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Fr. Terence Dias - Pastor
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OUR LITURGICAL LIFE

Sunday Eucharist

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

Weekday Eucharist

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 7:00 p.m.
Fridays: 8:00 a.m.
Every First Friday of the Month: 8:00 a.m. Mass
6:15 p.m. Holy Hour
7:15 p.m. Mass
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 - Friday: 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Saturday: 3:00 p.m - 6:30 p.m. & Sunday: 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 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 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

Francesca Racco

Camillus Hyginus

Fr. Terence Dias

Silvana Altomare

Joyce Varriano

Michelle Gal-Chalmers

Marie Jansa

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Virginia Ittig-Deland

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Carlos Diaz

Beverly O'Grady

Erica Miceli

Barbara-Anne Krampert

Bev Carpenter

Fr. Terence Dias

Margaret Ramsay

Meredith Erochko

Natalye Mete

Maureen Pangan





Sunday, Dec 8th

9:30AM – Mass
11:30AM – Juana Toribio✠
– Manuel Toribio ✠
– John Martins✠

Monday, Dec 9th

*Immaculate Conception of
the Blessed Virgin Mary*
NO MASS

Tuesday, Dec 10th

Ferial

7:00PM – Cathal Boyd✠
– Patrick Comac✠

Wednesday, Dec 11th

Ferial

9:15AM – Mass Available

Thursday, Dec 12th

Our Lady of Guadalupe

7:00PM – Family Advent School
Mass

Friday, Dec 13th

St. Lucy

8:00AM – Mass Available

Saturday, Dec 14th

St. John of the Cross

9:15AM – Mass Available
5:00PM – Jan Andrejuk✠
– Vincenzo Maurizio✠



➤ **SATB Choir Practice**

7:30PM every Monday

➤ **Folk Choir Practice**

7:30PM every Wednesday

➤ **Sunday Coffee**

Every Sunday after 9:30AM Mass

Second Sunday of Advent

REFLECTION FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

We are in the second Sunday of Advent. Many of us are already engrossed in the preparation for Christmas. The trouble, it seems is that our modern society has commercialized Christmas so that we have mistaken icings from the cake, the accidents from the substance. Somebody once made this strange proposal: “Christmas should be abolished because it only makes the poor suffer more. Hence, we need to constantly remind ourselves to “keep Christ on Christmas”. Let us focus more on internal preparation and be ready to share some of our blessings this Christmas that would cheer and somehow alleviate the harsh conditions of our less fortunate brothers and sisters. That is why, in today’s gospel, it instructs us to prepare in the true spirit that is, inwardly by which John the Baptist beautifully announces: “Reform lives, the kingdom of God is at hand.” The Christmas carol, Joy to the World puts it beautifully: “Let every heart prepare Him room.” This is a big event, the coming of God’s Kingdom. Indeed, it is the big event of world history. But John does not worry about his outfit or what he will eat. He simply gets ready for the coming of the Lord. And as God’s messenger, he warns the rest of the people to get ready too. Reform! Repent! Reform your lives! And turn away from sin. Say, ‘We are sorry’, and walk with it. Do it ! and do it now! Tomorrow may be too late!

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Mass Schedule:

Christmas Eve – 5, 7, 9:30 and midnight
Christmas Day – 9:30 and 11:30 AM

New Year’s Mass Schedule:

New Year’s Eve - 5PM
New Year’s Day – 9:30 and 11:30 AM



WELCOME THROUGH BAPTISM

Welcome and congratulations to the new members of the Church:

- Emily Takudzwa Pfukwa
- Kathryn Sheilagh Sousa
- Evan Witold Tadeusz Sprawka
- Madyson Danielle Edith Sprawka
- Julian Sebastian Strzelczyk
- Ethan Alexander Tamakloe
- Noah Riley Tripp



ADVENT PARISH CONFESSION

We will be having our Advent parish confession on Tuesday, **December 17** from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. There will be 8 – 10 priests available. This is a beautiful opportunity to reconcile with God and our fellow men in order to prepare to celebrate the birth of Christ. Please join in and invite others as well.



OFFERTORY ENVELOPES



Offering Envelopes

Your Offertory Envelopes for 2020 are in the vestibule. They are arranged numerically. Please collect them at your earliest convenience. If you have moved and not informed the office please let us know, so we can update the information in our system.

