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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday from 8:30 am – 4:30 pm.
Open by appointment only on Wednesday,
Thursday and Friday.
Closed daily 12:00 – 1:00 pm for lunch.

MASS TIMES

Lauds: Monday to Friday	7:30 am
Monday - Thursday	8:00 am
Friday	8:00 am
	7:00 pm
Saturday	8:30 am
	5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil)
Sunday	8:00 am
	9:30 am (Italian)
	11:00 am
	12:30 pm
	4:30 pm

CONFESSION TIMES

Saturday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
and any time upon request

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday 8:30 am – 9:30 am

DEVOTIONS

Rosary - After morning Mass
Divine Mercy Chaplet - Friday at 3:00 pm via zoom
Sacred Heart - Friday at 6:45 pm
Perpetual Help - After morning Mass on Saturday

BAPTISM

Contact the Parish office to register.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Contact the Parish office to register.

MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Priest one year in advance

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule.

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING



Beloved Parishioners,

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King. It is also the end of the Liturgical Year. It's hard to believe that next Sunday will be the First Sunday of Advent and we will begin our spiritual preparations for Christmas.

Have a wonderful week. Praying for you and your families.

In Christ,
Fr. Pawel

For this moment those dear teachers were born. For this they came into the world.

On this great Solemnity, consider that all the baptized are to be teachers. Like children, we carry our own drawings of Jesus into the world. We were born to testify to the Truth.

When do you feel most closely aligned with that which you were born to do?

Kathy McGovern©2021 www.thestoryandyou.com

SCHEDULE OF LIVE-STREAM MASSES

(Live-stream Masses are available on YouTube channel, [SMI Parish](#))

Sunday Masses

9:30 am in Italian

11:00 am in English

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Mon. Nov 22	Memorial	St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr
Tues. Nov 23	Memorial	St. Clement I, Pope, Martyr St. Columban, Abbot
Wed. Nov 24	Memorial	St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs
Thurs. Nov 25	Memorial	St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin, Martyr

READINGS THIS WEEK

- 21 Daniel 7.13-14: Revelation 1.5-8: John 18.33b-37
- 22 Daniel 1.1-6, 8-20: Luke 21.1-4
- 23 Daniel 2.3, 9a, 10a, 27a, 31-45++: Luke 21.5-
- 24 Daniel 5.1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28: Luke 21.12-
- 25 Daniel 6.11-28: Luke 21.20-28
- 26 Daniel 7.1-14++: Luke 21.29-33
- 27 Daniel 7.15-27: Luke 21.34-36

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PHONE SYSTEM

The Parish has been experiencing some technical difficulties with our phone system. Some calls are dropping and some are not coming through. If this happens to you, please send us an email at stmaryimmaculateri@archtoronto.org and we will get back to you as soon as possible. We apologize for the inconvenience. Thank you for your patience and understanding.



"Thank you to the hardworking ShareLife volunteers and parish committee members, who found innovative ways to raise funds in these challenging circumstances. And thank you to each and every person who showed solidarity with those who suffer by making a sacrificial gift."
– Cardinal Thomas Collins

To learn more about ShareLife, visit their website sharelife.org

2022 SUNDAY MASS MISSALS

are available for purchase this weekend in the Church foyer.

CWL RELIGIOUS STORE

is open in the Church foyer after all Masses this weekend.

ADVENT LOVE LETTERS TO JESUS

During the season of Advent, children are invited to write love letters to Jesus. Form letters are available online on our website under "advent & digital resources". Have the children write their love letter and email it back to the parish office or drop it off in the offertory basket at Mass. One letter will be chosen each week by Fr. Pawel and will be highlighted in the parish bulletin and website.

The Story and You™



Sacred Conversations

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

I love watching people do that for which they were born, that for which they came into the world. You know it when you see it, don't you? This morning I witnessed twenty ADORABLE young children march into the sanctuary to display the drawings they created from the storytime they had just enjoyed.

THIS, I thought! For THIS we were created, to be ever joyous in our sharing of the story of Jesus. Oh, that each of us would have that childlike delight in telling others about Jesus our entire lives. I count it as the greatest blessing that I have been allowed to do this since my early teens.

What a thrill it is to watch a great pianist sit down and play a great work of art. The music lives in the muscle memory of the pianist, who has given up so many other loves in order to have this one. That's true of all people who bring beauty and grace to the world. I especially love to watch teachers of the young children who, right about this time of year, are starting to "get it." These delighted children are sitting in hallways, sitting in tiny chairs with other tiny friends, and they are READING. They are making that most sacred connection between letters and REAL WORDS! And their teachers--blessed be they--are grinning and nodding and saying YES! YES!

