# A Faith Community Alive in Christ Jesus

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PARISH STAFF

Fr. Philip Jones - Pastor Beverly O'Grady, Catechist Gloria Noronha, Parish Secretary

#### 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**

St. Dominic's Elementary	905-278-9821
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.

ROMAN CATHOLIC 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



Monica Parlette Christi Robert Natalye Mete Fr. Phil Jones Shyvone Gardner Joyce Varriano Michelle Gal-Chalmers Marie Jansa Fr. Phil Jones Fr. Phil Jones Beverly O'Grady Gloria Noronha Paul Cantlon Laura Cordovado Paul Horbatiuk Fr. Phil Jones Marian Yuill Marie Jansa

Sean Bator Christine Kot Gary MacDonald Fr. Phil Jones

Tom McCarthy Beverly O'Grady Margaret Ramsay Fr. Phil Jones Barbara-Anne Krampert

Larry Elmer Fr. Phil Jones Margaret Ramsay Meredith Erochko Natalye Mete Maureen Pangan



Monday, Oct 1<sup>st</sup> St. Therese of the Child Jesus 8:00AM – Mass 6:30PM – Rosary

Tuesday, Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> The Holy Guardian Angels 6:30PM – Rosary 7:00PM – Mass – Antonio Tolentino⊕

Wednesday, Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> *Ferial* 9:15AM – Mass

6:30PM – Rosary

Thursday, Oct 4<sup>th</sup> St. Francis of Assisi 6:30PM – Rosary 7:00PM – Mass – Ilona Szeibel⊕

Friday, Oct 5th

*Ferial* 8:00AM – Mass 6:30PM – Rosary

#### Saturday, Oct 6th

**Ferial** 8:45AM – Rosary 9:15AM – Mass – Gordon Taverner⊕

## **OCTOBER DEVOTION**



Rosary will be recited everyday in the month of October at 6:30pm and Saturday at 8:45AM



*From the desk of Fr. Phil* The harvest Bazaar was a huge success and I will write about it

more next week. Do you rejoice in the good that others do? Jesus reprimands his disciples for their jealousy and suspicion. They were upset that

someone who was not of their company was performing a good work in the name of Jesus. They even "forbade" the man "because he was not following us". Jesus' reply is filled with wisdom: "No one who does a mighty work in my name will be able soon after to speak evil of me." Are we not like the disciples when we get upset at the good deeds of others who seem to shine more than us? Paul says that "love is not jealous... but rejoices in the right".

Twenty- Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Envy and jealousy, its counterpart, are sinful because they lead us to sorrow over what should make us rejoice - namely, our neighbor's good. The reason we may grieve over another's good is that somehow we see that good as lessening our own value or excellence. Envy forms when we believe that the other person's advantage or possession diminishes or brings disgrace on us. Envy is contrary to love. Both the object of love and the object of envy is our neighbor's good, but by contrary movements, since love rejoices in our neighbor's good, while envy grieves over it.

How can we overcome envy? The Holy Spirit purifies our heart and frees us from our disordered passions, such as envy, jealously, greed, and bitterness. God's love is a generous and selfless love which is wholly oriented towards our good. The love that God places in our hearts seeks the highest good of our neighbor. God's love purifies and frees us from all envy and jealousy - and it compels us to give generously, especially to those who lack what they need.

Jesus warns his disciples of the terrible responsibility that they must set no stumbling block in the way of another, that is, not give offense or bad example that might lead another to sin. The Greek word for temptation (*scandalon*) is exactly the same as the English word *scandal*. The original meaning of scandal is a trap or a stumbling block which causes one to trip and fall. The Jews held that it was an unforgivable sin to teach another to sin. If we teach another to sin, he or she in turn may teach still another, until a train of sin is set in motion with no foreseeable end. The young in faith are especially vulnerable to the bad example of those who should be passing on the faith. Do you set a good example for others to follow, especially the young? (Servants of the Word)

I hope you have a good week!

# Fr. Phil

#### Altar Server Ministry

Has your child expressed an interest in altar serving? Has she or he completed his or her First Communion?

If you answered yes to both these questions, the altar server ministry would love to welcome your child to our group! For further information please contact Christi Robert via email at <a href="https://christi.com">christi.com</a>



# Youth Group



Join us for the 2018-2019 season of Edge Youth Group at St. Dominic's Church

October 12th in the Church Hall from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Everyone from grades 6 to 12 are welcome!

