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SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 7:45 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12 Noon

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m.
First Friday 9:00 a.m. mass followed by Holy Hour
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)
Saturday 4 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and anytime by request

UTM CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY

Fr. Edward Curtis, Chaplain
Lisa Caballero, Director of Campus Ministry
A.J. Vicente, Campus Minister

We provide a supportive community for students at UTM to learn, grow, and celebrate their Catholic faith. For more information visit www.utmcatholics.com or contact us at utmcatholics@archtoronto.org

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the parish office. Please also inform the parish office if a family member is ill or shut-in at home or hospital and would like Holy Communion brought to them.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parent(s) are to be registered parishioners and participate in a preparation program. Contact the parish office for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married should contact the parish one year in advance. They must also take a marriage preparation course.

PARISH SCHOOLS

All Saints 905-828-6348 St. Clare 905-820-2227
St. Mark 905-820-9477
Loyola Catholic Secondary 905-820-9822

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday through Friday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our parish family! Please register by filling out the registration form available in the foyer, parish office and on our parish website: stignatiusloyolami.archtoronto.org

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Flowers	Yvette Mondragon
Altar Guild	Lynn Alp
Altar Guild, Linens	Anne-Marie Bauer
Altar Servers	Jackie Mullan
Baptismal Preparation	Franka Lowe
Bible Study	Colin Cranmer-Byng
Children's Liturgy (10:30 a.m. Sunday) (12 Noon Sundays)	Marise Mascarenhas Kiran James
Catholic Women's League	Debbie Bates
Coffee Sunday	Gerald Menezes
Collection Counters	Kathy Kastelec
EDGE Youth Ministry	Fr. Alex D'Silva
Funeral Altar Servers	John Crump
Gardening	Emma Chow
Hospitality	Melissa Siu-Chong
Knights of Columbus	Mike Genua (Grand Knight)
Ministers of the Eucharist	Audrey D'Souza
Ministers of the Word	Maureen Kelly
Music 5:00 pm	Cantor & Accompanist
9:00 am	Cantor & Accompanist
10:30 am	Cantor & Accompanist
12:00 noon	Cantor & Accompanist
Pastoral Care of the Sick	Anita Gonsalves
Property & Finance	Fr. Edward Curtis
RCIC - Confirmation	Anne Marie Sisti
RCIC - First Communion	Lynn Alp
Refugee Committee	Les & Moira Storey
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)	Franka Lowe
Rosary Apostolate	Judy Camilleri
ShareLife	Fr. Edward Curtis
Social Outreach	Ana Buzdon
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Peggy Schreuder
Volunteer Screening	Gloria Norona



From the Pastor's Desk

As we embark on another vibrant year of faith and community, I want to express my deepest gratitude for your unwavering dedication and commitment. This year, we continue to draw closer to Jesus and strive to bring the message of the Gospel to the hearts of those around us. Your involvement and enthusiasm are the heartbeat of our parish, and together, we make a profound impact on our community. Let's move forward with renewed energy and faith, embracing the opportunities to grow spiritually and serve others. Thank you for being an essential part of our parish family. May this year be filled with blessings, joy and a deepened connection with our Lord.

Welcome Back!

To our Students, Faculty, Staff and Parents of St. Clare's, St. Mark's, All Saints, and Loyola Secondary School: Welcome back to a new academic year! As you embark on this journey of learning and growth, we at St. Ignatius Loyola Parish are delighted to extend our warmest greetings to each of you. We cherish the strong bonds we share with our schools and are here to support you in every way possible. May this year be filled with inspiration, achievement and joy as we work together to nurture both mind and spirit. We look forward to a wonderful year ahead and to continuing our partnership in faith and Catholic Education.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Begins in September

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) for those who would like to become Roman Catholic, will begin in September. If you or a loved one would like to consider becoming a Roman Catholic, please speak to Fr. Alex or Fr. Ed after mass or contact us by e-mail or phone.

Liturgy of the Word with Children Resumes

We are pleased to resume the Liturgy of the Word with Children ministry at both the 10:30 a.m. and 12 Noon masses. The program is for school-aged children 4 years old and up.

Highschool students are welcome to volunteer and earn their community hours. Adult volunteers are also welcome.

New volunteers will receive training and are required to complete a screening package including a police check if they are over 18 years old. Please contact the parish office with your name and contact info if you are interested.

Final Push for ShareLife

As we approach the final stretch of our ShareLife campaign, as your pastor, I wanted to reach out for one, final appeal. Thanks to your incredible generosity and support, we have raised \$208,440 toward our \$256,000 goal.

This parish has always been known to meet the goal amount set for us by ShareLife and in fact, we have one of the highest (if not the highest) success-rate at reaching that goal. This year, I am a little concerned that we may not make it to where we should be, for various reasons, and I think we need to dig a little bit deeper to make this happen.

