



Monday, May 14, 7pm

+Jacob req by the Vetsal Family

Tuesday, May 15, 9 am

Sp Int for Fr. László

Wednesday, May 16, 7 pm

Sp Int for Agnes Ferraz req by Sheila Tobin

+Colomba Soldo req by Carmela & Rocco Volpe

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

Sp Int for Angelina Steenstra req by RCIA class of 2018.

+Elminia Lombardi & Vincenza Volpe req by Carmela & Rocco Volpe.

Sp Int for Fr. László req by Mary Celebre

+Angela Coscarella req by Rosanna Celebre.

+Delfina Osso req by the Family

+Milka Brijeski req by the Family.

+Frank & Mary Coe req by Maurice Coe.

Thursday, May 17, 9 am

+Basdeo, Sonia & Myrna Mungal req by Lynette Mangan.

Friday, May 18, 7 pm

+Darlene Scott req by Sheila Tobin.

+Rosemary Ward req by the Keogan & Delvecchio Families.

+Colm Conneely req by the Conneely Family.

+Margot Weindorfer req by Bob Weindorfer.

+Angela Del Gatto req by Mario Del Gatto & Family.

Saturday May 19

9:00 am +RCMP Constable Tony Borovsky

Req by Edward & Christine Lescisin & Family.


5:00 pm Ted Mizza req by Wife & Family.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

PLEASE PRAY for all of the sick members of our parish especially: Linda Vidulich, Jim Cushnan, Reginald Wade, Grace Hancock, Shirley Barrett and Sue Hickey.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Holy Family Parish will be having a **Wedding Anniversary Mass** on **Saturday May 26, 5pm**. Registered parishioners celebrating a Milestone Wedding Anniversary in 2018 (10th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th etc...) are invited to renew their wedding vows and commitment at a special Mass. Families & friends are welcome! Please email holy.family@rogers.com to register.

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SUMMER CAMPS

HOLY FAMILY YOUTH MINISTRY CAMP

Games, activities, music, laughter, lessons, talks, questions, discussions, celebration, Sacraments, paint, and water. What does this all mean? Holy Family Parish's very own summer camps! It all happens the **Week of July 22, 2018!**

Day program for children in grades 1-6: July 23-26, 8:30am - 2:30pm. Cost; \$75 for first child, \$60 for the second, and free for 3rd & 4th child in the same family.

Evening program for youth in grades 7-12: July 22-25, 6:30pm - 9pm. Cost \$10.

Registration forms for both these camps can be found under the bulletin board or online at: <https://holyfamilywh.archtoronto.org/Ministries/children-youth/youth-ministry>

HOLY FAMILY GRAND CAMP WEEK OF JULY 9, 2018.

Holy Family Parish will be offering an enjoyable fun-filled summer camp geared for grandparents and their grandchildren from ages 4 to 12 in the month of July. It will take place here at the church from **July 9th to July 13th** inclusive and will be from **9:30am to 2:30pm** (Mon-Fri). There will be storytelling, drama, fun sharing games & crafts between Grandma, Grandpa and their grandchildren all in a community of faith. Registration packages with program and fee information will be available soon! Should you require further information, please email Mary Kay at: mk.boase@rogers.com or Alan Perron at: alandioper@gmail.com or call to the parish office.

LIFETEEN AND EDGE OVERNIGHT CAMPS

EDGE Camp is a Catholic camp organized by the Archdiocese of Toronto in conjunction with the Office of Catholic Youth and is for youth currently in grades 5 to 8. It is happening from **August 6-11**. To be a part of this fun week of Adoration, fellowship, adventure, the outdoors, and community please email Camille at hfwym91@gmail.com for more details.

Life Teen Camp is a Catholic camp for high school students and is happening from **August 26-30**. To join in on this week of high energy, countless activities, and a chance to meet hundreds of faith-filled young people, please contact Camille at hfwym@gmail.com for details.

YOUTH GROUP FUNDRAISER ~ CHOCOLATE BAR SALES THIS WEEKEND!

The **Youth Ministry** will be selling chocolates this weekend, at the back of the church! Funds raised will help to support our kids to go to camp this summer. Please support our Holy Family Youth and help send a child to camp.

CALL FOR CONSCIENCE 2018 – AN INVITATION FROM CARDINAL COLLINS

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, recently issued a call to action in advance of the June 7 provincial election to promote palliative care, conscience rights and the protection of faith-based facilities. His Eminence has asked Catholics to visit canadiansforconscience.ca/ontario to send a letter directly to all candidates in their riding for the June 7 election. A pre-written letter is provided which people can amend as they choose. If you did not receive Cardinal Collins' emailed letter and you would like to receive them in the future, please visit bit.ly/archtosignup. Thank you for advocating on these important issues! Neil MacCarthy, Director, Public Relations & Communications Archdiocese of Toronto (416) 934-3400 ext552 neilm@archtoronto.org www.archtoronto.org

EPHESIANS BIBLE STUDY

It's never too late to join our Monday Bible Studies here at Holy Family (Mondays 10:30am or 7:30pm) **Please join us this week! Can't make it to the parish on Mondays? Then join us online!** Holy Family is offering the Ephesians Bible Study for online use. You will be able to view the video sessions online at home and follow along in the study book. Simply sign up at the back of the church and we'll get you set up. The purchase of the study book is required for \$40.

CLOTHING DRIVE

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Saturday/Sunday will take place on the weekend of **May 26 & 27**. The truck will be in the parking lot before and after each Mass and members of St. Vincent will be available to collect gently used clothing for our clothing store in Oshawa. Thank you for your support.

FOOD DRIVE THIS WEEKEND!

