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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
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
St. Marguerite d'Youville Secondary School	905-789-5560



*"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 out through prayer and 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.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MON, JAN 23 9:15 am	John & Gloria Ostrowski †
TUES, JAN 24 7:00 pm	For the health of Kasia DaCosta
WED, JAN 25 9:15 am	Patricia Okorie †; Vitalis Chilaka †
THUR, JAN 26 7:00 pm	Guilmina D'Souza †; Rudy Mathias †; Brignatz Thithom
FRI, JAN 27 9:15 am	
SAT, JAN 28 9:15 am	Manuel & Geneoveva Barbosa †; Wenceslada Velasco †
5:00 pm	Elias Noronha †
SUN, JAN 29 9:00 am	People of Our Parish
10:30 am	Camilla McDonald †
12:30 pm	Juanito & John Elmer Go †; In Thanksgiving for the anniversary of Mr. Kennedy & Jyothi
8:00 pm	



You can still register for
our Parish Youth Program Edge (Gr 5-8)
Sign up after Mass and drop off the registra-
tion and payment at the parish office.

**NEXT Edge night -
Friday, January 27th, 2023**

Cost: \$50 (includes t-shirt and snacks)

If you are interested in volunteering or
would like more information
email Margaret at
dyouvilleyouth@gmail.com

*Then I beheld a thousand faces, made Purple with cold;
whence o'er me comes a shudder,
And evermore will come, at frozen ponds.
And while we were advancing tow'rds the middle,
Where everything of weight unites together,
And I was shivering in the eternal shade,
Whether 'twere will, or destiny, or chance, I know not;
but in walking 'mong the heads I struck my foot hard in the face of
one.*

Weeping he growled: "Why dost thou trample me?"

Dante Aleghieri (1265-1321), Canto 32, Divine Comedy, Inferno

In the great Florentine poet's cited vision of hell, the description is counter-intuitive. Dante, together with Virgil, his guide, descend to the lowest circles of hell. Up to this point, they have observed the various eternal punishments of those condemned. The damned are each reaping a cursed sentence that is very much self-made and self-inflicted. Whatever pains and deprivations they endure, they are all a result of having obstinately and determinedly scorned and rejected God. Consequently, Dante seeks to show that the souls bound in hell are not so much getting what they deserve, but in some mysterious way, a penalty of their own making in identifying more with their chosen rebellious action and attitude above and against God.

And so, as we find ourselves in the deep of winter, consider that those souls closest to Satan are not in a burning fire but rather frozen in ice. The bitter weeping and gnashing of teeth is the result of their having betrayed God and loved ones unrepentantly. The frozen barren landscape of the pit of hell is the opposite of God's warmth and radiance. As we seek to tough out a Canadian January (and with two more months of cold to come!), we pray that all the alarming talk of escalating fuel and heating costs may not prove dire for those most at risk.

CC Ponder

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

In the first reading today Isaiah prophesied that Zebulun and Naphtali, the lands first to be degraded by the conquering Assyrians, would be the first to see the light of God's salvation. Jesus today fulfills that prophecy—announcing the restoration of David's kingdom at precisely the spot where the kingdom began to fall. His gospel of the Kingdom includes not only the twelve tribes of Israel but all the nations—symbolized by the "Galilee of the Nations." Calling His first disciples, two fishermen on the Sea of Galilee, He appoints them to be "fishers of men," gathering people from the ends of the earth.

They are to preach the gospel, Paul says in today's Epistle, to unite all peoples in the same mind and in the same purpose—in a world-wide kingdom of God.

By their preaching, Isaiah's promise has been delivered. A world in darkness has seen the light. The yoke of slavery and sin, borne by humanity since time began, has been smashed.

And we are able now, as we sing in today's Psalm, to dwell in the house of the Lord, to worship Him in the land of the living.

God Bless



Fr. Roger

PARISH SOCIAL

Lets beat the winter blues and get to know one another! Join us next Saturday, January 28th and Sunday January 29th after all Masses for a parish social in the Parish Hall. As you enter for Mass you will get a name tag, write your name and wear it at Mass and for the social afterwards. This is a great opportunity to put a name to a face. Coffee and muffins will be provided.



FAREWELL TO FR. TOBIN



There will be a get-together on Friday February 10, from 6 pm-9 pm in the parish hall to say goodbye to Fr. Tobin who will be returning to his home in Ireland. If you want to show your appreciation & love for all that he has done for us, he has requested donations to Bethell Hospice Foundation in Caledon (you can donate online & he will receive an email about your donation), or cash if you prefer. Coffee, soft drinks & water will be provided thanks to the Knights of Columbus & finger foods would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Fern at fmaletta@gmail.com.

2023 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

2023 Envelopes are in the Narthex ready for pickup. Any envelopes not picked up by January 30th will be reassigned.

REMINDER: DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS!



CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS WITH BISHOP NGUYEN

Sunday, February 12 – 2:30pm. As part of Marriage Sunday 2023 celebrations, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, especially those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2023. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and milestone anniversary celebrants will be honoured with a special blessing. The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to register online. Milestone anniversary celebrants will be assured of reserved seating. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage to register and to access resources for parish-es and couples.

SERRA'S VOCATION SEEDS



“Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.” Are you willing to proclaim the coming of the kingdom as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 Email: vocations@archtoronto.org or

www.vocationstoronto.ca

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

His back and will be held on **Saturday, 4th March, 2023 at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto.** With the theme for 2023 being “**EMPOWERED TO STAND**” – *keep alert, stand firm in your faith, be courageous, be strong*. (1Corinthians 16:13), despite the effects of the pandemic over the past two years, we expect a full house. The LJHR Team would like to invite you to attend the Rally, listen to the speakers, uplifting music and join us for a light lunch. His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, will be the celebrant of the Mass that afternoon. For tickets go to: [Tickets - 2020 Lift Jesus Higher Rally \(ljhr.ca\)](http://Tickets - 2020 Lift Jesus Higher Rally (ljhr.ca))



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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.

CONFESSION

We return to our regular schedule of Confessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00 - 6:45pm, Saturdays from 4:00pm - 4:45pm and by appointment. Please call the office to book an appointment.

MARRIAGE PREP COURSE

The Spring Session dates for the Marriage Preparation Course have now been set. The Course will be held for four consecutive Saturdays April 15, 22, 29 & May 6th, 2023 from 12:00pm - 4pm. \$250.00 per couple. To sign up, please contact the parish office.



THE 55+ CLUB

The 55+ group meets weekly on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm - 4:00pm. We will resume in the New year on January 10th. For more information contact Sandy at 905-791-7315 or email: sandyrobin22@gmail.com

STITCHES FROM THE HEART

Will resume on Monday January 9th and 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*

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.

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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