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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 8:30am; 10:00am;
11:30am & 1:00pm

WEEKEDAY MASSES

Mon., Tues., Fri. 9:15am
Tues., Wed., Thurs. 7:00pm
Saturday & Holidays 9:00am
First Friday 7:00pm

Followed by HOLY HOUR

DEVOTIONS

(Before each Mass)

Recitation of the Holy Rosary
Infant Jesus of Prague (Tuesday)
Our Mother of Perpetual Help
(Wednesday)
Holy Spirit (Thursday)
Divine Mercy (Friday)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00pm - 4:45pm
Or by appointment

BAPTISM

Contact Parish Office 1 month in advance of anticipated baptismal date.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. Preparation course is a prerequisite.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If one of your loved ones would like to receive this Sacrament, please call the Parish Office.

COMMUNION OF THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

The Eucharist is brought regularly to the sick and shut-ins. Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation are also available. Please notify the parish office.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Prince of Peace 416-393-5416
Our Lady of Grace 416-393-5372
St. Marguerite Bourgeoys 416-393-5381
St. Rene Goupil 416-393-5408
The Divine Infant 416-393-5414
St. Vincent de Paul (Markham)
905-472-2420
Francis Liberman Catholic High
416-393-5524
Fr. Michael McGivney Academy
905-472-4961

CATHOLIC CEMETERY

Christ the King 905-471-0121

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY

9:00am - 12:00noon

1:00pm - 4:00pm

6:00pm - 9:00pm

SATURDAY: 10:00am - 6:30pm

SUNDAY: 9:00am - 2:30pm

PARISH MINISTRIES / GROUPS

Adult Legion of Mary
Altar Servers
Altar Society
Bible Study
Children's Liturgy
Counter's Ministry
Eucharistic Minister to the Sick
Finance Committee
Junior Legion of Mary
Intercessory Prayers
Knights of Columbus
Liturgy of the Word for Children
Pre-Marriage Preparation Course
Ministry of Lectors
Ministry of the Eucharist
Ministry of the Eucharist on the Homebound
Ministry of Hospitality
Men's Group
Parish Music Ministry
Prayer Group
Sacramental Preparation
Senior's Group
Screening Committee
Youth Group
St. Vincent de Paul Society
647-234-0265

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

June 18 - 24, 2018

Monday, June 18

9:15 am - 88th birthday Cynthia Chung

Tuesday, June 19

9:15 am - Birthday blessings Efren Ada
7:00 pm + Fernando family

Wednesday, June 20

7:00 pm + Max Mascarenhas

Thursday, June 21

7:00 pm + Death anniversary Benedicto de Guzman

Friday, June 22

9:15 am + Clement Benedict

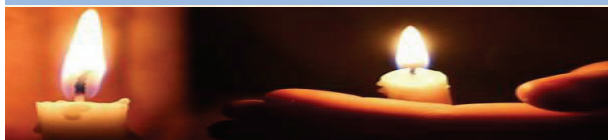
Saturday, June 23

9:00 am + Patrick Benedict
5:00 pm + Soledad Gonzales

Sunday, June 24

8:30 am + Ned Ynaya
10:00 am - Community of Prince of Peace
11:30 am + Bienvenido Luna
1:00 pm + Pablito Camiguing

VOTIVE LAMPS INTENTIONS



1. In loving memory of the death anniversary of Felipe Velasco. Offered by Manny & Lina Perez & family.
2. Thanksgiving on the graduation of Yasmine Faith. Offered by the Perez & Villapando families.



Let us pray!

For those who are sick members of our parish and those who love and minister to them.

Offertory Collection

Last Sunday Collection: \$ 9,575.30
Marygrove Camp \$ 3,026.25

Thank You For Your Generosity

God grows the Kingdom – in His own time, at His own pace



Today's gospel passage comes from a sequence called Mark's 'day of parables... Mark begins his "day of parables" with three "seed" parables. The familiar parable of the sower is not included in today's passage; it gives us the parable of the seed that grows mysteriously to produce a full harvest, and the parable of the mustard seed, the smallest seed familiar to Palestinian farmers, which can produce a bush 3-4m high. The most striking feature of these parables is the contrast between the tiny seed and what it goes on to produce. The Kingdom Jesus announces is not a worldly triumph (something we need constantly to be reminded of); of its nature it has beginnings which are unimpressive and obscure by human standards. But in the end it initiates the realisation of the final achievement of God. Reference to the sickle and harvest echoes what the prophets had said about the End-time. Mark's audience, who had already seen the Church grow from being a marginal Jewish movement into an international fellowship, would have appreciated the prophetic promise of the original parable of Jesus. The 'birds of the air' may be an echo of this. The seed growing mysteriously has a lesson for every age. The growth of the 'kingdom' is God's work, a work that is vast and mysterious.

