

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### HOLY ROSARY PARISH TORONTO, ONTARIO Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners,

I want to express my appreciation for your generosity in last week's collection in support of Haiti. Your personal commitment was incredibly generous – as of January 24 we collected \$10,703.50. A cheque for that amount was sent on January 26 to Development & Peace, as the Caritas Internationalis representative in Canada, so that the money can be channeled to Caritas Haiti. Development & Peace is working with the federal government on the \$50-million matching program with CIDA. Donations from parishioners are still being accepted at the parish office.

Let us pray that security, comfort, peace, and well-being flow to the people of Haiti in the work of recovery, along with contributions and help from the rest of the world.

God bless you,  
Fr. Daniel Chui, C.S.B.

#### HAITI

##### PRAYER SERVICE FOR VICTIMS OF HAITIAN EARTHQUAKE – MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, – 7:30 P.M.

The service will take place at St. Paul's Basilica (83 Power St.) in downtown Toronto on Monday, February 1, at 7:30 p.m. Representatives from faith communities throughout the GTA, including Archbishop Thomas Collins, will join together in prayer as we remember all those affected by the Jan. 12 earthquake. For more information, visit [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org).

**VOICES FOR HAITI:** The Larkin Singers in conjunction with Christ Church Deer Park (Anglican) will be hosting a concert on **Saturday, February 6 at 4 p.m.**, entitled "Voices for Haiti." Proceeds will assist the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund and their efforts already in place to help the people of Haiti. Donations will be accepted at the door. Location: 1570 Yonge St. For information, visit [www.thereslifehere.org](http://www.thereslifehere.org) or phone 416-920-5211, X31.

The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday,  
February 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 1-4 p.m., for  
a professional development session

#### THANK YOU SO MUCH TO THOSE PARISHIONERS WHO MADE VERY GENEROUS CONTRIBUTIONS OF PRIZES FOR THE MISSION: BLT HOOP-A-THON!

We're proud to support St. Vincent de Paul and we couldn't do it without your help. To sponsor one of our shooters (every little bit helps!) for the **Feb. 21** event, please call Lindsay at 416-923-8471.



#### THE MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

this year will be held from Friday, March 12 to Sunday, March 14. Cost: \$250 per couple. Any interested couples can register immediately by phoning the Parish Office.

#### LENTEN LISTENING: A BUSY PERSON'S RETREAT:

Faith Connections, Regis College, and TAVDA invite young adults (18-39) to an opportunity to meet with a spiritual guide in your own area three times during Lent. It begins with a group gathering on Ash Wednesday, February 17, 7:00 p.m. at Regis College (100 Wellesley St W, Toronto) and closes on April 8. Cost: \$25. Please register by February 5: 416-222-1426, ext 276. For more information: [www.faithconnections.ca](http://www.faithconnections.ca).

#### HOLY ROSARY IS IN NEED OF NEW LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND USHERS FOR THE WEEKEND MASSES.

Please consider answering the call to serve in these ministries. All current Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers, and other parishioners interested in volunteering in any of these roles are invited to a training session and meeting in the church. The dates are as follows: Lectors - February 2 at 7 p.m., Eucharistic Ministers - February 8 at 7 p.m., Ushers - February 10 at 7 p.m. Please contact Lindsay at 416-923-8471 for more information.

#### UPCOMING LECTURE SERIES: "WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT THE GOSPEL OF..."

Second Lecture: Tuesday, February 9 at 7 p.m.: "The Gospel of Matthew," with Rev. Scott Lewis. St. Basil's Parish Hall, 50 St. Joseph Street; lecture begins at 7:00 p.m. with refreshments to follow. There is no charge but reservations are required; call 416 926-7110 to reserve.

### Baptism Preparation



The next Baptism Preparation class will take place on **Saturday, February 20 (1 to 3 p.m.)**. Parents requesting baptism for their child must have been parishioners of Holy Rosary for at least three months and practise their faith. Contact Lindsay at 416-923-8471.



