# Church of The Holy Family

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#### **SUNDAY MASSES:**

8:00, 9:00, 10:00 a.m.
11:00 (Sung Latin Mass)
12:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Saturday Mass 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Liturgy)
Sunday Vespers: Canelled until further notice
during Covid-19

#### **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 - hfmusic@oratory-toronto.org

**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.

Tel: 416-532-2879

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

# **Mass Intentions**

Monday, October 26

7:45 a.m. (+) William & Marion Furlong & their daughters, req. by the Estate

11:30 a.m. [St. Evaristus, Pope & Martyr]

(+) Julie David, req. by Dahlia Reyes

5:30 p.m. (+) Bruce Crawford,

req. by Leeda Crawford

**Tuesday, October 27** 

7:45 a.m. (+) Dr. Herbert McNeill,

req. by Dorothy McNeil

11:30 a.m. **[Feria]** Philip & Ivony Vistan

5:30 p.m. Thanksgiving, req. by Solidad N. Barnoth

Wednesday, October 28

SS. Simon & Jude, Apostles

7:45 a.m. (+) Charles & Lorraine Marshall,

req. by Maria Felice

11:30 a.m. [SS. Simon & Jude, Apostles]

(+) Mara Ng, req. by Madeline Dawson

5:30 p.m. Philip & Ivony Vistan

Thursday, October 29

7:45 a.m. (+) Margaret Cooke,

req. by Dorothy McNeil

11:30 a.m. [Feria] (+) Richard Kozlicki,

req. by Christopher Kozlicki

5:30 p.m. (+) Gerardo B. Garcia,

req. by the Garcia Family

Friday, October 30

7:45 a.m. (+) Anna Mathai (Sr.)

11:30 a.m. [Feria] Philip & Ivony Vistan

5:30 p.m. (+) Juanita & Celestino Madriaga,

req. by the Madriaga Family

Saturday, October 31

8:30 a.m. [Saturday of Our Lady]

Fathers & Brothers of the Oratory

10:00 a.m. (+) Family & Friends of Parishioners

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.

Masks Required by City By-Law.

Masks are required by the city by-law for attendees at Mass. Please bring a mask with you. When you come up for Communion, you may take off the mask at the altar rail. Because of the distance from the congregation, the priests will not wear the mask at the altar but will wear them for distributing Communion.

**Registration for Mass** 

The weekday and Saturday morning schedule remains the same as before the lockdown. There is no need to register for these Masses. But we encourage you to read to consul the Oratory's Covid protocol page before coming. There is a need to register for the Saturday evening and all Sunday Masses. The registration process is explained on the same page as above.

#### **Bible Study Has Resumed**

On Tues. at 7:30 p.m in the parish hall. The format is simple. An opening prayer, a short recap of where we are in the book we are reading, then we READ the Bible, each participant reading a paragraph or two in turn. Comments & questions, and then we repeat the process. Our concluding prayer is one of the psalms, recited antiphonally, with a short reflection. We end at 9:00 p.m. Bring a bible (required), and a spouse, friend, or child (optional).

#### **RCIA Classes**

On Mondays at 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall. They are intended for inquirers, for those intending to be baptized or received into the Catholic Church, and also for Catholics who would like to grow as disciples of Jesus Christ through a deeper understanding of their faith. Everyone is welcome and there is no fee and no pressure. Please email Br. Alexander at 6paulg@gmail.com if you're interested.

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#### **BOOKSTALL**

Spiritual Direction from Dante, continued: "Ascending Mount Purgatory". The 2nd volume of commentary on Dante's Divine Comedy by Fr. Paul Pearson, superior of the Toronto Oratory, is available. \$33 We also have copies of Dante's Purgatory, translated by Anthony Esolen. \$22. Both books \$45

#### **VOCATION DISCERNMENT**

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Please turn off your cell phone before entering the church, or switch it to silent/vibrating mode.

#### Dear Parishioners and Friends of Holy Family Parish:

I am delighted to report that many people are coming back to Mass. But this good news poses a challenge, because more people means that it becomes more difficult to keep social distancing protocols. In addition, last week, a group of dedicated volunteers removed some pews and respaced the remaining ones so that the distance between two pews is now 6' or greater. This, of course, reduced the number of people that can be let into the church at one time. But such a step was necessary to minimize the danger of getting shut down by the government for violation of covid laws.

In order to make the sacraments available to as many people as possible, we have decided to add another Mass to our schedule. It will be a Low Mass (Extraordinary Form) with organ music on Sundays at 5 p.m. If you try to book the 11 a.m. Mass online or by phone and find that it is already filled up, we invite you to consider this Mass as an option. And there is also the possibility of going to St Vincent's for the 9:30 a.m. Low Mass (Extraordinary Form). There is no need to sign up for Masses at St Vincent's at this time.

But it is not just the 11 a.m. Mass that is popular. The 12:30 p.m. Mass also achieved capacity today. And in light of the reduced capacity as a result of the pews being taken out, we need to reduce the total number of reservations at each Mass. So if your favourite time slot is not available, consider another Mass. Right now, there are always spots available at the 9 a.m. Mass.

# Please help us remain compliant with covid regulations:

- 1. Always sign up for Mass either through Eventbrite or by phoning the parish 416-532-2879. When reserving spots, please include your children. Please do not just show up, expecting to be let in. It pains our volunteers to have to turn people away, but they will have to do it, because we do not want to be shut down. (There is no need to sign up for the weekday or Saturday morning Masses.)
- 2. Please follow the directions of the volunteers who may be asking you to sit in a particular spot. They are trying to maximize the number of people who can be in the church while maintaining social distancing. Without all their hard work, we would not be able to offer so many Masses. Please make their job easier by complying with their requests.

If anyone is interested in helping out as a volunteer -- usher, cleaner, etc.-- please get in touch with Fr Michael Eades.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr Martin Hilbert

#### 41st Annual Cardinal's Dinner

www.archtoronto.org/cardinalsdinner.

#### A VIRTUAL EVENING – NOVEMBER 5, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.

The 41st annual Cardinal's Dinner will be celebrated as a virtual event, open to all, on Thursday, November 5, at 7 p.m. Join us on Salt & Light TV and the Archdiocese of Toronto's Facebook page: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/archtoronto">www.facebook.com/archtoronto</a> for an inspiring 60-minute program that will include musical performances, profiles of Cardinal's Dinner beneficiaries, an interview with Cardinal Collins, greetings from dignitaries and a special thank you to volunteers who have been assisting parishes throughout the pandemic. There is no cost to attend the event however our goal is to continue to support the Cardinal's Dinner charities during these challenging days. For more information or to donate in support of the dinner, visit:

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

**November 1, All Saints:** This year All Saints Day falls on a Sunday. All Saints Day is the anniversary of the foundation of the Toronto Oratory. Please remember the Oratory in yur prayers

November 2, All Souls: There will be a Solemn High Mass at 8:00 p.m. Your offering for the faithful departed may be made at this Mass. Envelopes are included in this week's bulletin. Those who wish to attend the Mass must sign up online or by phone. Registering for the Mass will begin this Monday, October 26.

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