# A Faith Community Alive in Christ Jesus

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PARISH STAFF

Fr. Terence Dias - Pastoral Care Beverly O'Grady, Lay Pastor Associate 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.

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# PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Guild Altar Servers

Baptism Ministry Children's Liturgy of the Word Coffee Ministry **Collection Counters Confirmation** Preparation Finance Council First Eucharist and First Reconciliation Preparation **Funeral Ministry** General Church Maintenance Kitchen Coordinator Knights of Columbus Marriage Rehearsal Ministers of Eucharist Ministry of Music (SATB Choir) (Folk Choir) Ministers of the Word Ministers of Welcome Social Justice Education Spiritual Direction Pastoral Council RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Resettlement ShareLife St. Vincent de Paul Youth Ministry



Monica Parlette Christi Robert Natalye Mete Fr. Terence Dias Shyvone Gardner Joyce Varriano Michelle Gal-Chalmers Marie Jansa

Beverly O'Grady Gloria Noronha Paul Cantlon Laura Cordovado Paul Horbatiuk Marian Yuill Marie Jansa Brian Bonnici Sean Bator Christine Kot Gary MacDonald Carlos Diaz Beverly O'Grady Erica Miceli Barbara-Anne Krampert

Larry Elmer Fr. Terence Dias Margaret Ramsay Meredith Erochko Natalye Mete Maureen Pangan

# MASS MOINTENTIONS

Monday, Feb 18<sup>th</sup> *Ferial* 8:00AM – Mass – Abandoned Souls in Purgatoryt

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Tuesday, Feb 19<sup>th</sup> *Ferial* 7:00PM – Mass – Casimiro Piscione⊕

Wednesday, Feb 20<sup>th</sup> *Ferial* 9:15AM – Mass

Thursday, Feb 21<sup>st</sup> *Ferial* 

7:00PM – Mass

- Italo Carneletto₽

- Deceased members of Pradoline Family令

Friday, Feb 22<sup>nd</sup> Chair of St. Peter 8:00AM – Mass – Antoinetta Miceli⊕

Saturday, Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> St. Polycarp 9:15AM – Mass



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

#### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Reflection from the desk of Fr. Terry

#### Beatitudes:

Jesus said, "blessed are you poor and blessed are you who hunger." When we talk about poverty, about being poor, it does not mean of material poverty. He certainly does not mean also that wealth and money are intrinsically evil and that we should work for material advancement in this world. However, there is a worse form of poverty than material poverty, it is loneliness, emptiness and being unloved. Jesus is challenging us to build a better world where there is justice and peace, no killings and exploitation, no cheating and suppression. Jesus knew what is being poor, being born in a manger, having to flee the persecution of Herod and at the end being crucified. He has gone through everything that is being said in these Beatitudes and given us the path that leads to being blessed.

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# First Eucharist



First Eucharist Preparation Begins: For those Parents who have registered their child for First Eucharist preparation, our first meeting is scheduled for Sunday, February 24th from 1:30 – 2:30 pm or Tuesday, February 26th from 7:00 – 8:00 pm.

Please note - this is a Parent Meeting – if possible, please leave your children at home for this session, as we are unable to provide babysitting.

#### **Meet and Greet**

Fr. Terry invites you to a meet and greet on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019, Friday at 7pm. Please come to our gathering to share your concerns and offer

suggestions to revitalize St. Dominic's Parish. Volunteers are needed to organize this event. If you would like to help, please let us know. The sign-up sheet is at all the entrances.



### Pre-Authorized Giving Plan for St. Dominic's Parish

Did you know that your weekly offering to St. Dominic's can be automatically paid from your bank account or charged to your credit card? With the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan (PAG), you can make regular donations to support our parish through the convenience of automatic debit or credit transactions. Tax receipts are automatically generated for any donations you make through PAG.

To register, please pick up a PAG brochure in front of the parish office, or visit <u>https://community.archtoronto.org/</u> to set up your recurring offering. Thank you for your continued support of St. Dominic's Parish!

