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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:

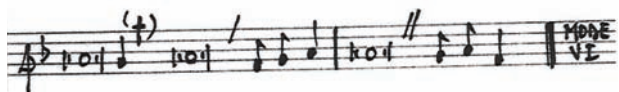
(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

11:00 A.M. SUNG ENGLISH MASS

Entrance Hymn: 411 – At the Lamb's high feast we sing

Entrance Antiphon:



[Choir] Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be / heard; (†) *
proclaim to the ends / of the earth: *

[All] The Lord has freed his people, * // Al-le-luia.

Kyrie: 210 – Mass VIII (*de Angelis*)

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

Responsorial Psalm Refrain:

[All] THE LORD HAS RE/VEALED HIS VICTORY *
IN THE SIGHT // OF THE NATIONS.

Gospel Acclamation: "LC9A" Mode VI



[Choir] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

[All] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

[Choir] Those who love me will keep my / word, (†) *
and my Fa/ther will love^them, *

[All] and // we will come^to^them.

[All] Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Credo: 202 – Kyriale III

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

[Choir] O nations, bless the / Lord our God, *

[All] and cause his praises // to re-sound;

[Choir] he has restored my / soul to life *

[All] and he has not suffered my // feet to stumble;

[Choir] blesséd be the Lord who has neither rejec/ted my
prayer *

[All] nor turned his mercy away from me, * // al-le-luia.

Offertory Hymn: 444 – Holy Spirit, Lord of Light

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

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

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

[Choir] If you love me, / says the Lord, *

[All] keep // my commandments,

[Choir] and I will / ask the Father, *

[All] and he will send you another Paraclete, *

to abide with you for ever, * // al-le-luia.

During the Communion: *I give you new commandment*
– Peter Aston

Concluding Hymn: 414 – Hail thee, festival day!

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 6

St. Francois de Laval, Bishop (Patron of the Bishops of
Canada)

8:00 (+) Austin D'Cruz

TUESDAY, MAY 7

8:00 (+) deceased members of Grzywna family

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

St. Catherine of Augustine, Virgin

8:00 (+) Ellen Lambert

THURSDAY, MAY 9

Ascension Thursday

8:00 Marquez family

FRIDAY, MAY 10

St. John of Avila, Priest & Doctor

8:00 Ms. Goncalves' class

SATURDAY, MAY 11

10:00 (+) Relatives and friends of parishioners

5:00 Genevieve Ezman

PARISH FINANCES FOR APRIL 28

Offertory Collection: \$2,137

Maintenance & Debt: \$95

CanadaHelps: \$270.15

Hall Renovation Project: \$400

INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

September 8-15, 2024

Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation!

Traditionally every four years, the Holy Father invites pilgrims from around the world to join in an International Eucharistic Congress. This year's event will take place in Quito, Ecuador. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with other Canadian delegates to travel to Ecuador. To learn more about the pilgrimage, visit www.archtoronto.org/iec. Registration deadline is June 6 with early bird pricing available until May 6, 2024.

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POPE’S PASTORAL WORKS – TODAY!

The Pope’s Pastoral Works collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding the victims of war, famine and natural disasters. By contributing to the Pope’s Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity. **TODAY, a second collection will be taken up at all Masses.**

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ASCENSION DAY

Forty days after the Resurrection, our Blessed Lord ascended into heaven. From there He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead. In the meantime, it is the task of His disciples, strengthened by the Holy Spirit, to spread the Gospel throughout the world. Let us ask the Holy Spirit to kindle in us the fire of divine love. Traditionally, and still in some countries, the feast of the Ascension is celebrated forty days after Easter, on a Thursday, which this year falls on May 9. In Canada, for the Ordinary Form of the Mass, the Solemnity is transferred to the next Sunday. For those who celebrate the Extraordinary Form of the Mass, the liturgy of the Ascension is still celebrated on the Thursday. *There will be a Solemn High Mass at Holy Family on Thursday, May 9 at 8:00 p.m.*

**MENTAL HEALTH IN THE FAITH COMMUNITY
 AWARENESS SUNDAY - TODAY**

The special focus for this day is to raise awareness in our parish communities of the importance of mental health, how we need to look after it and how important it is to get help if we are struggling. In our faith communities, people often report experiencing shame or stigma attached to mental health and mental health illness. Having open conversations about mental health issues, listening and sharing information, opens doors to seeking help and healing. Resource materials can be found on the archdiocesan website: www.archtoronto.org/mentalhealth

PILGRIMAGE WITH FR DAVID ROCHE

September 23 – October 6 – 14 days

Cost is \$4,990 Information: ihtours.com

MARIAN PROCESSION

Sunday, May 12 – Mother’s Day

After a hiatus of several years, the Marian Procession is back to honour our heavenly Mother. Procession starts at 1:30 p.m. in front of Holy Family school. This year, music will be provided by a live marching band.

100TH ANNIVERSARY CORNER

Dear Parishioners and friends: as of Monday, April 29th, our Hall Renovation Fund, aka the Foundation Stone Project, had received \$78,312.62 in donations. ALL these donations are being matched by our matching donors, giving us a total of \$156,625.24 toward the project! Thank you to all donors! The next \$21,687.38 will also be matched, up to a total of \$200,000. Although we have found some moisture in the foundation wall that will have to be dealt with, we still hope to complete the project under budget, leaving us with some funds for other necessary repairs.

When we walk into our church, what is one of the first things we see? The beautiful white marble baptismal font. But why does the font have eight sides?

In the Scriptures, seven is the number of perfection, completion. God completely made the world in seven days. God the Son instituted the seven sacraments to make us perfect. God the Holy Spirit leads us to heaven by the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit. If seven is the number of perfection, eight is the number of super perfection. Eight is above all the number pointing to the Resurrection of Jesus.

In the beginning, God finished his work of creating the world on the sixth day (FRIDAY). God rested from all his work on the seventh day (SATURDAY). The next day, Sunday, would have been the “eighth day.” Well Jesus shows us that He is God by finishing his work of salvation on the sixth day, resting on the seventh, and rising on the “Eighth Day.” The eight sides of the font remind us of Easter. In Baptism we rise to new life with Christ.

	Friday – Sixth Day	Saturday – Seventh Day	Sunday – Eighth Day
First Creation	God finishes work of making humanity.	God rests from all his work of making us.	
New Creation	Jesus “finishes work” of remaking us.	Jesus rests from all his work of saving us.	Jesus rises from dead to start a new creation!



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