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Monday to Thursday: 9 am to 4:30 pm

Friday: 9 am to 3 pm Closed 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm Saturday: 2 pm - 6:30 pm Sunday: 9 am - 1:30 pm

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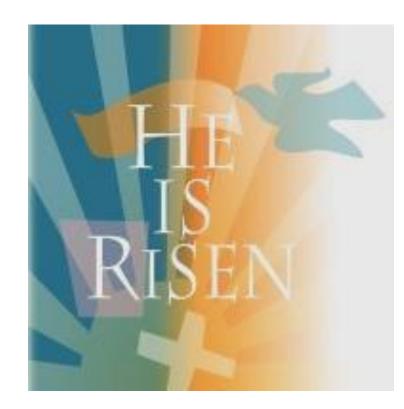
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# SOLEMNITY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2015



The resurrection does not solve our problems about dying and death.

It is not the happy ending to our life's struggle, nor is it the big surprise that God has kept in store for us.

No, the resurrection is the expression of God's faithfulness....

The resurrection is God's way of revealing to us that nothing that belongs to God will ever go to waste.

What belongs to God will never get lost. Henri J. M. Nouwen

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WEEKDAY LITURGY: Monday to Friday, 9 am

SATURDAY: 9 am

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 9 am

RECONCILIATION: Saturday, 4 pm SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday Vigil: 5 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am, 10 am, 12 noon

**GLUTEN FREE HOSTS** — come to the sacristy before mass to arrange.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY — 10 am Sunday, for children in pre-school to grade 6.

YOUTH MASS —young members of our community assume leadership for the 10 am Mass the first Sunday of each month.

WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE WASHROOM —at the back of the church on the south side.

COMMUNITY SHARE FOOD BANK - donations of non-perishable food to support our local food bank are welcome at all masses.

**JOIN OUR PARISH** — pick-up a registration form at the church, Ministry Centre or download online.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA) — for adults considering becoming a Catholic, and those who were baptized but did not receive any other sacraments.

BAPTISM — one Sunday every other month. Request forms are on the website and at the Ministry Centre.

MARRIAGE — the bride or groom must be a registered member of our parish. Contact the Ministry Centre at least one year before the date you would like to be married.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK — the sacrament can be received after any Mass or by appointment.

PASTORAL CARE — ministers of the Eucharist bring Communion to the homebound. Contact the Ministry Centre to make arrangements.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT — Contact: Nimfa Chua, 416.447.5047, nimfa@sympatico.ca.

PRAYER NETWORK — members pray daily for intentions held in confidence. Contact: Mary Cushing, 416.445.1403.

PROVIDE A MEAL PROGRAM — volunteers prepare casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre which serves daily meals free of charge to anyone in need. Contact Eva Trace, 416.447.3040.

**ST. VINCENT-DE-PAUL SOCIETY** —offers assistance with food vouchers and clothing. Call the Ministry Centre or contact ssvp-stbonnie@hotmail.com

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 6, no mass
Tuesday, April 7, † Agnes & Richard Ivany
Wednesday, April 8, † Florence & Clifford Noronha
Thursday, April 9, † Francis Arrigo
Friday, April 10, Adele Abraham
Saturday, April 11, Vocations, Personal Intention, †
Olga Higgins, † Vlado Rimic

Saturday, April 11
5:00 pm Parishioners
Sunday, April 12
8:30 am † Hugh Canning - father & son
10:00 am † E. Joyce Stracey
12:00 pm † Roberto Santos

## **PRAYER INTENTIONS**

SANCTUARY LAMPS: Nicolas VIGIL LAMP: Andrew Family

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Edna Clemow

# THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, April 6
6:30 pm Sparks/BR, Brownies/FR
Tuesday, April 7
7:30 pm Scripture Sharing/BR
Wednesday, April 8
8:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous/FR
Saturday, April 11
9:30 am Christian Meditation/OR, Al-Anon/BR
Sunday, April 12
2:00 pm Hula Classes/MH

- BR Bonaventure Room FR Francis Room
- MH Main Hall OR Oak Room
- MC Ministry Centre

# YOUTH MINISTRY

#### **Confirmation Retreat**

Saturday, April 11, 10 am to 6 pm, Main Hall This retreat is a very important part of Confirmation preparation and all those being confirmed in our parish this year must participate. We will begin promptly at 10 am; please arrive by 9:40 am at the latest to sign in and be measured for your alb before the retreat begins.

#### Youth Toward Assisi Pilgrimage

August 2-12; deposits due April 15 If you are still considering attending the pilgrimage for young adults (age 18-28) in August, contact Jonathan as soon as possible for details. A deposit is due by April 15 to secure travel arrangements.

# STEWARDSHIP — A WAY OF LIVING

#### March 29 Offertory Collection

Thank you for your generous donations. Regular Collection: \$ 10,624 Pre-Authorized Giving: \$3,200 Donate Now: \$449

## SOCIAL MINISTRY

#### Canadian Food for Children

Bring a donation of dried pasta to church next weekend to support the work of Dr. Simone.

#### St. Vincent de Paul Society News & Events

"In the name of God: respect, protect, love and serve life, every human life! Only in this direction will you find justice, development, true freedom, peace and happiness!" St. John Paul II Our next collection of clothing and household textiles is April 18 -19.

## **COMMUNITY LIFE**

## **Easter Schedule Changes**

The Ministry Centre will be closed on Easter Sunday & Monday. There will be no mass on Easter Monday.

#### Prayer Quest for All Who Seek

April 7 to 28, 9:45 -11:45 am, Francis Room Open your hearts to God's love and renew your spirit through a variety of forms of prayer and reflection. Four sessions include: The Present as Gift, God's Word as Gift, Prayer in the Secret Room and The Gift of Tears. Pre-register at Lvandenhurk@archtoronto.org. If you do not have an email account, call the Ministry Centre to register.

From Parish Mission to a Parish IN Mission April 28, 29 & 30, 7 pm, Main Hall Have you experienced the Joy of the Church's social teaching? Join us for a three night series.

#### **Vocal Horizons Chamber Choir**

Refreshments will be served.

Reflections Concert, April 18, 7:30 pm Our church will host an evening of sacred and secular music with conductor Vincent Cheng and accompanist Joshua Tamayo. Journey through music by Bruckner, Schubert, Mozart and classics such as Les Miserable and the Sound of Music. Vocal Horizons has won national awards and spreads their mission by making choral performances accessible to everyone. Admission is free; donations are welcome and appreciated. www.vocalhorizons.com

#### ShareLife Parish Campaign

Last year ShareLife helped support 80 priests and seminarians in their formation studies. ShareLife helps sustain vocations for priesthood and inspire discernment for God's call.

Next Sunday April 12, is ShareLife Sunday

#### The Art of Journaling for Inner Healing

Monday, April 13, 7 pm, Catholic Pastoral Centre, 1155 Yonge St. 4<sup>th</sup> Floor

New Beginnings presents Martez Schembri-Diskey, author, therapist and instructor who uses a unique journaling approach which employs meditations, affirmations, gratitude, intentions and connections to balancing the spirit, body, mind and emotions for trauma, stress, pain management and selfcare. Contact: mbenincasa@cfstoronto.com 416.921.1163 x 2235.

#### Praying for the Planet

Earth Day Celebration Mass, Wednesday, April 22, 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm, St Anselm's Parish Come celebrate and give thanks to God for the beauty of the earth and creation! The keynote speaker is Stephen Scharper, professor of religion and environment, University of Toronto and Toronto Star columnist. Contact: martha.asselin@sympatico.ca



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