

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



The Apostles returned from their mission. They gathered around Jesus and told him all that they had done and taught.

-Mark 6.30

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS

RCIA classes will start in September. Please inform interested individuals and families, including children above the age of 7 who have not yet been baptized. Applications are available in the office and at the Welcome Desks on Sundays. If you have been baptized before, you are asked to return a copy of your baptismal certificate with your fully completed application

First Reconciliation classes will begin in October 2024 and First Communion classes will begin in January 2025. Applications are available in the parish office and at our Welcome Desks. All applications must be accompanied by a baptismal certificate. Application fee is \$50.

Confirmation classes will begin in March 2025. Each application will require a copy of the candidate's baptismal certificate and a contribution of \$80 for supplies, retreats, and other expenses. Confirmation application forms will be available in the parish office beginning on January 5, 2025.

We welcome teachers who would like to join our team of sacramental instructors. If interested, please call the parish office at 416-924-6257.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES NEW SCHEDULE FOR DAILY MASSES

MONDAY - 12:10PM & 5:15PM - *NO 8AM*
 TUESDAY - 8AM & 12:10PM - *NO 5:15PM*
 WEDNESDAY - 12:10PM & 5:15PM - *NO 8AM*
 THURSDAY - 8AM & 12:10PM - *NO 5:15PM*
 FRIDAY - 12:10PM & 5:15PM - *NO 8AM*
 SATURDAY - 8AM & 12:10PM
 SATURDAY - 5:15PM - ANTICIPATORY MASS
 FOR SUNDAY



Our Parish Picnic will be next weekend, **Saturday, July 27th from 11am – 3pm at the church parking lot.** Please let us know if you are coming by calling the Parish office at 416-924-6257 or send an email at info@lourdes.to so we can estimate how many hotdogs we'll need.

Parish Picnic: In preparation for our upcoming Parish Picnic, we need volunteers to help with the preparation of the event. If you are interested, please call the Parish office at 416-924-6257.

Reminder to everyone that there will be NO parking at the church premises on Saturday, July 27th. Parking will be available at Monsignor Fraser School, 146 Isabella St. Toronto (one block away from the church).

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 27 – Parish Picnic
 July 31 - Feast of St. Ignatius
 September 7-8 – Ministry Fair
 September 14-29 - Lourdes Pilgrimage
 September 17-25 – Novena to the Canadian Martyrs
 December 9 – Communal Penance Service
 December 21 – Parish Christmas Celebration

SENIORS PROGRAM

The World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated with a special picnic on Saturday July 27, followed by a special mass on Sunday July 28 at 11:30, just before our parish-wide picnic. Coffee will be provided for all seniors.

MISSION CO-OP COLLECTION

Mission Appeals was cancelled last weekend and rescheduled on the weekend of July 27 and 28, 2024.

PILGRIMAGE TO CANADIAN MARTYRS' SHRINE



Our Annual Pilgrimage to Canadian Martyrs' Shrine in Midland, Ontario is scheduled for **Saturday, September 28th, 2024.**

Tickets are available from the Parish Office during the week. *Tickets cost \$50.*

PARISH BAZAAR

OUR PARISH BAZAAR THIS YEAR WAS FULL OF FUN AND A GREAT COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE. THE MONEY WE RAISED FROM BAZAAR WAS **\$17,754.50**. AGAIN, WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO MADE THIS EVENT A HUGE SUCCESS.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services – Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on **Wednesday, August 14, 2024 at 7pm.**

See posters for details of the Cemetery locations and Celebrants at the entrances of the church, Parish website and Flocknote.

INTRODUCTORY WORKSHOP TO CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

You are invited to attend a series of six presentations to be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 520 Sherbourne St., following the Introductory Workshop already scheduled for July 20, 2024, 10:00 a.m - 12:00 noon.

The series will start on Saturday, July 27 and end on August 31, 2024, 11:00 a.m - 12:00 noon. Regular Christian Meditation weekly meetings will continue thereafter, starting on Saturday, September 7, same day and time.

This course provides an opportunity to learn more about this ancient Christian tradition of contemplative prayer, its origins and its relevance today.

You will experience the practice in small groups where we will listen to recorded talks by Fr. John Main, OSB or Fr. Laurence Freeman, OSB, followed by a period of 20-25 minutes of meditation right after. Questions or comments will be addressed at the end of the one hour session.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 22

12:10pm Henry Carta + [Shine & Family]

5:15pm Mary Aina's Birthday [Funmi]

Tuesday, July 23

8:00am Souls of the Faithful Departed [Lina Oliver]

12:10pm Pedro & Asuncion + [Rose Avendano]

Wednesday, July 24

12:10pm Victor Sta. Ana + [Nina Sta. Ana]

5:15pm Rosemary Selvarajan [Family]

Thursday, July 25

8:00am Rolando Bentijaba + [Violy B]

12:10pm Souls of the Faithful Departed [Lina Oliver]

Friday, July 26

12:10pm Luis & Felisa Rebano + [Carlo]

5:15pm Minerva Salic +

Saturday, July 27

8:00am Elenita De Ryke + [Nestor & Ernie Santiago]

12:10pm Jose & Romana Luistro + [Evelyn Lamado]

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

Ernesto Carino, Noctor David, Darwin Abeleda