dr. Josephine Lombardi and fellowship with families across the Archdiocese of Toronto. Admission is free but registration is required. For more information and to register: www.archtoronto.org/mary

Oratory Summer School is coming.

First Week: July 6-10 Second Week: July 13-17

ORATORY CHILDREN'S CHOIR SPRING CONCERT

Friday, May 22 at 7:30 p.m.

Please join us at Holy Family Church to hear the voices of the Children's Choir.

ST. PHILIP'S SEMINARY GRADUATION MASS

A Mass of Thanksgiving will take place on **Monday, May 18** at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Family Church. Several seminarians from St. Philip's Seminary will be graduated, including Br Jeffrey Sullivan. A reception will follow after Mass in the parish hall. Please join us.

FEAST OF ST PHILIP NERI NOVENA TO ST. PHILIP

The novena will begin before the 11am Mass on **Sunday, May 17** and continue before the daily Masses until May 25. *On Tuesday, May 26, there will be a Concelebrated Mass at 6:00 p.m. at Holy Family Church.*

ORATORY CORNER

On his birthday in 1835, the great Oratorian, St John Henry Newman published his second volume of sermons. Sermon 18 was preached on the Ascension. Newman's final paragraph begins:

"What has been now said about the Ascension of our Lord comes to this; that we are in a world of mystery, with one bright Light before us, sufficient for our proceeding forward through all difficulties. Take away this Light, and we are utterly wretched,—we know not where we are, how we are sustained, what will become of us, and of all that is dear to us, what we are to believe, and why we are in being. But with it we have all and abound."

In speaking of Christ as the one bright Light, Newman directs our minds to the sun, the physical light of this world. Jesus said, "I am the light of the world." By being taken up into heaven, by disappearing behind the cloud, Christ confirms that He is to our souls what the sun is for the physical life of this world. Apart from Him, we are in darkness.

Newman ends the sermon with these words: *"On Him we venture our all; we can bear thankfully to put ourselves into His hands, our interests present and eternal, and the interests of all we love. Christ has died, 'yea rather is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us. Who shall separate us from His love? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine or nakedness, or peril, or sword? Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors, through Him that loved us.' [Rom. viii. 34-37.] Newman loved to see faith as a kind of risk, a venture. We hand over our entire lives to Him. We bet everything on Him!*



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