



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAM

All children who wish to receive the sacraments are required to attend catechism classes facilitated by our parish.

Registration for the program will take place during the months of September and October.

Two parent information meetings have been scheduled:

Monday, September 16th at 7 p.m. and Tuesday, September 17th at 7 p.m.

These meetings will take place here at the parish and the parents are required to attend one of them.

Following registration the Confirmandi students will be called for an interview with Fr. George.

Classes will be held on Tuesday evenings in Transfiguration of Our Lord School.

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RCIA PROGRAM

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the way adults come to learn about and experience our Roman Catholic faith, and become initiated into the life of our church through the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation:

Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

The RCIA program in our parish will begin in September 17, 2019.

If you are interested in being a part of this program, or you know someone who would like to be involved, please call the parish office at (416)247-0513.

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Congratulations to the winners of the Raffle Draw for the Parking Lot:

Liz Di Cecco

1st Prize: Wingback Chair

Vito Davero

2nd Prize: Statue of Mother Mary



Monday: 16 September 2019

9:30 am Charlie Kelly and Family (L)

Tuesday: 17 September 2019

9:30 am Nikola Zizic

Wednesday: 18 September 2019

9:30 am Children with physical disabilities (L)

7:30 pm Zofia, Stefan, Tekkaghwaliboga Schembri Family
Holy Souls in Purgatory
Tony and Ivete Pinto (L)

Thursday: 19 September 2019

9:30 am Alex Di Matteo

Friday: 20 September 2019

9:30 am Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday: 21 September 2019

9:30 am Joan Kelly

5:30 pm Anton Vu

Sunday: 22 September 2019

7:45 am Raymond Moreau

9:00 am Loreta and Giovanni Palozzi
Vincenzo Sgambellone

10:30 am Teresa Mollica & Anna Trelle
Parishioners of Transfiguration
Eleonora Nicola Tantalò
Tony Picchiello &
Simon Tanfara

12:00 Noon John, Rosario and Lina
Colosimo,
Ciriaco and Vito Grieco
Mario Bellisario

7:00 pm Tony Picchiello



PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Theresa Burns, Pat G., Noemy Pereira,
Clint Viegas, Samuel Cordeiro,
Arthur Ruston, Avio Carboni,
Bud Radecky, Raphael Colaco,
Victor Colaco, James Ernst,
Sophia Coleman, Carmina Nordella,
Dana McGrath & Roman Joe Zakrajsek

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“FORMED” AVAILABLE AT OUR CHURCH

FORMED is a web-based digital platform, designed to help adults to grow in their faith and in their lives. FREE to all parishioners & your families. **Register at FORMED.org**
Code: MF473B

SCRIPTURE STUDY

The Scripture Study program is held on Tuesday mornings in the Upper Hall following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. The program will start September 24, 2019. The topic is "*Epic: A Journey through Church History*". Enjoy a captivating and fast paced look at the story of the Catholic Church. Beginning with lives of the apostles all the way up to the present day, Epic takes the immense history of the Church and simplifies it into twelve, color-coded time periods. In the course of twenty sessions, participants learn about the major people, places and events that comprise the captivating story of Christianity. This study provides participants with an understanding of Church history that enables them to have a greater sense of meaning and identity as Catholic. Cost is \$35.00 (plus study guide is optional). For more information, please call Nina 416.858.0519 or Jean Ann 416.274.1220

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NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings Bereavement Group at Transfiguration of Our Lord: Upper Hall
October 3rd to November 7th 2019
(Thursdays from 7:00 to 9:00 pm)
Please register by calling either
Ester Netto (905)612-9482 or
Teresa Coraci (416)904.5354

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ROSARY RALLY

The annual public square Rosary Rally will take place on Saturday, October 12, 2019 at 12:00 Noon to 1:00 p.m. (north side of Eglinton between Martingrove and Lloyd Manor with ample parking available nearby).

Please come to pray to entrust Canada to Our Blessed Mother!

