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PARISH STAFF

Fr. Philip Jones - Pastor
Beverly O'Grady, Catechist
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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

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.

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
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Beverly O'Grady
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Maureen Pangan





Monday, Jan 14th
Ferial
8:00AM – Mass

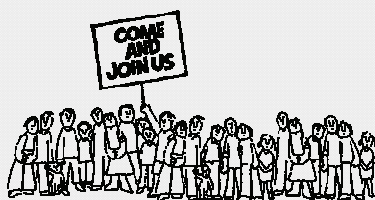
Tuesday, Jan 15th
Ferial
7:00PM – Mass
– Giuseppe & Maria Ricci✠
– Salvatore Grazia✠
– Corrado Misseri✠
– Luigi & Rosalia Berardicurti✠

Wednesday, Jan 16th
Ferial
9:15AM – Mass

Thursday, Jan 17th
St. Anthony, Abbot
7:00PM – Mass
– Zofia Kowalski✠

Friday, Jan 18th
Ferial
8:00AM – Mass

Saturday, Jan 19th
Ferial
9:15AM – Mass
– Veronica Jarosevicova✠



- Folk Choir Practice
7:30PM every Wednesday
- Sunday Coffee
Every Sunday after 9:30AM Mass

The Baptism of the Lord

Reading the Bible : A Fresh Perspective For 2019

The following excerpt on how to read the Bible more effectively comes from YOUCAT's Youth Bible of the Catholic Church.



The Bible is written for you. By reading it, you can let God's word become a part of your life. The following seven rules for reading can help that to happen.

Read the Bible..

1. ...and pray.

The Bible is Sacred Scripture. Therefore, it is good to pray, before reading, to ask God for his Holy Spirit and, after reading, to thank him. How can you pray? Simply start with a short prayer: "Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path." (Ps 119:105).

2. ...and allow yourself to be surprised.

The Bible is a book full of surprises. Even though you have heard many of the stories already, give them a second chance. And yourself, too! The Bible shows you the all-surpassing breadth and greatness of God.

3. ...and be glad

The Bible is a great love story with a happy ending: death does not have a chance. Life wins. You find this Good News again and again in all passages of the Bible. Look for it -- and be glad when you have found it.

4. ...and do it regularly.

The Bible is the book for your life. If you read from it every day, even if it is only a verse or a short paragraph, you may realize that the book does you a lot of good. Just as with sports and music: you make progress only by constant practice -- and once you have acquired a few skills, it is really fun.

5. ...and do not read too much.

The Bible is a gigantic treasure. You receive it as a free gift. You do not have to unpack it all right away. Read only as much as you can take in well. If something speaks to you in a special way, write it out for yourself and learn it by heart.

6. ...and allow yourself time.

The Bible is an ancient book that is eternally young and new. It is not supposed to be read from start to finish without a break. It is good to pause as you read. That way you can reflect and become aware of what God wants to say to you. And once you have read through the Bible, just start over again from the beginning. You will again discover completely different aspects of it.

7. ...and be patient.

The Bible is a book full of profound wisdom, but occasionally it seems puzzling and strange. You will not understand everything right away. Then, too, much can be understood only in terms of the time or the historical situation. Have patience with yourself and with the Bible. When something is not clear to you, then look at the context or at other passages that deal with the same subject. Your Bible gives you a lot of support.

(archtoronto.org)

Revised First Reconciliation Schedule

Reconciliation Session #3 – Practice Session

Fr. Roger will offer a presentation to parents and children in preparation for First Reconciliation.

Please finish working through the purple "We Prepare for Reconciliation" book before this meeting.

Sunday, January 20 from 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Tuesday, January 22 from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Enrolment Celebration at Mass - presentation of Crosses at all the Masses

Saturday, February 2 at 5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, February 3 at 9:30 am Mass and 11:30 am Mass

Celebration of First Reconciliation –We will have two priests available at each celebration.

