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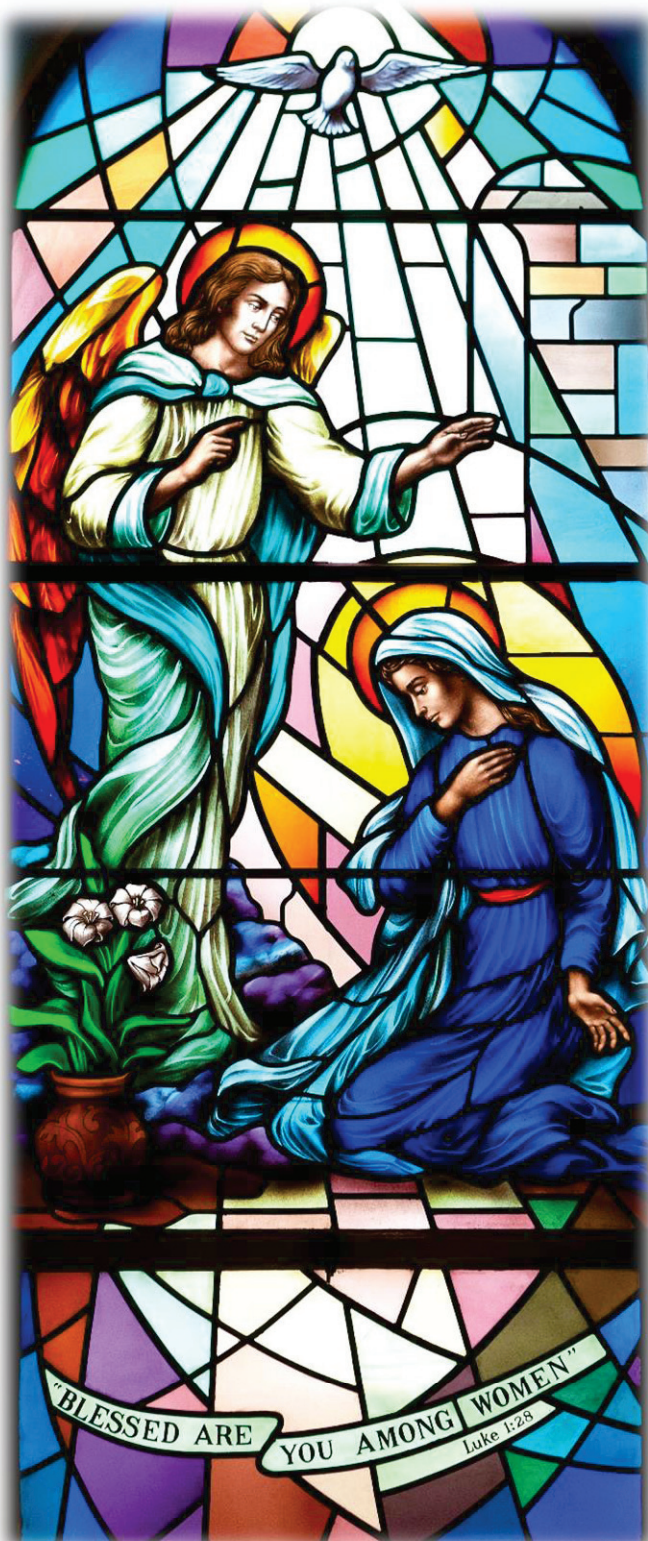
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## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday at 12.05 pm

Saturday at 9:00 am & 5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday at 9:00 am & 11:00 am

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Friday at 11:00 am

## FATIMA DEVOTION

Every 1st Saturday of the month  
following the 9:00 am Mass

## LIVESTREAM MASS [English]

[www.olghtamilparish.com](http://www.olghtamilparish.com)

Sunday at 11:00 am

## CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday at 11.30 am | Saturday at 4.30 pm

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Susan Lee, Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

(Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, RCIA)

