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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday at 12.05 pm Saturday at 9 am & 5 pm (Vigil) Sunday at 9 am & 11 am

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday at 11.30 am Saturday at 4.30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10 am to 4 pm Susan Lee, Parish Secretary

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION (Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, RCIA)

Alice Warford, Sacramental Coordinator ihmsacraments@gmail.com

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Rev Fr Charles Collins, Pastor 416.264.6544 Sunday Masses at 12.30 & 4.30 pm (in Tamil)

THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



No know that everyone has a birthday. The Bible doesn't say anything about Mary's birth, but we know that she was born. Like all parents, Mary's parents—we call them Joachim and Ann—probably took one look at their newborn

daughter and knew that she was special.

Joachim and Ann loved God very much, and they were filled with gratitude to God for the gift of a child. They raised Mary as a child of God, teaching her to love and serve God. When the angel Gabriel told Mary that she had been chosen to be the Mother of Jesus, she already had great faith in God. Her strong faith and trust allowed her to say yes to God's plan for her. We cannot be certain what the future holds for any newborn infant, but we do know that the life of each person has meaning and purpose. When Mary was born, the world did not know who she was. Sometimes others—and maybe even you—don't see how special you are. Maybe you forget that God is calling you, too, right now, to do what Mary did—to bring Jesus into the world.

When we celebrate his mother's birth, we honor Jesus too. Today thank God for the gift of life, and give honor to both Mary and Jesus by showing respect and concern for one another—remembering that God has created each person with love and with a call to something very special in life.

from <u>Saints and Feast Days</u>, by Sisters of Notre Dame of Chardon, Ohio

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To be a disciple we must carry our cross and follow him.

The cost of discipleship is real. To love Christ above family, self, possessions – this is difficult! And that is

the cross we are to carry; the difficulty of prioritizing Christ when it would be easier not to. After all, what else is there? Only the cross. We carry our cross to become like the Master who carried his cross to death, victory and redemption.



Monday September 9

12:05 pm Maximina & Mariano Luzano requested by Virgie & Leo Luzano

Tuesday September 10

12:05 pm † Jerome Rocha on his death anniversary requested by Jane Rocha

Wednesday September 11

12:05 pm † Anelta Thomas on her 9<sup>th</sup> death anniversary requested by Sheryl Ambrose & family

Thursday September 12

12:05 pm † Deceased members of the Cabral family requested by Fatima Cabral

Friday September 13

St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 12:05 pm Regina Lemos

requested by Norma Resendes

Saturday September 14

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

9 am † Mervyn Rocha on his birthday requested by Jane Rocha

5 pm † Deceased members of the Medina family requested by the Javier family

Sunday September 15

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time9 am For the People of the Parish

11 am † For the beatification of Venerable Edel
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requested by the Queen of the Most Holy
Rosary praesidium – IHM Legion of Mary



|  | Mon. Sep. 9  | 7:30 pm     | Knights of Columbus meeting |
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|  | Thu. Sep. 12 | 6 – 7 pm    | Legion of Mary – Holy Hour  |
|  |              | 7:30 – 9 pm | Legion of Mary – Meeting    |
|  | Fri. Sep. 13 | 3:45 – 5 pm | Children's Choir practice   |



# IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH ONE DAY PILGRIMAGE

Place: Our Lady of Fatima Basilica, Buffalo, New York

**Date:** Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 **Spiritual Leader:** Rev. Charles Collins

Please refer to poster and pick up a flyer at the front and side entrances of the church for more details.

#### **EXPERTS IN HUMANITY**

Dr. Lombardi, is Associate Professor of Pastoral and Systematic Theology, Professor of Field Education, and Director of Lay Formation for St. Augustine's Seminary in Scarborough. She has done media work in radio and television and has been an advisor to the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops in the area of doctrine and Catholic-Muslim relations. Her book Experts in Humanity, has been featured on Salt and Light TV and has received first place in the category of Family Life, by The Catholic Press Association of the United States and Canada.

**Keynote Speaker**: Dr. Josephine Lombardi **Location:** St. Boniface Church, 142 Markham Rd.,

Scarborough, ON M1M 2H9

**Date & Time:** Saturday September 21, 2019 @ 1:00 pm **Register Online at:** https://stbcs.eventbrite.ca Arcangelo Limanni, MRE - 416.587.7687 alimanni@cfstoronto.com

**THEOLOGY ON TAP** 

I Can Never Find the Time!

**Date:** Monday, September 9 - 7 to 9 p.m.

Place: Le Spot Billiard Lounge

4531 Sheppard Ave. E., 2nd floor, # 200,

Scarborough

All young adults (19-39) are invited to join us for Theology on Tap, an evening of thought-provoking conversation on theological topics, with munchies

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PHONE: 416-599-7676

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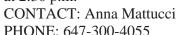
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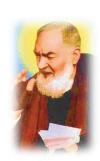
# ANNUAL MASS TO CELEBRATE PADRE PIO

**Date:** Sunday, September 15 - 2:00 p.m.

Place: Marylake, 13760 Keele St. N., King City

Holy Mass celebrated by Fr. Pietro Gioppato and Fr. Eugene followed by a procession with the statue of St. Pio. All are invited to pray next to the sacred gloves that Padre Pio wore. Refreshments and a raffle will also be available. Rosary at 2 p.m. and Mass at 2:30 p.m.





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The Catholic Women's League will be getting things rolling this month with our first general meeting of the season. Please come and join us on Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> after the 9 a.m. Mass in the meeting

room in the basement of the rectory. At this meeting, we will be discussing our plans for the year and dates for the bazaar.

All are Welcome! Please come and join us!



Entrance: #928 All People That on Earth Do Dwell Offertory: #750 For the Fruits of All Creation Communion: #1050 Broken for the Broken Closing: #993 Immaculate Mary

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