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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday	8:30am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 8:00pm
Friday	8:30am to 12:00noon, 1:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday	11:00am to 4:30pm

The Church is open during the following hours:

Monday to Friday	7:00am to 9:00am, 11:00am to 1:00pm
First Friday	7:00am to 1:00pm
Saturday	8:00am to 10:00am, 3:30pm to 6:00pm
Sunday	7:00am to 1:30pm, 6:00pm to 8:00pm

SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm, 7:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	8:00am & 12:30pm
Saturday	9:00am
Public Holiday	9:00am only

FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass followed by Exposition	8:00am
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament	12:15pm
Mass	12:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday	9:30am & 4:00pm
(At other times by appointment)	

BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Information Form to the parish office at least 4 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a parish priest or deacon is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish Community. Attendance at a Baptism Preparation Meeting is mandatory.

MARRIAGE

Couples themselves must contact the parish office at least *one full year in advance* of the anticipated marriage date. No date may be set before meeting with the priest. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. If either party has been previously married, permission to proceed must be obtained from the Chancery Office of the Archdiocese.

CARE of the SICK: Visitation and/or Communion for the sick upon request.

LEGION OF MARY - Prayer group: Saturday Mornings at 10:00am.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: Call 416-657-2989 for assistance.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Wisdom School	416-393-5273
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
St. Isaac Jogues School	416-393-5315
Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

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*"If any want to become my followers,
let them deny themselves."*

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENSIONS FOR SEPTEMBER

Universal: *Mentally disabled* ~ That the mentally disabled may receive the love and help they need for a dignified life.

For evangelization: *Service to the poor* ~ That Christians, inspired by the Word of God, may serve the poor and suffering.



PRAY WITH THE SAINTS

Tuesday, September 2nd is the *Feast of Blessed André Grasset*, priest & martyr.

Wednesday, September 3rd is the *Feast of St. Gregory the Great*, pope & doctor.

Thursday, September 4th is the *Feast of Blessed Dina Bélanger*, virgin.

Friday, September 5th is *First Friday of the Month*.

Saturday, September 6th is *Our Lady's Saturday*.



Memorial Lamps Special Intentions

31 Aug—06 Sept

Our lamps are lit:

*In loving memory of beloved dad & grandpa,
Raymond Alvares.*

*You will remain forever in our hearts and prayers.
Requested by Desmond, Lesley, Danielle, Alicia,
Natalie and Caitlin Alvares and family.*

*Thanksgiving mass for the birth of our grandson,
Lucas Maximus Dias.
Requested by Jules D'Souza and family.*

*In loving memory of Shui Fong Chung, Yie Hok,
Tjie Yuk Lan.
Requested by Peter Chung.*

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CHILDREN & PARENTS' INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING TUESDAY, 07 OCTOBER 2014 at 7:00pm

The journey of preparation for First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion for the Grade 2 students who belong to Annunciation Parish begins with an *Information & Registration meeting at the Parish on Tuesday, 07 October 2014 at 7:00pm.*

Parents, if you are a member of Annunciation Parish and wish to have your child(ren) make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in Spring 2015, you are to attend this mandatory meeting and register your child. **Bring a completed Registration Form AND a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate to the meeting.** Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office during office hours or at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer after all weekend masses.

If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish as soon as possible to register your child so they are prepared for and can make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. If you and your family belong to Annunciation but have not registered as members of the parish, please do so. Parishioner registration forms are also available from the Parish Office during office hours or at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer after all weekend masses.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING FOR PARENTS & THEIR GR. 8 CHILDREN. THURSDAY, 09 OCTOBER 2014 at 7:30pm

Grade 8 students whose families belong to and attend Annunciation parish, and who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation must attend a mandatory *Information & Registration meeting at the Parish on Thursday, 09 October 2014 at 7:30pm with their parents.* Please **bring a copy of your Baptismal Certificate AND a completed Registration Form with you to the meeting as these forms will be accepted at this meeting only.** Registration Forms may be obtained from the Parish Office during office hours or from the Welcome Desk after all weekend masses.

If Annunciation Parish is not your parish of worship, please contact your parish immediately to register to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you and your family belong to Annunciation, but have not registered as members of the parish, please do so. Parishioner registration forms are also available from the Parish Office during office hours or at the Welcome Desk in the church foyer after all weekend masses.

INSIDE Annunciation Church:

LABOUR DAY



Monday, September 1st is Labour Day. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am only. There will be no 8:00am and 12:30pm masses. The parish office will be closed. Happy Labour Day!

REGULAR PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The regular parish office hours resume on Tuesday, September 2nd. Please see the bulletin cover for office hours.



MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Fall 2014

The next Annunciation Marriage Preparation course will run from **October 8th—November 26th, 2014** in the Parish Hall from 7:30pm to 9:00pm on Wednesday evenings.

Note: Marriage preparation course is mandatory for all engaged couples.

Please contact the parish office for more details.

CALLING ALL CHOIR MEMBERS

We have always had an outstanding music program at Annunciation Parish. New members are most welcome! Please contact the parish office if you are interested in joining one of our choirs.

The Children's Choir will rehearse on Thursday evenings this year, from 5:30-6:30pm. The first rehearsal will take place on Thursday, September 11.

The Adult Choir will resume rehearsals on Thursday, September 11 from 7:00-9:00pm.

The Evening Choir rehearses on Sundays at 6:00pm.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN (DIRECT DEBIT)

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving Plan to assist you in your support of the work of Annunciation of the BVM Parish through your *regular* parish offerings (this does not include special collections). This plan is not for everyone, but it is available to those who would use it. For more information, please contact our Parish Manger, Ms. Grace Hong, or pick-up an information pamphlet from the Parish Office during office hours or from the Welcome Desk after all weekend masses.

"THANK YOU & ALL THE BEST, DEACON JOSEPH!"

Perhaps this is the last time we say, "Good Bye and Good Luck, Deacon Joseph." Deacon Joseph Quang Dieu Nguyen is returning to St. Augustine's Seminary to complete the final semester of his studies.

On behalf of the Annunciation Pastoral Team, we thank Deacon Joseph for all his hard-work and dedication during his stay at Annunciation Parish. We wish him all the best in his studies and may God guide him throughout his journey into the priesthood. Godspeed!



UPCOMING MEETING DATES:

18-35 Group:

Wednesday, 03 September at 7:30pm in St. Pius X room.

CWL Executives:

Thursday, 04 September at 1:15pm in St. Pius X room.



Pastoral Council:

Monday, 08 September at 7:30pm in St. Pius X room.

Finance Council:

Tuesday, 09 September at 7:00pm in St. Pius X room.

Altar Server Committee:

Monday, 15 September at 7:00pm in St. Pius X room.

RCIA Team:

Tuesday, 16 September at 7:00pm in St. Pius X room.

Confirmation Facilitators:

Tuesday, 16 September at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall.

Eucharistic Minister Ministry:

Monday, 22 September at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall.

Lectors Ministry:

Tuesday, 23 September at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall.

Usher Ministry:

Wed. 24 September at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall.

MISSION CO-OP COLLECTION

Thank you Annunciation Parishioners for your generous contribution. As to date, the Mission Co-Op Collection sums to \$6,481.00.

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