*Canadian Society for the Defense of Christian Civilization – CanadaNeedsOurLady.org
Rosary Rally Hotline 1(844)729-6279*

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The CWL is in need of a Secretary. We are wondering if one or two of our members might consider volunteering to take on this role. It would involve taking minutes approximately once a month, typing up the minutes & sending them out for distribution. If you are interested, please leave your name and contact number in the parish office.

There will be a general meeting of the Humber Valley Region on Thursday, September 26, 2019 beginning with Mass at 7:00 pm at St. Margaret Mary's Church (8500 Islington Avenue, Woodbridge, ON)

GOD'S HEALING MERCY: FINDING YOUR PATH TO FORGIVENESS, PEACE & JOY

St. Benedict's Parish Hall
2194 Kipling Ave., (Etobicoke, ON)
Saturday, September 21, 2019
9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Retreat with Kathleen Beckman.

Includes praise and worship
& sacrament of reconciliation.

\$50.00 will include light refreshments
and a hot lunch.

To register:

By mail: cheque, payable to: Magnificat c/o
111 Jeffcoat Dr., Etobicoke, ON M9W 3B9

By PayPal:

<http://www.stbenedicts.ca/PayPal.html>

For inquiries, contact Feiona: 416.846.4068 or
magnificat.toronto.chapter@gmail.com

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SET FREE SEMINAR

Find the key to your freedom in Christ through the unbound model of prayer.

All are welcome to join this seminar to find hope, healing and joy.

Saturday, October 26, 2019

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Conducted by:

Jeevan Castelino, Savio Rodrigues & Team

Admission is Free. Please register by calling the parish office at 416.247.0513 or send an email to translord45@gmail.com

(Registration is required as refreshments and a light lunch will be provided)

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FEDERAL ELECTION DEBATE FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

Thanks to an overwhelming response, in just three days, more than 1,000 free tickets were ordered for the Thursday, October 3, 2019

Federal Election Debate from a Catholic Perspective. While tickets for the John Bassett Theatre are sold out, four archdiocesan parishes (located in Brampton, North York, Barrie and Oshawa) equipped with the appropriate technology are opening their halls for viewing parties to bring interested Catholics together to participate in this important evening. Individuals can also livestream the event from their own home should they wish to do so. To order free tickets for a viewing party near you or to learn more about the livestream, the debate and related resources, please visit www.archtoronto.org/election.

CHAPEL

Transfiguration of Our Lord Church is honoured with an opportunity to have an adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 24 hours a day, 7 days a week exposed in our chapel for the last eighteen years.

If you would like to commit one hour a week or be a “backup” to fill in for the hour that adorers on a regular basis cannot do, please leave your name and contact number in the parish office. All are welcome to come and pray.

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OUTREACH PROGRAM

The Outreach program will be collecting men’s new underwear, socks, vaseline, baby oil, kleenex, toothpaste, toothbrushes razors, & shaving cream. Please place your donated items in the blue box in the waiting room.

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CHURCH PARKING LOT

The cost of repaving was \$135,000.00.

Unfortunately our current financial situation does not allow us to cover the entire cost. The Parish Finance Council and Fr. George have agreed and we have asked Archdiocese for a loan of \$142,000.00 due to the fact that we have an outstanding payment to the Archdiocese regarding the church assessment and the cost of the repaving of the parking lot.

We would like to request that you continue using the blue donation envelopes that are available in the vestibule and the parish office. As we have to pay back the loan to the Archdiocese, the council has decided that in 2020, a *weekly blue church maintenance envelope* will be included in the box set of donation envelopes. We would greatly appreciate your assistance and support in this matter. In addition to our weekly blue church maintenance envelopes, we will be also looking at other fundraisers to help pay off the loan. Thank you for generously supporting our parish community.

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We have collected a total of \$78,918.00 towards our 2019 parish campaign goal of \$78,600.00.

We are very appreciative of your kindness, support and donation.
Thank you!