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St. Vincent de Paul Society (Helpline) 416-757-9561

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Lucia dos Santos Community - every 3rd Tues. @ 7:00 p.m.

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Catholic Women's League - every 1st Sat. @ 2:00 p.m.

cwl.olof@gmail.com

Legion of Mary - Praesidium - every Sat. @ 10:00 a.m.

Auxiliary Circle - every 2nd Sun. @ 1:30 p.m.

The Lord's Flock Prayer Group

Every Sunday: 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Jun & Cynthia 416-916-1577

Missionaries Family of Christ - every 3rd Sat. @ 6:00 pm

Ed & Beth Zapanta, Elizabeth.x.zapanta@gmail.com

BAPTISMS:

Application Form from the Parish office.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION

Contact the Parish Office in September.

MARRIAGES:

Couples must personally contact the parish office at least **one full year in advance**. No date may be set before meeting with the priest. **A Marriage Preparation Course is required.**

ANointing OF THE SICK:

Please contact the nurse station at the hospital for priest on duty. For home visits, call the parish office.

FUNERALS: Families requesting a Catholic funeral service for their deceased loved ones should contact a Catholic Funeral Director, preferably from the parish. For help call the parish office.

For information about **CATHOLIC CEMETERIES**, please visit the site: www.catholic-cemeteries.com

MASS SCHEDULES:

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday: NO MASS, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday (except First Friday) 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday - Rosary, Devotions & Mass 6:30 p.m.

Holidays & Saturdays 9:00 a.m.

First Friday (1 Mass) 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION:

All First Friday at 5:30 pm, All Wednesday at 5:30-6:50 p.m. and All Saturday at 3:30-4:20 p.m. for emergency please call the office.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 Noon & 1:00 - 3:00 p.m., closed for lunch from 12:00-1:00 pm

The Office is closed on Saturday, Sunday & Holidays

We welcome you to **OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH** and encourage you to register with us either online or at the Parish office. Kindly support us using the offertory envelopes on a regular basis.

When making your Will, please remember to include the "FATIMA SHRINE RENOVATION FUND."!



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, June 04

9:00 a.m. +Benjamin Pipo
10:30 a.m. People of the Parish
12:15 p.m. +Catherine Raeburn

Monday, June 05

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, June 06

8:00 a.m. +Veronica Ball

Wednesday, June 07

7:00 p.m. Elvira S. Samonte

Thursday, June 08

8:00 a.m. +Lloyd Colbert

Friday, June 09

8:00 a.m. +Ron Mitchell

Saturday, June 10

9:00 a.m. +Phil Jang
4:30 p.m. + Sebastian Kabiawu

The Most Holy Trinity June 04, 2023



“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 to the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life

contact **Rev. Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997;** email vocations@archtoronto.org or call **Rev. Glass** at 416-757-2806 or at olfatimasc@archtoronto.org for more information.

Next Week Readings

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Sharing what we have Received

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8.2-3, 14-16

2nd Reading: 1Corinthians 10.16-17

Gospel: John 6.51-59

The Bread from Heaven

Latin Songs: can be found on Catholic Book of Worship (Pages 299 A, D, E, F, & G).

FROM THE DESK OF FR. GLASS:

Cor Jesu Sacratissimum — The Sacred Heart of Jesus

Devotion to the Sacred Heart calls forth from our hearts a loving personal response to Jesus and to the pathway to holiness that he reveals in the Gospel. It is a pathway that begins with his initial message: “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.” The love of Christ which we celebrate is always found in the context of the truth of God’s will, and the bracing call to holiness. — Cardinal Thomas Collins

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, with the Feast of the Sacred Heart being celebrated on Friday, June 16th. The heart is considered the center of our emotions. By becoming incarnate, the Second Person of the Trinity took on the fullness of human nature, including the full range of human emotions. As God, Jesus loves each of us individually with an infinite and eternal love, an act of his divine intellect and will. As man, Jesus’ heart feels that love, both as a deep yearning for us to be one with him, but also as a deep sorrow when he sees us rejecting him.

