AUGUST 29, 2021 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

Continues until December 8, 2021 Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; In you Mary placed her trust; With you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, Show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life.



Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen.

MONTHLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Once a month the parish celebrates a Saturday morning Mass for the Intentions of those whose wedding anniversaries are that month. IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN SEPTEMBER? Email or call the parish so we can add your name to the list to be prayed for SEPTEMBER 25 @ 9:00 a.m.

PARISH LIVESTREAMING

+ Live-streaming of Saturday Rosary and Year of St Joseph Talks will continue in September Facebook – "Keith Walalce" (yes it is misspelt :0) YouTube - "Father Keith"



Please remember in your prayers:

For those who are sick and for those who love and minister to them: Martin Portier, Rini Bouwmeester, Emelda Jackson, Les Keefer Please call the Parish Office to add a name to sick list.

SCHOOL CORNER

- + 2021 2022 First Communion and Confirmation Information and Sign Up will now begin. Letters will be sent to classrooms for Gr 2 (and Gr 3) and Gr 7 (and Gr 8) of Good Shepherd School. Public school – please contact Fr Keith asap – thank you
- + LUNCH HOUR SUPERVISOR one hour paid position, Monday - Friday from 11:50 - 12:50 Please contact the school at (905) 985 – 0153
- + OPENING SCHOOL LITURGY Fr Keith shall be at the school to bless the items that each classroom has for their Prayer Corner.
- + ROSARY ON FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL -Please join Fr Keith Tuesday, September 7 at 10:00 am to social distance offer a Rosary for our School Year. Please meet at the front door of Good Shepherd School. TO THE STAFF AND COMMUNITY ~

HAVE A RESTFUL SUMMER 2021

Reminder: Parish Office will be closed Monday, September 6th - Labour Day

SQU<u>IRES – Fr Charlie Faliero Squires</u>

Squires Circle 5676 is once again participating in the Terry Fox Virtual Run/Bike/Walk on Sunday, September 19th at 1:00 pm in support of the Terry Fox Foundation for cancer research. The Squires will run / walk / bike for at least 5 kilometres starting and ending at IC Parish. Donations supporting the Squires team can be made directly at the following website link: http://www.terryfox.ca/squires5676 Also to raise funds supporting the Terry Fox foundation the Squires are holding a bottle drive - donate your returnable empty liquor, wine or beer containers after Mass on September 11 and 12. Or contact Chief Counsellor Chris Lazure at 905-985-4556 email at squires5676@gmail.com.

Thank-you for supporting our Squires Circle!

OUR RESPONSE TO THE RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

- + June 5 Rosary of Healing; June Sunday 6 Mass
- + Shoes Memorial on steps of church -

These shoes will be donated to working poor in Durham.

- + Copies of the "Truth and Reconciliation" Document
- are available at the parish office contact Fr Keith
- + See the Parish Web Site for info from Bishops
- + Orange ribbons were tied to our church railings
- + THANK YOU to all who signed our poster -"I support Truth and Reconciliation"
- Our message and orange ribbons were sent to the

Papal Nuncio in Ottawa, Archbishop Gagnon, Mr. Trudeau, and Chief La Rocca of the Mississaugas.

+ THANK YOU for the toys donated to Lytton town, B.C and First Nations whose homes were burnt out.

WEDNESDAY - STREET PATROL FOR HOMELESS

Leave Port Perry 5:00 p.m. join St Patrick's downtown then 2 + hours handing out water and sandwiches until 9:00 Thank you for donations of water and /or \$ 10 TIM cards. FINAL DATE: September Wednesday 8th

FRIDAY - WEEKLY FRIDAY HOLY HOUR

6:30 p.m. Church is open 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Holy Hour Chaplet of Divine Mercy / Adoration / Benediction

SATURDAYS - OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Saturdays following the 9:00 am Mass. A 10 minute Devotion is offered together. Place your prayers in the BLUE PRAYER BOX near the statue of Our Blessed Mother to be offered on Saturday. Please note that the box of prayers will be emptied by Fr Keith every FIRST SATURDAY



FEDERAL ELECTION 2021

+ Please offer a daily 'Hail Mary ' for the vocation of politicians and for the wisdom of the Canadian Electorate – knowing what questions to ask and 'how to' vote in our democracy this 2021. For Federal election resources from a Catholic perspective:



www.catholic conscience.org/canada-federal-current

+ Search and ask questions – this is THE time that voices of all are to be heard. Pray for the Holy Spirit for guidance in what to say and what to discuss.

PARISH MINISTRY

Due to "Safe Worship" there have been no meetings in the church or hall. Stage 3 - meetings and gatherings may now occur -2 meters + masks. You may wish to begin to think and pray of your discipleship within the broader community and of the parish now or September.

<u>RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITITAION OF ADULTS</u> (R. C. I. A.)

Are you unbaptized and wish to be baptized Catholic ? Are you baptized in another denomination and wish to become Roman Catholic ? Are you a Catholic who has never been Confirmed ? Then the R.C.I.A. is for you ! Please contact Fr. Keith for more info

HOLY COMMUNION - GLUTEN- FREE HOSTS

If you require a gluten-free Host for Communion (which are actually 1% gluten) please contact Fr Keith and this can be arranged. Thank you

2021 CHURCH FINANCES- THANK YOU!

Thank you for your stewardship of your parish during these challenging times. Parish expenses continued throughout these months of shut-downs. To all who 'caught up' with their donations – a special thank you.

R.O.C.K. (Reaching Out to Christ's Kids)

NEW Ministry for Grade 1-5 beginning in the Autumn. Monthly Gathering for Teachings, Prayer, Arts + Crafts.

FR KEITH HOLIDAYS

August 22 – Sept 3 Although a priest is 'covering' the parish, note that there are no Masses as follows: August Tuesday 24, Wednesday 25, Tuesday 31 and September Wednesday 1, Thursday 2, Friday 3 and no Holy Hour on Friday Aug. 27 and Fri. Sept. 3. I apologize for any inconvenience. Each priest of the Archdiocese of Toronto is permitted 4 weeks holidays at personal expense.

THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Monday August 30 9:00 – 3:00 Office and Church are open

<u>Tuesday August 31</u> Office and Church are closed **No Mass**

Wednesday September 1

9:00 – 3:00 Office and Church are open **No Mass**

Thursday September 2

Office and Church are closed **No Mass**

Friday September 3

St. Gregory the Great 9:00 – 3:00 Office and Church are open No Mass No 7:00 Holy Hour

Saturday September 4

8:00 am. – 6:00 p.m. Church is open
9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Shelley Brock Req. by John Brock
Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
9:30 – 10:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. – Intentions of John & Shelley Brock Req. by Robin Rogers

<u>Sunday September 5</u> 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Church is open 9:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of all Immaculate Conception parishioners 11:00 am. Mass – Pik Saan Yeung Req. by Pearl Tam

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TAKE OUT CHICKEN BBQ DINNER

Homemade BBQ ¹/₄ Chicken, roasted potatoes, baked beans and coleslaw, \$10 per person.

Saturday, September 25th, from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM.

Pickup meals outside at the rear of the church.

Tickets will be available after all weekend Masses beginning Labour Day Weekend. All meal tickets must be purchased in advance (**no tickets available during the event**).

Please consider purchasing meals for your family, and ask your friends and neighbours too!

Proceeds to support the charitable works of the Knights of Columbus, Council 8951.

PARISH WEB SITE:

https://immaculateconceptionpo.archtoronto.org/

PARISH OFFICE:

MONDAY / WEDNESDAY / FRIDAY 9:00 - 3:00