

## NINETEENTH AND TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### **Monday, August 14, 7 p.m.**

+Basdeo, Sonia & Myrna Mungal req by Lynette Mangan

### **Tuesday, August 15, 9 a.m.**

### **Wednesday, August 16, 7 p.m.**

NO MASS at church.

### **Thursday, August 17, 9am**

+Aynette Fernandes req by Fr. Matthew McCarthy

### **Friday, August 18, 7pm**

+Mike Pulla req by Anotoinetta Orecchio

+Cecylia Szarkowski req by CWL

+Patrick Yaskolskie req by Nancy Fernandes

+Tanya Barrera req by Nelly Johnson

+Rocco Martino req by Martino Family

### **Saturday, August 19**

9 a.m. +Beppe Ciceri req by Siciliano Ciceri & Family

5 p.m. +Arsenio & Ofelia Ramos req by Jun Padua & Family

+Rose Pulis req by John Pulis

### **Monday, August 21, 7 p.m.**

+Priscilla Alanguilan req by Daga Family

### **Tuesday, August 22, 9 a.m.**

+Bro Norman Hinton SJ req by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

### **Wednesday, August 23, 7 p.m.**

+ Michael Perera req by the Family

+Roger Tyron Fernando req by Mary Anne Fernando

+Doroteo Alcalde req by Alcalde Fam.

+Holy Souls in Purgatory req by Marleine & Family

Living & Deceased Members of Conneely Fam. req by Lynette Mangan

### **Thursday, August 24, 9am**

+Johnny Campuzano req by Lynette Mangan

### **Friday, August 25, 7pm**

Sp Int & Welcome for Fr. Matthew req by Legion of Mary Members

+Maria & Francesco Ignazzito req by Palazzolo Family

### **Saturday, August 26**

9 a.m. Don Ugo Majjiore req by Siciliano Fam. & Oscar Ciceri

5 p.m. +Damiano D'Itri req by D'Itri Family

### **ITALY AND SICILY PILGRIMAGE**

The final meeting for Fr. László's pilgrimage to Italy and Sicily (Sep 24 to Oct 7) is on Tuesday, August 29 at 7pm in the parish hall. Pls call Halina for details at 647-294-4116.

### **ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

Catholic Cemeteries in the Archdiocese of Toronto, wishes to invite all families within the Archdiocese to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed. The mass will be celebrated on **Wednesday, August 16** at 7 p.m. at Resurrection Cemetery on Taunton Rd. **There will be no 7 p.m. mass at Holy Family Parish on Wed. August 16.** In the event of rain, mass will be held in the reception centre. For more information call 416-733-8544 ext. 2031.

### **PASTORAL REFERENCE LETTERS**

In order to have Pastoral Letters to be signed, you must be a registered parishioner, attending Sunday Mass regularly and have volunteered in different parish ministries for at least 4 months. Fr. László cannot sign a reference form if he does not know the person and has no personal knowledge of the individual's involvement in the parish.



### **HOLY FAMILY 9TH ANNUAL TASTE FESTIVAL**

Come celebrate our parishes cultural diversity on Saturday September 16<sup>th</sup> from 11:30-3:00. Enjoy delicious sample foods from around the world and entertainment for the whole family. Raffle tickets will be on sale starting the weekend of August 26<sup>th</sup> at the back of the church. Prizes include a Trip for Two to any WestJet Destination, a Day Spa Retreat at Ste-Annes Spa in Grafton and an overnight stay at Great Wolfe Lodge. Contact Maureen Licsi at [holyfamily.lmaureen@rogers.com](mailto:holyfamily.lmaureen@rogers.com) for more information.

### **YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**

Young adults from parishes in the Eastern Region of Toronto and Durham have been meeting regularly to develop friendships and their catholic faith. Holy Family is inviting everyone age 19-39 to join us! Monthly events and gatherings will be taking place to help young adults share in faith, food, and community. "Adulting" is hard enough, let alone trying to master it and practice your faith at the same time. We've got your back. Please contact: [hfwyoungadults@gmail.com](mailto:hfwyoungadults@gmail.com) and like our Facebook Page 'Holy Family Young Adults - Spiritus Via'.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- **Friday August 18** - join us for Adoration at 6:30, Mass at 7 and then drinks (or any of the 3)
- **Sunday August 27** - volleyball and picnic day! More info to come!
- **Wednesday September 6** - Spiritus Via kick-off event Encounter through Prayer - a night of Adoration & social at St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough from 7pm-9pm
- **Alpha for Young Adults** will begin on Wednesday nights from 7-9 at the Royal Oak in Whitby from October 4 - December 20

### **ALPHA 3**



Our next **Alpha3** will run on **Tuesdays, September 26 - November 28 from 7:00 - 9:00** in the church hall. There will also be an **Introductory Session** for anyone interested to "**Come and See**", as well for all those registered on **Tuesday, September 19 from 7:00 - 9:00**. Alpha always begins with a free meal which creates comfortable fellowship at the small tables, followed by inspiring video talks about life, faith and God, which lead into discussions with the table groups. Please register on-line through the parish website.

### **RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION for ADULTS (RCIA)**

Formal RCIA sessions for adults and teens (16+) seeking to become Catholic or to receive Confirmation are set to begin on Tuesday September 12th at 7pm in the Knights' Room. The Parish is also considering offering an alternative session time, so if scheduling the time is holding you back from exploring your faith, please email [bob.holyfamily@bell.net](mailto:bob.holyfamily@bell.net) or call/text 905-925-6828 for this or any other RCIA matters.

