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St. Paul the Apostle and Immaculate Conception Churches





Graced by the constant, loving presence of God - Father, Son and Holy Spirit - in our lives, energized by the intercession of Mary and the great Communion of Saints, and grounded in the Sacred Scripture, Tradition, Catholic Teaching, Sacrament and Prayer, we, parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle Parish, reach out to embrace all of God's children, encouraging them to receive the gift of eternal salvation, accept Jesus Christ as their Lord, and follow in his footsteps. We declare our solidarity with the poor of the world, and pledge to help them by sharing our love and bounty.

Sunday Liturgies

Saturday:

5:00 p.m. at St. Paul's

Sunday:

9:00 a.m. at Immaculate Conception 10:30 a.m. at St Paul the Apostle

Weekday Liturgies

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. at St. Paul's

Wednesday & Thursday: 8:00 a.m. at St. Paul's Friday: 12:10 noon at Immaculate Conception Saturday: 9:00a.m. at Immaculate Conception

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Exposition on the First Friday of each month at Immaculate Conception Church from

1:00pm Friday until 8:00am Saturday.

Tuesday - 6:00 p.m. Holy Hour before 7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Paul's

YOUTH MINISTRY:

Edge Night (Gr. 6-8) See parish website Life Teen (Gr. 9-12) See parish website

Reconciliation(Confessions): at St. Paul's

Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. Tuesday 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.

Marriage:

Couples planning to be married must contact the parish priest one year in advance. No wedding date is to be set before consulting the parish priest. At least one of the parties should be a registered parishioner and both parties must attend a mandatory Marriage Preparation Course.

Baptism:

Parents/Guardians should be registered parishioners and attend Baptism preparation class along with godparents. (Registration package available from church office).

Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion: If anybody is sick (at the Hospital, Home, Nursing Home, etc.) & needs to be anointed or would like to receive Holy Communion or Confession, please call office.

Schools:

Holy Family Elementary School 705-435-3989
St. Paul's Elementary School 705-435-7211
St. Cecilia Catholic School 705-530-9597
St. Thomas Aguinas High School 905-936-4743

Pastoral Ministries:

Life Teen and The Edge Youth Ministry for students in grade six through to high school; Altar Servers; Lectors; Ushers; Eucharistic Ministers; Music Ministry; Pastoral Care Ministers to the sick and shut-ins; Children's Liturgy; Pastoral Council; R.C.I.A.; and Sacramental Preparation

Organizations:

The Catholic Women's League of Canada; Knights of Columbus; Columbian Squires (boys 10 - 18 yrs) St. Vincent de Paul Society

Stewardship:

Welcome to new parishioners! To be a member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Registration forms and envelopes are available in the foyer of the church.

PARISH WEBSITE: stpaultheapostleal.archtoronto.org

St. Paul the Apostle

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Youth Minister: Dave McKendrick Text/call – 647-237-1348 (BEST) Email:Allistonlifeteen@gmail.com or leave a message at Ext.24



25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 18 September 2022

"No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

Luke 16:13

First Reading + Amos 8:4-7 Second Reading + 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Gospel + Luke 16: 1-13

Mass for the Intentions Week

Monday, September 12 NO MASS SCHEDULED

Tuesday, September 13

5:30pm+Marian Cenacle 6:00pm+HOLY HOUR

6:15pm - 6:45pm + CONFESSIONS 7:00pm+Fred FULTON, RIP-J/M Scanlon

Wednesday, September 14

8:00am+Richard O'REILLY, RIP- T. O'Reilly

Thursday, September 15

8:00am+Tardif & Rice Family,Per.Int-G/D Tardif

Friday, September 16

(Mass at Immaculate Conception) 12:10pm+Michael Burberick & Family – M.Bogucki

Saturday, September 17

(Sat. Daily Mass at Immaculate Conception) 9:00am+Rita CRUMP, RIP – Crump Family 5:00pm+Tom WALSH, RIP-Jobin Family

Sunday, September 18

9:00am+FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH 10:30am+Jane ALFARERO-L. Alfarero

Saint of the Week:

Have courage and do not fear the assaults of the Devil. Remember this forever; it is a healthy sign if the devil shouts and roars around your conscience, since this shows that he is not inside your will.

- St. Padre Pio (1887-1968), Patron of Adolescents, Feast Day September 23

God or Money?

"No servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and mammon." Luke 16:13

Many people dream of being rich. Having a lot of money brings with it a certain amount of security and freedom to do many things that most people could not. Money, in and of itself, is neither good nor bad. If one is rich, that is fine. If one is poor, that is fine. From the perspective of God, the amount of money you have matters little.

