# Our Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church

15347 Yonge St. Aurora, Ontario L4G 1N7

905-727-4594 Fax: 905-727-9114

Email Address: office@ourladyofgrace.com Website Address: olgraceau.archtoronto.org Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:30am-4pm

**EUCHARIST:** Weekends: Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8:15am, 10am, 12 noon, 7pm

Weekdays: Monday - Friday 8am, Saturday & Holidays 9am

First Friday: Adoration 12pm until Mass at 7pm

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday 4-4:30pm or by request

**SACRAMENTS:** Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation & Marriage: Please contact the office.

#### **PARISH MINISTRIES:**

Altar Guild	Parish Office	Liturgical Ministries	Elizabeth Marriott
Altar Servers	George Martin	Marriage Preparation	416-921-1163
<b>Becoming Catholic</b>	Brenda Chang	<b>Music Ministry</b>	Dan Smith
<b>Capital Campaign Committee</b>	Grace Volkening	Pastoral Council	Jason Gennaro
Catholic Cemeteries	416-733-8544	Pastoral Visitors	Sandra Fortini
Catholic Family Services	905-770-7040	Prayer Group	Anita & Edwin Andrade
Catholic Women's League	Lori Thompson	Renovation Committee	Elizabeth Steele
Children's Liturgy	Jane Cobbold	Retrouvaille	416-281-6007
Collection Counters	Parish Office	Rosary	After weekday Mass
Community Life	Wendy Frappier	St. Vincent de Paul Society	Lisa DiSera
Euchre	Agnes Carrey	Volunteer Screening	Joan Brooker
Family Playgroup	Sandra Fortini	· ·	
Finance Council	Dave Tate	Welcome Table	Annette Crisson
Funeral Choir	Madeleine Swain	Welcoming Arms	Doug Steele
Knights of Columbus	John Lyn	Youth Ministry	Fr. Eduardo de Oliveira Paixão

#### **PARISH SCHOOLS:**

Our Lady of Grace	905-727-5631	St. Maximillian Kolbe H.S.	905-727-5652
Holy Spirit	905-713-6813	Cardinal Carter H.S.	905-727-2455
Light of Christ	905-727-5400	York Catholic District	905-713-2711
St. Jerome	905-727-6593	School Board	
St. Joseph	905-727-5782		

#### PASTORAL TEAM

Father Francis V. McDevitt, Pastor Father Eduardo de Oliveira Paixão, Associate Pastor

Sandra Fortini, Pastoral Associate Deacon Doug McManaman

Deacon Pat Colangelo

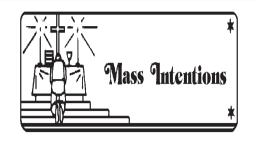
#### **STAFF**

Pamela Tsang, Parish Secretary J.R. Lagman, Custodian

#### WELCOME

If you are making Our Lady of Grace your parish, please register by contacting parish office 905-727-4594 or complete a registration form found in the foyer of the church.





#### March 15 - March 20, 2021

Mon Mar. 15 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ Gino & Anna Maria Pompilio
Tues. Mar. 16 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ Theresa Agius
Wed. Mar. 17 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ TsuJu Benedict Lin
Thurs. Mar. 18 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ Sara Condie
Fri. Mar. 19 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ Joseph Casey
	7pm	+ Agostino Miele
Sat. Mar. 20 <sup>th</sup>	9am	+ Rita Lalonde

#### OFFICE HOURS

Office hours are Monday,
Wednesday and Friday from
8:30am to 12:00pm. Pamela will be working
from home at other times and can be reached
by email at office@ourladyofgrace.com. Calls
are possible at any time though they will often
go to voicemail.



#### 2020 TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts and Capital Campaign receipts have been mailed separately and directly

through the diocese. If you have not received either of them, they will be along in the very near future.

Boxes of envelopes are at the back of the church are for those who are returning to church after an extended period away. Thank you to everyone for their support of the church.

## RESERVED A SEAT FOR MASS AND CAN'T COME?

If you reserve a seat for mass and you realize you will not be able to make it, <u>please cancel your reservation</u>. Simply go to the confirmation email of your ticket to cancel the seat that has been secured for you. It will then become available for others.