I could go on about all the agencies in our communities that benefit from your generosity to ShareLife, but I know that you are already aware of the great good that is done. ShareLife also keeps our own St. Augustine's Seminary open and thriving. My own self excluded, I am super-impressed by the calibre of candidates for the priesthood, diaconate, as well as lay students who have been formed by our seminary. Generosity toward ShareLife is an investment into the future of our Church, not only in our own archdiocese, but also in various dioceses throughout Canada.

If you have not already given to ShareLife this year, please consider donating. If you have already given to ShareLife this year and there is a possibility that you can give again, it would greatly help us to reach our goal. May the Lord bless you abundantly for your goodness toward those who rely on our generosity as a community!

Donations can be made with the *ShareLife* envelope, online through our parish website, or at <https://sharelife.org/donate/>

Manresa's 75th Anniversary

Everyone is invited to a BBQ celebrating 75 years of Manresa Jesuit Spirituality Centre, 2325 Liverpool Rd. N., Pickering on September 15 from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Hamburgers, Hotdogs, cold drinks and music on their beautiful grounds. Walk our Labyrinth, Rosary Lane and trails. Bring your own lawn chairs/ picnic blankets. There will be games for children. Rain or Shine. No RSVP required.

Roses for Life

The Knights of Columbus will be offering their ROSES FOR LIFE (fabric lapel roses) in support of local pro-life causes before and after each mass on the weekend of *September 14/15* in the parish foyer as we prepare for Respect Life Sunday. Thank you for your generosity!

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada: Supporting Bishops in Their Pastoral Mission Across the Country

The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place the weekend of September 28 and 29. This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying and caring for the Church in Canada. Please support the collection. We thank you in advance for your generosity and continued commitment.

Catholic Women's League

This is a reminder that the next General Meeting will take place on Tuesday September 17 beginning with the Rosary in the church at 6:30 p.m. followed by the meeting in the parish hall at 7:00 p.m. New members are always welcome! For info: Dbates.cwl@sympatico.ca.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is offering a special weekend experience in Spanish, to rekindle romance, enhance couple communication, and keep love growing on September 20, 21 and 22 at Queen of Apostles, Mississauga. For more info: Carmen-Francisco Camacho (416) 220-4414 or Lily- Edgar Santizo (647) 504-5689.

Fall Bible Study

Thank you to all those that have signed up for our Fall Bible Study, Ascension Press' *Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother*. The first session will take place in the parish hall from 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. on Thursday October 3.

2024 ACTS Retreats

Queen of Apostles is hosting the Women's Retreat on October 3-6. Contact Debbie Klaudusz, 416-824-3197 wdlaudusza@bell.net. The Men's Retreat will take place on October 31- November 3. Contact Paul Valtas, 905-670-6760 pvaltasl@dgn-marketing.com.

EDGE BEGINS AGAIN ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11!!!

Our EDGE Youth Ministry begins again this year on Friday, October 11 at 7pm in the parish hall for our young people in grades 6, 7 and 8! This experience is a dynamic, fun and

exciting opportunity to make the Catholic faith and everyday life come together in a way that you haven't thought of before! Through Social and Issue Nights, through Scripture, talks, videos and games, we discuss interesting and important topics that affect our life and our faith journey.

From October 2024 to May 2025 (except during the Christmas break), the program runs on every 2nd and 4th Friday from 7pm to 9pm at the St. Ignatius of Loyola Parish Hall, 2300 Burnhamthorpe Road West, Mississauga.

Interested?? Then please fill out the registration form at the EDGE table in the foyer or at the parish office during office hours.

Volunteers are also welcome to sign up.

Cost of registration and fees for the entire year is \$20.

UTM Catholic Chaplaincy Update

Are you a university or college student? This school year, open your heart to an exciting journey of spiritual growth and community. Join campus ministry to grow deeper in your faith, form lasting friendships and experience university/college life in a more meaningful way. Connect with campus ministry anywhere in Canada and find your Catholic home on campus! Scan the QR code or [Chaplaincy Connect - OCY \(ocytoronto.org\)](http://ChaplaincyConnect-OCY(ocytoronto.org)).

The UTM (University of Toronto Mississauga) Catholic Chaplaincy exists to provide a supportive community for students to learn, grow, and celebrate their Catholic faith. For more information visit our www.utmcatholics.com.

Are you ticked? Support Catholic Education

Please make sure that you are identified as an English Separate School Supporter by checking the assessment section of your Tax Bill or Property Assessment Notice. When you direct your support to the Catholic system, you are sending the government a powerful message that says you support Catholic schools in your community, you want to see Catholic schools continue to exist and flourish and you want equitable resources for your Catholic schools.

To register, check or change your Direction of School Support Designation, contact the Admissions Department at 905-890-0708 ext. 24512 or admissions@dpcdsb.org.

Parish Email Updates

If you would prefer to receive parish news via email, please let the parish office know so that we can add you to email list, stignatiusloyolami@archtoronto.org.

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