With that said, the danger with money comes when you allow it to become your "master." Interestingly, even those who are poor can allow money to become their master when they allow the desire for more to dominate their lives. The key is in the desire and the healthy detachment.

What are you attached to? Are you attached to the money you have? Are you attached to the desire for the money you wish you had? The goal is to see money for what it is. In the big picture, money has very little value. It's a means to the end of taking care of your daily needs but can never become the source of your joy and fulfillment in life. Only God is the proper Master of our hearts and only He can fill you with true riches.

Reflect, today, upon any struggle you have with being overly attached to money, or the lack thereof. God promises to provide for you in your need, so it's essential that you trust Him. And if your financial needs are more than met, be grateful and cultivate generosity as you seek to detach from money as a false source of happiness. Let your heart only be filled with the rich grace of God as its source of fulfillment and you will be rich in the truest sense.

Lord of all, help me to keep You as the one and only Master of my life. Give me the grace I need to detach from all that is of this world, so as to live for You and in accord with Your will alone. I love You, dear Lord. Help me to love You above all else. Jesus, I trust in You. Source:MyCatholicLife

Weekly Collections for September 4, 2022

(This does not include PAG collection)

Sunday offering (St Paul's)	\$ 3261.95
Other-St.Paul's (SVDP, ShareLife etc)	\$2082.55
Sun. offering (Imm. Concep)	\$ 1472.50
Other- Imm Con (SVDP, ShareLife etc)	\$ 455.00

Total-\$7272.00

Altar Servers training-

There is an Altar Server training scheduled on September, 21st at 7.00 pm. If your child has received the sacrament of First Holy Communion and would like to altar serve, you may email Geoff Tan on: geoffandliztan@gmail.com.

Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

If you know of anyone who would like to become a Catholic, please call/email Martha Whelton on 705-440-7175, email: me.whelton@sympatico.ca.

The initial meeting will take place after 10:30 am Mass on Oct 16th.

Confirmations - 2023

For the children currently in Grade 7 and 8, the initial registration/information meeting for PARENTS ONLY will be on October $19^{th} - 6:45 \text{ pm} - 9:00 \text{ pm}$.

Good Shepherd Food Bank Invites You...to participate in the 2022. Thanksgiving Food Drive. Your donations of non-perishable food will help us meet the demand and offer nutritious meals to those in need.





High School Teens - Alternating Mondays 6:45pm - 9pm		Grades 6 to 8 - Alternating Mondays 6:45pm - 8:00pm		
Sep 28	Life Teen Meeting	Sep 21	Edge Meeting	
Oct 3	L/T Kickoff Social	Sep 26	Edge Kickoff Social	

September 18th is Stewardship Sunday. Please take a copy of Cardinal Collins' Homily.

Father Norberto's Installation Ceremony

Next Sunday, September 25th at the 10:30 am Mass, His Excellency, Most Reverend Bishop Boissonneau, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will celebrate the Installation ceremony for Father Norberto.

A reception will follow in the Father Bennett Hall. All are welcome to attend.

There is a retreat for Cancer patients and their caregivers on Wednesday, September 28 - 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, Mississauga.

A relic of St. Peregrine will be in their Chapel during the retreat. COST: \$45, hot lunch included. For more information you may directly contact:

Jean, EMAIL: office@qoa.ca, PHONE: 905-278-5229.

Come, let Jesus hold you lovingly in His gentle arms and fill you with strength.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Stewardship is not about the need of your parish, but your need to give."

As we recognise the presence of God in our lives, we set out to live the spirituality of stewardship in terms of time, talent and treasure. God has given each of us something to do that no one else on earth can do.

The Church needs YOU!

If you feel you have the time and talent and can spare few hours out of your busy schedule, please consider following volunteer opportunities: -

Choir - With the Church back to 100% capacity, we are looking for musicians, choir members and cantors. Share your gift of music.

For St. Paul's Church, you may reach out to Christine Parulski on fc.parulski@sympatico.com or on her cell 705-435-8103.

For **Immaculate Conception Church**, please reach out to Krista Tomini at ktomini@me.com or text 705-305-5747

Cemetery Caretaker - Our Cemetery Board is looking for Caretakers to help in maintaining our cemeteries. The person should be agile to assist in the burials, staking and cleanup from time to time.

Volunteer Coordinator - We are seeking someone to take over as coordinator of this important and necessary Having access to a computer and Excel is necessary. The Excel sheet is already set up and just needs input as it arises. Meeting and interviewing volunteers is another aspect of the position and can be arranged in your own time. One does not have to be retired or have a lot of time to take on this job. On average, it takes about one hour a month.

Counters - to assist in counting Sunday offerings a couple of hours each month.

Please call/email the office for more information. We sincerely thank you for your time.



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