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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
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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)	Marise Mascarenhas
(12 Noon Sundays)	Kiran James
Catholic Women's League	Debbie Bates
Coffee Sunday	Gerald Menezes
Collection Counters	Kathy Kastelic
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 Director	Claudia Ferro
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 gather to celebrate Thanksgiving this weekend, I want to take a moment, on behalf of Fr. Alex and our whole Ignatian Team, to express my heartfelt gratitude for each of you. Our community is a true reflection of God's love, and I am continually inspired by your faith, kindness, and support for one another.

This season reminds us to pause and reflect on our blessings. Let us give thanks for our families, friends, and the abundant grace in our lives. May we also remember those who are struggling, and extend our hands and hearts to those in need.

I invite you to join us in prayer and worship as we celebrate the many gifts God has given us. Together, let us cultivate a spirit of gratitude and joy, sharing the love of Christ in all we do. Wishing you a blessed Thanksgiving filled with peace, joy, and love.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

Thanksgiving Food Drive, October 12/13

We are having a Drive-Thru Thanksgiving Food Drive in support of the Salvation Army Food Bank at Glen Erin/Collegeway in the front parking lot on Thanksgiving weekend, October 12/13 before and after all the Masses.

The Knights of Columbus will take the donations directly from your trunk and deliver them to the foodbank. The items that are most needed include bar soap, body wash, shampoo, conditioner, and rice. Thank you for your generosity!

First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion Registration Meetings

Registration reminder! Parents and Guardians of Grade 2 children are invited to a Registration Meeting for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion on either Tuesday October 15 or Wednesday October 16 from 6:30 p.m. here in the church.

If your child has not received the registration package electronically through one of our three parish schools, a physical copy may be picked up from the parish office. Those families not part of one of our schools are also invited to pick up a RCIC package from the office. The last day to register is Sunday October 13th, 2024. No late registrations will be accepted. Please contact our Lay Pastoral Associate, Melissa at msiuchong@archtoronto.org should you prefer a digital package and/or if you have any questions.

Coffee Sunday is back!

Please join us after each mass next weekend, **October 19/20** in the parish hall to meet our Lay Pastoral Associate Melissa, and to enjoy some coffee, tea, juice, and cookies.

CWL Peel Regional Meeting

The CWL Fall Peel Regional General Meeting will be held at St. Martin of Tours Parish - 1290 McBride Ave, Mississauga on *Tuesday, October 15, 2024* beginning with Mass at 7:00p.m. followed by refreshments and the meeting in the Parish Hall. All CWL members are invited. To sign up for carpooling or for more information contact Debbie at debbie1993.cwl@gmail.com

CWL October General Meeting Date Change

To allow members to attend the above CWL Fall Peel Regional Meeting, our St. Ignatius Loyola CWL General Meeting, that would have been on October 15th, has been moved one week later to *Tuesday, October 22nd, 2024* and will begin with the Rosary in the church at 6:30pm and the meeting in the hall at 7:00pm. All women of the parish ages 16 and up are welcome.

World Mission Sunday – Second Collection (Oct 20)

There will be a second collection on October 19th and 20th for the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as World Mission Sunday. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church, and it is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic Communities globally. Offerings are combined with offerings from other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. We are called to share from our abundance with those less fortunate who lack the basic essentials to know, love and praise God. Thank you for your support of this important work.

Priestly Tune-up

Every year around this time, each of the priests of this archdiocese are expected to attend what is called the Annual Priest Seminar. These are like "study days" for the priests on a particular topic, chosen by the Archbishop of Toronto. The seminar takes place over two weeks. Fr. Alex will attend the week of October 21st and Fr. Ed will attend the week of October 28th. In case you might be wondering where they are on those weeks. They haven't abandoned the place!

40 Days for Life, September 25 – November 3

We encourage our parishioners to take part by committing to an hour to stand vigil in prayer near the Mississauga Women's Centre at 101 Queensway. Our parish date is Thursday, October 24 from 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. For more information or to register please visit:

<https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/mississauga>

OCTOBER 13, 2024

The Knights of Columbus present...Oktoberfest!

Join us for a fun Oktoberfest night on Saturday, October 26 at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Ignatius Loyola church hall. Enjoy BBQ sausage, cold craft beer, chips, soft drinks, and music by the Sparklettes!

Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for kids. Buy them from the Knights of Columbus after Mass on October 12th, 13th, 29th, and 20th, Cash only. Proceeds from this event will be used to support local community charities. Don't miss this festive event!

Mass of Remembrance on All Souls Day

On All Souls Day, Saturday November 2, we will celebrate Mass at 9:00 a.m. for our beloved deceased relatives and friends. We will also offer this Mass specifically for those who have died, and who have had their funerals at the Parish over the past year. All are invited to join us.

ShareLife: Answer the call to compassion

100,000 people in Toronto are expected to turn to food charities for the first time in 2024. Through our parish's support, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto and a generous anonymous donor are committing \$750,000 to fund food banks and meal programs throughout the archdiocese. Reaching our parish campaign goal will help to make these grants possible. We have currently raised \$214,762.35 towards our suggested goal of \$256,000. Please help combat hunger at sharelife.org/donate or by giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your compassion.

ARCHDIOCESE NEWS/EVENTS

Pope Francis Elevates Archbishop Francis Leo to the College of Cardinals!

The Holy Father will hold a Consistory for the creation of the new Cardinals on December 8, 2024 at the Vatican. 21 new Cardinals from around the world were included in the announcement, including our Archbishop! Please join us in keeping him in your prayers.

Free Catholic Estate Planning Webinar

On Saturday, October 19, 2024, at 9:00 a.m., learn:

- **How to avoid problems:** in your Will, with the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- **How to create your own legacy**
- **About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals**

If interested, please register by sending an email to Development@ArchToronto.org, with the subject line "Webinar October 19". Kindly include your name(s) in the body of the email.

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre Retreats

Join the Centre Team for a **Cancer Patients and Caregivers Retreat** (Thursday, October 24th at 8:30 a.m.) or **Marian Retreat** (Saturday October 26th at 8:30 a.m.) at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre (1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga). Registration is \$45 and includes coffee/tea, muffins, and a hot lunch. The retreats conclude with Mass. For more information contact Jean 905-278-5229 or office@qoa.ca.

2024 ACTS Retreats

Queen of Apostles is the Men's Retreat on October 31-November 3. To register and for more information, contact Paul Valtas, 905-670-6760 pvaltas@dgn-marketing.com.

RENEW Toronto

This is your chance to grow in faith alongside like-minded individuals who are in the same exciting stage of life. Whether you're a student, young professional, young couple, or part of a family, this conference has something special just for you!



St. Vincent de Paul Society

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul continues to help over 110 families coping with food insecurities within our parish boundaries. It is only through your generous financial assistance that we can continue to do this.

We thank you for your continued support and remind you of the Poor Boxes located in the front and hall foyers. You may also donate online through our SSVF link on the parish website under Outreach Ministries, SSVF-affiliated weblink: <http://Canadahelps.org/en/dn/53987>

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