THE SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL – SPECIAL COLLECTION ANNOUNCEMENT

- The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a lay Catholic Volunteer Organization dedicated to serving the needy and the poor of our Community.
- Our Mission is to live the Gospel by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy.
- Within our parish we provide EMERGENCY FOOD assistance, through home visitations, to those local people within the parish boundaries who are in need of assistance with food.
- All of our resources are donated by parishioners via the POOR BOX on Sundays; and then distributed by our volunteers to those in need in the form of food vouchers.
- We cannot do our outreach program without your generosity.
- **We will be having our annual Special Collection during the November 20th and 21st weekend, please be generous.**
- Please make a SPECIAL EFFORT to support our outreach programs to the Poor.
- Thank You for your generous support.

BUNDLE-UP WEEKEND

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be collecting gently used clothing, shoes, linens and household goods to support our neighbours in need and our residential programs this weekend, **November 20-21**. We collect clothing, shoes, linen and small household goods. Please bring your donation and help others in your community. Please be aware, **NO BABY OR REGULAR FURNITURE, NO MATTRESSES, NO BOOKS, NO DISHES, NO APPLIANCES AND NO ELECTRONICS will be accepted.** The container will be open all day Saturday and all day Sunday. When placing your donation in the container please try to stack all items as far back as possible so that we can use all the container space. Thank you for your support.

HOLY LAND CHRISTIAN FAMILIES

are visiting the parish next weekend, **November 27-28** to display the Olive Woods from the Holy Land. Due to religious wars and conflict that led many Christian families to leave their homes because of job loss. Hand Carving Olive Woods are Religious items that are hand made by these Christian families. This is their only source of income and our mission is to help these families by selling their work to help with food, shelter and a better education. This way they can continue the only life they have known. Please support our brothers and sisters during this difficult time and the effect of COVID-19 on the economy of the Holy Land. This will keep the Christians in Bethlehem and will bring them joy this upcoming holiday season.



SMI-CWL ANNUAL ADVENT RECOLLECTION

will be held **Saturday, December 11, 2021** beginning **8:30 am** with Holy Mass followed by Holy Rosary. The topic is "**The Church on the Street**". Our Spiritual Speaker is Deacon Robert Kinghorn, Homilist & Spiritual Director. Award-winning columnist with The Catholic Register and provides street ministry for the poor, the ill, addicted and homeless in one of the roughest parts of Toronto. Everyone is welcome.

AID TO WOMEN ONLINE CHRISTMAS TOY AUCTION

Get a head start on Christmas shopping and help Aid to Women provide much needed support to mothers in crisis and their babies. From **November 19-21**, bid online on a collection of wonderful brand-new toys straight from the manufacturer ... Fisher Price, Mattel, Hasbro and more! Bidding starts Friday, November 19th at 7 pm and ends Sunday, November 21st at 7 pm. **www.charityauction.bid/toys**
All proceeds support Aid to Women in providing material and financial support to mothers in need and their babies. Please help Aid to Women save these precious children and keep moms cared for. *You can make a difference.*

CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Unique Dulay Rivera & Sophia Rachel Aloisio
We welcome you into the Church! We wish the Parents and Godparents of the newly baptized, God's blessing and protection of our Mother Mary!

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS

+Pietro Mancini & +Wayne John Daigle
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS

Available to offer for loved ones for a one week period. Sanctuary lamps are the red votive candles lit beside the tabernacle. To request an intention for the sanctuary lamps, please call the Parish office at 905-884-1784 during office hours.

NOV 22 - 28: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN FOR:

+Ercole Richichi
&
+Catarina Maria & Deceased Members of Boragina Family




PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THEIR CAREGIVERS

If you would like to mention a loved one who is sick or a caregiver caring for a sick loved one that are in need of prayers, please call the parish office at 905-884-1784 or email at office@smirh.com.

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Clara Pacitti, Sandi Weinholdt, Ohueenie Camat, Gavan McKenna, Patricia Rybka

MASS INTENTIONS NOVEMBER 22 – NOVEMBER 28

Mon. Nov 22	8:00 am	+Benito Chiaravalloti & +Vincenzo Buffoni
Tues. Nov 23	8:00 am	+Marina Di Carlo
Wed. Nov 24	8:00 am	+Filomena Santopolo
Thurs. Nov 25	8:00 am	+Holy Souls of Purgatory
Fri. Nov 26	8:00 am	Private Intentions
	7:00 pm	+Wai Chun Lau
Sat. Nov 27	8:30 am	+Holy Souls of Purgatory
	5:00 pm	+Vanessa Di Pasquale +Paul Chiofolo
Sun. Nov 28	8:00 am	Private Intentions
	9:30 am	+Benedetto Baccilieri
	11:00 am	+Maria Zeppieri +Marcello & +Emidio Frasca +Rocco D'Antonio +Michelle Santoli
	12:30 pm	People of St. Mary Immaculate +Jan & +Honorata Nadgorski
	4:30 pm	+Jerome Kajihura

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