





November Month of All Souls...

During the month of November, we are called to pray in a particular way for those who have died. There will be a special Memorial Prayer Box placed in the Sanctuary during this month. The names of the deceased may be written on the envelopes provided and placed in the Memorial Prayer Box. The deceased will be remembered in all the Masses celebrated during November.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Sponsor a Christmas Poinsettia



Parishioners are invited to sponsor poinsettias for our Christmas decorations. You may make your donations by using the **"Christmas Flower"** envelope found in your offertory box, or with the envelopes available in the foyer of the church.

Please place your envelopes in the weekend offertory collection. Thank You!

Children's Christmas Eve Choir

Children in Grade 3 and up are invited to participate in a Christmas Choir to sing at the **5:00pm Christmas Eve Mass.**

Practices Times are as follows:

Saturday, Dec. 14th & Saturday Dec. 21st from 6pm to 6:45pm, and Tuesday. Dec. 24th at 4:15pm.

Those interested are asked to meet Zabrina Villasanta in the church.



<u>Advent Retreat ~ Reflections on the Blessed Trinity</u> <u>Saturday, Dec. 14th at St. Augustine's Seminary</u>

Father Charles Anang will explore the profound depths of the Christian's identity and sublime destiny. This reflection offers an opportunity to deepen our relationship with the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Holy Mass at St. Augustine's venerable chapel is included with registration. Feel free to invite friends and family to join us on this day.

Time: 9:30am to 3:00pm Fee: \$50.00 includes lunch To register or for more information, please call 416-261-7207 or visit: http://www.staugustines.on.ca/

<u>Comforting Those Who Have Suffered a Loss</u> <u>Sunday, December 8th at 2:00 pm</u> <u>Holy Cross Catholic Funeral Home</u>



Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services extends a warm invitation to those in need of special solace as the Christmas season approaches. Join us for an afternoon of fellowship as we welcome Deacon Curtis Boone, who will share his thoughts and give *"Hope for the Hurting this Holiday Season"*.

All are welcome ~ Refreshments will be served! Contact: 416-733-8544 or Email: info@cc-fs.ca



Vocations Corner...

"Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom."
Can you lead others to make this request of our Lord and King? Give your life to Jesus and others are sure to hear,
"Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."
If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocations Director at 416-968-0997.
Email: vocations@archtoronto.org Web: www.vocationstoronto.ca



Monday: November 25th

8:00am - †Mathai Poonoly

Tuesday: November 26th

7:00pm - †Clara Manzini; †Vincenzo Calabrese; †Giuseppe Marchese (1 Month Anniversary of Death)

Wednesday: November 27th

8:00am - †John Dimech 7:00pm - Reparation of Sins and Moral Renewal of Canada; †Ivan Andrijic; †Rosina Renzella; †Silvia Venditto (5th Anniversary of Death)

Thursday: November 28th

8:00am - †John Dimech

Friday: November 29th

8:00am - †Roberto & Edna Pinto 7:00pm - †Sante Quattrociocchi

(1st Anniversary of Death)

Saturday: November 30th

8:30am - †Theresia Lonappan; †Stephen Holt; †Filomena Bataclan; †Frank Lunardo (13th Anniversary of Death)

5:00pm - †Liborio Panico

Sunday: December 1st

9:00am - †Roland and Linda Mongeon 10:30am - †Anna and Domenic Doria 12:00pm - For the People of Our Parish

Eucharistic Adoration

Our parish has Eucharistic Adoration in the church every Friday from 8:30am to 7pm. Can you spare a few moments from your busy schedule to come and spend some time before Jesus in prayer and adoration?



Thank You For Your Generosity



OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



Today as a Church, we conclude our liturgical year and celebrate the Feast of Christ the King. The Gospel we proclaim shows the great mystery of our faith: In the moment of his crucifixion, Jesus is shown to be King and Savior of all.

Luke's Gospel has been loaded with surprises: the poor are rich, sinners find salvation, the Kingdom of God is found in our midst. Here we see

the greatest surprise of all. We are confronted with the crucified Jesus, whom faith tells us is King and Savior of all. The irony is that the inscription placed on the cross, perhaps in mockery, contains the profoundest of truth. As the leaders jeer, the thief crucified by his side recognizes Jesus as Messiah and King, and finds salvation.

