The Parish Community of

St. Leonard Welcomes You

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OUR PARISH TEAM:

Pastor - Fr. P. John Nosan Associate Pastor - Fr. Ravi Tete Deacon - Joseph Murphy

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m. Sunday - 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 noon

DAILY MASS & DEVOTIONS SCHEDULE:

Monday	-	9:00 a.m. Mass
Tuesday	-	6:45 p.m. Evening Prayer
		7:00 p.m. Mass
Wednesday -		6:45 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet
		7:00 p.m. Mass
Thursday	-	6:00 p.m. Holy Hour Cenacle
		7:00 p.m. Mass
Friday	-	9:00 a.m. Mass
Saturday	-	9:00 a.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Any other time by appointment.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday - 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Closed 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

TORONTO VOCATIONS OFFICE

Tel. 416-968-0997 Fax 416-968-1227 Email: vocations@globalserve.net

OUR SCHOOLS

St. Leonard	905-846-2086
Sacred Heart	905-846-0802
St. Stephen	905-840-3921
St. Agnes	905-840-5020
St. Rita	905-595-0911
St. Josephine Bakhita School	905-846-0078
Notre Dame High School	905-840-2802
St. Evan School	905-366-5734

BAPTISM:

Must be registered in the parish for at least three months. A baptism date will be set after attendance at a Baptism Preparation Class.

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:

The Parish Team and Pastoral Visitors are available to visit the sick in the home or hospital and to bring communion. Please contact the Rectory.

MARRIAGE:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. At least one of the parties must reside within the parish boundaries or be a registered member of the parish and attending weekly.

If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.



Saturday, Sept.21 -

9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*) 5:00 p.m. - **INT. OF DANIEL & LUCY AMARAL** (50th Wedding Anniversary)

Sunday, Sept. 22 -9:00 a.m. - ANGUS PITCHER R.I.P. 10:30 a.m. - DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE STURINO FAMILY R.I.P. 12:00 mean FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

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Monday, Sept. 23 -9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*)

Tuesday, Sept. 24-7:00 p.m. - CONNIE SCHIRALLI R.I.P.

Wednesday, Sept. 25 -7:00 p.m. - GIACOMO & ROSINA ARIGANELLO R.I.P.

Thursday, Sept. 26 -7:00 p.m. - **TONY BOTELHO R.I.P.**

Friday, Sept. 27 -9:00 a.m. - FLAVIA PELACCIA R.I.P.

Saturday, Sept. 28 -9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*) 5:00 p.m. - **NICK KOSTER R.I.P.**

Sunday, Sept. 29 -9:00 a.m. - GERTRUDE & MARGARET KIVLICHAN R.I.P. 10:30 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH 12:00 noon - LUZIA DA COSTA R.I.P.

Readings for September 22 -

Amos 8.4-7 1 Timothy 2.1-7 Luke 16.1-13

Children's Liturgy Program ... Volunteers are needed to help with our Children's Liturgy program. This program is for children ages 4-7 and starts after Thanksgiving. It is offered at the 10:30 and 12:00 noon Sunday Masses. Criminal Record Checks are completed online by the applicant. Instructions are in the information package which is available in the Sacristy.

If you are presently a Children's Liturgy Instructor you must complete the *Annual Offense Declaration Form*. These can be found in the Sacristy.

BISHOPS' COLLECTION -Needs of the Canadian Church

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is involved in national and international areas of pastoral activity, including social justice, ecumenical and interfaith relations, collaboration with Aboriginal peoples, life and family issues, liturgy, catechesis, doctrine, and relations with Catholic associations and movements. Each year the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is asked to speak out, give leadership and provide guidelines for the faithful on a wide variety of topics. In order for our bishops to be able to make proper judgments on modern topics, they must have the benefit of research, expert advice and capable administration which is also funded by this collection. In addition to contributions we are also asked to pray for the work of the bishops. Donation envelopes for the collection next weekend are included in your box of offertory envelopes.

For your information ...

For the months of October, November, December, January and February we will have Mass at 7:00 in the evening on the First Friday of the month.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

What is R.C.I.A.? It is a process established for individuals (grade 9 and up) to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. This "*spiritual journey*" is centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded. If you or anyone you know is interested in learning more about what it means to be a Catholic and being a part of this "*incredible journey*", please contact the Parish Office for more information. Classes will begin on Tuesday, September 24 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Coming Soon ... The Catholic Women's League are having their annual Bazaar on Saturday, November 9. More details will be available shortly.

LIFE CHAIN 2019

Life Chain is a prayerful, peaceful, powerful witness to the evil of abortion and to the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception. It is for one hour on one day of the year in cities and towns across Canada. Please join us on Sunday, October 6, 2019 from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. as we stand together for the most vulnerable members of our society. This year we will stand at Conestoga & Sandalwood.

Rose Sunday



In conjunction with the Life Chain, the Knights of Columbus will be selling cloth roses next weekend to raise money to help Birthright Brampton.

Baby Bottle Campaign ... Just a gentle reminder that if you haven't already returned your baby bottle, please bring it to the church as soon as possible. Thanks to everyone who have already donated. Your contributions go far in helping assist the moms and their babies.

DIVINE MERCY PRESENTATION

This will take place at St. Leonard's from Monday, September 30 to Wednesday, October 2 at 7:00 p.m. Fr. Dan Cambra, MIC, Director of the Marian Evangelization Team is a member of the Mother of Mercy Province of the Marians of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Marians of the Immaculate Conception are the religious community entrusted to spread the message and devotion of Divine Mercy. Topics will vary nightly. Divine Mercy materials will be available.

Bundle Up Weekend ... The trailer from the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be in our back parking lot for clothing and household donations on the weekend of October 26/27. Winter jackets are particularly needed. More details to follow.

HUMANITARIAN RELIEF HURRICANE DORIAN

Hurricane Dorian devastated the Caribbean nation of the Bahamas and caused significant damage in Nova Scotia and along the Atlantic coast of the United States. The hurricane moved excruciatingly slowly across the Bahamian island of Abaco, leaving most buildings and infrastructure destroyed. More than 70,000 people in the Bahamas are expected to need emergency assistance, including food, shelter, electricity and safe drinking water. A still unknown number of people are missing and at least 50 people dead - a number that is expected to rise quickly over the coming weeks as more bodies are recovered.

In an effort to support those who have been most directly impacted by Hurricane Dorian, the Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting funds that will be sent through our Catholic relief partners.

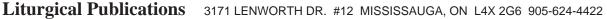
Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: St. Leonard's Parish – 2019 Hurricane Dorian -Disaster Relief. Donation envelopes are in the foyer.

We offer our prayers for all those impacted by this tragedy. Thank you for your ongoing efforts to assist those in crisis.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is looking for new members. Their next meeting is on Tuesday, October 8 following the 7:00 p.m. Mass. They would like to invite anyone interested to please attend the meeting to get more information about the Society. They help our neighbours in need living within the parish boundaries.





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