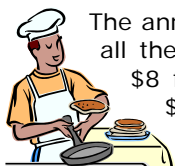
#### Next Sunday is COFFEE SUNDAY, hosted by D & P

in the Parish Centre after the 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses. *The money raised from the sale of the Free Trade coffee sold today goes directly to the coffee farmers who grow the coffee in Chiapas, Mexico.*

## Ideas "Realized Messianism"

Jargon is technical language-appropriate, therefore, its proper place. Theology, too, has its jargon, indispensable, if intimidating. "Realized Messianism," for instance, compresses several paragraphs into a couple of words. To read those paragraphs consult this week's IDEAS at [www.holyrosary.ca](http://www.holyrosary.ca).

### ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST – FEBRUARY 14



The annual Pancake Breakfast will be held after all the Masses on Valentine's Day. Costs are: \$8 for an Adult, \$6 for a Senior/Child and \$20 for a Family (2 Adults + children).

This is a great value for "all you can eat" pancakes and sausage, with coffee, tea or juice. Parishioners have supported this event for over 30 years. All proceeds go the St. Vincent de Paul program at Holy Rosary parish.

*The Members of the St. Vincent de Paul*

#### Briefly Bin

**Bible Classes** take place on Thur. at 7:30 p.m. Please call the office at 416-923-8471 for the new location.

**Holy Rosary Charismatic Prayer Group:** meets every Thur. at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall, Room 2.

**Development & Peace:** Please take the opportunity to sign cards for our Food Sovereignty Campaign. Cards are located at all Church entrances.

**Tagalog Mass:** celebrated at Holy Rosary Church at 6 p.m. on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sun. of each month. The next Mass will be on Feb. 28. The Joy of the Lord Prayer Group holds regular prayer meetings on Sun. at 5 p.m.

**The Catholic Women's League** - Learn line dancing with the CWL. Please call Amy Domingo at 416-654-6415. A pre-lenten reflection will be held at St. Alphonsus, 540 St. Clair Ave. W., on Sat., Feb. 13.

**Toronto Catholic Singles Association** is a non-profit organization for Catholic singles. Their mandate is to foster Catholic fellowship through a program of social, recreational, spiritual and group volunteering events. Annual membership is \$12. Information: <http://torontocatholicsingles.vpweb.ca>

**Feb. 9 – New Beginnings Mini-Renewals – a program for widowed, separated and divorced persons:** *Dealing with Loneliness in a Couples' World.* Location: St. Bonaventure Church (St. Francis Room) 1300 Leslie St., Toronto. Call 416-921-1163, Ext. 2246.

### AUDITIONS FOR ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL

In partnership with the Archdiocese of Toronto and the TCDSB, scouts will be visiting Catholic elementary schools between January and March to audition boys in grades 2 and 3. Students in higher grades wishing to audition for the scout should advise their principal. Auditions for boys not enrolled in a TCDSB school can be arranged by contacting the Choir School at 416-397-6367 or by visiting [www.smcs.on.ca](http://www.smcs.on.ca).



#### Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2010

5:00 p.m. Cyril Davis  
Requested by Joanne Davis

#### Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2010

8:00 a.m. Michael Cormack (+)  
Requested by Joan & George Cormack

9:30 a.m. Holy Rosary Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Lilian de Souza (+)  
Requested by Ivan de Souza

12:30 p.m. Clare Duff (+)  
Requested by Marie Bowyer

#### Monday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010

12:10 p.m. All souls in purgatory (+)  
Requested by Maria Sousa

#### Tuesday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2010

12:10 p.m. Vicitacion Ilagan (+)  
Requested by Tess Aviado & Family

#### Wednesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010

12:10 p.m. Owen Chambers (+)  
Requested by Julia Flanagan

#### Thursday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010

12:10 p.m. Sara Fava (+)  
Requested by Kevin Sullivan

#### Friday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010

12:10 p.m. Josefina Beltran (+)  
Requested by Raul Beltran

#### Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2010

5:00 p.m. Victoria Sousa (+) & Lourdes Dowling (+)  
Requested by Maria Sousa

#### Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2010

8:00 a.m. Holy Rosary Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Lloyd Smith (+)  
Requested by M. Radovan & family

11:00 a.m. Dr. Frank Zingrone (+)  
Requested by Joanna Wilson

12:30 p.m. Michael Erdman (+)  
Requested by Mother

#### Extended Schedule for Masses

Monday to Friday – 7:15 a.m. & Saturdays & Holidays – 9 a.m.