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Save Summer Jobs and Reach Out to Your MP...

Is it fair that Canadians must agree with the government to be eligible to participate in a federal program? Groups applying for the 2018 Canada Summer Jobs grant were required to indicate their agreement with certain beliefs held by the current federal government. This contravenes the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms which guarantees the freedom of religion and conscience, of thought, belief, opinion and expression, as well as "equal protection and equal benefit of the law without discrimination." Dozens of Catholic organizations throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto were impacted by this policy. Cardinal Collins invites you to write to your federal Member of Parliament to respectfully express your concerns. Visit www.savesummerjobs.ca to send a message to your MP. It will take less than 3 minutes. You can also donate at the same site to support those organizations directly impacted. Cardinal Collins' letter is available for download at www.archtoronto.org/summerjobs.

At Prince of Peace an optional second collection is planned for the weekend of June 23-24 to support those organizations impacted by the new application guidelines.

GIVE THANKS TO GOD!

A parish celebration is planned for Deacon Eustace after the 1:00pm Mass on Sunday, June 24th, 2018. Please come to thank Deacon Eustace for his many years of service to our community.

ShareLife 2018: Living the Gospel by helping youth rebuild their lives...

Sarah couldn't get along with her mother, so she tried living on the streets at age 14. She hitchhiked to Toronto to move in with her cousin who soon kicked her out. Having no place to go, Sarah decided to try Sancta Maria House. She initially hated the structure and rules. However, the supportive staff won her trust and helped her return to school. At the end of her stay, she restored her relationship with her mother. *ShareLife*-funded agencies like Sancta Maria House are helping at-risk youth turn their lives around.

Thank you for your contributions to this year's campaign. We have now collected **\$68,987.65** toward our parish goal of **\$97,500**. Please make a sacrificial gift to *ShareLife* through our parish or sharelife.org before the campaign ends in July.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Congratulations and best wishes to all fathers (grandfathers, stepfathers, godfathers) of our parish. May God continue to give all the fathers strength and grace to fulfill their vocation as Fathers.!



PRAYER GROUP.

Join the prayer group on Thursday, June 21 for an evening of Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We hope to have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the meeting should end by 9:00 pm. Come and spend quality time with the Lord. Welcome All!

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

The Prince of Peace RCIA program will take place once a week in the evening beginning in September. If you are interested in becoming a Catholic or at least journeying along in the process of becoming a full initiated member of the Catholic faith, please speak with Fr. Lorenzo or Fr. Michael at 416-291-9422



THOU SHALL NOT PARK!

Be Careful Where You Park! Vehicles parked illegally in fire lanes can hinder fire trucks responding to a fire or other emergency. By keeping fire lanes clear at all times, we have a better chance of providing faster emergency service. By parking in fire lanes you could be jeopardizing the life of someone you love. **Fines** for parking in Fire Lanes- **\$100.00**.

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LEGION OF MARY PILGRIMAGE

Since 1977 when a large wooden Cross was erected next to the waterfall, Teopoli has become a center for monthly pilgrimages. These pilgrimages have three strong moments of common prayer, the Holy Mass, the Stations of the Cross and the Holy Rosary with Eucharistic Benediction.

The Legion of Mary are organizing a pilgrimage to Teopoli in Muskoka on Sunday, July 29th. We invite you to join us and participate in this day of prayer. For information and details please call: 647-340-3075 and leave a message.



.SENIORS MONTHLY GATHERING

Will be held Tuesday, June 19 from 1:30 - 3:30 pm in the Parish Hall. All seniors are welcome to come and enjoy bingo, line dancing, light refreshments & more.

ANNUAL MASS FOR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday, August 15 at 7:00 pm.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in September 2018 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.



VOCATION CORNER

Today's readings remind us that great things often have small beginnings. If you feel God is calling you to be a priest or religious, or permanent deacon, call **Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997**
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