#### Bake & Art Sale

The Sunday Coffee Ministry will be hosting a <u>BAKE & ART SALE</u> to raise money for the purchase of the statue of St. Dominic for our Parish. This <u>BAKE & ART SALE</u> will take place on Saturday, March 9, 2019 and Sunday, March 10, 2019, after both Masses.



As of February 1, 2019, we have raised \$8,813.67. Thank you for your ongoing support.

#### Tax Receipts & Offertory Envelopes

If you have not picked up your tax receipt for 2018, they are available at the office. Your offertory envelopes for 2019 are in the vestibule. Please pick them up at your earliest convenience.

#### Women's Lenten Retreat Weekend

Queen of Apostles, Retreat Centre is offering Women's Lenten Retreat. On the weekend of March  $22^{nd} - 24^{th}$ , the centre team will preach a Lenten retreat on the theme:

# EVERY GIFT REVEALS GOD'S LOVE: BUT NO GIFT REVEALS GOD'S LOVE MORE THAN THE GIFTS OF THE CROSS.

For further information or to register please call 905-278-5229.

# Feb 16<sup>th</sup> – Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

#### New Beginnings

"Behold, I make all things new." Rev. 21:5 Separated, Divorced?

If you are struggling... you don't have to do this alone.

*New Beginnings,* is a ministry dedicated to assisting those who have suffered a loss through, separation and divorce. Together... we explore our *grief*, experience *healing* and renew our *faith.* 

#### St. Christopher's – Support Group Start Date: February 26, 2019

# Time: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

For more information and to register, please contact:

Arcangelo Limanni – Program Promoter, alimanni@cfstoronto.com (416) 921-1163 ext. 2225

#### Come and See Weekend – St. Augustine's SeminaryMarch 15-17, 2019 March 15-17, 2019

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Many Catholic men consider the possibility of becoming a priest,

but don't go beyond thinking about it because of the many questions they may have. Twice a year, the Office of Vocations offers a weekend live-in experience, at St. Augustine's Seminary, to help men discerning the priesthood get answers to questions they have, to meet seminarians, and to pray for continued assistance in knowing God's will. We call them *Come and See Weekends*, and they are great opportunities to assist in your discernment.

# Dynamic Women of Faith – Catholic Women's Conference

Opening Mass celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins at St. Maximillian Kolbe Parish in Mississauga Saturday, March 23 – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Location: John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre 4300 Cawthra Road, Mississauga, Ontario, 416-907-1042 Speakers & Topics: Dr. Ray Guarendi – from EWTN Laughter: The Sanity of the Family Life Mary Wagner – Jesus Won My Heart Fr. Eric Mah – Lawyer to Priest – The Journey Dorothy Pilarski: Motherhood Matters Limited Seating!

Register at http://dynamicwomenfaith.com/Questions? CONTACT: 416-907-1042

# Calling ALL Girls - Mother Daughter Event

Friday, March 22 -7pm to 10:00pm

Speakers & Topics:

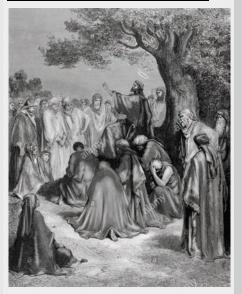
Dr. Ray Guarendi from **EWTN** - *The Logic of Being Catholic* Katarzyna Ryba - *Straight From the Heart* Isabella & Natalie Bruno - *Three Tips for a Great Mother Daughter Relationship* Dorothy Pilarski - *The Truth About Work* 

# 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, Aline Vandewaeter, Philippe Paquette, Rick Way, Christopher Faion, Jeff Gollob, Geraldine Jeanes, 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, Victoria Thomas, Daphne Lobo. Vocation Seeds



Happy are those who know they need God. Happy too those who live faithfully the vocation of the life-commitment God calls them to, be it married, single, religious or priesthood. If 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 15<sup>th</sup> Season.



o If you are a Senior 60+

o Love to play Euchre

• 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 Weekend February 10, 2019

Offertory Collection: \$ 3978.50 Other Collection: \$ 446.50

Many thanks for your generosity Fr. Terry

