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#### **PARISH STAFF**

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

#### **PARISH MINISTRIES**

Altar Guild Monica Parlette
Altar Servers Christi Robert
Natalye Mete
Baptism Ministry Fr. Terence Dias
Children's Liturgy of the Word Lianne Henderson
Coffee Ministry Joyce Varriano

Collection Counters Michelle Gal-Chalmers
Confirmation Preparation Marie Jansa

Finance Council First Eucharist and

First Reconciliation Preparation

Funeral Ministry

General Church Maintenance

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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)

ShareLife St. Vincent de Paul Youth Ministry

Resettlement







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Sean Bator

Brian Bonnici

Christine Kot

Carlos Diaz

Erica Miceli

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Beverly O'Grady

Barbara-Anne Krampert



#### Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> Ferial

9:00AM - Mass

- Varghese, John & Anmama Joseph 中
- Mary Var, Jose & ThresianJohn⊕

6:30PM - Rosary

#### Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> Ferial

6:30PM - Rosary

7:00PM - Mass

- Gus Gelowitz 中

## Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> Ferial

9:15AM - Mass

6:30PM - Rosary

#### Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> Ferial

6:30PM – Rosary

7:00PM - Mass

- Darlene Coyne ₽

## Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> Ferial

8:00AM - Mass

6:30PM - Rosary

## Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> Ferial

8:45PM - Rosary

9:15AM - Mass

Ricardo Titco⊕



- > SATB Choir Practice 7:30PM every Monday
  - Folk Choir Practice

7:30PM every Wednesday

➤ Sunday Coffee Every Sunday after 9:30AM Mass

#### Fifth Sunday of Easter

#### Reflection from the desk of Fr. Terry

In today's Gospel we see a Scribe, the student of the law invites Jesus to become a part of the long-standing conversation about the greatest law of them all. Jesus replies in an interesting way, citing not one law, but two, love of God and Love of neighbor. By choosing these two laws, Jesus is saying that we can't have one without the other. We must love vertically - looking up to God with love because of who God is. We must love horizontally - looking around at the people who surround us and loving them because they are God's. And if you take a vertical line and a horizontal line, what do you have? The Cross! the emblem of the love of God for humanity a love that vertically connects heaven's and earth and horizontally connects all of us with each other. We love because God first loved us. We love all because Jesus loved all of us enough to die for us all.

#### Please Pray.....

Please pray for our young people who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. May the Lord Jesus always watch over them and guide them.

#### Spring Clean-Up Help



We will be having our Spring cleanup and planting of the garden on May 25<sup>th</sup>. We request parishioner for donation of plants, preferably perennials — such as hostas, hydrangeas, etc. to be dropped off at the Atwater entrance (near the rectory garden) on the Sat/Sun of May 18/19 (Victoria Day weekend) or the morning of Sat May 25th. If anyone has any questions, they can reach Catherine Mowat via email at <a href="mailto:cbrmowat@sympatico.ca">cbrmowat@sympatico.ca</a> or leave a message at the office.

If you would like to volunteer on Sat May 25 from 8:30 a.m. – 11:30, please come equipped with – garden gloves, rake, shovel, pruners, and sun protection (hat, glasses) and a water bottle.

#### **Confirmation Reminders**

#### Letter of Intent Weekend May 25/26

Our Confirmation Candidates are reminded that they will be presenting their "Letter of Intent" regarding why they want to be Confirmed, to Fr. Terry at Mass on the weekend of May 25 - 26. Please plan to arrive to Mass on time, with your family, for this special celebration. The Candidates will be asked to come forward with their letter during the Mass.



#### Session 5

Just a gentle reminder to our Confirmation candidates – Session 5 will take place on **Monday, May 27** from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.

This will be our last preparation session before the Retreat on Saturday, June 1 from 8:45 am to 12:30 pm, and our rehearsal on Thursday, June 6 at 7:00 pm in the Church Hall. Please be sure to arrive a few minutes early, so you can join your classroom and begin on time. Thanks for your cooperation!

