September 5, 2021 23rd 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; Sunday June 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: Wednesday, September 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:



+ 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.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITITAION OF ADULTS (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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TAKE OUT CHICKEN BBQ DINNER

Homemade BBQ ¼ 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**).

THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Monday September 6

 $\overline{9:00-3:00}$ Office and Church are closed (Labour Day)

Tuesday September 7

10:00 am – Rosary at Good Shepherd School 6:00 -8:00pm - Church open 7:00 pm Mass – +Crescenti Fernandes Req. by Fernandes family

Wednesday September 8

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8:00 – 10:00 am - Church is open 9:00 am Mass - Intentions of Chloe Lau Req. by Lau family

Thursday September 9

St. Peter Claver 8:00 – 10:00 am - Church is open 9:00 am Mass - Intentions of James Lau Req. by Lau Family

Friday September 10

8:00 – 10:00 am - Church is open 9am Mass - Intentions of the Traynor family Req. by Mary Lou Elliott 6:00 -8:00 - Church open 7:00pm - Holy Hour

Saturday September 11

8:00 – 10:00 am - Church is open 9:00 am Mass –Holy Souls in Purgatory Req. by Dawn Michie Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help 9:30 – 10:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. – Intentions of all Immaculate Conception parishioners

Sunday September 12 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Church is open 9:00 a.m. Mass – +Roberta Sarson Req. by Faye Tait 11:00 am. Mass – Intentions of Paul Richer 1:00 pm - Baptism

PARISH WEB SITE:

https://immaculateconceptionpo.archtoronto.org/

PARISH OFFICE:

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