Please gather in the Church and we will begin with Mass.

Saturday, February 9 at 9:15 am

Tuesday, February 12 at 7:00 pm

Sacramental Preparation



Jan 12th – Jan 19th, 2019

Reactivation of the Social Justice Education Committee



The objective of the committee is to invite St. Dominic's parishioners to discuss important social issues that merit immediate action, such as the unabated environmental degradation. Following into the steps of the previous group, chaired by Tom McCarthy, we would like to continue with activities and discussions related to Pope Francis' encyclical:

"Laudato Si" ON CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

The content and format of this program would be the first job of the new SJEC. We invite, then, fellow parishioners interested in becoming members of the new SJEC to contact either:

Paul Lozada at: acqumenenterprise@gmail.com

Carlos Diaz at: diazcarlos@rogers.com

Dancing for the Compass

Dancing for The Compass returns for a 12th year to the Port Credit Legion (upstairs), 35 Front St. N. on Saturday **January 26, 2019**. Doors upstairs open at 7:00 pm and dancing from 8:00 pm to 12:00 am. The ticket price for this fundraiser is \$25/person and \$30 at the door. Please contact the church office or phone Peter Toller at 905-274-6131 to order your tickets. It will be a fun night of 50s and 60s music with the local 8-piece band, **Little Peter and the Elegants**. A light buffet will be served. Fabulous raffle prizes, too!

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2019

Ecumenical Prayer Service

Theme: 'Justice, Only Justice, You shall Pursue'

Come and join us in an ecumenical prayer service led by Catholic, Anglican and Orthodox bishops along with Leaders from Christian Churches in GTA.

Sunday January 27, 2019, 4:30pm.

St. James Anglican Cathedral

106 King St. East Toronto (at King and Church Streets)

Organized by

(Greater Toronto Area Christian Council of Churches (GTACCC)

Refreshments to follow

For further information, please contact

The Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs Office at (416) 934-3400 ext. 527 or

ecumenical@archtoronto.org

BIRTHRIGHT calling!

Do you have 3 hrs/wk. to dedicate to our unique service? Birthright is a local volunteer organization that works small miracles in the lives of women who are facing an unplanned pregnancy. We work to reduce abortion through love and caring. With community assistance, we help ladies resolve their problems and make good informed choices. We are seeking new volunteers immediately. Training provided. Please call 905-273-9409 11am-2pm, or email birthright.mississauga@hotmail.com Thank you.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

We remember our parishioners for their recovery to health especially:

Barbara Ptashinski, Denise Lamontagne, Peter Banken, Sean Seepaul, Ronie Scholfield, Maureen Timms, Tony Fares, Reginaldo Emmerich, Louise Paquette, Anita Cottreau, Eric Holgan, Marilza Alvarez, Gary Baldassi, Flavia Silva, Colleen & Walter Popovic, Ann-Marie Cameron, Angelica Caetano, 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, Aline Vandewaeter, Philippe Paquette, Rick Way, Christopher Faion, Jeff Gollob, Geraldine Jeans, Henry Kaluzny, Darlene Coyne, Carmilia Attanasio, Kayla Farrell, Denis Price, Paulette Kennan, Christopher Pickering, Cristina Salvo, Germain de Backer, Joseph DiBiasi, Peter Di Tommaso, Grace Roberto, Eamonn & Alice Browner, Diane Ouellette, Alain Paquette, Bill & Diane Cranor, Paul McQuade, Ken Hoad, Perfecto Raymundo, Margaret Reynolds.



Vocation Seeds



As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact 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.



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

This is the group for you.

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

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Dec 25, 2018

Offertory Collection: \$ 19335.20

Other Collections: \$571.80

Dec 30, 2018

Offertory Collection: \$ 6743.65

Other Collections: \$1466.60

Jan 1, 2019

Offertory Collection: \$3138.45

Other Collections: 1322.55

Jan 6, 2019

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