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## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 10:00am & 11:30am

Life Teen Mass—6:30pm

Spanish Mass—4:45pm

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays—7:00pm

Tuesdays & Thursdays—8:30am

Saturdays: 9:30am

## CONFESSIONS

1/2 hour before each Sunday Mass or by appointment.

## BAPTISMS

Please contact us one month or more in advance.

## MARRIAGE

Please contact us one year in advance for adequate preparation.

## HOLY COMMUNION for SHUT-INS and SICK

If you know of anyone who is sick and would like to have communion brought to them or would like the Sacrament of the Sick, or simply would like to be included in the Prayers of the Faithful, contact us.

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Holy Trinity High School—905-775-4841

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## PARISH MINISTRIES and SOCIETIES

Consolation and Hope

CWL (Catholic Women's League)

EDGE Youth Ministry

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Knights of Columbus

Life Teen

Liturgical Ministers

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Sacramental Preparation & Catechesis

Seniors Club

Social Club

St. Vincent de Paul Society

## CULTURAL GROUPS

Divino Espirito Santo

Nossa Senhora De Fatima

Santissima Trindade

## **NEW PARISHIONERS: WELCOME !**

You are invited to register by completing the form at the Parish Office or in the gathering space at the back of the Church. Offering Envelopes are available.

**MASS MINUTES**

Liturgy of the Word – The Gospel and the Homily

Pride of place in the Liturgy of the Word is given to the proclamation of the Gospel. The singing of an acclamation befitting the liturgical season, either the Alleluia during most of the liturgical year, or Praise to you Lord, King of eternal Glory, during Lent, precedes the reading of the Gospel. The Gospel contains the words of Christ Himself; special reverence is paid to the Book of the Gospels. The Book of the Gospels is a separate book from the Lectionary, from which the other readings are proclaimed. It is the only book that may be carried in procession during the Liturgy, and when it is used, it is placed on the Altar at the beginning of Mass. A procession often takes place during the singing of the acclamation, at which point the priest or deacon preaching the Gospel carries the Book of the Gospels to the Ambo. The Book of the Gospel is what is processed. If the priest or deacon is reading from the lectionary, only a simple movement to the Ambo is done. He, the priest or deacon, is not processed. The Gospel must be read by a man in Holy Orders: a bishop, priest or deacon. It is particularly appropriate the one in Holy Orders proclaim the Gospel because, by their Ordination, they speak for Christ and the Gospel contains the words of Christ. Before reading the Gospel, the priest may incense the Gospel Book. The response of the faithful at the conclusion of the reading of the Gospel is "Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ". This response reflects the understanding of the Church, and that Christ Himself speaks in the Gospel.

**Activity for the week**

Read the Gospel in advance.  
 Ask yourself, what would you preach about?  
 What is Christ saying to our Parish?  
 Next Sunday, did you and the preacher agree on what God is saying?  
 Was it the same? Was it different?  
 This is an active way of listening to the Gospel.

**REGISTRATIONS**

Registrations are now being taken for Camp Ozanam, for boys ages 6-13 and Marygrove Camp, for girls 5-13. Please call the Parish Office at 905 775-2065 if you wish to register your child.

**LOST AND FOUND**

If you lost any articles, religious or otherwise, we will have a box, labeled "Lost & Found" in the gathering space on display at all Masses on the weekend of June 20/21. Anything not claimed will be given to a charitable organization.

**St. Vincent de Paul**

St. Vincent de Paul will be having a bundle Sunday on June 28, 2015. They will be accepting gently used clothing only. Thank You.

**Cemetery Angel Names**

We are soon sending the last group of names to be engraved on the Cemetery Angel. We have spaces left to complete the North side. If you would like to add a name, please come to the Parish Office to fill out the form. The cost is \$200 per name.

**RUN WITH IT**  
**June 16 - Panel**  
**Overall Questions & Answers**



All Lifeteen events start following the 6:30pm Sunday Youth Mass	All EDGE events start at 7:00 to 8:30pm on Monday evening in the Parish Hall.
June 14 - Year End BBQ	June 15 - Year End BBQ

**Holy Martyrs Carnival**

On June 27<sup>th</sup> from 1-5pm the Social Action Committee of Holy Martyrs of Japan will be holding a family fun-filled Carnival right here in the back parking lot. All funds raised will be going directly to help with the cost of the trip for the youth of our Parish to attend World Youth Day in Poland. If you are unable to attend and wish to contribute to this cause, please contact Nicole at the Parish office.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

We are looking for volunteers to help with Vacation Bible School for the week of July 27-31, 2015.

