

THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Monday, November 7, 7 p.m.

+Len Tobin req by Sheila Tobin

Tuesday, November 8, 9 a.m.

+Eva Claro req by Etorma Family

Wednesday, November 9, 7 p.m.

CWL Members Living & Deceased

+Restituta Valentini req by Domenico & Pasqualina Cirelli

Thursday, November 10, 9 a.m.

Sp Int for Fr. Damian req by

Legion of Mary

Friday, November 11, 7 p.m.

Deceased Legion Members req by

Legion of Mary

+Hubert & Valerie Wong & Raymond

Ali req by Bridget Ali

+Joseph & Annie Aquilina req by Their

Children & Their Families

Saturday, November 12

9 a.m. +Ilen Plummer req by

Legion of Mary Members

5 p.m. +Sebastian Giorgi req by

Maria Giorgi & Family

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the healing and recovery of

all the sick members of our parish especially: Maureen Keogan, Reginald Wade, Pat Bourke, Grace Hancock and Shirley Barrett.

2017 Sunday Missals are now available for sale at the Gift Store for \$5.00 each.

NOVENA FOR OUR REFUGEE FAMILY

A Novena in Holy Family Parish for our refugee family will commence on **Monday, November 7th** and close on Tuesday, November 15th. (Nine days) inclusively. The actual novena prayer is to St. Frances Cabrini - patroness saint of migrants and immigrants. This novena prayer (10 minutes of your day) will take place after each weekday mass, the 5:00pm mass on Saturday, and the 12:30pm mass on Sunday. Prayer cards will be provided. Please do come and join us in the spirit of compassion, community and Christ's love.

Alan Perron & Our Parish Refugee Team.

CWL MOVIE NIGHT "THE NATIVITY"

In preparation for the upcoming Advent Season, The CWL will be hosting a movie night for all CWL Members on **Wednesday November 9th, 2016** following the 7:00pm Mass. "The Nativity" will be the main feature. Please come and join us for this wonderful evening. Bring a comfy chair to relax in and enjoy the movie. Refreshments and Snacks will be provided.



The Shepherds' Trust
Caring for those who always cared for us.

As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, we remember how they have been tangible instruments of the Lord's mercy in our lives. Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity. **Your generosity on the weekend of November 12 & 13 is deeply appreciated.**

ANNUAL COIN CAN COLLECTION

The Society of St Vincent de Paul annual coin can collection is being returned on Sunday, **November 13th**. If you wish a tax receipt for your donation we require your can to be labelled with your full name and complete address. Thank you for all your continued support.

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY KICKOFF NIGHT

Get ready. Set. Go! Our Hospitality Ministry Kickoff night will take place on **Tuesday November 15, 2016 at 7pm in the Parish Hall**. Come and learn more in depth about the ministry and the various teams. If you have already pledged to be more intentional about hospitality and also signed up to be part of one of the teams, this is **THE** event to attend, so mark your calendars and we'll see you there! We will be serving refreshments, so please RSVP by calling the office or on the Hospitality Ministry page: <http://holyfamilywhitby.com/hospitality/>

DIVINE RENOVATION – NEXT STEP: WHO ARE WE AS A FAITH COMMUNITY?

The question has been asked, "How are we to live wisely as Christians within the pressures and complexities of contemporary culture?" (Fr. Michael Paul Gallagher, SJ)

As we continue to develop our parish Divine Renovation plan, which is to not only reach everyone in the parish, but also to be reflective of every person in the parish, a component that is needed is collected information from the whole congregation. Information that shares about who we are as a faith community, our engagement as parishioners, our spiritual commitment and other outcomes.

For more than 70 years, the **Gallup** organization has been developing instruments that measure the "unmeasurable". Gallup has created tools that accurately measure the soft numbers for many organizations – including things such as customer and employee engagement and other former intangibles – that have been key to business success.

Over a decade ago, Gallup confronted the challenge of measuring another unmeasurable – spiritual engagement. Through extensive research on the subject, Gallup has designed an instrument – the **Member Engagement Survey (ME²⁵)** – that measures the spiritual health of parishes. The **ME²⁵** gets to the heart of a parish's engagement and spiritual commitment to give us all an indication of our spiritual health, and this will in turn inform how our Divine Renovation plan will best meet our needs.

Holy Family will be undertaking this valuable survey **beginning the weekend of Nov. 19th & 20th and continuing for 4 weeks**. More information will be provided as we get closer to that time. Please plan to participate in this simple and quick process, so that we may have as much parishioner input as possible. Our goal is to have responses from 1000 parishioners! We are asking who the faith community of Holy Family is, and how we live our faith in our modern world, and we really want to know! Thank you in advance for your prayers and participation.



