

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

LET MY PEOPLE SING HYMN FESTIVAL - TODAY!!!!

Sunday October 23, 2016 at 2:30pm in the church

Come, Sing, Listen, Rejoice!

Beloved hymns in exciting new musical settings

accompanied by mass community choir, singing, brass, timpani, and other instruments.

In support of Our Lady of Grace Parish Church Renovations & Elevator for Community Use

All Welcome Freewill Offering

Refreshments to Follow

MASS INTENTIONS

October 23rd - 29th, 2016

Mon. Oct 24 th	8am +Charles & Albina McGough
Tues. Oct 25 th	8am +Breen Carson
Wed. Oct 26 th	8am +Lydia Linsao
Thurs Oct 27 th	8am +Giuseppe Gianotti
Fri. Oct 28 th	8am +Reg McKerracher 9am Cardinal Carter CHS 1pm St. Maximillian Kolbe CHS
Sat. Oct 29 th	9am Carol McDermott Sp. Int.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

The letters regarding these sacraments are available at the back of the church on the cabinet. The first Communion letter is green and the Confirmation letter is yellow.

The letter will assist you in moving ahead to the celebration of these sacraments.

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

When we did the parish inventory we left out our Ministers of Welcome - Ushers. Every mass could use additional ministers. If you can help put your name and phone number on the back of one of the envelopes that are in the pew and give it to one of the pastoral team, the priests or Sandra.

If we had sufficient ministers then we could allow people to serve sometimes and be off sometimes as well.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND

Friday, Nov. 4 to Sunday, Nov. 6,
St. Augustine's Seminary.

Inviting single Catholic men 18 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Contact (the Parish Priest) or Vocations Office 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org

FOOD FOR THE HYMN FESTIVAL - TODAY!

If you are coming to the Hymn Festival and can make a donation of treats to accompany the tea and coffee that would be greatly appreciated. They can be left in Lynett Hall before the concert or if you are bringing treats when you come to mass, they can be left in the sacristy

PAULINE BOOKS AND MEDIA SALE MINISTRY FAIR & APPLE CIDER SUNDAY Oct. 29th/30th.

After all masses on the weekend of Oct. 29/30 you are invited to join us in Lynett Hall for hot apple cider and pumpkin cookies. Religious books, CD's and articles will be available for sale by the Daughters of St. Paul and you will have the opportunity to get information on the many parish ministries.

"Love one another as I have loved you"

John 13:34

LAY PASTORAL VISITING provides the opportunity to put this commandment into action. It is the simple ministry of reaching out, one person to another, with ordinary skills that each of us have and use in our daily lives.

Listening, communicating, sharing laughter and tears, understanding hurt and disappointment. We all have these skills and we can use them to help brighten the life of a senior or shut-in. You cannot imagine the fulfillment you will receive from this simple act of kindness, or how great a gift it is to one who is lonely. If you would like to be a part of a Pastoral Visiting team please speak to Sandra Fortini. 905-727-4594 or email sandra@ourladyofgrace.com

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O LORD

Throughout the month of November, the Church's tradition is to pray for our deceased loved ones.. We, the living, pray on behalf of all Christians who are in purgatory, the state in the afterlife where souls are purified before proceeding to heaven. You are asked to record the names of those you wish us to remember at Mass in November on the envelopes that will be provided next weekend or on a piece of paper and to place it in the basket near the altar, where it will remain throughout the month of November. Please note that no offering is required - we are much more interested in recording the names of those you wish remembered at mass! However, if any donations are received they will directed to property renewal.

ALL SOULS DAY

On Wednesday, November 2, (All Souls Day) we will offer both an 8 a. m. and 7 p. m. mass, for those who have died.

The evening mass will be offered especially for those who have died over the past year. Letters of invitation have been sent to those families whose loved ones passing was marked by the ministry of Our Lady of Grace Parish over the past year. All are welcome to attend.

THE MINDFUL PROJECT

Art in Support of Mental Health. We welcome the community to participate and create art that ignites imagination, inspiration and education. The upcoming dates are October 29th, November 12th and 26th and December 17th, from 1-4 in Lynett Hall. Each participant is asked to bring a starter kit which will include an apron, acrylic paints, paint brushes, graphite pencils, erasers, liquid or stick glue, watercolour paper and different size of canvasses. For more information, call Elizabeth at 416-768-3888.

St. Andre Bessette Parish

2nd Annual Building a Vision Gala

Friday November 11, 2016

Fontana Primavera Event Centre

77 Woodstream Boulevard, Vaughan

Door Prizes, Raffle, Silent & Live Auction

If interested, please call OLG parish office.

EDGE YOUTH MINISTRY

**God does not call the qualified,
He qualifies the called!**

Is God calling YOU to serve Him by leading young people to Christ? Volunteer with us in the EDGE Youth Ministry!

We are looking for High School Students, University/College Students, and Adults, who want to make a difference in the lives of young people.

Training will be provided, no previous experience is necessary! We are not looking for professionals, just individuals with a willing and open heart.

If you're interested, contact the office, or email Fr. Joshua at jroldan@archtoronto.org

VISITS TO SOUTHLAKE

Now that we have a slightly larger staff we are happy to visit on occasion the parishioners of Our Lady of Grace who are in the local hospital. They will continue to receive communion through the ministry of St. John Chrysostom Parish. If a parishioner is in hospital, call the office and leave the name and room number if you know it. We can always check room numbers at reception. Also leave your name in number in case follow up is required. If you have a friend or family member from Bradford or Richmond Hill or other parish in the area, let St. John's know.



Free Long Term Care Seminar

Sponsored by the
Aurora Knights of Columbus

Thursday, October 27th

Parish Hall

Registration at 7 pm, start at 7:30 pm

What happens when you can no longer
look after yourself?

How do you navigate CCAC, LINH,
nursing or retirement facilities?

Space is limited so please pre-register

Call John Gallop at 905-442-7242

or email at john.gallop@kofc.org

Snacks and refreshments provided