This month of June presents us with a choice: we can follow the ‘spirit of the age’, the *Zeitgeist*, or be guided by the Holy Spirit. St. Paul exhorts us: “Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God — what is good and acceptable and perfect.”

Throughout the Old Testament, we see the people succumbing to the temptation to abandon the God of Israel in favor of ‘other gods.’ When Joshua was preparing to lead his people into the Promised Land he said to them:

If serving the Lord seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve... But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.

As Christians living in a post-Christian culture, we are daily faced with that same choice. It is instinctive to our human nature as social beings to feel the urge to conform to the culture of the society in which we live, even when that culture is opposed to God.

Back in the early 1960’s, Thomas Merton lamented that religion had become “a matter of pure conformism and expediency, offering an apparent justification for lives that are essentially the same as those of our neighbors whose horizons are purely those of the world and of its transitory values.”

During this month of June, we again are presented with that stark choice: Whom we will serve? Pope John Paul II, at the beginning of the millennium, warned of the danger of ‘succumbing to the allure of substitutes and accepting alternative religious proposals.’ That danger has only become greater with the passing years. This month we once again dedicate ourselves to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and accept “the bracing call to holiness.”



JUNE 4, 2023



CHILDREN'S LITURGY 2022-2023



The Children's Liturgy meetings continues this *Sundays, June 04, 11, 18, & 25 at 10:30 am Mass in the church hall.* All children from 6-10 years old are welcome to participate.

Share Collection -3rd Collection this Sunday



Today is our third/last ShareLife collection. Our goal this year is [\$31,000]. You are encouraged to make your donation online via the parish website or at Sharelife.org. Monthly Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) is a convenient way to spread your ShareLife contribution throughout the year. Simply submit a void cheque with the completed form to the parish office, or drop it in the offertory basket at any time. Contact ShareLife at slife@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3411 if you have any questions about pre-authorized giving. **Thank you for your generosity.**

A gentle reminder...

- MARYGROVE CAMP COLLECTION

During all Masses in the weekend of **June 10/11** we have a 2nd collection in support of this annual summer activity for girls by the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Marygrove provides a camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy camping adventure. Families who are experiencing financial or domestic hardship may contact the St. Vincent de Paul directly to determine their eligibility.



SCHOOLS



GRADUATION

Students in Grade 8 in **OUR LADY OF FATIMA CATHOLIC SCHOOL** will be acknowledged during the school's end-of-the-year Mass on **Monday, June 19 at 9:00 am**, here in the church at **9:00 a.m.** The graduates in **ST. JOACHIM CATHOLIC SCHOOL** have a special Graduation Mass on **Thursday, June 22, starting at 9:45 a.m. in our church.**

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL GRADUATING STUDENTS!

"The prayers of the Sacred Heart take us deep into the heart of our self, and lead us to God. We do not find confusing and over-complex intellectuality, but a simple 'heart to heart' with the Lord, in the silence of our hearts." - Cardinal Thomas Collins

Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Friday, June 16, 2023- - Holy Eucharist start

At 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.



The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Latin: Cor Jesu Sacratissimum) is one of the most widely practised and well-known Catholic devotions, wherein the heart of Jesus Christ is viewed as a symbol of "God's boundless and passionate love for mankind".

O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore You, I love You, and with lively sorrow for my sins I offer You this poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to Your will. Grant, good Jesus, that I may live in You and for You. O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in you.

FREE WEBINAR!!! 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: Use this QR code: or

Follow this link: <https://qrco.de/june17> or Email development@archtoronto.org.

National Indigenous Peoples Day

His Grace Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass at the Native Peoples' Mission in observance of National Indigenous Peoples Day. The day honours and celebrates the culture and heritage of First Nations, Inuit and Métis people.

Date: **Wednesday, June 21, 2023** Time: **7:00 p.m.**

Place: **Native Peoples' Mission, St. Ann's Church, 120 First Avenue, Toronto**

Following Mass, a reception will be held in the parish hall. All are welcome!

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