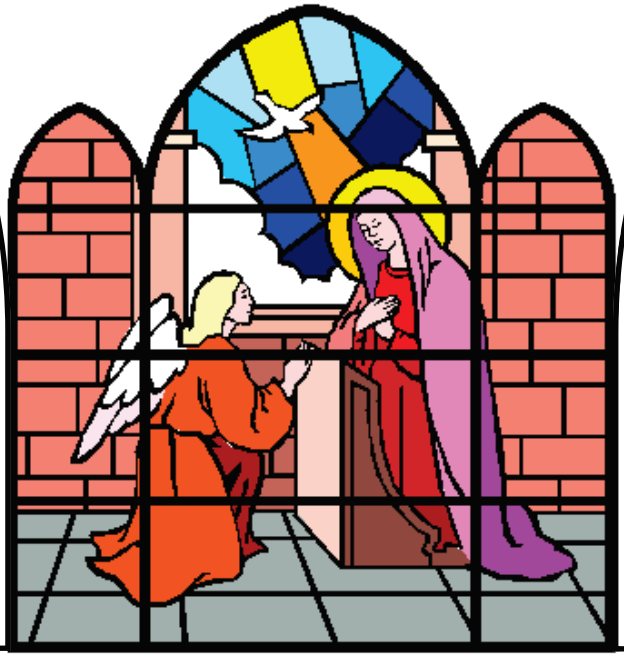
ANNUNCIATION
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OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday:
10:00 AM—12:00 PM,
1:00 PM—4:00 PM

Wednesday:
Office Closed

Saturday, Sunday, Public Holiday:
Office Closed

NEW TO OUR COMMUNITY?

Welcome, we're happy to have you!
To register or get involved, please contact the Parish Office or visit the Welcome Desk in the Foyer after the weekend Masses.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM, & 7:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	8:00 AM & 12:30 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM
Public Holiday	9:00 AM only

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays (except holidays)	8:30 AM - 12:15 PM
Benediction	12:15 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Fridays	11:30 AM
Saturday	9:30 AM & 4:00 PM (or by appointment)

ROSARY

Join us for the Rosary Monday to Friday at 7:30 AM in the Family Room. 8:00 AM Weekday Mass to follow.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HELP LINE

Please leave a voicemail at 647-499-5594, and someone will call you back.

BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Registration Form to the Parish Office at least 3 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish. Attendance at a Baptismal Preparation Meeting is mandatory.

MARRIAGE

Couple 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.
Completion of a Marriage Preparation Course is required.
If either party has been previously married, permission to proceed must be obtained from the Chancery of the Archdiocese.

CARE of the SICK and HOMEBOUND

Visitation and/or Communion for the sick and/or homebound is available upon request.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Isaac Jogues School	416-393-5315
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
Our Lady of Wisdom School	416-393-5273
Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

CONTACT US!

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 7th
5:00 pm: 33rd Wedding Anniversary Selvie & Fandy
Sunday, November 8th
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 am: † Len Mascunana
10:00 am: † Leonardo, Angela, Sergio & Maria Lucanie
12:00 pm: † Lydia De Souza & Marie De Souza
7:00 pm: People of the Parish
Monday, November 9th
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
9:00 am: † John Marshall
12:30 pm: † Manoharan Veloopillai
Tuesday, November 10th | St. Leo the Great
8:00 am: † Leo Ferrao
12:30 pm: † Manoharan Veloopillai
Wednesday, November 11th
St. Martin of Tours / Remembrance Day
8:00 am: † Flora Vaz
12:30 pm: † Gordon Hamlet Spooner
Thursday, November 12th | St. Josaphat
8:00 am: 90th Birthday Pat Houston Int.
12:30 pm: † Patty McKinnon
Friday, November 13th
8:00 am: Intentions of Pat Houston
12:30 pm: † Rodrigo, Omelyn, Antonio, Simeona Hippol
Saturday, November 14th
9:00 am: Intentions of Bill Amodeo
5:00 pm: † Holy Souls in Purgatory
Sunday, November 15th
Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 am: People of the Parish
10:00 am: † Giovanni & Domenica Caterina and Vincenzo Mauro
12:00 pm: † Conchita Medina
7:00 pm: † Regino & Lourdes Sanidad

SACRAMENTAL PREPATATINS – 2026-2027

Confirmation
(Students Grade 7 and older)
Registration Session Tuesday,
November 17, 2026, at 7:00PM

First Reconciliation & Holy Communion
(Students Grade 2 and older)
Registration Session Thursday,
November 19, 2026 at 7:00PM