Alice Warford, Sacramental Coordinator

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## ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Please call 647.428.2880

[ihmscarborough.svdv@gmail.com](mailto:ihmscarborough.svdv@gmail.com)

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Selva S. 647-656-0846

## LEGION OF MARY

Br. Wally Gubuan 416.267.3900

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Alice Warford 416.453.3965

## OUR LADY OF GOOD HEALTH

Rev Fr Charles Collins, Pastor 416.264.6544

Sunday Masses at 12.30 & 4.30 pm (in Tamil)

## Enthroning the King

### Jesus before Pilate

John 18.33b-37

On this final Sunday of the liturgical year we celebrate the great solemnity of Christ the King. Jesus always remains the King of the Universe, but does He also remain the king of our lives? Let us reflect on how we can enthrone Jesus in our hearts through our commitment to stewardship.



Kings often receive the finest of things in order to showcase their importance. If we want to make Jesus our King, He too deserves our very best. We can do this by striving to offer Christ the “first fruits” of our time in prayer. When we set aside a portion of everyday for prayer, we are expressing the importance of God in our lives. We become loving and faithful servants who simply long to be in the presence of their master. Let us not try to fit in our prayer after all our other commitments are taken care of, but rather, let us schedule the rest of our day around our

times of prayer so as to give our King the very best we can.

Once we enthrone Jesus as King of our lives, we can then begin to serve Him as one would an earthly king. But what kind of service does our Divine King desire? The Lord desires the service of charity and sacrifice. St. Rose of Lima says, “When we serve the poor and the sick we serve Jesus. We must not fail to help our neighbours, because in them we serve Jesus.” As stewards, let us strive to use our gifts to serve our fellow parishioners, and in turn, serve the King of kings.

#### Summary

On this solemnity of Christ the King, let us reflect on how we can enthrone Jesus in our hearts through our commitment to stewardship. Firstly, we can let God rule in our lives by giving Him the “first fruits” of our time in prayer. We should then strive to use our gifts to serve our fellow parishioners, and in turn, serve the King of kings.

~ Stewardship Bulletin Reflection – Archdiocese of Toronto ~

## REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

A special bilingual [English & Tamil] Mass will be celebrated and offered for the repose of their souls on **Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup> at 12 pm. Join us!**

**Note: There will be no 9 am Mass.**



#### Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup>

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

#### Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>

**12:05 pm** In thanksgiving and for the intentions of Jesus Hipolito on his birthday  
*requested by Judith Hipolito*

#### Wednesday, November 27<sup>th</sup>

**12:05 pm †** Joeal & Lorenzo Sr.  
*requested by Josephine & family*

#### Thursday, November 28<sup>th</sup>

**12:05 pm †** Deceased members of the Solidum & Tillo families  
*requested by Libby Tillo*

#### Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup>

**12:05 pm** In thanksgiving & intentions of Brian & Alice Warford on their wedding anniversary  
*requested by the Warford family*

#### Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>

**12:00 pm †** For the faithful departed written in the Book of Remembrance

**5:00 pm** For the Protection of Unborn Children  
*requested by Masses for Life Project*

#### Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup>

**9:00 am †** Erlinda Concepcion on her 2<sup>nd</sup> yr. death anniversary  
*requested by her children & grandchildren*

**11:00 am †** David Kumar  
*requested by Matt & Madette*

## CHRISTMAS SALE OF RELIGIOUS ITEMS

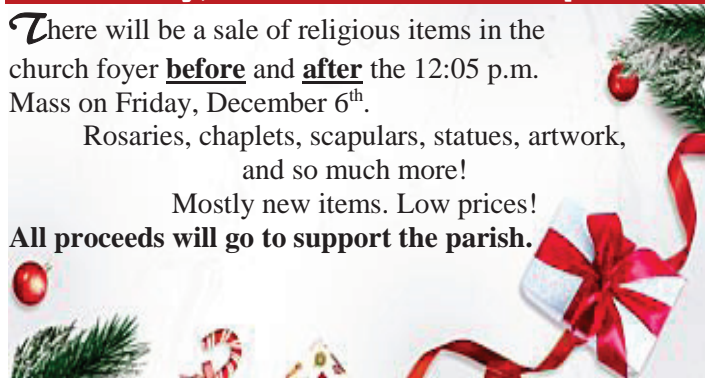
**Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup> | 12:05 pm**

There will be a sale of religious items in the church foyer **before** and **after** the 12:05 p.m. Mass on Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup>.

