

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAM

If you missed the information meetings and would still like your child to receive First Communion (Gr. 2 & up) or Confirmation (Gr. 7 & up), please come to the parish office on Sunday mornings after the 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 Noon Masses to receive information and a registration form.

The Sacramental Preparation program applies to students in one of our parish schools or in local public or private schools.

Registration for First Communion closes October 29th and Confirmation closes October 22nd.

Following registration the Confirmandi are required to come for an interview with Fr. George Parayil.

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RCIC

Children in the public school system who have not been baptized and wish to receive the sacrament of First Communion need to enroll in the RCIC program for 1 year prior to receiving the sacrament. Please call the parish office to make an appointment to see Fr. George and receive your registration form.

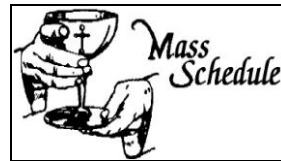
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Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Ramon Olegario, Neda Metkovic, Theresa Burns, Pat G., Susan Gonzales, Jara Menjivon, Noemy Pereira, Clint Viegas, Samuel Cordeiro, Arthur Ruston & Nelly Morrow

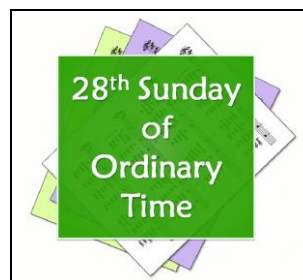
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October 16th – October 22nd, 2017

Monday	9:30 am	Special Blessings for Charlie Kelly & family
Tuesday	9:30 am	Cheryl Stacy-Barlow
Wednesday	9:30 am	John Sellner
	7:30 pm	Molly Colaco
		Sandy Van Bergen
		Marinko Granic
		Alberto DiBartolomeo
		Luizinha Fernandes
		Carlos Pinto
		Nick Sgrignuoli
		Ricardo Jauregui (L)
		Aborted Children
		Special Intention
		Souls in Purgatory
Thursday	9:30 am	Souls in Purgatory
Friday	9:30 am	Alberto Debono
Saturday	9:30 am	In Thanksgiving
	5:30 pm	Thanks to St. Joseph & St. Therese for favours received
Sunday	7:45 am	Emelyn Derramas
	9:00 am	Mirella Napoli
		Vito Montasano
		Maria Arcaro
		Noe Capobianco
		Vincenzo, Domenico & Antonietta Masecchia
	10:30 am	Parishioners of Transfiguration & Deceased members of Pinto & Raimundo families
		Special Blessing for Benny & Mildred
	12:00 pm	John, Rosario & Lina Colosimo
		Ciriaco & Vito Grieco
	7:00 pm	Juanito D. Santos

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THERE IS A PROMISE OF MARRIAGE BETWEEN:

Michael Lanzara & Nicole Macri
Haines Jones & Diana Petersen
Shaz Lym & Trista Dutt

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**HUMANITARIAN RELIEF
MEXICO, CARIBBEAN**

Over the course of the past several weeks, hurricanes, earthquakes and storms have devastated a number of countries in the Caribbean and Mexico. Hurricanes Irma, Jose, Maria destroyed thousands of homes, businesses and churches and left thousands without water, shelter or power. Places such as Anguilla, Antigua, the Bahamas, the British Virgin Islands, Cuba, Dominica, Florida, Puerto Rico, St. Martin, the Turks & Caicos Islands all suffered crippling damage. As well, on September 19th a massive earthquake hit Mexico City causing 286 deaths. The situation remains grave for the injured and displaced.

The Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting funds that will be sent through Catholic relief channels. Contributions can be made through our parish and through the Archdiocese of Toronto at www.archtoronto.org.

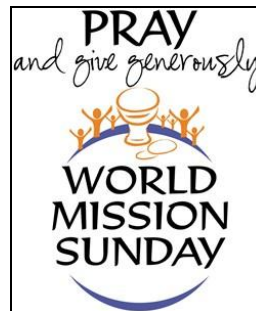
Make cheques payable to the Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish – 2017 Hurricane, Earthquake – Disaster Relief.

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The Knights of Columbus is hosting their annual Newfoundland Dinner and Dance on Saturday, November 4th at 7:00 pm in our parish hall. The cost is \$30 per person.

Please register at the parish office and indicate your seating preference.



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next week, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Each year, the entire Church is invited to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the poorest of the poor. This year, we are invited to “Chat With The Pope” to learn more about his missions. Scan this year’s World Mission Sunday poster using Facebook Messenger for your mobile device, or learn more at ChatWithThePope.org

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On the weekend of October 28th /29th, 2017 members of the CWL will be available after all the masses to accept payment of your membership fees. We ask you to add your voice for Christian values to the 90,000 other women in Canada who belong to the CWL. The cost of membership is \$25.00 and entitles you to a copy of the League Magazine. Memberships paid by Dec. 3, 2017 will be included in the draw for a free membership. Payment can also be placed in an envelope clearly marked CWL with your name, phone # & email address if available, and left in the parish office.

CWL Upcoming Events

Wednesday, October 25, 2017
St. Gregory’s CWL at 7:30 pm
“Women & Homelessness”

A speaker from Alissa House will discuss this issue. All CWL members are welcome.

**Come & See Weekend at St. Augustine's
Seminary
Friday, November 3, 2017 7:00 pm to
Sunday, November 5, 2017 12:00 pm**

The Office of Vocations is hosting a Come & See Weekend for single Catholic men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary from Friday, November 3 (begins at 7 p.m.) to Sunday November 5, 2017, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. For more information please contact us at: 416 968 0997; or email: vocations@archtoronto.org.

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The Devotion of 2000 Hail Marys on October 7, her feast day, was Heavenly. We prayed four Rosaries, 2000 Hail Marys, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and two Masses during the day. We thank all those who supported and participated during this very special day. We prayed in 16 different languages to honour and show our love to Our Blessed Mother. We thank all those who came forward to pray this devotion in spite of it being the Thanksgiving long weekend. God bless you.

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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 of the parish office.