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Parish Hours

DAILY MASS

MONDAY - THURSDAY 9:00 am
FRIDAY 7:00 pm
SATURDAY 9:00 am

SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY 5:00 pm
SUNDAY 8:30 am | 10:15 am | 12:00 pm | 7:00 pm

HOLY HOUR

FRIDAY 6:00 pm - 7:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

FRIDAY 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm
SATURDAY 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm
or by appointment

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY Closed
TUESDAY - FRIDAY 9:30 am - 3:30 pm
SATURDAY 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

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MASS INTENTIONS**MONDAY, 31 JULY** *St Ignatius of Loyola***9:00 AM** S.I. MELISSA DESOUZA**TUESDAY, 1 AUGUST** *St Alphonsus Liguori***9:00 AM** + ELEONORA CHOW**WEDNESDAY, 2 AUGUST** *St Eusebius of Vercelli***9:00 AM** + FELICE & ANNA ADDORISIO

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THURSDAY, 3 AUGUST**9:00 AM** S.I. ELIZAH NOBLE

+ SANTIAGO SILES

+ ALEJANDRO SILES

FRIDAY, 4 AUGUST *St John Vianney***7:00 PM** + WILLIARD ANTHONY AMURAO

+ ANNE MARIE CARPETTE

+ MATHESUPILLAI & ANTONNYIAPILLAI
ALFRED**SATURDAY, 5 AUGUST****9:00 AM** S.I. MAUREEN KELLY

+ LIONEL LETHBRIDGE

+ MILLICENT SENDAPPERUMA

5:00 PM S.I. KRISTEL-ANNE & GEOFF DOIRON

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SUNDAY, 6 AUGUST**8:30 AM** S.I. IAN & JULIET LOWING

+ EDWIN COSICO LASET

+ EVIN & AUDREY ANDREWS

10:15 AM + MANUEL & MARIA CHAVES AND FAMILY**12:00 PM** FOR THE PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH

S.I. MARITES & ALICK FERNANDES ON

THEIR 25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

S.I. HELEN FERNANDES

7:00 PM + BENJAMIN STONE**NO EVENING MASS**

Please note, the parish office will be closed all Mondays in July and August.

Please note there will be no 7pm Mass on Sunday 6 August due to the long weekend.

VOCATIONS

"Give your servant therefore an understanding mind..." Perhaps the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life awaits you. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 email vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca

SL ShareLife

Thank you for all that you are doing for the ShareLife campaign. We are very grateful for your generosity and support. **To date, we have collected \$75,410 for the ShareLife appeal. This is 97% of our parish goal, which is \$77,700.** You may also choose to give to the ShareLife appeal by way of credit card. To donate online go to: www.sharelife.org

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**

If you know of a non-Catholic living in our neighbourhood, who would like to join the Catholic Church, please have him or her phone Fr. Joe at 905-683-1403 ext. 105 for an appointment. Our Classes will begin in **September 2023**.



Do you have a child in grades 2-6, who has not received the sacrament of Baptism, First Reconciliation or First Communion? If so, we have our next RCIC preparation program starting in the fall. We invite you to attend the First Reconciliation/ First Communion registration meeting in September for all the details on the RCIC program. The dates will be in our Parish bulletin by the first week of September and they will also be included on our Parish website under First Reconciliation/ Communion. We look forward to meeting you soon and to preparing your child to be united to Jesus in a very special way.

**A CATHOLIC CACKLE**

Need a little laughter to brighten your day? Try out this joke.

What animal is always at a baseball game?

- A Bat!



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Society of St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Vincent de Paul society is seeking donations for our "Neighbours in Need". Many of our neighbours are looking for help over the summer months. If you are able, place your donations in the box at the back of the church. Gift cards in any denomination from our local grocery stores, dollar stores, and Wal Mart will be helpful. Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity. May God bless you and keep you safe.



Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

We are in need of **Extraordinary Ministers** to distribute Holy Communion during Sunday Mass. If you feel the call to be a part of this important ministry, please contact Fr Joe or Fr Steven for more information.



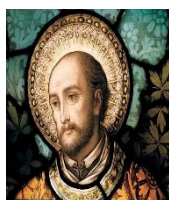
We are in need of ministers of hospitality to greet and assist parishioners with practical details so that the Sunday Mass can be celebrated with ease and grace. If this is something you would like to do to help fellow parishioners please contact Fr Joe, Fr Steven or Beryl Lowe.



EDGE CAMP

Students registered to go to Edge and High School Camp in August, are required to attend an information night on **August 10th at 7pm** in the church. We will review the specifics of the camp, logistics for transportation, packing and more. Both parents and campers are expected to attend the evening. If you have any questions, please contact Noah Aquino at youth.sfds@gmail.com.

"Be slow to speak, and only after having first listened quietly, so that you may understand the meaning, leanings, and wishes of those who do speak. Thus, you will better know when to speak and when to be silent" St. Ignatius Loyola



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Attention parents of our grade 1 students (and students in grades 2-6 who have not received First Holy Communion)!

As we get closer to the end of another wonderful school year, we wanted to include some information to think about over the summer. Your child in Grade 2, with the help of our Catholic teachers, the sacramental team and our priests, will be preparing for two great sacraments; that of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. It is a very important year in your child's formation as a Catholic individual. We are happy to embark upon this special year with you and your family. In September, we will be having an Information/Registration meeting at the Church for you and your child that must be attended in order to receive the sacraments during the 2023/2024 year. The registration forms will be given to the students in our 6 Parish schools by their grade 2 teachers in September. All other registration forms can be picked up at the Parish office in September.

May God bless you and keep you and your family safe during your summer holidays. We look forward to seeing all of you at our registration meeting in September!

CONFIRMATION

Attention all Grade 6 students and parents:

Next school year, your child in Grade 7 will have the opportunity to embark on a journey towards receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation is a decision that brings you to a point of spiritual maturity as you complete your sacraments of initiation and launches you into another phase of Catholic Christian relationship with Jesus.

As taught in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Confirmation is a personal decision made by the individual. We invite your family over the summer months, to spend some time in prayer and discussion to decide if you/your child will receive Confirmation in the new year.

In September, registration forms will be given to the students in our six Parish family of schools by their Grade 7 teachers. All other registration forms can be picked up at the Parish office in September. There will be a mandatory Information/Registration meeting at the Church for those who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation during the 2023/2024 school year.

If you or your child has already decided that they would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please prepare copies of your Child's Baptism Certificate, Sponsor's Baptism Certificate & Sponsor's Confirmation Certificate

We pray that you and your family have a safe and enjoyable summer. We look forward to seeing you at Mass each week and in September at our registration meeting.



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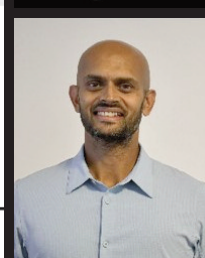
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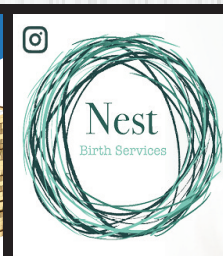
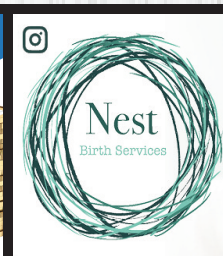
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