Rosaries, chaplets, scapulars, statues, artwork, and so much more!

Mostly new items. Low prices!

**All proceeds will go to support the parish.**





## AN ACT OF CONSECRATION TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL



○ Virgin Mother of God, Mary Immaculate, we dedicate and consecrate ourselves to you under the title of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. May this Medal be for each one of us a sure sign of your affection for us and a constant reminder of our duties toward you. Ever while wearing it, may we be blessed by your loving protection and preserved in the grace of your Son. ○ most powerful Virgin, Mother of our Savior, keep us close to you every moment of our lives. Obtain for us, your children, the grace of a happy death; so that, in union with you, we may enjoy the bliss of heaven forever. Amen.

○ Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to you. (3 times)

## SVdP Adopt A Family 2024

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is inviting parishioners to participate in the "Adopt a Family" program. The program aims to bring the Christmas experience to families in our community. If you choose to adopt, you will be given a short description of a family in need and we ask you to purchase a gift and/or gift cards for the family. The gift cards will help families prepare for the Christmas season by giving them a chance to purchase presents and food for the holidays.

If you are interested in adopting a family this Christmas, please email Society of SVdP at [ihmscarborough.svdP@gmail.com](mailto:ihmScarborough.svdP@gmail.com) or call us at 647-428-2880 by December 1st.

Thank you for supporting our families and SVdP.  
God bless!



## CHRISTMAS ASSISTANCE

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a Catholic organization whose mission is to live the Gospel message by serving Christ through our neighbours in need with love, respect, justice and joy. Our Society is hoping to bring the love and joy this Christmas season to individuals and families who may find themselves in challenging circumstances this season. If you or your family are interested in receiving assistance during the Christmas season, please contact SVDP for more information at 647-428-2880 by November 29<sup>th</sup> (families) and December 6<sup>th</sup> (individuals).

## ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL

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### GLORIA!

## Christmas Concert at Massey Hall

Saturday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm

A magical blend of secular and sacred choral repertoire to usher in this Christmas season. A Toronto holiday tradition, this is the Choir School's 59th annual Christmas concert, packed with exceptional works including Vivaldi's *Gloria*, *Carol of the Bells*, and *The Star Carol*. With close to 300 voices, 5 choirs consisting of students, and alumni, taking the stage, this year's program is sure to be one of the best yet!



Tickets are now available at [www.masseyhall.com](http://www.masseyhall.com).

Please use Promo Code: STARLIGHT.

For more information, please call 416-397-6367.

## DAYS OF CONFESSIONS FOR ADVENT

Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024



### Schedule times:

10:00 am to 11:30 am

6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

8:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Resources on "How to Go to Confession" guides in English for Adults & Youths are available in the literature rack located in the foyer of the church, and at the side entrance. Print-ready version of this resource are also available in **seven other languages** can be downloaded at:

<https://bit.ly/ConfessionGuides>

Let's prepare our souls to receive Christ worthily!

## Help homeless youth through ShareLife



**NEW:** Your gift will double in value! From November 1 until year-end, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$500,000.

Covenant House is one of the agencies you support through ShareLife. It's located in Toronto, but its young clients – largely homeless youth – arrive from throughout the archdiocese.

"Your commitment to love and care for the youth experiencing homelessness and trafficking who come to Covenant House truly means so much," says the agency's director. "Your support gives hope to young people who need hope right now – and you give youth a real chance for a better future."

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

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