WE WELCOME MARIA JUDE - NEW PARISH SECRATARY

Maria Jude is the new Parish Office Secretary at our parish. She is a graduate of the Toronto Metropolitan University with a BASc, and is a licensed paralegal and qualified mediator(Q.Med). She previously worked at the TCDSB, TMU and various non-profit organizations including Agincourt Community Services Association (ACSA). She is also a member of the Annunciation Byzantine Romanian Catholic Mission at OLPH, and served as an altar server and fundraiser through bake sales for many years. Maria is eager to serve and support with all that the parish needs. Feel free to stop by and say hello during the weekday office hours!
We extend a warm welcome to Maria and wish her every blessing and happiness in her new role. May God guide and bless her always and make her journey with our parish a joyful and fulfilling one.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – BUNDLE UP SUNDAY

Saturday, November 14 & Sunday, November 15, 2026

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

The SVDP container will be open on Saturday November 14, 2026 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm and again on Sunday, November 15, 2026 from 7:30 am to 1:30 pm as well as from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Volunteers will be there to assist with loading before and after each Mass. Please bring your donations and help others in your community. Thank you for your clothing, shoes and linen donations only.

THE SHEPHERDS' TRUST SPECIAL COLLECTION

November 14/15, 2026

The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to raise awareness and collect funds so that elderly priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. The Trust supports the needs of retired clergy in the Archdiocese of Toronto who have served for many years. Through our support of The Shepherds' Trust, retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years.

For more information about The Shepherds' Trust and to view this year's feature video, please scan the QR code.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Wednesday, November 11th

This Wednesday, Canadians will pause in silence to remember those who died at war. We pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout this world. On this day we pray for peace and reflect as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God's peace into the world. This is a day when our community of faith should recommit itself through prayer and action to live the Beatitudes of Jesus Christ.

THE BOOK OF LIFE

Remembering Our Deceased Relatives and Friends

The Book of Life will be available throughout November in the parish foyer and will be placed by the Altar during weekday Mass. Parishioners may add the names of their deceased relatives and friends to be remembered in our prayers. All Souls' Day envelopes are also available for those that would like to make a donation.

Seniors group

The Annunciation Seniors meeting will be held on *November 17th @ 10:00 am* in the parish hall. At this meeting we will be having Dr. Peter Lin speak about heart, health and wellness issues. We welcome Seniors 55 and up to join us for this informative meeting. We look forward to seeing all of you

AN UPDATE ON RENOVATION:

TEMPORARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR ACCESSIBLE PARKING, DROP-OFF & PICK-UP

We are happy to share a positive update on the ongoing renovation work in the St. Pius Room and on our property.

We are pleased to report that the drainage system and associated plumbing work have been successfully completed.

The **unexpected challenges** and additional work have increased the demands on our renovation budget, and your generosity will help us move forward and bring this project to completion. The total estimated cost, including all additional expenses, is **$60,000.** Every contribution, large or small, will make a meaningful difference. As we continue with this important renovation, we kindly invite our parishioners and friends to consider making a **donation** towards the project.

We sincerely thank everyone for your patience, understanding, cooperation, and continued generosity.

During the construction period, please note the following temporary arrangements:

- The North side accessible parking spaces are temporarily closed.
- Temporary accessible parking and drop-off and pick-up area are next to the Parish Office.
- Please follow posted signage and exercise caution around the construction areas.

We apologize for any inconvenience and sincerely appreciate your patience, understanding, and cooperation as we complete this important work.

Thank you for your continued support.

PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY

This Directory will include historical information on our parish, inputs from our many ministries, and hopefully YOUR family photos. The Directory will serve as our parish 'yearbook' for years to come!

We encourage every household and individual parishioner to schedule a complimentary photo session. There is **no cost** to be photographed or to be included in the directory. Every participating household will receive a complimentary copy of the completed directory.

PHOTO SESSION DATES

*Please sign up **ASAP** as sessions will be cancelled if we don't have enough interest for a particular date!*

NEW DATES

Friday, November 13th
from 1:30-8:30PM
Saturday, November 14th
from 9:30AM-4:00PM

Please book your photo appointment via the QR Code or call the Parish Office at 416-445-1760

Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

November 7 – November 13

In loving memory of
my parents
Mr. and Mrs. S. F. George Tsang,
brother Arthur Yiu Wing Tsang,
sister Anna Tsang and helper Ah Yue
Requested by Mr. Y. L. Tsang and his wife Tammy Tam,
Agnes Tsang and her husband Bryan Lee,
Alan Tsang and his wife Jasmine Kwan.

In loving memory of
Juanita Espinoza
Beloved wife, mother and grandmother.
You are loved and greatly missed.
Requested by your husband, children and grandchildren.

In loving memory of the
Deceased Members of the Annunciation Catholic Women's League
Your generous hearts and faithful service blessed our CWL and parish community.
We remember you with gratitude and affection.
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