#### **May Devotions**

Join us everyday for the rosary at 6:30pm on weekdays and at 8:45am before the Mass on Saturday in the church. The month of May is dedicated in a special way to Our Lady and we are encouraged to pray the Rosary and join the special events to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary.

We have rosary leaflets for those who would like to learn to pray the rosary.

"The Rosary is my favourite prayer." - St. John Paul II



#### Farewell Celebration for Fr. Neil McMillan

We invite friends of Fr. Neil to wish him well, after serving as pastor for 17 years at St. Mary Star of the Sea. There will be a reception for Fr. Neil following the 5:00 PM Mass on May 25 and the 11:00 AM Mass on May 26.



#### Feast of St. Anthony of Padua

Please join us to celebrate the feast of St. Anthony of Padua on **Thursday**, **June 13th.** Solemn Mass at 7 pm, followed by blessing of the children and coffee hour in our parish hall. Please bring some cookies and cakes to share.

#### The Real Story of Catholic History

Thursday, May 23, 2019 6:30 pm to Thursday, May 23, 2019 9:30 pm St. Francis Xavier Parish 5650 Mayis Road. Mississauga

St. Francis Xavier Parish invites you to a presentation by Steve Weidenkopf, the American creator, co-author and presenter of Epic: A Journey through Church History — a parish-based study published by Ascension Press. Steve has appeared as a guest to discuss Church History on numerous national Catholic radio and television programs including EWTN Live and Catholic Answers Live. Discover why we are Catholics.

**COST:** \$15

CONTACT: St. Francis Xavier Parish Office PHONE: 905-890-5290

**EMAIL:** sfx.bibleformation@gmail.com

#### **Upcoming Bereavement Seminar**

For Those Who Have Suffered a Loss "Grief the Untold Story"

Sunday, June 9, 2019 - 2 to 3 p.m.

Assumption Catholic Cemetery. Seminar will be held in the Funeral Home. 6933 Tomken Road, Mississauga

For those who mourn there is a sadness and heaviness that is difficult to lift. Join us for a casual afternoon as we listen to inspiring words to discover ways to put the pieces of our broken hearts and lives back together. We will learn how to explore our **Grief**, experience **Healing** and renew our **Faith**. Refreshments will be served.

ALL are WELCOME!

CONTACT: Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services – Archdiocese of Toronto

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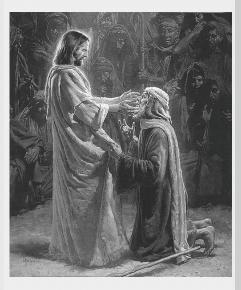
#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

We remember our parishioners for their recovery to health especially: Barbara Ptashinski, Denise Lamontagne, Peter Banken, Sean Seepaul, Ronie Scholfiled, Maureen Timms, 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, Erna Go, Leo Hogan, Aline Vandewaeter, Philippe Paquette, Rick Way, Christopher Faion, Jeff Gollob, Geraldine Jeanes, Henry Kaluzny, Carmilia Attanasio, Kayla Farrell, Denis Price, Paulette Kennan, Cristina Salvo, Germain de Backer, Joseph DiBiasi, Grace Roberto, Eamonn & Alice Browner, Diane Ouellette, Alain Paquette, Bill & Diane Cranor, Perfecto Raymundo, Margaret Reynolds, Victoria Thomas, Daphne Lobo, Loretta Milligan, Susan Vialu, Rita Nicoll, Matthew Whiteley, Eugene & Heather Munro, Pat and Mel Melnike, Aiden Thurlow, Heather Giles Lamarre and Loren Giles Forrest, Marie Orna Arayata, Floyd Thorne.



#### **Vocation Seeds**



The new commandment of love is required of everyone who follows the risen Lord. How do you fulfill the commandment? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997

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