#### BROADCASTING MASS & COMMUNION

We will continue to broadcast mass at 10AM on Sunday. You are invited to come to the church between 11:00 and 11:30 to receive communion. Please come if you have watched the mass. Do not come early as you will be causing crowding for the 10AM attendees as they leave. For this ministry to continue will depend on the cooperation of those who participate.

#### OVERFLOW FOR MASS

We can now invite people to the hall for mass if the church is at capacity. We will first get the church to 30% but will then be able to bring the hall to 30% too. Mass will be on a large screen and at communion time minsters will come down from the church to provide communion. Greeters will welcome you to the church and inform you if the church proper is full.

#### LEGACY WALL

The mock up of the Legacy Wall is in the vestibule on the wall. This is not the permanent presentation. We would like all whose name appears on the Legacy Wall to verify we have it recorded as you would like it recorded permanently. Once it becomes permanent we cannot go back and change it.



#### IL FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

To enrol your child, please go to the downloadable forms online and fill out the google form for your appropriate sacrament. Because of the ongoing problems with opening up we are still not clear on when we will have parent meetings to organize the sacraments for those that are registering in 2021. We still have a significant number of candidates from 2020 to celebrate the sacrament.

#### PRAYER COMPANIONS

We are inviting parishioners to make part of their prayer life a particular intention in the life of our parish. We will provide you with a prayer card and an intention that we would ask you to pray for daily in the coming year.

If you wish to volunteer, please go to the downloadable forms on the parish website and find the google form or call the parish and leave a message. Once you are setup, we will send you the prayer card that you will need for your ministry. Thank you to all of our prayer companions who have come forward thus far

#### THE BENEFACTORS BOOK

When we began the opportunity for people to pay for particular things for the



church, we said that we would create a benefactor's book to acknowledge these gifts. The mock up for that book is now in the vestibule of the church. A more permanent book will be created as we come to the end of this effort and will permanently remain in the vestibule. Thank you to everyone who has been part of this effort.

#### WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO SHARLIFE?

Usually around this time in Lent we are deep in the throes of the Sharelife campaign, but this year there is not a poster or sign in sight. The reason is that the campaign has been delayed, with the first collection on April 18th, one in the early summer, and one in the fall. We will keep you informed and doubtless you will be receiving information by mail so that you can be well informed in how you wish to support Sharelife.

### SCHOOL MASSES

Recently two school masses were recorded for Lent, one for high schools and one for elementary

schools. The schools are free to use them as they see fit. We will soon record our classroom visits for the last three months of the school year for the elementary schools.

#### HAVE YOU BEEN FOLLOWING THE WEEKLY REFLECTIONS?

Each week one of our parishioners reflects on the readings of the Sunday. Our reflectors come from many different backgrounds. What they have in common is they are all parishioners at Our Lady of Grace Church. They provide a rich tapestry of reflection which grow out of their life experiences and where they find themselves at this point in their life. We thank each of the contributors for their time and successful efforts. You can find the weekly reflections on the parish web page in the What's New section or on the parish face book page. We will always welcome new people into this ministry. Right now the volunteers are preparing reflections about four times a year.

**Aurora Income Tax** 905-713-0640

Personal & Small Business Returns For All Your Catering & Rental Needs Year Round Service • House calls | 580 Steven Court 905-895-5082



Alcalde & Tomory Chartered Accountants, LLP Sophia Tomory, CPA, CA Accounting & Tax Services

416-456-0089 www.at-ca.ca RE// Hallmark York Group Realty Ltd. Brokerage

Bruce@BruceSpragg.com Miracle Network Direct Line 416 • 565 • 8889

ᆀᆔᄔ

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES FUNERAL SERVICES In keeping with your Catholic faith

www.catholic-cemeteries.com Holy Cross Cemetery & Funeral Home 905-889-7467



Dr. Paul J. Steiner, D.D.S.

