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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 8:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 9:15 am Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm

Liturgy of the Hours/Divine Mercy: 1 hour before Masses

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 9:15 am

First Friday of the Month: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:15 am Mass till 7:30 pm; Devotions at 6:30 pm; evening prayer with Benediction 7:00 pm, Mass at 7:30 pm

Reconciliation: Tuesday & Thursday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 pm and by appointment.

PARISH SCHOOLS

| Fr. Clair Tipping, 25 Mountainberry Rd. | 905-789-1741 |
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| Good Shepherd, 28 Red River Dr. | 905-791-1039 |
| Our Lady of Providence, 35 Black Oak Dr. | 905-458-7080 |
| St. Isaac Jogues, 300 Great Lakes Dr. | 905-799-2558 |
| St. John Bosco, 1025 North Park Dr. | 905-792-0890 |
| Ven. Michael J. McGivney, 450 Fernforest Dr. | 905-792-0630 |



"Providence is wonderful, it has means we cannot understand to relieve those who put their trust in it, it provides for everything, in it is my trust."

PARISH MISSION

Marguerite d'Youville's belief in the guidance and loving involvement of God in her life has enabled her to become God's helping hands in the lives of others. In this same spirit, the parishioners of St. Marguerite d'Youville, nourished by the Word and Sacrament are called by God to foster a community of welcome and service. In union with Christ, we reach prayer and out through active participation within our parish, our schools, our community and beyond. We offer our gifts and talents to everyone in need and respond in faith to the challenges of our ever-changing world.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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| Mon, JUNE 5 9:15 am | |
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| TUES, JUNE 6 7:00 pm | Hubert Lee † |
| WED, JUNE 7 9:15 am | Carmelo Raposo & all deceased members of the family † |
| THUR, JUNE 8 7:00 pm | |
| FRI, JUNE 9 9:15 am | |
| SAT, JUNE 10 9:15 am | |
| 5:00 PM | For the People of the Parish |
| SUN, JUNE I I 9:00 am | Victoriano & Angelica Lucero † |
| 10:30 am | John Abela †; Beatriz Salalila † |
| 12:30 pm | Juanito & John Elmer Go †; Beatriz Salalila †; Maria & Tony Borges †; Mercedes & Porfirio Guimaraes †; Maria de Piedad & Joao Borges † |
| 8:00 pm | Angel Amaleethan †; Antonio Vani † |

Three names are thus to be seen in the fire, each has its own authority, each exists individually, each acts by itself and appears distinct: Individual qualities which are coming led together—fire wondrously, light gloriously and heat distinctly, each dwelling in harmony with the others. How much more, then, is it right that we should accept in simplicity those Three Persons, receiving them with love, and not with questions. Their nature should not have to chase after us and become like unto us—for they are like only themselves in all respects. Created beings are distinct and unlike one another, so how much more is that Being, Great beyond all, distinct from everything else.

- St Ephrem, (+373) Doctor of the Church, from his, Hymn on the Trinity

With his feast day being celebrated this week on June 9, this influential yet lesser known theologian originally hails from the remote, inconspicuous town of Nusaybin, located on the Turkey/Syrian border. The veins of history have seen shifts in occupations from Assyrian, Roman, Byzantine, Persian, Arab, Mongol Ottoman. Today, the region is valiantly trying to recover from the calamitous and horrifying February earthquakes.

The young Ephrem was known as a devout monk who served as a deacon. His theological works not only helped accurately explain the faith to the nascent Christian community but on account of his expansive artistic ability, he helped explain the mysteries of our faith by composing his writings using poetry and lyrical chant. St. Ephrem was masterful at crafting the "earworm" – melodic tunes loaded with dogmatic depth, tending to all the integral components of rhyme, meter, diction...of the Syrian language. The Church attributes to him the title, "The Harp of the Holy Spirit."

In the cited work, Ephrem compares the mystery of the Holy Trinity to the sun – the fire to the Father, the light to the Son, and the heat to the Holy Spirit. His lyrics inspire a sense of wonder and reverence that was capable of being embraced and enjoyed by the people of his day. For ourselves, each of us has our favourite artists and musicians- how great is their contribution when their artistic creativity helps draw us into a more profound understanding and appreciation of heavenly realities! And so, offer a special prayer for all such gifted composers this June 9.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

We often begin Mass with the prayer from today's Epistle: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you." We praise the God who



has revealed Himself as a Trinity, a communion of persons.Communion with the Trinity is the goal of our worship and the purpose of the salvation history that begins in the Bible and continues in the Eucharist and sacraments of the Church.

In commanding Abraham in the first reading to offer his only beloved son God was preparing us for the fullest possible revelation of His love for the world.

As Abraham was willing to offer Isaac, God did not spare His own Son but handed Him over for us all.

