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# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH

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## SUNDAY MASSES:

5:00 p.m. Saturday (Sunday liturgy)  
8:30 a.m. English Mass  
9:30 a.m. Low Mass  
(Usus antiquior/1962 Missal)  
11:00 a.m. Sung English Mass  
12:30 p.m. Sung Mass  
Catholic Parish of St. Thomas More  
(Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter)

## CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.  
Before every Mass on Sundays  
Daily for 15 minutes before all Masses.

## WEEKDAY MASS:

8:00 a.m. Monday - Friday  
10:00 a.m. Saturday

## MARRIAGES:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

**BAPTISMS:** On Sundays by appointment.

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY:** 647-727-8758

## PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Mr. Peter Bishop: 416-535-7646

## CATHOLIC CEMETERIES:

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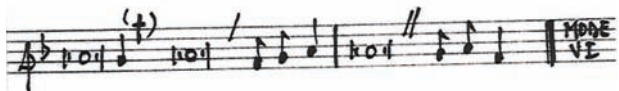
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MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS

Entrance Hymn: 443 – Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest

Entrance Antiphon:



[Choir] The Spirit of the Lord has filled / the whole world \*

[All] and that which contains all things understands what is said, \* // al-le-luia.

Kyrie: 210 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Gloria: 211 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Responsorial Psalm Refrain:

“L O R D, SEND / FORTH YOUR SPIRIT, \*  
AND RENEW THE FACE // OF THE EARTH.”

Sequence Refrain, *sung by ALL*:

“VENI SANCTE SPIRITUS; – ET EMITTE  
CAELITUS – LUCIS TUAE RADIUM.”

(Come, thou Holy Spirit, come; and from thy celestial home send thy light and brilliancy.)

Gospel Acclamation: “LC9A” Mode VI



[Choir] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

[All] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

[Choir] Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts / of your faithful \*

[All] and kindle in them the fire // of your love.

[All] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Credo: 202 – Kyriale III

Offertory Antiphon: (*see above for the psalm tone*)

[Choir] Confirm, O / God, (†) \* that which you have accomplished / in our midst; \*

[All] from your holy temple which is in Jerusalem, \*  
kings shall offer presents to you, \* // al-le-luia.

Offertory Hymn: 440 – Come down, O Love divine

Sanctus: 212 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Agnus Dei: 213 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

Communion Antiphon: (*see above for the psalm tone*)

[Choir] They were all filled with the / Ho-ly Spirit \*

[All] and spoke of the marvels of God, \* // al-le-luia.

Communion Hymn: 441 – Veni Creator Spiritus  
(Mode VIII)

Concluding Hymn: 546 – Regina Caeli

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 20

Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

10:00 (+) Jerry & Bernice Sherlock, req. by Sherlock family

TUESDAY, MAY 21

St. Eugene de Mazenod, Bishop

8:00 (+) Emilia Pereymybidia

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

8:00 (+) Theresa Boom, req. by Ed McGourty

THURSDAY, MAY 23

8:00 Ale & Caroline Groen

FRIDAY, MAY 24

Bl. Louis-Zephirin Moreau, Bishop

8:00 (+) Marian Nowak, req. by Nowak family

SATURDAY, MAY 25

St. Bede the Venerable, Priest & Doctor

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners

5:00 Fr. Martin Hilbert, req. by Lucian & Brenda Ezman

PARISH FINANCES FOR MAY 5

Offertory Collection: \$2,397

Maintenance & Debt: \$462

CanadaHelps: \$135.05

Hall Renovation Project: \$6,300

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Monday is Victoria Day, a civic holiday. Mass will begin at 10:00 a.m.

MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH

In 2018, Pope Francis decreed that the Monday after Pentecost be celebrated as the memorial of Mary, Mother of Church.

The decree establishing the memorial was published March 3, 2018 in a letter from Cardinal Robert Sarah, head of the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments.

As Cardinal Sarah explained, Pope Francis added the memorial to the Roman Calendar after carefully considering how the promotion of devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary under this particular title might encourage growth in “the maternal sense of the Church” and in “genuine Marian piety.”

### NEW TO THE PARISH?

Pick up a box of envelopes from the table at the back of the church and register. Registration is the official way of becoming a member of the parish community. Among the benefits of registration with the parish is that it can be the parish for your wedding or the baptism of your children even if you don't live within the parish boundaries.

For the first few donations of 2024, please print clearly on the envelope your NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER & EMAIL ADDRESS.

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#### **SL CORPORATE GOLF TOURNAMENT:**

**Monday, June 10 at 1:00p.m.**

Royal Woodbine Golf Club, Etobicoke

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### ORATORY SUMMER SCHOOL

**July 1 - 5: *Catechism of the Catholic Church***

**July 8 - 12: *Evangelizing the Modern World***

The second session addresses something that has become increasingly and painfully obvious: our world is in a mess. So much has happened, and happened so quickly. What does the Church do in response? What do we do? The Church has spent her history adjusting to the circumstances in which she finds herself. She continues to address new issues in light of the deposit of the faith, to inspire new artistic expressions, to raise up saints as examples to the world we live in, and to accommodate herself to methods of communication our electronic world seems to demand. The Church continues to prove that she transcends time and cultures.

Lectures will be at 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 1:15 p.m. with Mass at 10:00 a.m. Lunch is provided for those attending in person. In person \$200; online is \$175 each session.

### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

**Today**, our young Catholics will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. There will be a reception in the parish hall after the Mass. Everyone is welcome.

*Please pray for these young students for the zeal of the Holy Spirit.*

### FEAST OF ST PHILIP NERI NOVENA TO ST. PHILIP

The novena will begin on **Saturday, May 18** at Holy Family Church at the 10:00 a.m. Mass and daily until May 26. On Sunday, May 19 and Sunday, May 26 the novena will be prayed at Vespers.

*On Monday, May 27, there will be a Concelebrated Mass at 6:00 p.m. at Holy Family Church.*

### 100TH ANNIVERSARY CORNER

Why does the Church have Old Testament symbols on the ceiling? In particular, why do we have symbols of the Ten Commandments, the two stone tablets? The Ten Commandments were given in the desert at Mount Sinai with great noise and flames of fire. The Jews remember the gift of the Law on the feast of Pentecost.

On that Jewish feast, hundreds of thousands of people were gathered in Jerusalem fifty days after Jesus rose from the dead. The Apostles were gathered in prayer and friendship with Mary, and about 100 other followers of Christ. They were praying for the Holy Spirit. Around 10 in the morning, the Holy Spirit descended upon the Church in tongues of fire and a mighty wind. The scene reminded people of the first Pentecost when the Law was given to Moses. But instead of causing fear, this new gift of the new Law, caused divine love to overflow. The Apostles were transformed by the Holy Spirit into saintly men. Filled with the Holy Spirit's charisms, they proclaimed to the gathered crowds the mighty works of God.

Every time we see the image of the Ten Commandments on our ceiling above the altar rail, we are supposed to remember what the Holy Spirit can do for us. The Holy Spirit is the new Law, the new personal guide for our lives. God no longer simply guides us from the outside by his Law. He enters our hearts and pours divine love into every aspect of our lives. The Holy Spirit enables us to keep the Ten Commandments. These commandments are no longer burdensome for us. In fact, the Holy Spirit can give us joy and peace in following the commandments.

**Happy Pentecost!**





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