

# **THE PARISH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

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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)**

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## **ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

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## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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## **LEGION OF MARY**

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## **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

Alice Warford

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Rev Fr Charles Collins, Pastor 416.264.6544

Sunday Masses at 12.30 & 4.30 pm (in Tamil)

## Riding Through the Storms

### Jesus Stills a Storm

Mark 4.35-41

Life, by its very nature, is filled with storms and difficulties. More than once in the Gospel do we hear about Jesus calming a storm. In the Gospel passage today, we are invited to reflect on the account of Jesus asleep on the boat while the storm raged all around.

We can use our imagination to create the scene of this episode in our minds. Presumably, the storm was violent and loud, yet the Lord did not rise from his sleep. Moreover, the disciples in their panic-stricken state were likely yelling and making noise as they tried to steer the boat through the waves. Lastly, the intensity of the storm likely meant that waves, wind and rain would have been beating against Jesus' sleeping body, yet he remained asleep. However, when the disciples turned to Jesus for help, Jesus immediately wakes up and calms the storm with three words: **"Peace! Be still!"**



In the midst of the storms of our lives, when we think we are all alone, we should realize that Jesus is with us through it all. Instead of panicking, we should strive to be still and peacefully take the time to turn to God and ask for help. This should be the first thing we do before we even try to solve the problem ourselves. **Being a merciful and loving Father, God will not delay in coming to our aid.**

~ Stewardship Bulletin Reflection – Archdiocese of Toronto ~

## HEART SPEAKS TO HEART

A Pastoral Letter on the Sacred Heart of Jesus by Cardinal

Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto - please visit our parish website,

<https://immaculateheartofmarysc.archtoronto.org/>

for a copy of this letter plus other helpful resources.



## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP WEEKEND

Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, June 20<sup>th</sup>

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is pleased to accept clothing, shoes, bedding, towels, draperies and NEW toys for use in the Society's programs and services to help those in need. A truck will be in the parking lot after mass to receive your donation. Please tie your donation bags for easier handling. Please note: the following will NOT be accepted: books, dishes, furniture, construction materials, video and audio cassettes.

**Thank you for your continued support!**



## SHARELIFE SUNDAY



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All parishioners are invited to make a sacrificial gift to the best of their ability. Please leave your envelope in the provided basket, drop it off at the parish office, or donate online at <https://sharelife.org/>.

**Today is ShareLife Sunday  
Thank you for your support!**

## A BLESSING FOR FATHER'S DAY

God our Father,

In your wisdom and love you have created us and called us your own. Bless our fathers, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers.

Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.

In moments of joy, rejoice with them. In times of struggle, give them your courage and perseverance. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor and appreciate them always with a spirit of profound respect. May the example and prayer of St. Joseph inspire them to live their vocation with courage.



Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



## CANADIAN CATHOLICS TO PRAY NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH



The faithful in Canada are invited to pray a Novena in honor of St. Joseph from 22 – 30 June, as part of initiatives to mark the Year of St. Joseph. The year marks the 150th anniversary of the

proclamation of St. Joseph as the Patron of the Universal Church by Pope Pius IX.

In keeping with celebrating the Year of St. Joseph announced by Pope Francis in December 2020, the Canadian faithful are invited to pray a Novena in honor of the guardian of the Holy Family.

**The Novena begins on 22 June and ends on 30 June**, and it is followed by an Act of Entrustment on 1 July which is also the annual commemoration of Canada Day.

During the nine days of prayer, the faithful are encouraged to pray for an end to the Covid-19 pandemic, for those who have died, for the family – domestic Church, for peace and unity in the country, for an end to racism and discrimination, for vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, for youth and the elderly, for frontline workers and the unemployed, and for the need, addicted and excluded.

To aid the faithful to participate in the prayer, the National Liturgy Office of the Canadian Bishops' Conference (CCCB) has made available some catechetical resources, devotions, and prayers for adults and children, including the Novena prayers and the Act of Entrustment to St. Joseph.

**Link:** <https://www.cccb.ca/>

~ By Vatican News staff writer ~

## Pre-authorized Giving [PAG]

**What is the pre-authorized giving plan?**

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving Plan (P.A.G.) to assist you in your support of the work of the parish through your regular parish offerings.

The work of our parish is made possible through the giving hearts of our parishioners. In response to changing lifestyles and demands on time and energy, the Archdiocese of Toronto seeks, through the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan to assist you in your giving.

**Why should I participate?**

Advantages for the donor:

- Convenience. Your offering is received automatically every month.
- Eliminates the writing of cheques.
- Continual support of your parish when you are away.

Advantages for the Parish:

- Allows the parish to plan better through regular and dependable flow of contributions.
- Reduction of paperwork and bookkeeping.

**For more details, please pick up a form from the parish office. Thank you for supporting your parish!**

## Mass Intentions

Mon.	Jun. 21	12:05 pm	
Tue.	Jun. 22	12:05 pm	
Wed.	Jun. 23	12:05 pm	
Thur.	Jun. 24	12:05 pm	† Joan Chew, <i>requested by Elrich Chew</i>
Fri.	Jun. 25	12:05 pm	† Asuncion de Castro, <i>requested by Letty Denovan</i>
Sat.	Jun. 26	9:00 am	For the People of the Parish
		5:00 pm	
Sun.	Jun. 27	9:00 am	In thanksgiving for all the blessing received, <i>requested by the Hipolito family</i>
		11:00 am	In thanksgiving & for the intentions of Lena Saylor on her 80 <sup>th</sup> birthday, <i>requested by the Garcia and Francisco families</i>

## MASS SCHEDULE

**MONDAY – FRIDAY 12:05 p.m.**

**SATURDAY 9 am**

**SATURDAY [Sunday Vigil Mass] 5 pm**

**SUNDAY 9 & 11 am**

*Limited seating available*

*All Masses will be on a first-come, first-served basis*

## LIVESTREAMED MASS

**The 9 am Sunday Mass is also livestreamed and can be viewed at [www.olghtamilparish.com](http://www.olghtamilparish.com)**

## CONFESSION

**MONDAY – FRIDAY 11:30 am**

**SATURDAY 4:30 pm**

**The dispensation from the Sunday Eucharist continues.**

The elderly, those with compromised immune systems or other health conditions should be encouraged to exercise extreme caution about any outings, including attendance at church.

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