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PARISH STAFF

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OUR LITURGICAL LIFE Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. Baptisms: 1:30 p.m.

Weekday Eucharist

Mondays & Fridays: 8:00 a.m. Tuesdays & Thursday: 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays & Saturdays: 9:15 a.m. Rosary Saturdays at 8:45 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:00 p.m. and anytime by request.

Baptisms

Contact the parish office even before the birth for preparation and arrangements.

Marriages

By appointment with at least one year notice to permit adequate preparation.

Ministry to the Sick and Shut-Ins

Please notify the office if a family member is in hospital or confined to the home.

Holy Orders

For information contact Fr. Chris Lemieux 416-968-0997 or www.vocations.ca

Parish Schools

905-278-9821 St. Dominic's Elementary Queen of Heaven Elementary 905-278-9771 St. Paul's Secondary 905-278-3994 Archbishop Romero School 416-393-5555

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday: 9:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00 a.m - 6:30 p.m. & Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please introduce yourself to the pastoral staff and others and complete a registration form located in the vestibule of the Church.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Guild Altar Servers

Baptism Ministry

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Coffee Ministry Collection Counters

Confirmation Preparation

Finance Council

First Eucharist Preparation

First Reconciliation Preparation

Funeral Ministry

General Church Maintenance

Kitchen Coordinator Knights of Columbus Marriage Preparation Marriage Rehearsal

Ministers of Eucharist

Ministry of Music (SATB Choir)

(Folk Choir)

Ministers of the Word Ministers of Welcome Parish Social Ministry

Social Committee

Social Justice Education

Spiritual Direction Pastoral Council

Property & Maintenance

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation

for Adults)

Resettlement

ShareLife

St. Vincent de Paul Youth Ministry



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Fr. Phil Jones

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Monday, Nov 20th *Ferial*

8:00AM - Mass

- Americo & Albertina Leonor 中
- Rosa & Luis Geronima⊕

Tuesday, Nov 21st Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00PM - Mass

– Igor Melnikov⊕

Wednesday, Nov 22nd St. Cecilia

9:15AM - Mass

Thursday, Nov 23rd *Ferial*

7:00PM - Mass

– Ludwig Vic Mattiussi廿-Gemma Zanini & Emile Proulx廿

Friday, Nov 24th St. Andrew Dung-Lac

8:00AM - Mass

- Carl & Mary Finlay₽

Saturday, Nov 25th Ferial

9:15AM - Mass

Mary O'Keefe(Special Intention)

New Missal

Missal for the new Liturgical Year is available at the office. The cost is \$ 5.



From the desk of Fr. Phil

Today's Gospel Theme: God rewards those who use their gifts for serving Him and each other

Youth Group – Our New Youth Group began on Friday November 10^{th} from 7-9. We had 15 young people and their parents attend the first meeting and a great time was had by all. Food, refreshments, games and karaoke were the order of the night. Our next meeting is this Sunday November 19^{th} after the 11:30 Mass from 1pm – 3pm. Lunch will be served at this meeting too!!! All students from grade 6-12 are invited. There will be separate programs for grade 6-8 and grades 9-12. Please come out and be a part of your parish community.

Christmas Giving Program with St, Vincent de Paul – The Christmas giving trees are now up in the main vestibule and the front parking lot doors. Please take one of the ornaments and turn it into the corresponding gift card if you can. The return date is December 9^{th} from 2 pm - 5 pm in the parish hall. Please return the ornament with the gift card. Many thanks for your generosity.

Totus Tuus – We have registered for the Totus Tuus Summer Camp from Monday July 15 to Friday July 19. I will let you know when the registration materials arrive at the parish. Elementary School students in the morning and Secondary School students meet in the evening.

Tree Lighting and Evening with Santa – Our annual tree blessing and lighting will take place on Saturday evening December 2 after the 5pm Mass. The festivities will continue downstairs where there will be children's Christmas snowflake bingo, food refreshments and music. This year, we are selling tickets to this event so that we know how many people are attending and also to cover the cost of the food. Tickets are available after mass in the vestibule or from the office during the week.

Statue of St. Dominic – The committee who prepare our Sunday refreshments after the 9:30 Mass have requested that we have a statue of St. Dominic in our church. They have been fund-raising for a while now and have \$1800.00 thus far. The approximate cost is \$10,000.00. They are holding a bake sale on November 26th after both Masses in aid of the statue.

Christmas Concert – In honour of Our Lady, Coro San Marco will be coming back to St. Dominic to perform a Christmas Concert on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Friday Dec. 8. At 8 pm. Tickets are available in the vestibule after and from the office during the week. The cost for this concert is \$25.00 for adults and \$15.00 for children under 12. As many of you know, we thoroughly enjoyed their last performance and I am looking forward to this one. Please spread the word and invite your friends and family. Proceeds from this concert are divided equally between the choir and St. Dominic Church.