Family Dentist • Parishioner New Expanded Office

258 Earl Stewart Dr. 905-841-3842

Bruce Spragg, F.R.I. Broker Children's

FINANCIAL

FAMILY LAWYER Susan Duggan 647-923-8062 dugganlaw.ca

CANADA:WIDE

Reinforcing Steel

Welded Wire Mesh

Estimating & Detailing

Cash & Carry Sales & Delivery

Fax 416-291-4507



THE HURST BAKERY Inc. 'A TASTE OF QUALITY

15543 Yonge St. Units 2 & 3 905-841-0278



10% off with coupon 14800 Yonge St. Aurora Shopping Centre 905-727-3448

#### O R DENTURE CLINIC CUSTOM DENTURE SERVICES





#### St. John Cemetery

Serving Parishes in the local area

250 Old Main St North 905-898-4137 Ext 207



Windows & Doors Kitchen & Bath Installed Sales Lumber, Paint, Housewares & All Your Hardware Needs 289 Wellington St. E. 905-727-4751

William Reid, Barrister & Solicitor

Criminal and Regulatory Law

25 years of defending



Jonathan Earle

15165 Yonge St, Suite 201 Financial Advisor Aurora, ON, L4G 1M1 P.Eng, MBA, CFP®, CIM® 905-713-3765 www.BellFinancial.ca

**Providing Sound Financial Advice** 



# PHYSICAL HEALTH

Physiotherapy • Sport & Fitness Focused Golf Specialized

15105 Yonge St. Aurora 905-727-5669 Athletify.ca

### Tel 905-888-1777 Kingsway Place

\*previously Kingsway Arms Retirement Living At Its Best

145 Murray Dr, Aurora 905.841.2777 • KingswayAurora.com

## **MOLLY MAID**

### **Make Your Home** a Healthy Haven

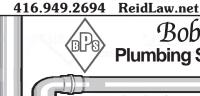
aurora@mollymaid.ca 905.841.6243



An Independent Catholic School in the Augustinian Tradition

#### Grades 4 through 12

Contact Admissions www.villanovacollege.org 2480 15th Sideroad ~ King City



## **Plumbing Service**

Residential • Commercial • Industrial 905-727-3210 www.bobsplumbing.ca

COOLING & HEATING LIMITED 905-727-2323

Summers & Smith

www.summersandsmith.com



Great prices Book your appointment today!

180 Wellington St E 905-727-8473 (TIRE)



## Tavlor Funeral Home

Newmarket Chapel

Jason C. Ladd, Managing Funeral Director Glenda Benson, Pre-Planning Director 10% Discount to all Parishioners

524 Davis Drive, Newmarket

www.taylorfh.ca

905-898-2100



#### FINANCIAL PLANNER Monica Ly, CFP, CLU, CHS 416-953-8877 cmfinancialgroup.com



"The Tree Doctors"

Pruning • Removals Plant Health Care • Planting Fertilization • Soil Amendments **Arborist Reports • Consultations** Anti-desiccant • Skoot

> 416-410-8770 905-884-6976

Science, Service and Satisfaction Since 1983 www.FourSeasonsTreeCare.com

#### VandenBosche **JEWELLERS**

15263 Yonge St. 905-841-3760 VandenboscheJewellers.com RYIS PROPERTIES INC.

**Complete Quartz Countertop** \$1590

#### Plus FREE Backsplash

- Delivery within 1 week
- 20 year Warranty
- Free Removal & Disposal

Quartzcity 300 Wellington St E 647-778-9696

## **Funeral Home**

530 Industrial Parkway S. 905 727 5421 www.thompsonfh-aurora.com

Affordable Cost Options

Proud to be part of Service Corporation International (Canada) Limited

#### Vienna Furniture Refinishing 17 Mary Street, Aurora

905 **841-8444** NICOLE A. BRIDGES





Cremation, Burial

& Memorial Services

Pre-arranged Funeral

Monuments, Markers

& Inscriptions

OVERHEAD

■■■■ DOOR INC. Garage Doors / Electric Openers 40 Industrial Pkwy. S. 905-727-1382





#### DR. NORMAN ORSCHEL DR. LYNDA HYSHKA

All Aspects of General Dentistry

Surgical Placement of Dental Implants **Our Family Caring for Yours** Let Us Make You Smile We Cater To Cowards!

Suite 211, 126 Wellington St. W, Wellington Square Plaza 905-727-0193 reception@AuroraDentists.ca



#### Roadhouse & Rose FUNERAL HOME

Playter Chapel | Family Owned & Operated

Traditional Funerals & Simple Cremation Services Proud to offer a 10% discount to all parish members

157 Main St., Newmarket | 905-895-6631

www.roadhouseandrose.com



### Two policies. One place.

Bundle your car and home insurance. Call me today.



**Richard Gong, Agent** | 905-727-6333