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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

MINISTRY CENTRE HOURS

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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AUGUST 7, 2016

**NINETEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**



*"FEAR NOT, LITTLE FLOCK, FOR IT IS
YOUR FATHER'S GOOD PLEASURE TO
GIVE YOU THE KINGDOM. SELL YOUR
POSSESSIONS, AND GIVE TO THE NEEDY.
PROVIDE YOURSELVES WITH MONEYBAGS
THAT DO NOT WEAR OUT, AN UNFAILING
TREASURE IN HEAVEN, WHERE NO THIEF
APPROACHES AND NO MOTH DESTROYS.
FOR WHERE YOUR TREASURE IS, THERE
WILL YOUR HEART BE ALSO."*

LUKE 12.32-34

*FEARS ARE LEGITIMATE CONCERNS. IT'S
NATURAL TO WORRY - BUT IT'S NOT
PRODUCTIVE. IF WE FOCUS ON GOD, IF WE
BRING OUR FEARS TO HIM, EVEN THE GREATEST
WORRY CAN BECOME A POWERFUL PRAYER.
CAROLINE PIGNAT, KANATA, ON.*

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Aug. 8 9:00 am †Paul Sai Bun Chan
Tues. Aug. 9 9:00 am †Hugh Canning
(father & son)
Wed. Aug. 10 9:00 am †Ignacia Santiago
Thurs. Aug. 11 9:00 am †Stephen Joseph Power
Parr
Fri. Aug. 12 9:00 am †Michael Vincent Chua
Sat. Aug. 13 9:00 am Personal Intentions
Brothers, Sisters and
Benefactors of OFM
†Mary Seitz
†Efstratia Bouris
†Jane Brisbois-Pickett
†Greco Family
†Anna & Cristobal
Rodriguez
†Gretchen Christensen
†Beverley Adams
†Melchor Frades, Sr.
Sat. Aug. 13 5:00 pm †Segundina Yan
Sun. Aug. 14 8:30 am Parishioners
10:00 am †Oris & Gerry McCann
12:00 pm †James William Smith

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Sanctuary Lamp: Wes J. Ong
Vigil Lamp: Andrew Family
For the Sick: Dr. Martin Young, George Joel,
Geraldine Daly, Joan Wright
& Eileen Velazquez

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.

Wheelchair Accessible Washroom: at the back of
the church on the south side.

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.

Gluten Free Hosts: Come to the sacristy before
mass to arrange.

Pastoral care: Ministers of the Eucharist bring
Communion to the homebound. Contact the
Ministry Centre to make arrangements.

Prayer Network: Members pray daily for intentions
held in confidence. Contact Linda Etzkorn at
416-510-0264

Private Prayer: Contact Friar Boniface at 416-
447-5571 ext. 500



*Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be
his own. Not one sparrow is forgotten in
God's sight.
Psalm 33*

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Tuesday, August 9

7:30 pm Bible Study Group/Bonaventure Room

Wednesday, August 10

6:30 pm GRASP Group/Oak Room

7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room

Saturday, August 13

9:30 am Christian Meditation/Oak Room

9:30 am Al Anon Group/Bonaventure Room



~ MATTHEW 24. 42 ~

STEWARDSHIP - A WAY OF LIVING

July 31 Offertory Collection

Thank you for your generous donations.

Regular Collection: \$9,260

Donate Now: \$328

ShareLife: \$150

Pre-Authorized Giving: \$2,906

Catholic Missions in Canada

There will be a special collection August 14, 2016 for Canadian and foreign missions. Catholic Missions in Canada and Scarboro Missions promote and support our Catholic faith through the Gospel and mission service both in the poorest and furthest regions of Canada and in countries all over the world.

In 2016, Catholic Missions in Canada supporters helped provide funding for three critical areas:

1. **Support Missionaries:** \$2,035,037
263 requests for food, heat and transportation needs of Canadian missionaries.
2. **Religious Education Programs:** \$982,617
170 requests for religious education for children, youth, adults and 44 seminarians from 12 mission dioceses.

