# THE PARISH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

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### Rev. Fr. Charles Collins, Administrator Rev. Fr. Peter Gitendran, In Residence



#### 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)

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Alice Warford

### OUR LADY OF GOOD HEALTH

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

# Reflection

The kingdom of heaven is like a merchant searching for fine pearls. (Matthew 13:45)

What are you looking for in life? Everybody is searching for something. Children long for a special toy or game. Teenagers look for a boyfriend or girlfriend or success at school. Working people might be seeking out the next big career opportunity. People of any age could be wanting financial security or peace of mind.

Today's Gospel introduces us to someone who is also a seeker: a merchant on a quest for fine pearls. Like many of us, this merchant is searching for something specific. And in the midst of his search, he finds something far more wonderful than what he expected: one single pearl of surpassing value, a "pearl of great price" (Matthew 13:46). Seeing it, he gives up the search for those "fine pearls." He commits himself fully to obtaining that one beautiful pearl—so much so that he sells everything else so that he can buy it.

Surely the merchant wasn't able to sell everything all at once. There were probably times when he doubted himself. But he kept at it, day after day, item after item, until he finally had it the pearl of his dreams. At last he was content!

Jesus says this merchant shows us what the kingdom of heaven is like. It is made up of people like us, searching for happiness. In some ways, the things we seek can make us happy. But finding Jesus and being part of his kingdom far surpasses the happiness that anything else can give. In him we find the answer to our deepest longings for love and reconciliation. For security and fulfillment. For purpose and meaning.

Make no mistake: things we long for can often be good things. But remember the merchant. There was nothing wrong with the pearls he was trading in. Yet he sold all of them for that one pearl of great price.

**PRAYER:** "Lord, help me to see you as a priceless pearl worth everything in my life."

~ taken from the 'Word Among Us' ~



Press Conference with Cardinal Collins on Reopening of the Church: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1002z-n-oEY

Returning to Mass: <a href="https://bit.ly/ReturnToMass">https://bit.ly/ReturnToMass</a>

Parish bulletins, Archdiocese updates: https://immaculateheartofmarysc.archtoronto.org/

# mass schedule

MASS	TIME	CHURCH OPENS	CHURCH CLOSES
Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday	12:05 pm	11:00 am	1:00 pm
Weekday Mass: Saturday	9:00 am	8:30 am	10:00 am
Sunday Masses: Saturday <i>[Sun.Vigil]</i> Sunday Sunday	5:00 pm 9:00 am 11:00 am	4:30 pm 8:30 am 10:30 am	

#### NOTE:

- ALL MASSES will be on a <u>FIRST-COME</u>, <u>FIRST-SERVED basis</u>
- CONFESSIONS by appointment only [Weekday: 11:00 am to 11:30 am and 12:30 pm to 1 pm]

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## **PARISH EMAILS**

 $\mathcal{O}$ f you have not been receiving emails from the parish, we encourage you to update your records. Please do so, if you wish, via email, to

immaculatechurch@rogers.com



The Parish Office is opened on Thursdays: 9:30 am to 4 pm



Mon. Jul. 27	12:05 pm	<b>†</b> Celso De Castro,	
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		requested Letty Denovan	
Tue. Jul. 28	12:05 pm	<b>†</b> Betty & Ben Munoz,	
		requested by Virgie & Leo	
		Luzano	
Wed. Jul. 29	12:05 pm	<b>†</b> Enrique Doramal,	
		requested Nereza Frias	
Thu. Jul. 30	12:05 pm	<b>†</b> Zenida Malakas in	
		remembrance on her	
		birthday, requested by the	
		Malakas family	
Fri. Jul. 31	12:05 pm	<b>†</b> Rosalia Falsis, <i>requested</i>	
		by Nereza Frias	
Sat. Aug. 1	9:00 am		
_	5:00 pm	<b>†</b> Angela Meneses,	
	, î	requested by the Che family	
Sun. Aug. 2	9:00 am	For the People of the Parish	
	11 :00 am	<b>†</b> Lucia & Teodoro Llarenas,	
		requested by Laurie &	
		Serge Llarenas	

EFFECTIVE JULY 7<sup>™</sup>, 2020 New By-Law requires Mandatory use of Masks at Church



Let's take care of one another and keep our community safe & healthy!

Thank you for your co-operation!

### ST. VINCENTDEPAULSOCIETY

is sincerely grateful to our benefactors for your continued support to our neighbours in need.

During this pandemic, your generosity has enabled

us to help approximately 60 neighbours while implementing social distancing measures as mandated by the government. Aside from the financial help, we have also offered and extended



emotional support to those who are feeling isolated and fearful during this time.

Your continued financial support will be appreciated. You may use regular envelopes for donation as we are not yet allowed to leave envelopes in the church vestibule until we return to normal business.

## **CELEBRATING THE HOLY EUCHARIST**

Mass will be celebrated every day, via livestream, at 7:30 a.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica at www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live

A daily televised Mass is also available through Salt & Light Catholic Media Foundation

(<u>www.saltandlighttv.org</u>) as well as through Vision TV and also online

(<u>www.DailyTVMass.com</u>). This provides an additional opportunity to pray for those who are suffering as well as for our health care professionals tending the sick.



## **Spiritual Communion Prayer**



*My* Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into

my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. **Amen.**  **Liturgical Publications** 3171 LENWORTH DR. #12 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 905-624-4422

