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Served by the Fathers of the Oratory

SUNDAY MASSES:

8:00, 9:30 (Family Mass with Hymns)
11:00 (Sung Latin Mass)
12:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Saturday Mass 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Liturgy)
Sunday Vespers & Benediction 5:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Before every Mass on Sundays
Daily for 15 Minutes before all Masses.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Friday: 7:45 a.m.,
11:30 a.m. (Latin, More Ancient Usage) and 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 8:30 a.m. (Latin, More Ancient Usage) & 10:00 a.m.

PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Dr. Aaron James - 416-460-3489

BOOKSTALL: Sunday, 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

MARRIAGES:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest well in advance of the wedding date. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage.

If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

It should be noted that Catholics, in order to marry validly, must marry before the parish priest or his delegate and two witnesses. A civil marriage or a marriage before a non-Catholic minister is not a valid marriage. Couples in such "marriages" should contact a priest to have the situation rectified.

Parish School: Holy Family Elementary - 416-393-5212

To reach your local school board trustee, contact the Toronto Catholic District School Board at 416-222-8282 or www.tcdsb.org

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544.

ORATORY WEB PAGE: www.oratory-toronto.org

Music for the Liturgy

9:30 A.M. ENGLISH MASS

Advent II

Introit: People of Sion, behold the Lord shall come to save the nations: and the Lord shall make the Glory of his voice to be heard in the joy of your heart. Give ear, O Thou that rulest Israel: thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep.

Ordinary: PBC107-109 – Mass XVII

Psalm 126: The Lord has done great things for us: we are filled with joy.

Alleluia: I rejoiced when it was said unto me: let us go to the house of the Lord.

Creed: PBC117 – Credo I

Offertory: Wilt thou not turn again, O God, and quicken us, that thy people may rejoice in thee? Show us thy mercy, O Lord, and grant us thy salvation.

Motet: *Comfort, Comfort Ye, My People* (Louis Bourgeois)

Communion: Jerusalem, haste thee, and stand on high: and behold the joy and gladness that cometh unto thee from God thy Saviour.

Motet: *The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns*
(Southern Harmony)

Recessional: AH310 – *Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus*

11:00 A.M. (USUS ANTIQUIOR) SOLEMN HIGH MASS

Second Sunday of Advent

Asperges me, Domine

Introit: *Populus Sion*

Kyrie: *Missa Puisque Jay Perdu* (Orlandus Lassus)

Gradual: *Ex Sion*

Alleluia: *Lætatus sum*

Credo: V

Offertory: *Deus tu convertens*

Fuit Homo Missus a Deo (Palestrina)

Sanctus & Agnus: *Missa Puisque Jay Perdu* (Lassus)

Communion: *Jerusalem surge*

Ecce Dominus Veniet (Tomás Luis de Victoria)

Antiphon: *Alma Redemptoris Mater*

5:00 P.M. SOLEMN VESPERS AND BENEDICTION

Second Sunday of Advent, Year C

Office Hymn (p. 13): *Creator of the Starry Height*

Ps. 110 (p. 37): Let the mountains break forth with singing, and the hills with righteousness: for the Lord, the Light of the world, draweth nigh with power.

Ps. 113 (p. 42): O Hierusalem, look about thee toward the East, and behold, alleluia.

Apocalypse Canticle (p. 47): Haste thee, make no tarrying, O Lord: bring deliverance unto thy people.

Short Responsory (p. 49): Ostende nobis Domine . . .

Magnificat (p. 57) (Tone V with polyphonic verses by Giuseppe Antonio Bernabei) Omnis vallis implebitur et omnis mons et collis humiliabitur, et videbit omnis caro salutare Dei. (*Every valley shall be filled; and every mountain and hill shall be brought low; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God*)

Benediction Motet: *Vigilate* (William Byrd)

Final Antiphon (p. 64): *Alma Redemptoris Mater*

Organ: *Nun Komm, der Heiden Heiland*, BWV 661 (Bach)

RENOVATIO: The Oratory's Fund Raising Campaign

Our own Brother Christopher Huynh has set up a special web page for updates on the 'Renovatio' effort: <http://oratory-toronto.org/renovatio/>. Have a look for regular updates. Please feel free to contact any of the Fathers of the Oratory if you have questions about this important project.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Pilgrimage to Holy Land -- May 3 - 12, 2019

10 Days - \$3,190. Fr David Roche will lead this pilgrimage. The cost includes all taxes and tips. Flyers are at the back of the church and in the rectory or online at: www.ihtours.com/itinerary-653.

Prayer to St. Michael

Cardinal Collins has requested that parishes pray the *Prayer to St Michael* at the end of Masses. There are many translations of the prayer, of which the Cardinal prefers the one below, so it is the one we will use, including at the Low Masses of the Extraordinary Form, where the prayer is already being prayed.

"St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen."

Government Consultation on Sex Ed

The Ontario government is soliciting input from all residents of the province on various aspects of education. The most controversial is sexual education. Please take the time to take part to keep immoral material out of the classrooms. Go to: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/for-the-parents>. You may also wish to go to <http://www.pafe.ca/consultations>, the web site of Parents as First Educators.

