

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday	10:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-8:00pm
Tuesday	10:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-4:00pm
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday-Friday	10:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-4:00pm
Saturday, Sunday, Public Holiday	Closed

The Church opens 35 minutes before each Mass

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00noon, 7:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	8:00am & 12:30pm
Saturday	9:00am
Public Holiday	9:00am only

FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass followed by Exposition	8:00am
Mass	12:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday	9:30AM
	(at other times by appointment)

BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Information Form to the parish office at least 6 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish Community. Attendance at an online Baptismal Preparation Meeting is mandatory.

MARRIAGE

Couples themselves must contact the parish office at least *one full year in advance* of the anticipated marriage date. No date may be set before meeting with a priest. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. If either party has been previously married, permission to proceed must be obtained from the Chancery Office of the Archdiocese.

CARE of the SICK

Visitation and/or Communion for the sick upon request.

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ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH,
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"I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate."



HAPPY
Mother's Day



A PRAYER FOR MOTHERS

We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need; may they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy.

We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; may they continue to guide us in strong and gentle ways.

We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict; may they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away.

We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion.

We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love.

Amen.

We wish a Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers of Annunciation Parish!

"Today being the day dedicated to moms in many countries, a round of applause for moms!" and "Let us pray to our Heavenly Mom who helps us to continue the journey."

- Pope Francis



2023 SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN
6th Sunday of Easter—May 14th, 2023

Share your love on Mother's Day

On Mother's Day, all moms deserve to be celebrated and supported. Did you know that our parish's ShareLife campaign is helping young women with an unexpected pregnancy? One such mother is Nikki, who was able to continue her education and receive practice assistance through a ShareLife-funded agency called Rose of Sharon.

"If it wasn't for you and for ShareLife, I don't know where we would be today," says Nikki. "We will always and forever be grateful for your support!"

To date our parish has raised: \$37,930.60
Thank you for your support to ShareLife!

EASTER SUNDAY

Easter Sunday is the day when Catholics celebrate Christ's resurrection from the dead. The Easter Season totals 50 days - Easter Sunday to Pentecost Sunday. The Easter Season is a time for reflection on and deepening of our awareness of the mysteries prepared for in Lent and celebrated at the Triduum.



Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

May 14—May 20

In loving memory of our mother,
Zachia Morales
Will be deeply missed and eternally cherished.

Requested by your children
Jimmy, Gemma (Dennis), Budwin, Robert, Sally
and your grandchildren

In memory of
Dorothy Newman
Rest in Peace.

From your son,
Gregory



ANNUNCIATION PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations! 



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMANDI

On Tuesday evening, May 9th, forty boys and girls of our parish community received the Sacrament of Confirmation. We congratulate them on being confirmed and on the commitment they have made to be disciples of Jesus and to continue his mission.

We would like to thank John and Roshan for their dedication in organizing and implementing the parish confirmation program this year, as well as to all the catechists who have assisted during the confirmation sessions.

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY – May 27/28

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul will be collecting used clothing and household linens, to support the needy of our residential programs. The truck will be open on:

Saturday, May 27th, from 4:30PM to 6:00PM;
Sunday, May 28th, from 7:30AM to 2:00PM;
Sunday, May 28th, from 6:30PM to 8:00PM

Volunteers will be there to assist with loading before and after each Mass. Please bring your donation and help others in your community.

Thank you for your clothing, shoes and linen donation **only!**

CWL MOTHER'S DAY TEA Sunday, May 28th



The Catholic Women's League invites members of the parish to the Mother's Day Tea on Sunday, May 28th at 1:30PM in the Parish Hall.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION May 14

The Pope's Pastoral Works collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world. By contributing to the Pope's Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity.

Today, there will be a second collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

CWL BUS TRIP TO OUR LADY OF GRACE SHRINE AT MARYLAKE

Annunciation CWL is pleased to announce a bus trip to Our Lady of Grace Shrine at Mary Lake. Inviting all parishioners to join us on **Saturday, June 10th from 9:00AM to 4:00PM**, the cost is \$40 per person. Father Joseph will celebrate the Mass. Please bring your own lunch. For more information, contact Marguerite at 416-391-5715. Come say the Rosary with us.

ANNUNCIATION SENIORS CLUB

The Seniors' Club is planning a bus trip to Niagara Falls and Niagara-On-The-Lake on **Tuesday, May 16th** departing at 9AM from the church parking lot and returning approx. at 5PM. The cost is \$45 per person. All parishioners are invited. To book a seat in a bus and get details of the plans for the day, please call Helen at 416-444-1874. Looking forward to you joining us!

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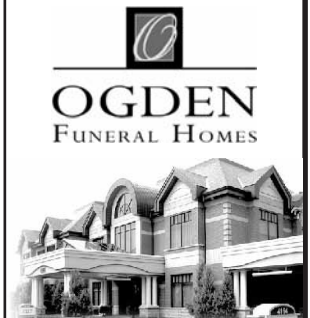
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