

April 24, 2022 Second Sunday of Easter

**Divine Mercy Sunday** 

# PRAYER FOR EASTER SEASON

Alleluia!

Christ has died; Christ is Risen; Christ will come again! I praise You O Lord, for by the power

of Your Death and Resurrection You have set us free; You have graced us this Holy Season Of Easter with Your eternal Presence. May I offer a life filled with Faith, Hope and Love. Amen

#### THANK YOU

+ Holy Week 2022 was a truly moving experience of God's grace and His Community the Church – thank you to all involved – Ushers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Choirs and Music Ministry the congregation at worship at Mass, our church decorators and our Easter fire person – thank you! + Thank you for personally remembering me at Easter – for your kindness and cheer. Fr Keith

# MONTHLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN APRIL?

Add your name to the list on the bulletin board to be prayed for on Saturday, April 30 @ 9:00. Red roses will be handed to any anniversary couples present. You do not have to be present to sign up.

## **SCHOOL CORNER**

#### **SACRAMENTS**

Congratulations to all of our Parish's First Confession children and families.



#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

to Marie Casino who has been named Good Shepherd Catholic School's Distinguished Volunteer of the Year Award. Marie, like many of our school volunteers exhibits the truth of family – school – parish in the partnership of Catholic Education.

# MAY SCHOOL MINISTRY

- + Tuesday 10 @ 1:00 First Communion
- + Thursday 19 @ 1:00 Confirmation
- + Wednesday 25 @ 1:00 Grade 7 / 8 Fortier Class Visit
- + Friday 27 time TBA Mary Celebration for May

# **EASTER SEASON**

For Christians 'Easter Season' is not 'just' one day — but 50 days through the Lord's Ascension into Heaven and Pentecost Sunday June 5.



# DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sunday, April 24 @ 2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Our Parish will have (in person live) Holy Hour that will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Adoration and Reflections from the Diary of St Faustina. Please join us.

#### STATIONS OF THE RESURRECTION

Friday, May 27 – during Holy Hour Biblical Walk through 14 Gospels passages of Jesus' Resurrection of Easter Season. Congregational responses and reflections. Holy Hour 7:00-8:00 p.m. with Adoration Stations 7:30-8:00 p.m.



# FRIDAY PRAYER GROUP

Fridays in Lent in St Joseph Chapel after Morning Mass. Praise, Petitions, Song. Coffee Social YES – WE WILL CONTINUE TO GATHER AFTER EASTER - THE WORLD NEEDS PRAYER – WE NEED PRAYER. AMEN

# GIANT CHARITY GARAGE SALE Saturday, May 14th, from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Sponsored by K of C - You can help this charity event -  $\pm$  Donate your treasures (all items are welcome except electronics, mattresses, baby strollers/car seats, and clothing). A large trailer is in the church parking lot and you may leave your items there on Sundays  $\pm 10 - 11$  a.m. If you need your items picked up, call us!

- + If you see a yard sale in your neighbourhood, ask if the "remaining items" could be donated to the Knight's charity sale. Let us know and we will pick up.
- + Cardboard boxes are needed in advance of the sale as we sort items! Please drop them off at the trailer.
- + Volunteer to help sort merchandise in advance of the sale. Stop by during our drop-off times and we'll put you to work. Volunteer to help setup, sell and cleanup on the day of the sale. Come and shop at the sale! John Peco, 905-985-6637 or Al Di Minno 416-618-7633





#### **FUTURE PARISH DATES**

- + Saturday May 14 @ 8:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. Giant Charity Garage Sale
- + Sunday May 15 @ 3:00 p.m. First Holy Communion
- + Sunday June 4 @ 10:00 a.m. 12:00 noon
  Parish Clean up bring a rake, gloves, hands and
  Heart for our annual cleanup of our church grounds.
  JOIN US
- + Sunday June 12 @ 3:00 p.m. Confirmation
- + Sunday June 26 @ 12:30 3:30 p.m. Parish Picnic

# DETAILS TO FOLLOW IN PARISH BULLETINS



# **PALMS**

YES we are collecting your old palms to be burnt next year by our Grade 8s in creating ashes for the parish and school.

Please place them in box in vestibule of the church.

# **NEW TO THE PARISH**

Welcome!

You will find a Christ centered Community here at Immaculate Conception as expressed in our Mass, Prayers, Good Works and Community.

Be sure that you use the yellow Parish Registration Form near the parish office doors. You may also wish to use Envelopes for your weekly Offering or P.A.G. (Pre-Authorized Giving) Thank you and welcome!

## **UPDATES**

#### LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOUR ~ DO UNTO OTHERS

- + Social distancing requirements are removed
- + Communion on tongue began on March 1 for those who desire such those should be ideally at the end of the Communion line. Thank you.
- + Hand sanitizing is optional Bottles are on back tables
- + Masks are optional masks may be found on tables

## **FATHER MATTHEW MC CARTHY**

This weekend we welcome Fr McCarthy, Vocation Director for the Archdiocese of Toronto.

# THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

# **Monday April 25**

St. Mark

Office is open 9am to 3pm

## **Tuesday April 26**

Our Lady of Good Counsel
7:00 p.m. Mass – Intentions of all CWL both
the living and deceased members.

#### Wednesday, April 27

9:00 a.m. Mass – + William Gerrits Req. by Loida Gerrits

## Thursday April 28

St Peter Chanel
St. Louis Grignion de Monfort
9:00 a.m. Mass +Robert Kesso
Req. by Robin Rogers



## Friday April 29

St. Catherine of Sienna
9:00 a.m. Mass + Matthew Fischer
Req. by his family

9:30 a.m. Prayer Group 7:00 p.m. Holy Hour

## Saturday April 30

St. Pius V, Pope

9:00 a.m. Mass – For the intentions of the couples celebrating wedding anniversaries this month.

9:30 – 10:30 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:00 p.m. Mass – Intentions of all parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish

#### Sunday, May 1

9:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of Anne Marie Taillon Req. by the C.W.L.

11:00 a.m. Mass + Ethel Richard Req. by Regina and Vince Gedge

Please note that Fr Keith is on holidays April 25 – May 5 Fr Conlin will assist at Masses. Every priest of the Archdiocese is permitted 4 weeks holidays at his own expense. As the Bible days  $\sim$  "Jesus went away and rested".