In this, He revealed what was only disclosed partially to Moses—that His kindness continues for a thousand generations, that He forgives our sin and takes us back as His very own people.

Jesus humbled Himself to die in obedience to God's will. And for this, the Spirit of God raised Him from the dead, and gave Him a name above every name

This is the name we glorify in today's Responsorial: the name of our Lord, the God who is Love (see 1 John 4)

EDGE Nouth Ministry

There is only one more EDGE class We will resume again towards the end of September/beginning of October.

Last Session: Friday, June 16th, 2023 from 7pm-830pm

If you would like more information email Margaret at <u>dyouvilleyouth@gmail.com</u>

SUNDAY, JUNE 4TH, 2023

SHARELIFE

ShareLife-funded agencies turn no one away Did you know that no one is turned away from ShareLife-funded agencies due to inability to pay? This is all thanks to your generosity to our annual appeal. It is through your support that ShareLife agen- ShareLife cies are able to help the most vulnerable in our community and

around the world. Thus far we have raised \$24,083.55 toward our goal of **\$62,000**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. Thank you for "living the Gospel" through our parish ShareLife campaign.



FUND RAISER CONCERT

The 55 Club will be hosting a fund raising concert with Jonathan Lee (Jonathan is a well known local artists that sings for the daily TV Mass and special occasions at the Cathedral) Join us for a special evening on Friday June 9th at 7pm in the church. Tickets cost \$10.00, proceeds are going towards the 20th Anniversary festivities in September. Tickets will be on sale after all masses this weekend. For more information contact Sandv at 905-791-7315.

COME JOIN US ON OUR YEARLY PILGRIMAGE

The CWL of our parish has organized a pilgrimage to St. Anthony's Chapel and St. Patrick's Church in Pittsburgh, PA on Saturday, July 8^{th} , 2023 and returning on Sunday, July 9^{th} , 2023. St. Anthony's is the only church in the world after the Vatican, to house more than 5,000 relics of saints, martyrs, apostles and other saintly penitents. It



also has a fragment of the true cross on which Jesus was crucified. The miraculous picture of Our Lady of Perpetual Help has healed many people physically and spiritually. St. Patrick's Church is the very first Roman Catholic Church that was built in Pittsburgh. It has a beautiful grotto outside, in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes. A special blessing is received when you ascend the Holy Stairs on your knees. Should you experience knee problems, you can walk up the small side staircase. For additional information contact Flo Lawrence at 905.791.5195 by Saturday, June 10, 2023

BIRTHRIGHT BRAMPTON BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Birthright Brampton treats each woman as an individual who deserves love and respect, as well as personal attention to her unique situation. We offer information on community resources to help clients meet their housing, educational and material needs, to only name a few. Please remember to return your baby bottle next weekend. Thank you for your support!

SERRA'S VOCATION SEEDS

"God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son ... " How can you best serve God in a response to that love? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, , Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 Email: vocations@archtoronto.org or www.vocationstoronto.ca

ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

Saturday, June 17, 2023 at 9:00 am, Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation. The estate planning team from the Archdiocese of Toronto and Catholic Cemeteries will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors

- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral To register: Follow this link:<u>https://qrco.de/june17</u> Or Email: development@archtoronto.org Include: 'Estate Planning Seminar'

in the subject line and provide the names of attendees.



PLEASE DO NOT USE ENVELOPES **FROM PREVIOUS YEARS!!!**

Numbers have been reassigned and if you use an old number your donation will not be attributed to your name! Once you receive your new box make sure you write all your information (Name, Address and phone number) for the first couple of weeks. Thank you.



CHURCH/OFFICE HOURS

The church will be open for private prayer during the hours that the office is open. The times are: Tuesdays to Thursdays from 9:00am - 3:00pm & 4:00 pm -8:00pm, Fridays and Sundays from 9:00am - 3:00pm.

THE 55+ CLUB

The 55+ group meets weekly on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm - 4:00pm. For more information contact Sandy at 905-791-7315 or email: sandyrobin22@gmail.com

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary, a world-wide apostolic organization of Catholics, meets every Tuesday: Adults: 6pm. Our Lady of Fatima statue will visit your home. For more information, please leave message for Lina Go or Annette Fernando at the parish office.

STITCHES FROM THE HEART

Meets every Monday at 10 am, everyone is welcome to join us whether you knit or would like to learn. For further information, please contact Mary Abela at 905-915-8765. Any donation of yarn would be greatly appreciated

PRAYER INTENTIONS

We now have a prayer binder in the chapel area where you can write your particular prayer intentions. Our morning prayer devotee's will pray for these intentions. You are welcome to join these prayer warriors Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8:15am. Prayer books to follow along are available for sale for \$30. "And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have obtained the requests made of him." 1 John 5:15"

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