The deadline for submissions is December 15.

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Mass Intentions

Monday, December 10

- 7:45 a.m. Joseph & Emiliano Adolfo,
req. by Jocelyn Adolfo
- 11:30 a.m. **[Feria of Advent; Comm. St. Melchiodes]**
Joshua Tiamson, req. by Madalena Pinheiro
- 5:30 p.m. (+) Holy Souls, req. by Mrs. Cisorio

Tuesday, December 11

- 7:45 a.m. Emmanuel Putrs, req. by Lela Sader
- 11:30 a.m. **[St. Damasus I, Pope & Confessor;
Comm. Feria]** Helen Chong Ping,
req. by Madalena Pinheiro
- 5:30 p.m. (+) Liwanag Galvey,
req. by the Women's Auxiliary

Wednesday, December 12

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patron of the Americas

- 7:45 a.m. (+) William & Marion Furlong & daughters,
req. by the Estate of Mary Furlong
- 11:30 a.m. **[Our Lady of Guadalupe; Comm. Feria]**
Protection of Our Lady of Guadalupe,
req. by Maria Jose de Fonseca
- 5:30 p.m. Special Intention, req. by the Ezman Family

Thursday, December 13

St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr

- 7:45 a.m. (+) Leoncio & Maria Banate,
req. by Michael Banate
- 11:30 a.m. **[St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr; Comm. Feria]**
Amy Sharma, req. by Madalena Pinheiro
- 5:30 p.m. RCIA Class of 2018-2019

Friday, December 14

St. John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor

- 7:45 a.m. Fr. Philip Cleevly, req. by Letty Sotelo
- 11:30 a.m. **[Feria of Advent]** Daniel Baruk,
req. by Renata Baruk
- 5:30 p.m. (+) Robert Biliski, req. by Anna Biliski

Saturday, December 15

Bl. Anthony Grassi of the Oratory, Priest

- 8:30 a.m. **[Bl. Anthony Grassi of the Oratory,
Priest; Comm. Feria]**
In Honour of Bl. Anthony Grassi
of the Oratory

10:00 a.m. Bl. Anthony Grassi (Sung English)

*The 11:30 a.m. weekday Masses, the 8:30 a.m. Saturday & 11:00 a.m. Sunday Masses are offered according to the more ancient usage of the Roman Rite.

PARISH FINANCES (WEEKLY BUDGET: \$8,000)

Offertory Last Sunday: \$ 9,029
Shortfall (since January): \$18,256

2019 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX. PLEASE PICK UP YOUR BOX AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. ENVELOPES NOT PICKED UP WILL BE ASSIGNED TO OTHERS, 1ST COME 1ST SERVED. NEW PARISHIONERS CAN REGISTER BY TAKING AND USING ENVELOPES.

BLESSED ANTHONY GRASSI OF THE ORATORY

He was born in 1592, and at sixteen joined St. Philip's Oratory at Fermo, Italy. He was a brilliant student with a severe case of scruples that lasted until he celebrated his first Mass. From then on he was characterized by imperturbable serenity.

He used to say that, in forming an estimate of a man, one should not look at an individual trait, but take all of that person's qualities together, and then more good than bad will generally be found. So he was a very gentle superior; and when asked why he did not show more severity, he said that he did not know how. When questioned as to whether he wore a hair shirt, he replied that he had learned from St. Philip that it was better to begin with spiritual mortifications, like humbling the mind and will.

His feast day will be celebrated next Saturday, December 15 with a sung English Mass at 10:00 a.m. Please join us in honouring this Oratorian Blessed.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS ALMSGIVING

The annual collection to help the poor of our parish at Christmas will be taken up today. Your almsgiving assists in meeting the needs of poor households in the parish and neighbourhood. Your outstanding generosity during past appeals has been truly appreciated and has allowed us to provide both material relief and a witness of Christian compassion and charity to those in need. **Please be generous in helping those of our parish who are in need.**

BOOKSTALL NEWS

Right to Life Christmas cards are now available.

The Porn Myth, by Matthew Fradd

Porn sites get more visitors each month than Netflix, Amazon and Twitter combined. In fact, over 30% of all internet traffic is porn. This is a major societal disaster. The Porn Myth clearly and patiently debunks the arguments of those who think that porn is a harmless and legitimate form of entertainment. The author does not hide his Catholicism, but does not rely on the Bible or Catechism to make his case. He then goes on to give great advice to parents on how to protect their children from porn so that they never get started and very practical suggestions and hope to the millions of addicts who feel powerless and miserable in its grips. A very important book for all. No need to be ashamed to buy it! - \$25

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MARRIAGE COURSE - JANUARY-MARCH 2019

The first class is on Monday, January 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall of Holy Family Church. Course continues for seven consecutive Monday nights, till March 11. No need to preregister. Couples are invited to show up a few minutes early on January 28 to register.

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