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PARISH CLERGY:

Rev. Fr. Andrzej Glaba – Pastor

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

PARISH STAFF:

Secretary: Carmenza Loaiza Accountant: Lisa Maccarone Music Director: Richard Heinzle Youth Minister: Anna Betro

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 pm.

Sunday: 8:00 am. (Italian)

9:30 am. & 11:30 am.

Daily Masses:

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 am. First Friday of the Month: 7:00 p.m.

Last Friday: (except June, July & August) 7:00 pm.

SACRAMENTS:

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the Office.

Baptism Infants: Please call the Office 3 months in advance for an appointment, instructions and Preparation Class.

Baptisms (Children age 4 - 7 only)

First Communion - Confirmation - Youth Ministry:

Please Contact Anna Betro at 416-244-3066 Ext. 7 or Email 1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):

Monday - Saturday: 7:30 to 8:15 a.m. Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 p.m. First Friday of the month: 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call the office for an interview with the Priest one year before planning your wedding date and to register for the course which begins every January.

Funerals: Please contact the office. The Funeral Liturgy is on our website under Ministries-Liturgical-Funeral Liturgy.

DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: Friday 3:00 - 6:30 pm.

Rosary Apostolate: Sunday 7:30a.m (Italian) 9:00a.m (English)

Joe Gussoni - jmgussoni@rogers.com

Bible Study Group: Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Lucy Furbacher - lucyfurb@hotmail.com Teresa Meffe - teresa.meffe@gmail.com

Queen of All Saints' Prayer Group: Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Jean Ann D'Aprile - daprile60@rogers.com

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For Adults or Children 7 years and up wishing to become Catholic. Igino Piattella - igino@sympatico.ca

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please register with the parish before seeking any sacraments or any other services. Registration forms are available in the church foyer or in the parish office.

NOTE: Parishioners looking for Envelopes are asked to come to the Parish Office
Remember "All Saints' Parish" In Your Will



LORD!

2nd Sunday of Advent December 8th, 2019

A shoot shall sprout

from the stump of Jesse. (Isaiah 11:1)

Have you ever seen a Jesse Tree? It's an ancient Advent tradition consisting of a carving, painting, or stained-glass window—even an actual tree—that portrays the people, prophecies, and events leading up to the birth of the Messiah. Jesus is usually at the top. Many medieval Jesse Trees also included a depiction of Jesse himself lying at the base of the tree. That's because the design comes from today's first reading: a shoot sprouting "from the stump of Jesse" (Isaiah 11:1).

Jesse was the father of King David and an ancestor of Jesus, so the branches of the Jesse Tree are meant to display Jesus' rich and varied heritage. The Tree reminds us how faithful God was during the "long Advent" when his people waited for the Messiah. Each person and event represented on the tree depicts part of God's plan to save his people. Prophets like Jeremiah and Isaiah often show up. So do David, Solomon, and other kings, as well as virtuous women like Ruth, Esther, and Susanna.

Even if you don't decorate a Jesse Tree in your home, the ideas behind it can help you prepare for Christmas. During Advent, it's traditional to review stories from the Old Testament that promise the coming of the Messiah. Stories of these ancestors of Jesus illustrate God's commitment to his plan to save us. It's a commitment that stretched from the very beginning, through thousands of years, right up to Christmas Day. It's a commitment too that reaches even to the present.

Jesus' birth has brought about something new and wonderful, and the Jesse Tree illustrates it: a salvation that is far more wide-reaching than we ever could have imagined.

"Heavenly Father, thank you for your faithfulness to your promises! Thank you for making me a part of your family."

(Excerpt from The **WORD** Among Us)

The Sunday Missal 2019-2020 and Advent Candles are now available for sale in the office.

MASS INTENTIONS

December 9th to December 14th

Mon., December 9th, Immaculate Conception St. Juan Diego

Frandinger, Ian Nott & Stan Wright Teresa & Domenico Greco Libero Boroni & Giuliano Family

Tues., December 10th, Our Lady of Loreto St. John Roberts

Peter & Katherine Polewka All Souls in Purgatory Enrico Farina

Wed., December 11th, St. Damasus I

All Souls in Purgatory Domitilla Aristodemo Jackie Rosati

Thur., December 12th, Our Lady of Guadalupe

Joe Flynn, Jim Mangan & Judy Salvadori Domitilla Aristodemo Pauline Ann Friel

Fri., December 13th, St. Lucy

Virgilio Family
Gulli Family & Monteleone Family
All Souls in Purgatory

Eucharistic Adoration 3:00-6:30 pm

Sat., December 14th, St. John of the Cross

Edda Cicchitti Vincenzo Pileggi Chiara Lampignano



Radio Maria: The Joy of Advent

Wednesday December 11 - 8 pm www.radiomaria.ca Click to Listen

Live. Join parishioners Mariangela and Nick in a live broadcast as they discuss the Joy of Advent, our journey toward Christ.

ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE MONDAY, DECEMBER 16th - 7:00 pm

Several priests will be available for confessions in English, Italian, French and Polish. There will be a brief reflection/prayer at 7pm followed by individual reconciliation. All are welcome to come and celebrate the gift of God's forgiveness.

