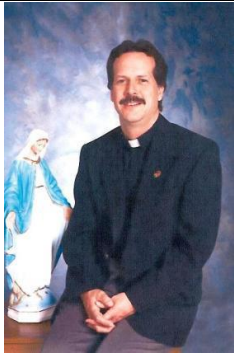


AUGUST 15, 2021

ASSUMPTION OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



**BISHOP'S VISIT AND
INSTALLATION
OF OUR NEW PASTOR
FR KEITH WALLACE
Saturday August 14
at 5:00 Parish Mass**

**Welcome Bishop Vincent Nguyen
for the celebration of the
Installation of New Pastor Mass.**

I wish to thank all who were involved in this weekend's celebration. It is an honour to serve as your priest. Please continue to pray that I shall be Jesus' priest through Sacrament, Word, Service, Outreach and Gospel Justice. God bless, Father Keith Wallace.

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

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

PARISH LIVESTREAMING

+ Live-streaming of Sunday Mass and Saturday Rosary and Year of St Joseph Talks will continue in September Facebook – “Keith Wallace” (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.

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.



YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH
December 8, 2020 – December 8, 2021

SCHOOL CORNER

+ 2021 – 2022 First Communion and Confirmation Information and Sign Up will begin in August. Letters will be sent to classrooms for Gr 2 (and Gr 3) and Gr 7 (and Gr 8) of Good Shepherd School.

**TO THE STAFF AND COMMUNITY ~
HAVE A RESTFUL SUMMER 2021**

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.

SQUIRES – Fr Charlie Faliero Squires

Car Wash on Aug 21 from 9am to 1pm to raise funds for different initiatives. A \$5 donation is appreciated with each wash. The Squires will participate in the Terry Fox Run Sept. 19. Please gather your empty liquor, wine and beer containers for donation after Masses on Sept 11 & 12 to be put towards this worthy cause. Place bottles in the K of C room in the church basement please.

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 AUGUST ? Email or call the parish so we can add your name to the list to be prayed for AUGUST 28 @ 9:00 a.m.

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
Hope and Healing begins with knowing the Truth.
+ See the Parish Web Site for info from Bishops – the forthcoming visit of Bishops, First Nations leaders, First Nations survivors with Pope Francis in December.
+ Fr Keith has sent a message to Chief Kelly La Rocca of Mississaugas of Scugog Island
+ Orange ribbons were tied to our church railings until July 14 – Feast of St Kateri Tekakwitha
+ **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. Our collection was very spontaneous and yet five large boxes were shipped. Thank you benefactor who paid the shipping.

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.

WEDNESDAY - STREET PATROL FOR HOMELESS

Leave Port Perry 5:00 p.m. join St Patrick's downtown then 2 + hour handing out water and sandwiches until 9:00
Thank you for donations of water and / or \$ 10 TIM cards.
AUGUST DATES: 11 and 18

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.

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.

HOLY COMMUNION – GLUTTON-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



CEMETERY MASS

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed
Due to the protocols surrounding COVID-19, this year's Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed has unfortunately been cancelled at our seven Catholic cemeteries. His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, will celebrate and livestream a special Mass in honour of our faithful departed on Wednesday, August 18, at 7p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. The Mass can be viewed here: www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live.

THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Monday August 16

St Stephen of Hungary
Church is closed

Tuesday August 17

6:00 – 8:00 pm Church is open
7:00 pm Mass – Intentions of Elia and Robert LeBlanc

Wednesday August 18

8:00 am. – 10:00 am Church is open
9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Marjory and Rick Smith
5:00 Street Patrol for Homeless

Thursday August 19

St. John Eudes
8:00 am. – 10:00 am Church is open
9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Nicole Lau
Req. by Lau family

Friday August 20

St. Bernard
8:00 am. – 10:00 am Church is open
9:00 am Mass - +Joe Pierce
6:30 p.m. Church is open
7:00- 8:00 p.m. Holy Hour

Saturday August 21

St Pius X
8:00 am. – 10:00 am Church is open
9:00 am Mass – +Jannie Van Schagen
Req. by Van Schagen family
Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
9:30 – 10:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation
11:30 Wedding
5:00 p.m. Intentions of all parishioners

Sunday August 22

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Church is open
9:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of Gloria Kramp
11:00 am. Mass – +father Robert Reddy

PARISH WEB SITE:

<https://immaculateconceptionpo@archtoronto.org/>

PARISH OFFICE:

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