Qualifications:

- A kid at heart
- Open to fun and adventure
- A love for God and willingness to share

If interested please call the Parish Office @ 905 775-2065

Questions: [holymartyrs vbs@gmail.com](mailto:holy martyrs vbs@gmail.com)

**Everest VBS 2015**



Embark upon an icy expedition where your kids learn to overcome obstacles with God's awesome power! Our Parish hall will be transformed to majestic mountains with breathtaking views as experienced sherpas guide children to new summits in trusting God. Each day kids climb the path and learn God has the power to provide (Elijah), comfort (Elijah), heal (Naaman), forgive (the cross), and love us forever (John 14). An exciting adventure for kids from Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 5.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2015**

July 27, 2015 – July 31, 2015

9:00am – 12:00noon

Registration Form

Cost: \$30.00 per child

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Completing: \_\_\_\_\_ or Pre-School \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate any siblings registered in VBS

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>5:00pm Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>Joao Fernandes Barradas</b> by Joao Rodrigues & Family	
+	<b>Antonietta &amp; Pasquale Baccilieri</b> by Family	
+	<b>Mary &amp; Peter Ennamorato</b> by Ennamorato Family	
+	<b>Maria dos Anjos Cruz</b> by Miguelo Family	
+	<b>Rafael Miranda &amp; Herminda Ferreira</b> by Fernando & Arminda Miranda	
+	<b>John Ferreira</b> by Bernardette Ferreira	
+	<b>Nuno Azevedo</b> by Wife & Children	
+	<b>Laurentina &amp; Manuel Neto</b> by Joaquim Neto	
<b>Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup></b>		
<b>8:30am</b>	+	<b>Francisco Rodrigues</b> by Wife Ester Rodrigues
<b>10:00am</b>	+	<b>Maria &amp; Eugenio Arruda</b> by Lucy, John & Lui Andrade
<b>11:30am</b>		<b>Pro Populo</b>
<b>4:45pm</b>		<b>Spanish Mass</b>
<b>6:30pm</b>	+	<b>Robert Spek</b> by Helen & Family
<b>7:00pm Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>Santo Mirabelli &amp; Angelina Hamilton</b> Wife & Mother Maria Mirabelli	
+	<b>Francisco Cunha &amp; Otelinda Ferreira</b> by Rosa Barroso & Family	
+	<b>Bob Dixon</b> by Gabriella Dixon & Family	
+	<b>Harry Kortis</b> by Judy & Family	
+	<b>Antonio Cece</b> by Family	
+	<b>Emilia Laranjeiro</b> by Lucia Dinis & Family	
+	<b>Giuseppe &amp; Francesca Beninati</b> by Vilma LaRoche	
+	<b>All Souls Friends &amp; Family</b> by Milan Bobala & Family	
+	<b>Anna MacFadden</b> by Vilma LaRoche	
<b>8:30am Tuesday, June 16<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>All Souls</b> by Maria da Silva	
<b>7:00pm Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>Jack MacFadden</b> by Wife & Family	
<b>8:30am Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>All Souls</b> by Claudina Crisostomo	
<b>7:00pm Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>Joao &amp; Emilia Laranjeiro</b> by Family	
<b>9:30am Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>Vitorino Nazario &amp; Olimpia Sousa</b> by Carolina Santana	
<b>5:00pm Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup></b>		
+	<b>Giuseppe &amp; Francesca Beninati</b> by Family	
+	<b>Victor Latoszek</b> by Wife & Children	
+	<b>Antonio Martins</b> by Wife & Family	
+	<b>Emilia Laranjeiro</b> by Maria Raposo	
+	<b>Augusto Balugas</b> by Carlos & Idalina Correia	
+	<b>Salvatore Cipponeri</b> by Wife	
+	<b>Fernando Gomes</b> by Daughter Paula & Family	
+	<b>Teresa Silva</b> by Family	
<b>Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup></b>		
<b>8:30am</b>	+	<b>Nuno Azevedo</b> by Wife & Children
<b>10:00am</b>	+	<b>Virgilio Domingues &amp; Manuel Marques Oliveira</b> by Lurdes & Family
<b>11:30am</b>	+	<b>Katarina &amp; Rudolf Spek</b> by Helen & Family
<b>4:45pm</b>		<b>Spanish Mass</b>
<b>6:30pm</b>		<b>Pro Populo</b>
		<i>“May God Grant Them Eternal Peace”</i>

Today's readings remind us that great things often have small beginnings. If you feel God is calling you to a Church vocation, call **Fr. Chris Lemeux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416 968-0997**  
 email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

**RUN WITH IT**

We are going to continue with our Run with It series again in the Fall. Please put any questions or any topics you wish to be discussed in the box on the back counter in the Gathering Space and we will consider them for the next sessions.

**“Run With It”**

(An ongoing process of Adult Catechesis)

**Are there questions about the Catholic Faith that you would like answered?**

**Is there a topic that you would like to explore?**

Please print your question and/or topic in the space below:

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**Holy Martyrs of Japan**  
**75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**  
**Flavor of the Parish**

**November 15, 2015 after the 11:30am Mass**

Help is needed to organize this momentous event and the Hospitality Committee needs you. If you would like to help with the organizing of the event, the days prior to the event, the day of or even for the much needed clean-up, we have a place and a crew for you. If you can give an hour or more we can use your help. If you would like more information, please call the Parish Office at 905 775-2065 or Diane our chair of the Hospitality Committee at 705 458-1718.

***Thanks for participating!***

**Flavor of the Parish**

**If you would like to volunteer to bring a dish, please fill out the form below and place in the box provided**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Dish: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Dessert: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Choose one or both)

We would like you to fill out this form so that we can monitor what dishes or desserts will be coming so as not to have too many duplicate dishes.

Please Label your dish if there is any allergic ingredients (i.e. nuts, milk products, shellfish etc.)

Label your dishes with your name so you make pick them up after dinner. Make enough for 10 – 15 people.

Place this tear off sheet and put in box in lobby of church or bring to Parish Office.

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