Enrollment Weekend – Please remember that all students preparing for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion will be enrolled and given their cross at any of the Masses on December 2 at 5 pm or December 3rd at 9:30 am or 11:30 am. All parents are expected to attend this ceremony with their children.

First Reconciliation – please remember that the Sacrament of First Reconciliation will be celebrated on Tuesday, December 5th beginning with Mass at 7 pm and again on December 9th beginning with Mass at 9:15 am.

Advent Wreath Sign-Up Sheets – The sign-up sheets are at the back of the church for families who wish to light the candles on the Advent Wreath this year

Advent Day of Confessions – Tuesday December 12th from 10:30 – noon, 2pm - 4pm, 7:30 pm, (after 7 pm mass) until – 9 pm.

Advent Retreat – On Thursday December 14th and Friday December 15th we will have an Advent Twighlight Retreat/Mission from 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm. Refreshments will follow in the parish and there is no cost attached to this event.

Christmas Pageant Rehearsal – If you wish to have a part in the Christmas Pageant at the 5 pm Mass on Christmas Eve, please plan to attend the rehearsal on Saturday December 16th at 10:30 am.

Decorating Sunday for Christmas – Decorating Sunday is Sunday December 17th this year. I would appreciate all the help I can get decorating this very large space. As always, Refreshments will follow to thank you.

I wish you all a good week!!



Our Annual Tree Lighting and Evening with Santa

Join us for a family fun filled evening sponsored by the Knights of Columbus on **Dec 2, 2017** following the 5pm Mass

- Free pictures with the jolly old elf

Tickets \$5 per person (to cover the cost of food). Children under 5yrs free.

Tickets are on sale after all Masses and at the parish office during the week.

Bake Sale Sunday Coffee Ministry

The Sunday Coffee Ministry will be hosting a <u>BAKE SALE</u> to raise money for the purchase of the statue of St. Dominic for our Parish. This <u>BAKE SALE</u> will take place on Sunday, **November 26, 2017**, after both masses. To date we have raised over \$1,800 towards our goal of \$10,000.



Thank you for your ongoing support.

Christmas Cake Sale – Campaign Life Coalition

Campaign Life Coalition traditional Christmas cakes will be sold from Nov 26th, after all the Masses and it will continue into December on weekends after the Masses. The cakes are made by the Monks of Val Notre-Dame Abbey in Quebec. The cakes are rich and exquisitely delicious. They make wonderful gifts. This year we have bar cake for \$18, round cake (1kg), for \$25. New this year is the gift basket for \$30.

Physician Assisted Death & Euthanasia

Physician Assisted Death and Euthanasia Presentation: Thursday December 7th It's a daunting issue in our modern world and one about which we must all be well informed. But where do we begin learning about such a complex issue? Come to St. Mary Star of the Sea parish hall and hear what Dr. Moira McQueen (our presenter)has to say to help us understand this issue. Dr. McQueen trained and practiced law in her native Scotland before coming to Canada. She then received her doctorate in Theology at the University of St. Michael's College in Toronto where she still teaches Moral Theology. She is the Executive Director of the Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute and her special interest lies the interdisciplinary aspects of theology, law and medicine as they apply to our daily lives. Do not miss this opportunity to gather and share information on this important topic. The evening begins at 7:00 p.m. with a presentation followed by a question and answer period. Mark the date on your calendar!

Christmas Market

Saturday November 25, 2107 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. St. Elias Ukrainian Catholic Church 10193 Heritage Road, Brampton L7A 0A1 (N. off Bovaird, 1 light west of Mississauga Road)

Pravers for the Sick



We remember our parishioners for their recovery to health especially: Barbara Ptashinski, Denise Lamontagne, Peter Banken, Sean Seepaul, Ronie Scholfiled, Stefania Pieke, Maureen Timms, Tony Fares, Reginaldo Emmerich, Louise Paquette, Anita Cottereau, Renford James, Casimiro Piscione, baby Aaron James, Eric Holgan, Marilza Alvarez, Gary Baldassi, Flavia Silva, Renee Beauregard, Robert Beaudry, Colleen & Walter Popovic, Anne-Marie Cameron, Angelica Cagetano, Asia Tkacz, Michael Plante, Devon Hill, Larry Elmer, Antonio Tolentino, Andrew Calder, Maureen Crump, Diane Cranor, Elizabeth Toy, Arthur McKenna,

Arlene Ceccetto, Angela Tesoro, Arthur McKenna, Arlena Ceccetto, Edith Ardito, Mary Melnik, Eva Lil, Paul Von Zuben, Rusty Von Zuben, Phyllis Horbatiuk, Enid Caesar, Jim Clough.

Vocation Seeds



What will you say when you meet God face to face? Better still, what will God say to you? Will you be able to answer that you served faithfully? Can you answer that now? If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life,, Contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. email vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

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For the Deceased: We pray for all the deceased in our

deceased in our community.



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