Jesus is King, but not the kind of king we might have imagined or expected. His kingship was hidden from many of his contemporaries, but those who had the eyes of faith were able to see. As modern disciples of Jesus, we, too, struggle at times to recognize Jesus as King. Today's Gospel invites us to make our own judgment. With eyes of faith, we, too, recognize that Jesus, the crucified One, is indeed King and Savior of all. *(loyolapress.com)*

I membri del Sinedrio, che avevano consegnato Gesù a Pilato e ai soldati che dovevano crocifiggerlo, pensavano di essersi liberati di un uomo pio, certo, ma pericoloso politicamente. Ora, essi sono ai piedi della croce e lo scherniscono chiamandolo Messia, eletto di Dio, re. Ma Gesù, proprio in guanto Messia e Re nel compimento del piano eterno di salvezza, ingaggia sulla croce una lotta sanguinosa contro Satana, che aveva soggiogato l'uomo sull'albero del paradiso. Ora, sull' albero della croce, Cristo gli inferisce un colpo mortale e salva l'uomo. Gesù poteva scendere dalla croce e salvarsi; ma non l'ha fatto, perché altrimenti non ci avrebbe salvato. Ed ecco che raccoglie i frutti della sua passione: uno dei due ladroni crocifissi ai suoi fianchi confessa i propri peccati ed esorta l'altro a fare lo stesso, ma, soprattutto, professa la sua fede: Gesù è Re! Il Re crocifisso gli assicura in modo solenne: "Oggi sarai con me in paradiso". Adamo aveva chiuso a tutti le porte del paradiso, Gesù, vincitore del peccato, della morte e di Satana, apre le porte del paradiso anche ai più grandi peccatori, purché si convertano, sia pure nel momento della loro morte. Del resto, noi ben conosciamo molte conversioni simili.



OLA Christmas For the Needy

The St. Vincent de Paul Society invites you to remember the poor through your generous gifts of non-perishable food. Donations can be dropped off in the SVDP Food Bin between now and December 13th.

Most urgent needs include: peanut butter and jam, Kraft Dinner, canned tuna, corned beef, canned peaches or pears, Beefaroni, pasta sauce, cookies and snack bars for school lunches. Cash donations to the poor box are gratefully appreciated. *No clothing or outdated food.*

Thank you and God bless you!



2020 SUNDAY MISSALS 2020 New Saint Joseph Sunday Mi

The 2020 New... Saint Joseph Sunday Missals will be available for sale this weekend at a cost of \$5.00 each.

Remembering the Parish in Your Will

November is "Make a Will" month! Have you considered remembering our parish in your will? The Church is where we experience a many important moments in our lives. A bequest is a beautiful way to express your faith and gratitude for a lifetime of blessings -



a lasting legacy of love that will help the Church continue with its many ministries. When making your will, please consider a bequest to Our Lady of the Airways Parish.

For more information, please call the Development Office of the Archdiocese at 416-934-3411, ext. 519 or visit www.archtoronto.org/development.

<u>Twenty-Second Annual Celebration of Life</u> <u>Saturday December 7th at 3:00pm</u>

Newediuk Funeral Home invites anyone who has been touched by loss to attend their **Twenty-Second Annual Celebration of Life.**

It is an uplifting service that will be held on **Saturday December 7th at 3pm** at **Newediuk Funeral Home.**

(2058 Kipling Avenue – North of Rexdale Blvd) Please RSVP at 416-745-7555.

Are you in grade 5, 6, 7, or 8?

All students in grade 5 - 8 are welcome to our next EDGE Night on Friday, December 6th, from 7pm - 9pm.

EDGE Registration Fee: \$25

September 2019 to June 2020 Session (EDGE t-shirt included with registration)

Registration forms available in the church foyer.

For registration info, please contact 905-677-4615 or email: <u>OLAyouthministry@hotmail.com</u>

Calling all "OLA Teens" in grades 9 - 12!

Are you looking for service hour opportunities?

Please join us for our next *LIFE TEEN* - Hangout & Community Service on Saturday, November 30th, 2019 from 2pm to 4pm in the Chapel.

Follow us on Instagram: ourladyairwaysyouth

OLA Young Adults

Programs and Events for ages 19 - 39. *Follow us on Twitter:* @Airways_YA