Lectio Divina

with Cardinal Thomas Collins

We are inviting everyone to attend a Lectio Divina on the Book of Psalms with Cardinal Thomas Collins (after His Eminence celebrates the **7pm Mass**) on Monday **November 28th** in the parish hall.

Lectio Divina ("divine, or sacred, reading") is the name given to a spiritual tradition among Christians over the last two thousand years, in which *they attentively and prayerfully read the word of God.*

KEN MACDONALD COLUMBIAN SQUIRES OF WHITBY



The **Ken MacDonald Columbian Squires of Whitby** are running a membership drive for boys ages 10-18. Stop by and see what the Squires are all about.

We are a 'Jr' version of the Knights of Columbus and we hold our meetings **every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month from 6pm-7pm** in the Knights room. The first meeting of the month is always a business meeting, while the second meeting is always a social. Come help to serve the parish and community in a fun and faith based atmosphere. Remember the Squires motto: *Esto Dignus - Be Worthy!*

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL



ASSISTANCE FOR OUR NEIGHBOURS IN NEED AT CHRISTMAS

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is compiling a list of families in our community that need help at Christmas. If you and your family or the company that you work for would like to sponsor a family in need this Christmas, please contact the Society for more information before **Nov. 12 at 905-442-6694.**

C.W.L. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The CWL Membership Drive will be the weekend of **November 26th and 27th.** We will have a table at the back of each Mass. The cost to join the CWL is \$25. We encourage you to renew your Membership or if you are not currently a Member, join our team. Our meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each Month. We have guest speakers and we talk about the various activities we are involved in at the Church and in the CWL community. If you are busy, you are not obligated to attend all meetings. If you would like to find out more about the CWL, please contact either Alys MacAlister, (905) 665-7849 or Elaine Harper, at (905) 668-9026.



Calling all Moms! Come and join the Holy Family Mother's Ministry! Join in a little chat

about our own Faith, how we can help grow our family's Faith, and pray for each other. Meetings are the last **Friday of the month at 8pm** in the Knights of Columbus Room. Moms need a little break too, join us this month! For more info email:

MaureenLPoland@gmail.com www.catholicmomsgroup.com



``Honor the LORD with your wealth, with first fruits of all your produce. Then will your barns be filled with plenty, with new wine your vats will overflow`` Proverbs 3:9-10

September 2016

Offertory/R&M Contributions	\$38,496.90
PAG Contributions	8,579.00

Total Contribution: \$47,075.96

Total Church Expenses **\$53,581.67**

October 2016

Offertory/R&M Contributions	\$ 42,394.85
PAG Contributions	8,595.00

Total Contribution: \$50,989.85

Total Church Expenses **\$48,134.25**

NEW PARISHIONER WELCOME SUNDAY

I would like to welcome you as a new parishioner this year to Holy Family Parish! You have come to a very vibrant and dynamic faith community. We will have our New Parishioner Welcome on the weekend of November 19th and 20th 2016. We invite you to come down to the Msgr. Breen parish hall after any of the Masses for some refreshments, conversation and to meet other parishioners and learn more about Holy Family. We look forward to getting to know you and opening the doors of Holy Family to you!

Rev. Fr. László Nagy, Pastor

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 15 - Hospitality Kickoff Night
- Nov. 19 & 20 – New Parishioners Welcome Sunday
- Nov. 26 & 27 – SSVP Angel Tree & CWL Membership Drive
- Nov. 28 – Cardinal Thomas Collins Lectio Divina
- Dec. 3 – Children's Christmas Party (12nn)
- Dec. 3 –Christmas Candle Light Concert (6:30pm)
- Dec 12, 13, 14 – Advent Retreat
- Dec 14 – Advent Reconciliation

FIRST CALL FOR INTENTIONAL HOSPITALITY!

As you know, we are having our first ever New Parishioner Welcome after all masses on the weekend of **November 19 and 20** in our Msgr. Breen parish hall. As an expression of our hospitality and in the spirit of being more intentional about our hospitality, we invite parishioners to please join us in welcoming our New Parishioners, both by your presence, and by contributing something for the refreshments. We will serve coffee, tea and juice, and would greatly appreciate the personal touch of some sweets and fruits from parishioners to put out. Please sign up at the back of the church to let us know what you will be bringing. Let's make this a real parish celebration to be enjoyed by all! Thank you so much!