



## Mass Intentions

Oct. 16 - Oct. 21, 2017

Mon. Oct 16 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+Tino Rossini
Tues. Oct. 17 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+Philomena Currie
Wed. Oct. 18 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+Mary White
	10am	Willows Estate
Thurs. Oct. 19 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+Bert Donkers
	10am	Chartwell Park Place
	2:15pm	Chartwell Resthaven
Fri. Oct. 20 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+Luigi & Anna Maria Pompilio
Sat. Oct 21 <sup>st</sup>	9am	+Mikolaj Panasewicz

## Annual Parish Pasta Dinner

Sponsored by the Aurora Knights of Columbus

Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>

Parish Hall, 6:00 PM

\$15 - Adults \$8 - Children

RESERVE TICKETS ONLINE AT

[www.kofcaurora.ca](http://www.kofcaurora.ca)

Tickets can be purchased after all Masses  
this weekend

and also by calling the Parish Office

Fresh homemade Italian pasta sauce made by  
our very own parishioners!

### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

This coming week you should be receiving a letter that will make a case for the renovation of our church and will lay out some ways that you will be able to respond to the capital campaign. Please give the letter some time so that you can make the best response possible for the parish as we move forward to renovation and the response that best reflects your appreciation of Our Lady of Grace as an integral part of your life.

This is a challenging time for us all as we make this commitment for the immediate needs of the church but also as we make our church ready for the many years ahead. If there is any clarification that you need in making your decision to respond to this campaign, do not hesitate to call.

### MINISTRY FAIR

Are you ready? Please let Sandra know if you need anything for the Ministry Fair. This may be a time to recruit new volunteers or for taking this opportunity of informing the parish of the work you do. In either case, we look forward to having you there.

### FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

Letters for both sacraments are at the back of the church. First Communion is green and Confirmation is yellow. These letters will explain how to proceed to get your children ready for these sacraments. Children in grade two and seven in our parish schools have received these letters in September.

Speak to one of the pastoral team after mass to get a registration form for either sacrament.

### CONCERT FOR THE HOPE FOR CHILDREN FUND

A group of Knights have gathered their efforts to provide scholarships for 18-year-olds who are without parents and want to break the cycle of poverty by pursuing post-secondary education. They call this fund "The Hope for Children Fund".

On Sunday, November 5th, at 2 p.m. they are having a benefit concert at St. Paul's Basilica, 83 Power St., Toronto, called the "Magic & Wonder Concert" to raise money for this fund.

To order tickets (\$40.00 each) call 416-223-8060 or email: [sandratang@tanginc.com](mailto:sandratang@tanginc.com)

### PET BLESSINGS

Thank you to all the parishioners that came and shared in the pet blessings last Sunday. The numbers were up significantly over last year.



EDGE youth group is for grades 6-8.

Please pick up the registration form in the foyer of the church. Our kick-off social for all EDGE tweens will be this Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup> from 6:30–8PM in Lynett Hall. See you there!



Volunteer Meeting

for grades 9-12. **Life Teen Youth Group** will be on Monday, October 16 from 6:30-8:30 PM in Lynett Hall. The Info Night for the parents of our high school students will be on Monday, Oct 23, from 6:30-8:30PM, while the Kick-Off night for Life Teens will be on Monday, October 30, from 6:30-8:30 in Lynett Hall. **All teens are invited!**

High school teens that would like to volunteer with EDGE on Fridays from approximately 6-9PM, may also get community service hours.

For more information speak to Fr Marijan after Mass, call the office at 905-727-4594, or email, [olgyouthm@gmail.com](mailto:olgyouthm@gmail.com)

### PAULINE BOOK FAIR

The Daughters of St. Paul will be with us on the weekend of October 28-29. They will bring a selection of Bibles, books, music CDs, and DVD movies for all ages.

In addition, you will have the opportunity to enjoy some cider and speak with some of our ministry volunteers and explore how you might help in the parish.

### NEW BEGINNINGS - SEPARATION AND DIVORCE SUPPORT GROUP

If you are struggling.....you don't have to do this alone. New Beginnings is a ministry dedicated to assisting those who have endured a loss through separation and divorce. New Beginnings.....a place of discovery, healing and renewed faith.

Monday, October 16 to November 20 at 7pm, St. Elizabeth Seton Church, 17955 Leslie St., Newmarket. All are welcome to attend. There is no cost for this event. For more information please call 905-853-5009

### THE HEAD COUNT

This weekend and next there will be a head count at all the weekend masses. This is an initiative of the diocese to verify where the practicing population is located across the diocese.

Folks will do the count when all stand for the Gospel. It will be brief and may not even be noticed by some of the parishioners.

### THE THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Thank you to everyone who responded to the Thanksgiving food drive. What a magnificent response! We can be pleased to know that as a community our steady dedication makes a great difference to the lives of so many in our town.

### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN HELPERS

We have a good number of people who have committed to do follow up calls for the capital campaign, but we could use more. The more we have the easier it is to spread out the calls.

If you can help just send Nancy a quick email or call. There will be an orientation meeting of an hour to attend. Thank you for your good concern for the well-being of our parish.

### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday. It represents a global sign of the universal Church and Mission. We are invited to reach out and help build the Church in the most remote areas across our world. Your prayers and donations will support churches, hospitals, schools, and vocations to priesthood and religious life. This collection provide assistance to the young dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands.

### SACRED MUSIC CONCERT



St. Mary Immaculate Roman Catholic Church proudly presents a Sacred Music Concert by the world-renowned St. Michael's Choir School on Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 7pm, 10295 Yonge St., Richmond Hill. Tickets are \$20 and are available at St. Mary Immaculate Rectory office Please call: 905-884-1784.