The St. Vincent De Paul and Knights of Columbus food drive will take place this weekend, **May 12 & 13**. The Knights of Columbus will donate to St. Vincent De Paul \$5 for each bag of 5 or more food items donated. Food donations can be dropped off at the back of the church during all Mass times. Donations of breakfast cereal, canned fruit and vegetables, pasta sauce, peanut butter, juice and soup are especially needed. Thank you for your support.

HOLY FAMILY YARD SALE MAY 26

The Knights of Columbus are once again hosting the Annual Holy Family Yard Sale on Saturday May 26 in the parish hall. **Good, saleable items can be dropped off to the NE corner of the parish hall on Thursday May 24th from 6pm to 8 pm and on Friday May 25th from 9am to 8pm.**

C.W.L. FASHION SHOW MAY 27

Holy Family CWL is inviting you to attend a Spring Fashion Show on Sunday May 27th, 2018 at 2p.m. in the Parish Hall. Clothes by **ALIA N Tan Jay & TOPAZ**. Hair by Anthony Frances Hair and Estetica. Make-up by Ashley Tyrrell. Tickets are \$10.00 at the back of the church after all Masses. For more information call Mary at 905-666-4061 or Maureen Lisci 905-426-0851.

PILGRIMAGE OCT 21 - NOV 3

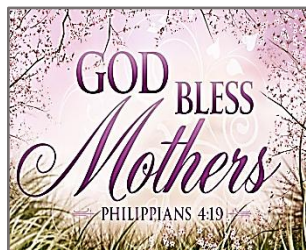
We are inviting everyone to join Fr. László on a 14 day pilgrimage to **SPAIN AND PORTUGAL** from October 21 to November 3, 2018. Places to visit are: 13th century Cathedrals in Madrid, St Ignatius Loyola Jesuit Basilica, Fatima, Royal Chapel, Basilica of the Assumption of our Lady to see the Holy Grail and many more. Please pick up an itinerary at the back of the church.

FIRST COMMUNION



Congratulations to all of our First Communicants who received the Blessed Sacrament for the first time this past weekend. We pray that they will continue to grow in their faith & knowledge and love of God.

A PRAYER FOR MOTHERS



Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. We thank You for our mothers to whom You have entrusted the care of every precious human life from its very beginning in the womb. You have given to woman the capacity of participating with You in the creation of new life. Grant that every woman may come to understand the full meaning of that blessing, which gives her an unlimited capacity for selfless love for every child she may be privileged to bear, and for all Your children. Watch over every mother who is with child, strengthen her faith in Your fatherly care and love for her and for her unborn baby. Give her courage in times of fear or pain, understanding in times of uncertainty and doubt, and hope in times of trouble. Grant her joy in the birth of her child. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen. **Happy Mother Day!**

JOIN A SMALL GROUP!

Small Groups are meetings of 4-12 people who intentionally choose to meet regularly over the course of some number of weeks with the purpose of growing as disciples of Jesus. Small groups will often meet in the parish or each other's homes to complete some bible study program or other faith formation program. Small groups are an important step in the faith development of Christian disciples as they embody a self-motivated pursuit of Christian growth and learning.

We are accepting requests for those interested in joining and/or forming a Small Group as well as those interested in leading a group. Please visit our website and complete the online registration form in order to get started. Below is just a sample of some of the recommended programs for small groups here at Holy Family this year:

Lectio Series – Prayer: Finding Intimacy with God Program length: 6 weeks.

Though prayer is one of the essentials of a thriving faith, we often feel as if we're talking to ourselves—or, worse, as if we're talking to no one at all. How can something so vital to the Faith be so elusive? Now, with the clear teaching and artistry of the Augustine Institute's Lectio series, Dr. Tim Gray masterfully uses the discipline of *Lectio Divina* to show you how to make prayer an effective effort of love and intimacy. In six video sessions, *Prayer: Finding Intimacy with God* captures the secret to opening our hearts and minds to Scripture as the means to hear from God and then respond in conversation, basking in his presence and resolving to live in and through his love.

Opening the Word: Ordinary Time Weeks 8-21, Year B Program length: 13 weeks

Opening the Word is a program offering prayer and insights for the Sunday Readings. Featuring a variety of experienced presenters including Dr. Tim Gray, Jules Miles, Dr. Scott and Annie Powell, Dr. Edward Sri, and Dr. Ben Akers, the fifty-two videos are designed to facilitate thought and discussion for personal faith formation or in the context of a group meeting. Personal Prayer Journals and a group Leader's Guides are also available to make the most of these Sunday Readings.

Lectio Series – The Eucharist Program length: 10 weeks

'The Lamb of God', 'The Bread of Life', 'The Body and the Blood of Christ'... these are phrases we know from the Mass. But do we understand what they mean in the greater and deeper context of Scripture and Church teaching? Acclaimed author and teacher Dr. Brant Pitre rigorously digs down to the biblical roots of the Eucharist, through its foreshadowing in the miraculous events of the Old Testament, the Gospels, and Apostolic teaching. We'll discover firsthand how Christ's Body and Blood are an integral and wondrous part of God's plan for our salvation.

JOIN AN INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP!

Consider joining one of our **Intercessory Prayer Groups**. If you feel in your heart that you are being called to pray for the needs of others then we encourage you to please come and join anyone of our **Intercessory Prayer Groups**. We have groups that meet as follows: Thursdays 7pm in the CWL room and Fridays 1pm, 2pm & 7:30pm in the church. Please come to anyone of these times and join the group. **Miracles are truly happening thanks to the power of prayer in these groups!**

PRAYER REQUEST BOX

If you are in need of prayer, we encourage you to use our Prayer Request Box located in the back of the church. Simply fill out the provided Prayer Request Card and leave it in the box and the Holy Family Intercessory Prayer Group will pray for you. **We want to pray for you!**