### **MASS & PROCESSION FOR SAN ROCCO**

The Mass and Procession for San Rocco will be held on **Sunday August 13th** at 7pm at Holy Family Parish. For more information, please call Dominic Cirelli at 905-436-0137.



**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NEEDED**

High school student volunteers needed for the **Taste Festival on Sept 16th!** Community service hours will be given. Sign-up sheet are located at the back of the church or contact Maureen [holyfamily.lmaureen@rogers.com](mailto:holyfamily.lmaureen@rogers.com).

**FOOD PAVILLION~TASTE FESTIVAL**



**Want to share the delicious food from your native country?** We are looking for volunteers to prepare and donate their favorite dishes to be served at the **Taste Festival** on Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Maureen Licsi [holyfamily.lmaureen@rogers.com](mailto:holyfamily.lmaureen@rogers.com).

**PERFORMERS NEEDED**

We are also looking for performers for the entertainment portion of the **Taste Festival**. Sign-up sheets are located at the back of the church or contact Rebecca Morgan at [hfwym91@gmail.com](mailto:hfwym91@gmail.com)

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

Anyone interested in helping with this ministry is asked to please call the church, or Mary Kay Boase at 905-668-8353.

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

Want to help your community and grow in your relationship with Christ? Need volunteer hours to graduate? If interested, please contact Rebecca, our Youth Minister at [hfwym91@gmail.com](mailto:hfwym91@gmail.com).



**EDGE** is our Youth Ministry program that ministers to our youth in Grades 5-8 on **Thursday evenings from 6-8pm** in the Hall



**Life Teen** is our Youth Ministry program that ministers to our youth in Grades 9-12 on **Mondays from 7-9pm** in the Knights Room.

**ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS & MINISTRY COORDINATORS.**



Please note that everyone who wishes to volunteer in any capacity at Holy Family Parish is required to fill out a **Volunteer Application Form**. There are two types of forms: **GENERAL RISK** (*Hospitality, Lector etc.*) and **HIGH RISK OR "IN TRUST"** (*Money counting, Eucharistic Minister to the shut-ins, Working with children, etc.*) Please ensure that any new applicant receives the appropriate form, and once they are filled out and completed they should be returned to the office c/o Kate Hudson, Coordinator of the Screening Committee. Volunteers can pick up these forms at the Hospitality Table at the back of the church before and after all weekend Masses. Thank you for your cooperation in this regard

**THE ROSARY APOSTOLATE IN THE SCHOOLS**

Through the Rosary Apostolate, children are experiencing the power of the Rosary! Dedicate your time to praying the rosary with children once a month in our Catholic Elementary schools. The Rosary Apostolate is welcoming new members at the back of the church on the weekend of **August 19th & 20th**. Please call Carmelita Ring at 289-893-2127.

**LUNCH TIME SUPERVISOR NEEDED**

St Bernard Catholic School is looking for a lunch time supervisor 11:15-12:15 Mon-Fri. This is a paid position. Please contact the school for further detail starting Aug 21<sup>st</sup> or email [Colleen.finn@dcdsb.ca](mailto:Colleen.finn@dcdsb.ca)

**BIBLE STUDY**

Our next Bible Study will be on the Gospel of John entitled 'Come Follow Me'. This Study will help you experience the joy of following Jesus Christ. Morning and Evening Sessions will be offered and start on Monday Oct 16<sup>th</sup>. **Workbooks will be for sale the weekend of August 26<sup>th</sup> after all Masses.**

**HOLY FAMILY RUN FOR CHRIST**



Mark the date! Holy Family Parish is pleased to announce that the **4th Annual Run/Walk for Christ, a 2km and/or 5km walk or run** will take place on **Saturday Oct 14, 2017**. We would like to invite everyone to participate in this wonderful event. This fun event for the whole family celebrates Faith, Family and Fitness in our community. We hope to raise funds for the Parish's many worthwhile projects and initiatives. Event details coming soon.

**SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL**

Thank you, Father Lazlo and Parishioners at Holy Family Parish. Because of your generosity, the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul has been able to continue helping our Neighbours in Need in Holy Family Parish.

**In the past six months** we have visited families and supported them providing assistance as follows:

ACTIVITY	NUMBER/ VALUE
Visited families in need	108
Made a total number of visits	255
Helped children	112
Helped adults	180
Distributed grocery vouchers	\$13,145
Distributed bags of groceries	295
Provided clothing	\$100

None of this would have been possible without your generous contribution of money to our poor box (our only source of income), groceries and the schools food drives that are held throughout the year Please continue helping us and again thank you.

Jesus said "...whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." (Mt 25:40)

**HOLY FAMILY LEADERSHIP FORMATION PLANS**

Our parish is very blessed to have so many involved and committed people who share their time and talents in a multitude of ways that enhance the relationships within and formation of our community. Over the past year, we have also become aware of more people stepping forward to take on more involved roles within our parish, and this is a desirable and natural sequence of healthy growth. We wish to support this process and offer opportunities for those feeling the call to this leadership and engagement to explore the spirituality of this work, and to develop the skills necessary for leading others to discipleship. We will be inviting all Holy Family Ministry leaders and others interested in offering their service in leadership to very special sessions of Formation in October. Please let us know if you are interested, and stay tuned for more information and the dates for these sessions. Thank you for allowing our Lord to use your time and talents to further His work among the people of our parish and wider community and to *Encounter Through Serving!*