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Mass Intentions

Saturday (November 7) 4:00 PM +Joeboy, John, & Francina Fernandez 6:00 PM +Joseph, Cecilia, & John D'Souza, +Gregory, Paulina Fernandes and children

Sunday (November 8) 8:00 AM: Open 10:00 AM: Souls in Purgatory, Thanksgiving of DeSouza Family 12:00 PM: +Merle Chew & Deceased relatives, +Dennis Borja

Monday (November 9) 7:00 PM +Maria de la Luz Blanco, Peter Paul, D'Mello Family, Fernandes Family, Rose Guntang, Poor Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday (November 10) 7:30 AM: Fr. Mark's Intention

Wednesday (November 11) 7:00 PM: +Viogo Figueira, +Virginia, Eduardo, Edgardo, Edeliza Maruhom, Elias Ramos

Thursday (November 12) 7:30 AM Special Intention of Alex Buena

Friday (November 13) 7:00 PM: +Juana Lopez Castillo, Special Intention of Stanislaus Fernandez

Saturday (November 14) 9:00 AM: Open

4:00 PM: +Felina and Lorenzo Moreno 6:00 PM: Thanksgiving of Albert de Leon and Family

Sanctuary Candle

If you wish to offer a candle for the sanctuary lamp, please contact the parish desk. Thank you for your generosity.

Please be advised that your Donation Envelopes for 2021 will be ready for pickup at the end of November.



Wisdom is the ability to discern the best thing in light of ultimate values. It has something to do with intelligence, prudence and experience. But it is more than these. It might take a lot of intelligence to make a perfectly useless thing, but not much wisdom. And all that some of us learn from experience how to do the wrong thing faster.

Wisdom is closer to prudence, which is deciding the best move in a given situation. Because prudence is concerned with the immediate problem while wisdom encompasses the whole of life, it is possible to make the right prudential judgment along the way and still end up with a hatful of rain - because we dealt with what was instead of what should have been. We worked out a present problem instead of making space for a future possibility.

Let us pray for wisdom today.

| Sunday Offering | |
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| Offertory | \$ 2,562.00 |
| Building Fund | \$ 1,629.00 |
| Liturgical Fund | \$ 61.00 |
| Mass Stipends | \$ 600.00 |
| Masks | \$ 65.00 |
| ShareLife | \$ 30.00 |
| World Mission | \$ 230.00 |
| Candle Offering | \$ 150.50 |
| Funeral | \$ 300.00 |
| All Souls | \$ 857.00 |
| Missals | \$ 270.00 |
| Total | \$ 7,028.66 |

First Communion Dates

St. Bernard School First Communion will be celebrated on Saturday, November 14 at 2 PM.

Confirmation Dates

St. Edith Stein School will be held on November 12 at 7 PM

St. Faustina School will have two celebrations to be held on November 17 and November 19 at 7 PM

St. Bernard of Clairvaux School will also have two celebrations to be held on November 24 and 26 at 7 PM.

All celebrations will follow Covid19 protocols of social distancing and masks.

Registrations for Sacramental Preparation for First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation

The Registration will be held at the end of November. In the meantime, please secure a Baptismal Copy of your child.

> 2021 Sunday Missals for sale at the Parish Desk \$4 a copy

"We form one church, those who are fellow pilgrims on earth, the dead who being purifiedm and the blessed in heaven; and we believe that in this communion, the merciful love of God and his saints is always attentive to our prayers." (Paul VI, CPG no. 30)



Join us for Holy Hour Vespers and Rosary from 6 PM to 7 PM Monday to Friday



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

If you or someone you know would like to explore the faith or receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation, consider participating in our RCIA program. The RCIA program will hold sessions online via Skype. Please approach the Parish Office or Fr. Mark for more information.

Family at the Heart of Formation Virtual Archdiocesan Gathering of Families Online Event November 28, 2020 starting at 10:00 am

ONLINE EVENT HOSTED BY THE OFFICE OF FORMATION FOR DISCIPLESHIP, ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

Cardinal Thomas Collins is pleased to invite families from across the diocese to our third annual virtual archdiocesan gathering of families! Our family day will include: prayer; praise and worship; games; Scripture; teaching; a Q&A with Cardinal Collins; family activity challenges; and a parent talk and discussion session with lay evangelist, Patrick Sullivan. Parents and children of all ages are invited to join us for both online Zoom sessions and offline activities.

There is no cost to attend, but capacity is limited so register early! One ticket per household.

This event is being hosted by the Office of Formation for Discipleship at Archdiocese of Toronto in partnership with BLD Toronto, Couples for Christ, Focolare and Teams of Our Lady.

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SHEPHERDS' TRUST

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, there will not be a fundraising campaign for The Shepherds' Trust this year. Instead, we encourage parishioners who can give during these difficult times to focus on supporting their parish. If you wish to support your parish and our retired priests, The Shepherd's Trust would welcome your gift via the special collection envelope in your Sunday offering box or at www.shepherdstrust.org/

Do our ministries reflect the interests and demographics of our parish (i.e. family and youth, students, young adults, men and women, and the elderly)?

St. Augustine's Seminary Lay Formation Program

Water and Fire: The Person of the Holy Spirit in Christian Life Saturday, November 21 - 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. A VIRTUAL EVENT HOSTED BY ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY The Holy Spirit is co-equal with the Father and the Son, working to sanctify us every day. This workshop will explore the activity of the Holy Spirit in the lives of Christians. Presented by Fr. Joseph Chandrakanthan. COST: \$25 CONTACT: St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto

2020 Virtual "Christ the King Rally" Saturday, November 21 – 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

A VIRTUAL EVENT HOSTED BY THE CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL COUNCIL

"By my strength and by my power; They shall know that my name is Lord" (Jeremiah 16:21).

Presented by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council (CCRC) of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Join our annual celebration free of charge from the comfort of your home on Saturday, November 21 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Watch live via the CCRC's Facebook page & YouTube channel. Anointed praise & worship and powerful talks by Bishop Robert Kasun, Fr. Francis Ching and Fr. Matthias Amuzu.

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St. Augustine's Seminary Lay Formation Program – Advent Retreat: Imitation of Christ Saturday, December 12 – 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A VIRTUAL EVENT HOSTED BY ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

Advent is a time to prepare for the coming of Jesus. We remember His first coming and we prepare for His second coming. There is, however, the time in between where we are called to be Christ-like, preparing to receive Him in our hearts. This retreat will provide time for reflection on how to be like Christ in our day-to-day lives. Presented by Dr. Josephine Lombardi.

COST: \$25 CONTACT: St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto PHONE: 416-261-7207 EMAIL: lay.formation@staugustines.on. ca