Registration packages can be picked up in the office or by emailing us at <u>StDomsYouthGroup@gmail.com</u> for a registration package or more information.

Get ready to have fun, meet other kids, get deeper in your faith and learn more about social justice and ways we can provide service to those in our community. A detailed schedule of our programming to Christmas will be handed out on October 12th.

See you there! Maureen, Meredith, Natalye and Leandro

# Sept 29<sup>th</sup> – Oct 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018

#### St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive



The St. Dominic's conference of the Saint Vincent de Paul Society has been very active on your behalf over the summer. We made an average of 40 calls per month to serve an average of 70 adults and 80 children per month. As a result we are very low on food and funds to continue to help our neighbours in need.

We are having a food drive at all the Masses until Thanksgiving. People are looking for extra food at this time

of abundance in the garden. Parents are also struggling to provide lunches for school for their children.

We need: Peanut butter, jam, cereals, Kraft dinner, canned pasta sauce, school lunch snacks, juices, cake mixes, cookies, jello and pudding mixes, coffee, tea, tuna, canned meats and vegetables. We do not need soups or beans as we still have a sufficient supply. If you can help please deposit food in the bins at the entrances.

If you wish to make a donation, there are envelops on the Poor Boxes located at the doors of the church.

Thank you for your assistance!

#### R.C.I.A



#### **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

If you or someone you know wishes to convert to the Catholic faith, please let us know by calling the parish office and giving us your name and contact number / email to enroll into the RCIA Program

2018/19. If you are baptized and wish to complete your Sacraments please contact us as well. RCIA Journey has already begun. Classes are from 7pm -8:30 pm.

#### Coffee Sunday

Join us every Sunday after 9:30am Mass for coffee in the basement. All are welcome!

#### Street Rosary Rally

Street Rosary Rally- On Saturday October 13th at 12:00PM (Noon) at Burnhamthorpe Road and Hurontario Street (Northwest Corner) in Mississauga.

Radio Maria Canada invites listeners to join us in a Street Rosary Rally. This is a community involved rally with "Canada Needs Our Lady". Radio Maria prayers and devotion to the Blessed Mother require your participation.

Look forward to seeing you there!

Parking can be found at Square One, directly behind.

#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

We remember our parishioners for their recovery to health especially: Barbara Ptashinski, Denise Lamontagne, Peter Banken, Sean Seepaul, Ronie Scholfiled, Maureen Timms, Tony Fares, Reginaldo Emmerich, Louise Paquette, Anita Cottereau, Eric Holgan, Marilza Alvarez, Gary Baldassi, Flavia Silva, Colleen & Walter Popovic, Ann-Marie Cameron, Angelica Cagetano, Asia Tkacz, Michael Plante, Devon Hill, Larry Elmer, Andrew Calder, Arlene Ceccetto, Edith Ardito, Mary Melnik, Eva Lil, Paul Von Zuben, Rusty Von Zuben, Phyllis Horbatiuk, Joey Fares, Erna Go, Leo Hogan, Diane Ouellette, Aline Vandewaeter, Philippe Paquette, Rick Way, Christopher Faion, Jeff Gollob, Geraldine Jeans, Henry Kaluzny, Darlene Coyne, Carmilia Attanasio, Brian Crawford, Kayla Farrell, Denis Price, Paulette Kennan, Christopher Pickering, Cristina Salvo, Germain de Backer.



#### Vocation Seeds



Today's readings speak of the gifts of prophesy and of casting out demons. If you feel that God is calling you with the gift to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call

Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997

email vocations@archtoronto.org

# St. Dominic's Seniors

Fun for Seniors Our Seniors Group has started its 15th Season.



- If you are a Senior 60+
- Love to play Euchre 0
- Engage in lively conversations, 0

This is the group for you. Come & join us on Tuesdays from 1 – 3pm in the Church Hall. All are welcome!

#### LET US PRAY

# For the Sick:

We pray for all the sick in our community.



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

#### WEEKLY OFFERINGS Weekend Sep 23, 2018

Offertory Collection: \$4726.30 Other Collection: \$ 2120.70 Many thanks for your generosity Fr. Phil

