

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 18, 2022

> BE THAT FAITHFUL SERVANT

<u>PROLIFE WEEK</u> <u>CELEBRATING THE CULTURE OF LIFE</u>

- + September 24 / 25 and October 1 / 2 Knights of Columbus Lapel Roses for Life The Knights will be handing out the rose lapel pins these weekends at the back of the church. This is in support of prolife. Please join up in supporting in what the church believes. Free will offering.
- + October Sunday 2 @ 3:00 Life Chain In front of our church. Other churches and Sacred Heart Uxbridge will join us.
- + October Friday 7 @ 9:00 a.m.– Saturday 8 @ 9:00 a.m. 24 Hours Adoration for Life
 - Please sign up. Thank you.
- + October Sunday 2 Sunday 9
 - + Thanksgiving Food Drive
 - + Collection of Baby Items such as diapers, formula, food. Rose of Durham. A crib will be placed in the vestibule

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Thursday October 6th 6:15 p.m. Rosary 6:30 Holy Mass 7:00 p.m. General Meeting in hall A letter was recently mailed to all CWL members regarding an extremely important motion to "inactivate the council". This motion will be presented and voted on, at the Oct. 6th meeting. If you have not received the letter or need further clarification, please contact Mary Lou Elliott as soon as possible. Please rsvp your attendance at the meeting by October 1. Thank you!

<u>SCHOOL CORNER</u> October Parent Meetings for Sacraments

- October Wednesday 12 @ 7:00 -8:00 p.m. First Communion – First Reconciliation (Parents only please)
- October Thursday 13 @ 7:00 8:00 p.m. Confirmation (Parents AND Students)

OPENING LITURGY – September 29 Blessing of Classroom Prayer Corners at Good Shepherd



FIRST ANNUAL BLESSING OF ANIMALS

Sunday September 25 @ 3:00 In honour of Feast Day of St Francis of Assisi (which is October 4th) Bring your cats, dogs, livestock, fish, any pets or animals for this annual events. Front of the church (not inside!)

THANK YOU

- + To Robert, Deedee, Mike, Patricia in assisting with RCIA as instructors
- + To Paul and Joanne our new Lectors
- + To Marie, Elia, Harry, Polycarp, Joan, Earl as members of newly established Welcome Committee
- + To Squires, K of C, parishioners who supported our car washes this summer.
- + Street Patrol for Homeless -\$ 1,920 in Tim Cards 18 cases of water Socks, blankets, quilts
- Parish disciples of the streets
- Harry, Fr Keith, Armand,
- Denise, Catherine and
- other GTA parishes. Over 680 homeless befriended.
- + Bible Camp Marie, Jasmine, Elia who gave their time Knights of Columbus for their financial support and CWL for the 'biblical' snacks.
- + Thank you to K of C for awesome chicken dinners and to all parishioners for their support for our charities

FRIDAY PRAYER GROUP

Our Parish Prayer Group (Children of the Light) gathers after 9:00 a.m. Mass in the St Joseph Chapel. Followed by coffee fellowship. "Where two or more are gathered in My Name I am there with them."

HOLY HOUR

Fridays 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Adoration + Divine Mercy Chaplet PRAY FOR / THE WORLD / THE CHURCH / OUR COUNTRY / YOUR PERSONAL PETITIONS

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Parish weekly devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help following Saturday 9:00 a.m. Mass. You may also place your petitions in the blue box at Mary's statue. To Jesus through Mary.



INDIGENOUS HEALING AND RECONCILIATION FUND

Please read the enclosed Letter from the Cardinal. Envelopes will be attached to the bulletin NEXT WEEKEND for this important collection October 1 /2



<u>RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS</u>

Are you unbaptized and wish to become Catholic? Are you baptized in another denomination and wish to become Catholic? Are you a Catholic who has never been Confirmed? The R.C.I.A. is for you! Please contact Fr Keith **There is still time to join ! FIRST SESSION WAS WEDNESDAY SEPT 7**

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN SEPTEMBER? Add your name to the list on the bulletin board to be prayed for on Saturday, September 24 @ 9:00. You do not have to be present to sign up. Red roses are presented to the couples.

DIVINE MERCY IMAGE FOR THE CHURCH

Thank you for your generous donations. The canvas print will be mounted near the statue of Mary and also used for Divine Mercy Sunday.

CHOIRS

Has God gifted you with music? Has HE called you to service? If YOU are interested please speak to Audrey or Josette



SATURDAY 5:00 – we are now in need for music ministry – please speak with Fr Keith

WELCOME COMMITTEE NEW NEW NEW

Has God gifted you with a sense of welcome? Has HE called you to serve? We assemble and mail Parish Welcome Packages monthly which is followed by a personal call. If YOU are interested please contact the Parish

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Fr Peter Conlin, Rini Bouwmeester, Autumn Rogers Emelda Jackson, Les Keefer, Patti Reilly, Rosemarie Menasses, Marj Kelly, Stephanie Cryer, Paul McDonald, Lucy Salvador, Mary Brannigan, Barbara Wallace, Gloria Sado, Barbara Thompson, Irena Martuszewska Kelly Lacroix, Pat Callery, Gloria Sado,

Barbara Thompson



<u>THIS WEEK AT</u> IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Monday September 19 St Januarius Office is open 9:00 – 3:00

Tuesday September 20

St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon,
St Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions
7:00 p.m. Mass – Intentions of Patti Reilly Req. by Terry and Anthony McDermott

Wednesday September 21

St Matthew 9:00 a.m. Mass – + Olivia Zitman Req. by Jean Biffin 7:30 p.m. R.C.I.A.

Thursday September 22

9:00 a.m. Mass – + Fedele Gesualdo Req. by Maria & family 7:30pm – Band of Brothers

Friday September 23

St Pius Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) 9:00 a.m. Mass – + Russ Gilhuly Req. by Mary Lou Elliott 9:30 a.m. Prayer Group 7:00 p.m. Holy Hour



9:00 a.m. Mass – For the intentions of all couples celebrating wedding anniversaries this month. Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:00 p.m. Mass - Intentions of the parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish

Sunday September 25

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Mass - + Paddy Taylor Req. by Anne Marie & Guy Taillon & family 11:00 a.m. Mass - + Lise Henry Req. by Mike & Ghyl Waud



OFFERTORY PROCESSION

is an important part of the Mass. It is the people's

offering to God, the Church and the Parish. The bread, water and wine become the Sacrifice of Jesus Christ. Thus beginning after Thanksgiving we shall 're-introduce' the Offertory. You may be asked by the ushers (before Mass) to carry the gifts to the priest at the Altar – thank you for your part in the Mass.

