# 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
Saturdav	_	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 & ANOINTING FOR THE SICK:**

The Parish Team and Pastoral Visitors are available to visit the sick in the home or hospital and to bring communion. A priest is available to give the anointing of the sick. 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, February 8 -9:00 a.m. - (Still available) **BIFNEY JOWLABAR R.I.P.** 5:00 p.m. Sunday, February 9 -9:00 a.m. -MICHAEL PAIVA R.I.P. 10:30 a.m. -FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH 12:00 noon -**EUNICE BENN R.I.P.** Monday, February 10 -9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*) Tuesday, February 11-7:00 p.m. FERNANDO GOMES R.I.P. -Wednesday, February 12 -7:00 p.m. - GILBERTA CAMARA R.I.P. Thursday, February 13 -7:00 p.m. - GERTRUDE KIVLICHAN R.I.P. Friday, February 14 -9:00 a.m. - (Still available) Saturday, February 15 -- JOHN ANDRADE R.I.P. 9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. JUANITO GALICIA R.I.P. Sunday, February16 -FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH 9:00 a.m. \_ 10:30 a.m. -(Still available) 12:00 noon - ANDY LEAL R.IP. **Readings for February 9** -

Isaiah 58.6-10++ 1 Corinthians 2.1-5 Matthew 5.13-16

#### MEETING FOR PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLYLAND WITH DEACON JOE

For those going on the pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Deacon Joe, there will be an important meeting on Monday February 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. We will be handing out your tickets and other essential information as we prepare to leave. This will be the last opportunity to ask any questions before the pilgrimage. We will also be collecting the tip money (\$110 USD per person at this meeting). If you have not already provided Bento's with a copy of your passport, please bring a copy to this meeting.

Everyone Welcome!

The Annual Youth Ministry Pasta Night will be held next Saturday, February 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Tickets are \$18.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children 4-12. Bring your whole family for a evening of fun, great food and dancing. There will be delicious food (pasta, beef cutlets, veggies, salad and bread) cash bar, door prizes, 50/50 draw and music provided by a D.J.

Tickets are on sale after Mass. **NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR**. For further information, please email us at stleonardyouth@hotmail.com. Hope to see you there!

**Offering** 

Boxes of offertory envelopes for 2020 are available in the foyer. Please write the name to be used for your tax receipt and full address on the first few envelopes that you use. Tax receipts have been mailed for donations of \$25.00 or more that were received and deposited in 2019. Receipts for amounts under \$25.00 will be available on request.

### Dynamic Women of Faith Catholic Women's Conference

Dynamic Women of Faith will be hosting its annual conference for Catholic women on Saturday March 28, 2020 at Le Treport Banquet Hall, 1075 Queensway East, Mississauga. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. Conference is at 9:00 a.m. and ends with Mass at 4:00 p.m. celebrated by Fr Edward Curtis, Rector, St Michael's Cathedral Basilica. Light breakfast, lunch and free parking are included. Early bird registration is \$65.00 before February 14. Speakers include Kimberly Hahn and Colleen Carroll Campbell.

There is a mother-daughter event *Calling All Girls* the evening before! To register or if you would like more information visit www.dynamicwomenoffaith.com.

# World Day of the Sick February 11

The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. February 11 (Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.

# Training for New Pastoral Visitors

The Office of Formation for Discipleship will be offering training for Lay Pastoral Visitors. The training will be held at St. Jerome's Parish, 8530 Chinguacousy Road, Brampton on Saturday March 28 and Saturday, April 4 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Participants are required to attend both Saturdays. There is no cost to attend, however registration is required.

This training is designed to prepare lay persons to provide pastoral visits and/or bring Holy Communion to the sick, elderly and homebound of our parish communities who are unable to attend Mass. New and seasoned volunteers are welcome to attend. Please bring your own lunch.

For information please visit https://www.archtoronto.org/our-catholicfaith/programs-and-workshops or call Sally Amaral at 416-934-3400 ext. 518. Register online at: http://bit/ly/LPVTraining-MarApr2020.

# **Baptism**

We would like to congratulate the following children of our parish who were welcomed into the Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism last weekend:

> Jovani Miller Kwame Asare Marissa Maria Gajadhar Selena Nain Vigon

### MARRIAGE SUNDAY

Cardinal Collins has designated the weekend of February 8/9, 2020 as Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto. The event provides an opportunity to honour husband and wife while saluting the faithfulness, sacrifice and joy that comes with the marriage covenant. To those preparing for marriage, newlyweds and those that have been companions on the journey for decades, we offer our prayers and best wishes in a special way this weekend.

Let us celebrate the tremendous contributions of married couples who continue to strengthen our faith community. Let us also pray and extend loving support to those who have lost a spouse or are struggling from a broken relationship.

For more information and resources on marriage, visit: www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

# PANCAKE TUESDAY

The Catholic Women's League are hosting a pancake dinner on Shrove Tuesday, February 25, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. Mass on February 25 will be at 6:00 p.m. They invite all parishioners and their families to join them in the Parish Hall for a good, old-fashioned meal of homemade pancakes served with bacon and sausage.

Tickets will be available after all Masses on the weekends of February 15/16 and February 22/23. The cost is \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children age 10 and under. Tickets will not be available at the door.

*Come and See Weekend* ... Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Please register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. For more information please contact the Office of Vocations at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org. Please note that registrants 17 years old will require parental consent.