3. **Build & Repair Mission Churches:** \$712,300
105 requests build and repair churches and rectories across Canada,
Thank you for your support of this important work.

COMMUNITY LIFE

News from the St. Vincent de Paul Society

"A merciful heart has the courage to leave comforts behind and to encounter others, embracing everyone." - Pope Francis

July was a very busy month, as Vincentians served our Neighbours-In-Need by grocery shopping, driving children to the Marygrove Camp bus and home again, delivering donated household items and distributing grocery gift cards and groceries totaling \$1,337. All in all, we made 25 visits. Thank you for your continuing support and generosity.

Canadian Food for Children

This weekend August 6th and 7th, we will be accepting donations of dried beans and string to support the work of Dr. Simone.

Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre

The deadline for this month casseroles is *Sunday, August 21, 2016.*

Secular Franciscan Meeting

There will be a Secular Franciscan meeting Monday, August 15, 2016 at 6:30 pm, Francis room.

2016 Linda's Walk for St. Clare Inn



We invite you to join us to make our 7th year the "lucky Seven" and our best one ever! Walk 5K with us and support St. Clare Inn and the "Linda's" in Toronto who are homeless and challenged with mental health issues.

This year we are inviting 'Teams'! Come on your own or put a team together. Teams can be creative and fun and a good excuse to get your friends or co-workers together. Think of a team name and theme. You can also come up with some awesome costumes or accessories!! There are all kinds of prizes to be won

We will be giving prizes for:

- The team with the highest number of new walkers (never participated in Linda's Walk)
- The team with the most creative theme/costumes.
- The team that raises the most money

In order to be eligible for the prizes, your team members' names have to be submitted prior to the day of the walk. Go to [CanadaHelps](#) and set up a [Team Fundraising Page](#) or your own [Individual Fundraising Page](#).

Mark your calendars for Saturday, August 13th, 9:00 am. Register online or at www.stclareinn.org for more information.

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed

Wednesday, August 17, 2016 at 7:00 pm
Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services-
Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families to participate and continue the tradition of praying for the souls of our loved ones. Visit: www.catholic-cemeteries.com

Daughters of St. Paul 2016 Vocations Retreats

September 2-3, Toronto/Midland, ages 16-35

October 1-2, Toronto, ages 18-35

Thinking of the sisterhood? The Daughters of St. Paul are hosting vocations retreats in Toronto. Their Charism is totality, integrality, living Christ, and communicating Christ to the world in the field of social communications in the spirit of St. Paul. Contact: rhelenaburns@gmail.com or www.daughtersofstpaul.org

Feast Day of St. Clare of Assisi ~ August 11th



Saint Clare was born in Assisi about the year 1193. At the age of 18 she heard a sermon by Francis of Assisi and committed herself to a life of poverty. Before the altar in the little church, she received the habit from him and went to live in a nearby Benedictine convent. And later on, the small community moved to San Damiano, near Assisi.

In 1215, Clare was made abbess of the Poor Clares. The women modelled their life on the ideals of St. Francis. They did without shoes, slept on the ground and never ate meat. Before long, other houses were founded in several countries.

Francis taught that all his friars' needs should be met solely from daily contributions. It was Clare's great desire that her community also practise radical poverty. For 40 years Clare was abbess and never wavered from caring for her community or from assisting Francis. She received papal approval for her own Rule the day before she died - the first rule for religious life written by a woman for women. She was credited with many miracles and canonized just two years after her death.

Prayer to Saint Clare

Glorious St. Clare of Assisi, we honour you for the unflinching faith that made you reject all earthly pleasures, and renounce all of your possessions.

We honour you for your life of extreme poverty and austerity, and for your prayer and penance on behalf of your nuns and the town of Assisi.

Grant us, dear Lady, the same faith, humility, and charity that you have shown toward God and your community.
Amen.

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