LADIES AUXILIARY CHRISTMAS PARTY!

On Tuesday Dec. 17th at 6:30pm in the Church hall, the All Saints Ladies Auxiliary are hosting their annual Christmas Party. Ladies come and join us for an evening of fun and Christmas cheer. Merry Christmas!

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All Saints Parish & St. Vincent De Paul - Christmas Toy Drive Our Annual Toy Drive Has Begun Again This Year!

Please bring new unwrapped toys for children ranging in ages 1-17 yrs. Gift Cards are welcome for the older children -Cineplex, Retail Stores, etc. Please leave gift cards with the parish office. Donations will be accepted up to Friday, Dec 20th, as we will be distributing the gifts on Saturday, Dec 21st.

Last year we delivered, through your generosity, in excess of 250 toys! On behalf of All Saints Parish and St. Vincent De Paul, Thank you for your continued support! Let's make this year the most memorable ever! Good things happen when we work together as a community of Faith!



2020 DONATION ENVELOPES

The new donation envelopes for 2020 will be available in the parish all on this weekend **December 7/8**.

Note: Parishioners who currently do not have donation envelopes and want to obtain a box may register in the parish hall those weekends.

We will be handing out the <u>Pre-Authorized Giving</u> <u>Form (PAG)</u> for Parishioners who wish to donate through their Bank Account automatically every month.



The Knights Of Columbus Panettoni & Torroni

The Knights of Columbus will be

selling Panettoni and Torroni in the parish hall after all Masses on the weekends of December 7/8 and December 14/15. Please come and support this annual sale!







All Programs run in the Parish Hall EDGE – Raising Saints (Grades 5-8)

Friday, December 13 - 6:45-9 pm- Parish Hall *Topic: "Advent Family Movie Night"*

<u>Little Saints</u> - (Grades 2-4)

Friday, December 20 - 6:30-8 pm- Parish Hall *Topic: "Christmas"*

The Saints' (ages 15 - 35) Friday, January 3 @ 7 pm Topic: "Social Night"

ADVENT FAMILY FILM NIGHT

Friday, December 13 @ 7 pm – Hall

Everyone is welcome to attend the Youth Advent Family Film Night. The movie "The Story of the Nativity: The Truth of Christmas" (running time 1 hr). Join top scholars, inspirational speakers, and popular authors as they explain the story behind the story of the birth of Jesus from the story of Mary and Joseph, Jesus' miraculous conception, the birth of John the Baptist, the journey of Mary and Joseph to Bethlehem, the Star of Bethlehem, and the birth of Jesus. — Coffee will be served.



All children in Grades 2 – 8 are invited to participate in the

Christmas Pageant at the Dec. 24th Mass at 5 pm. If interested please come to the rehearsal on Saturday, December 21st from 2-4pm.



Formation Session: Forgiveness

Location: Parish Hall

Dates Offered: Tuesday, January 21 at 7 pm

Thursday, January 30 at 7 pm

Come join us we deepen our faith together.

"The voice of one crying out in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight." Could God be calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister in order to help our world of today to truly "prepare the way of the Lord"? If God is calling you: Contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997 or Email: vocations@archtoronto.org



Christmas Concert Sunday, December 22nd

at 3 pm

We invite you to our Christmas concert on Sunday, December 22nd at 3pm, come and listen to beautiful Christmas music presented by our Children's Angel Voices and our Adult Choir.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE JANUARY 2020

Our marriage preparation course for 2020 will be held in January on the following dates:

Monday, January 13 from 7:30 to 9:00 pm Friday, January 17 from 7:30 to 9:30 pm Saturday, January 18 from 1:30 to 4:45pm followed by Holy Mass

Friday, January 24 from 7:30 to 9:30 pm Saturday, January 25 from 1:30 to 4:45 pm followed by Holy Mass

Engaged couples can register for the course at the parish office. The fee is \$120.00 per couple.



Please join us in the celebration and reflection on the birth of Jesus!

When: Friday, December 27th Where: Parish Hall 12:00 to 2:00 pm Time: Light refreshments (pizza

&

veggies) will served. Please **RSVP** be babyjesusparty2019@gmail.com with the name and age of the child/children attending.



Queen of All Saints Prayer Group One Hour with Jesus **Every Second Wednesday** of the Month (Dec 11)

Invites you for the monthly Eucharistic Adoration on December 11th; contemplative Songs, Spontaneous Prayer and Holy Scripture, starting at 7:15pm in the Parish Church and every other Wednesday in the Parish Hall. Come to see... and you will receive Power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my Witnesses! (Acts 1:8)

CHRISTMAS CONCERT at St. Leo Church

Tuesday, December 17 at 7:30 pm, the MOSAIC Canadian Vocal Ensemble and members of St. Michael's Choir School Alumni perform a concert of Christmas sacred music. 277 Royal York Rd. Freewill offering. Info call/text: 416-571-3680 or email: gdmansell@sympatico.ca

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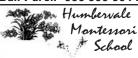
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