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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.

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#### **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, Sept. 25 -

9:00 a.m. - INT. OF JOSEPH QUANG VU, GIOAN LAN NGUYEN & JOSEPH QUANG HUY

5:00 p.m. - IN THANKSGIVING - TERRY MAKASARE

Sunday, Sept. 26 -

9:00 a.m. - DECEASED MEMEBERS OF RINA

TAURIELLO FAMILY R.I.P.

10:30 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

12:00 noon - ROBIN RAY R.I.P.

Monday, Sept. 27 -

9:00 a.m. - FELICETTA ZUCCARO R.I.P.

Tuesday, Sept. 28 -

7:00 p.m. - ESPIRITO-SANTO TAVARES R.I.P.

Wednesday, Sept. 29 -

7:00 p.m. - LUZIA DA COSTA R.I.P.

Thursday, Sept. 30 -

7:00 p.m. - JOSE & ORPENCIA GOUVEIA R.I.P.

Friday, Oct. 1 -

9:00 a.m. - DECEASED MEMBERS OF PROFIDO

FAMILY R.I.P.

7:00 p.m. - ALBERICO IAFRATE R.I.P.

Saturday, October 2 -

9:00 a.m. - GUILHERNINA & AGOSTINHO SILVA R.I.P.

5:00 p.m. - INTENTIONS OF VALERY JOSEPH

Sunday, October 3 -

9:00 a.m. - PAUL & CHANTELLE DUGGAN R.I.P.

10:30 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

12:00 noon - FRANCISCO & ELSA CASTRO R.I.P.

Readings for September 26 -

Numbers 11.25-29 James 5.1-6 Mark 9.38-43, 45, 47-48

#### **Thanksgiving Food Drive**

The Knights of Columbus will be having a Thanksgiving Food Drive next weekend. There will be a bin in the foyer of the church to collect the food.

We are not able to identify the users of envelope numbers 76, 291 and 452. If you are using these numbers please write your name and address on the next envelope you use.

#### RESERVATIONS FOR MASS

If you would like to attend weekend Masses, please register either online, email, or leave a message at the office. If you are calling the Church please leave a message on Tuesday, if possible, as spots fill very quickly. Reservations open up every Tuesday morning after 10:00 a.m. You can find the link on our website: <a href="https://stleonardsbr.archtoronto.org/">https://stleonardsbr.archtoronto.org/</a> or email at <a href="mailto:stleonardsbr.archtoronto.org/">stleonardsbr@archtoronto.org/</a> or call 905-846-5385.

Please arrive at least five minutes before Mass begins. If you are not able to attend you can either cancel online or email by Friday at 3:00 p.m.

# 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. 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 program, please email stleonardsbr@archtoronto.org before October 8.

### **SL ShareLife**

Your gift to ShareLife facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto last year. They are among the 150,000 people helped by generous donors like you. As we emerge from the pandemic, let's not forget the plight of those facing hardship and persecution, and continue our efforts to welcome them to Canada.

Next Sunday, October 3 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously during the special collection or anytime at sharelife.org.

The Rosary will be recited each Sunday morning at 10:10 during the month of October.

#### LIFE CHAIN 2021

On Sunday October 3, Respect Life Sunday, join with thousands of people across North America for the Life Chain. During the Pandemic, when medically necessary treatments were suspended, abortions and euthanasia deaths continued. More than ever, we must storm heaven and show that every life is precious and needs to be defended. Bring your friends and family out to stand in prayer and silent witness on behalf of the millions of babies who have lost their lives to abortion. Let's pray for the them, for their moms, for the doctors and for our nation, that we will end this atrocity. Parishes throughout Brampton and Mississauga will again participate with those in cities throughout Canada.

The St. Leonard location will again be at the intersection of Sandalwood Pkwy and Conestoga Drive on the south side, from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. In keeping with social distancing, this witness is perfectly suited as we are asked to stand spaced apart to form an organized "chain" facilitating silence and prayer and visibility of signage. Please pick up materials on the southeast corner. We count on you to give us strength in numbers on Sunday October 3.

#### GOOD SHEPHERD OUTREACH

The next drop off date for the Good Shepherd Preparea-Meal Program and non-perishable food items is Saturday morning, October 2 from 11:00 until noon. If you would like to help with this program you can pick up a pan and recipe at this time. Thank you to everyone who has supported this program.

#### **CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in November 2021 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

#### **40 DAYS FOR LIFE**

From September 22 to October 31 you're invited to join others in a peaceful daily prayer vigil asking for God's protection of all human life through an end to abortion. The vigil runs daily from 7:00 in the morning to 7:00 in the evening near the Mississauga Women's Clinic at 101 Queensway at Confederation Pkwy.

Our parish has adopted Tues. September 28 to pray at the vigil site and we hope that you will be able to commit to one hour. For more info, and to register online go to: <a href="www.40daysforlife.com/mississauga">www.40daysforlife.com/mississauga</a> or contact 905-840-6650. Our prayer vigil now gathers just outside the 50 metre bubble zone limit (location on south side of Queensway across from the clinic):

- 1. Park your car at St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church, 2340 Hurontario Street/near Queensway Blvd
- 2. Go to the side door leading to hall to sign-in/pick up signs and read instructions on where the vigil site is this year.
- 3. Walk to the NEW Vigil Site on the south side of Queensway Blvd. (50 paces west of Confederation Parkway) south sidewalk/pathway and pray (near the candy cane shaped vent stack)

**IMPORTANT NOTICE re: COVID-19:** This year all participants in the vigil will be following all safety measures set out by government directives. Come out and be part of this rewarding experience.

#### **ROSE SUNDAY**

In conjunction with the Life Chain, the Knights of Columbus will have cloth roses available in the foyer next weekend to raise money to help Birthright Brampton.

The trailer from the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be in our back parking lot on the weekend of October 23/24 to accept your donations. More details to follow shortly.

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