ADVENT SCHOOL CONFESSIONS

Advent school confession was held at St. Dominic’s School on December 2nd from 1:30pm – 2:30pm. Seven priests were present to hear the confessions of around 180 students.

St. Paul’s High School Advent Confessions will be held on Dec 10 from 1:30pm to 2:30pm. Parents please encourage your children to benefit from this wonderful opportunity.

Dec 7th – Dec 14th, 2019

PANETTONE SALE



Knights of Columbus will be selling Panettone (Lemon, Pistachio Chocolate) and Torrone bars “direct from Italy”, after all weekend Masses in the Church Hall from Nov 30th onwards.

FOODS OF THE WORLD DINNER



Join us for St Dominic’s Foods of the World Dinner & Silent Auction

Date: **Saturday 8th February 2020**

Time: 6:30 PM (after Mass)

Tickets: Adult \$20.00 (at the door \$25.00) 13yrs and up \$20.00

6yrs -12yrs \$10.00 – 5yrs and under free.

Event to benefit St Dominic’s Parish.

Tickets go on Sale 4th January 2020 after every Mass and in the office.

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREES - FINAL NOTICE



Your help is needed. This is the final weekend to collect a gift tag. We support about 89 families at Christmas, so your gift is important. Please take a gift tag from the tree and return the gift cards to the Parish Hall Sat Dec. 14 between 4 and 5 pm or Dec. 15 between 10:30 – 11:30 am or drop at the office. Income tax receipts are available. If you wish a receipt put the cards in an envelope with your name and address and the gift card receipt.

CHILDREN’S CHOIR

We are happy to announce that we are starting children’s choir with the Christmas eve. Parents please encourage your children if they are interested in singing. Children from grades 3 and older can sign up the sign-up sheets placed at the entrances of the church or contact the office. The rehearsal dates are Dec 14th & Dec 21st.

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For more details contact Sean or Brian.



DANCING FOR THE COMPASS

Dancing for The Compass returns for a 13th year to the Port Credit Legion (upstairs), 35 Front St. N. on Saturday January 25, 2020. 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!

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

We remember our parishioners for their recovery to health especially: Barbara Ptashinski, Peter Banken, Sean Seepaul, Denise Lamontagne, Maureen Timms, Louise Paquette, Anita Cottreau, Eric Holgan, Marilza Alvarez, Flavia Silva, Colleen & Walter Popovic, Ann-Marie Cameron, Angelica Cagetano, Asia Tkacz, Michael Plante, Larry Elmer, Arlene Ceccetto, Edith Ardito, Mary Melnik, Eva Lill, Paul Von Zuben, Phyllis Horbatiuk, Erna Go, Aline Vandewaeter, Philippe Paquette, 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, Alain Paquette, Bill & Diane Cranor, Perfecto Raymundo, Margaret Reynolds, Victoria Thomas, Daphne Lobo, Loretta Milligan, Rita Nicoll, Matthew Whiteley, Eugene & Heather Munro, Pat and Mel Melnike, Aiden Thurlow, Loren Giles Forrest, Marie Orna Arayata, Ian Masson, Alda & Joao Aguiar, Charlene Paculaba, Paul Cantlon, Nicholas Wong, Catatino Tumaneng, Corazon Samoy, Elpidio Medina, Bart Scheres, Marian Yuill, , Nadia Townshend, Coleen White, Steve & Marie Murray.



MISSALS 2020



Sunday Missals for 2020 are available at the office. The cost is \$5. Please come and pick up a copy.

Seniors’ Group

Our Seniors Group has started its 15th Season this year.



- If you are a Senior 60+
 - Love to play Euchre, and
 - Engage in lively conversations,
- This is the group for you.

Come and join us on every Tuesday from 1-3pm in the Church Hall Refreshments are provided. All are welcome!



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

If you, or anyone you know who wish to convert to the Catholic Faith, or need to complete your reception of the Sacraments please let us know by calling the parish office and giving us your name and contact number/email to enroll into the RCIA program 2019-2020. The meeting will be held on Wednesdays at 7:00PM in the RCIA room.

LET US PRAY

For the Sick:

We pray for all the sick in our community.



For the Deceased:

- Nicola Di Franco †
- Rosina Cordovado †
- Denis Price †
- Jose Teixeira †
- Theresa Paré †

OFFERTORY COLLECTION
Weekend Dec 1, 2019

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