

January 16, 2022

Second Sunday on Ordinary Time Married – Single- Widow- All persons "Do Whatever He Asks"

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

2022 Parish Offertory Envelopes are now available. Thank you for your support of the parish, its upkeep, its programs, its outreach Contact the Parish Office for Weekly Envelopes.

TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts will be available for pick up in the church vestibule in early February. Unlike last year, they will be issued directly from the parish.

PRE AUTHORIZED GIVING (P.A.G.)

Presently 27 use PAG. This is a monthly donation from your bank account. You specify the donation. This helps the parish in our financial planning. This helps the parishioner in prayerfully deciding their monthly donation including when one is away for holidays, weddings etc. PAG is very much appreciated. Forms are available on the counter at the parish office.

You can still place an ENVELOPE in the collection basket – mark PAG on the front of the envelope.

SCHOOL CORNER

GRADE 8s CREATING CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR HOMELESS for the 2022 Advent Season

Do you have any used Christmas cards? If so please place them in the box in the church vestibule. The Grade 8s will work with Fr Keith in creating Christmas Cards for the homeless You may bring them in any time before February 5th

GRADE 8s BURNING PALMS AT THE SCHOOL

Please place your old palms in the box in vestibule. The Grade 8s will create the ashes for Ash Wednesday

IN CLASS VISITS FOR JANUARY J/K and S/K Friday January 21

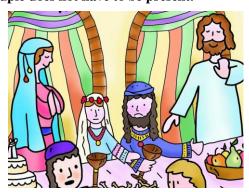




MONTHLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN JANUARY?

Add your name to the list on the bulletin board to be prayed for on Saturday January 29 @ 9:00 a.m. Red roses will be presented to any anniversary couples present at the Mass. To be remembered and prayed for, the couple does not have to be present.



THANK YOU

+ NEW TABERNACLE VEILS

Thank you to the anonymous donor and also to the volunteer disciple who sewed the new veils. By the use of the various Liturgical Colours our children (and adults) can be better versed in the Liturgical Seasons

+ CHRISTMAS 2021

Thank you to all who attended Christmas Mass Thank you to our Music Ministry Thank you to all Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers – Ministers of Hospitality. Thank you to our church 'decorators' – The church looked beautiful!

COMMUNION VISITS

Father Keith will be visiting and distributing Holy Communion to our Parish Shut-ins every First Friday and First Saturday. If you know of someone who wishes to receive Communion and Anointing of the Sick please have them or their family contact the Parish Office.

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THEIR CARE-GIVERS Please remember in your prayers:

For those who are sick and their care-givers: Ethel Richard, Fr Peter Conlin, Rini Bouwmeester, Emelda Jackson, Les Keefer, Patti Reilly. Barbara Wallace, Julie McGivern Call the Parish Office to add a name to the sick list

R.I.P. Edward Ounjan, son-in-law of Albert Knowles

OFFICE HOURS:

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

PARISH WEB SITE:

https://immaculateconceptionpo.archtoronto.org

R.O.C.K. (REACHING OUT TO CHRIST'S KIDS)

Next gathering: Saturday January 29 @ 1:00 - 3:00Because of the large turnout of children we are asking that you REGISTER for ROCK – call or email the parish office or Fr Keith. Thank you

THEME: Jesus – The Good Shepherd
. Jesus - The Bread of Life

. Jesus - The Gate

WE WILL HOST 'ROCK' PRAYING AND HOPING THAT BY JANUARY 29 LIMITS WILL BE LIFTED

LITURGICAL FEASTS AND SOLEMNITIES

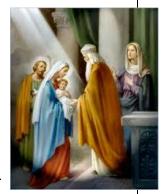
SOLEMNITY OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Last weekend marked this great Solemnity that concluded the Christmas Season in the Church. HOLY WATER bottles were handed out.

If you wish a Holy Water bottle, please contact the parish.

SOLEMNITY OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Wednesday, February 2 marks this Solemnity called Candlemas Day. Blessed candles will be distributed at 9:00 a.m. Mass that will be used for the formal liturgical procession. Please join us for Mass.



ST BLAISE BLESSING OF THROATS

Although the Feast Day of St Blaise is Thursday, February 3 and throats will be blessed Fr Keith will also offer Blessing of Throats after all Masses on Jan 29 – 30. We bless throats and pray for good health through St. Blaise who was a powerful intercessor of God's graces, protection and healing.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE SICK

Friday, February 11 marks the day in the Catholic Church that we pray for Mother Mary's help for the sick. Our parish will celebrate the SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. We will also celebrate 7:00 p.m. MASS (no Holy Hour that evening) FOLLOWED BY THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK. Join us.



THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Monday January 17

St. Anthony
Church is closed

Tuesday January 18

6:00 p.m. Church is open

7:00 p.m. Mass - Intentions of Julie Smith-McGivern

Wednesday January 19

9:00 a.m. Mass - +Bob Rogers

Req. by Marg and Bill Bird

Thursday January 20

St Fabian and St. Sebastian 9:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of Margaret Geer Req. by C.W.L.

Friday January 21

St Agnes

9:00 a.m. Mass - Intentions of Emilie & Allan Lemieux Req. by Mary Lou Elliott

NO 9:30 a.m. Prayer Group - under present guidelines

7:00 - 8:00 p.m. Holy Hour

Saturday January 22

St Vincent

9:00 Mass – +Shirley Toth

Req. by Mike and Deedee McKernan Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help 9:30 – 10:30 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

5:00 Mass – +Vera Creron Reg. by Mary Lou Elliott

Sunday January 23 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m. Mass – + Evelyn Joyce Hood Req. by Deedee and Mike McKernan

11:00 am. Mass- + Gareth Joseph Smith Req. by Mom and Dad

Father Keith is on holidays

from Monday 24 - Friday 28.

There will be no Masses and no Communion Services due to the ever changing guidelines. Each priest of the Archdiocese is permitted 28 days of holidays.