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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday - 7:00 p.m.
(Holiday Mondays 10:00 a.m. only)

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Peace	15 Fincham Avenue, L6X 3V2	905-452-7010
Pauline Vanier	56 Oaklea Boulevard, L6Y 4W7	905-455-1001
St. Alphonsa	60 Olivia Marie Road, L6Y 0M4	905-456-1403
St. Brigid	81 Torrance Woods, L6Y 2X4	905-454-0316
St. Jean-Marie Vianney	75 Jordensen Drive, L6X 0S1	905-497-6888
St. Joseph	8 Parkway Avenue, L6X 2G4	905-451-8501
St. Monica	60 Sterritt Drive, L6Y 5B6	905-454-6346

SECONDARY SCHOOLS

St. Augustine	27 Drinkwater Road, L6Y 4T6	905-450-9993
St. Roch	200 Valleyway Drive, L6X 0N3	905-456-8543

BAPTISMS

Parent(s) are to be registered parishioners and participate in a preparation class. Please register for baptism, using the Baptism Package available at Sunday Mass and contact the parish office for further information.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest one year in advance. A Marriage Course is required. For additional information contact the parish office.

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office when someone is in immediate need of this sacrament. We can also arrange for the reception of Holy Communion upon request.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Jan Kolodynski, Pastor
Mrs. Rocelyn Esposito, Parish Secretary
Mr. Jorge Barbosa, Property Manager

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a community of faith. Please introduce yourself/family to the priests and register as soon as possible.

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

APRIL 23rd – 29th

Monday, 7:00 p.m.

† Ronald Gabriel
† Ermilina & Ross Pereira

Friday, 7:00 p.m.

† Daniel Panacci

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

† Yvonne Tuma

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

† Charles Schembri
† Tran Thi Tan

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

† Santiago Beltran Sr.
† Alex Manaois



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“One of the core components of our Pastoral Plan is Catholic Outreach in Justice and Love. As a Catholic community, we are called to be the hands and face of Jesus in our communities. ShareLife is a tangible way we can put the Gospel value to ‘love one another as I have loved you’ into action. I invite all parishioners to support the mission work of the church by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife.” —Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto.

Today is ShareLife Sunday.

Please give generously

MYSTAGOGY! MYSTAGOGY!

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The RCIA team invites parishioners to join them for 4 weeks of deepening our faith and opportunity to meet and share our faith with our Neophytes – those who were baptized during the Easter Vigil.



The session will continue this week on **Wednesday evening**, immediately after the Mass, we shall begin with the insightful symbolon videos and reflection on the Gospels. We will be presenting interesting topics like The Eucharist, The Paschal Mystery, The Bible, etc.

“As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another...” Proverbs 27:17

WHAT IS MYSTAGOGY?

The fourth stage of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is called “mystagogy,” from the Greek words meaning, “To lead through the mysteries.” Traditionally mystagogy extends throughout the Easter season, until the feast of Pentecost. This is a period of accompaniment for new Catholics as they discover what it means to fully participate in the sacramental mysteries of the Church. The newly baptized are called “neophytes,” from the Greek words meaning “new plant,” because the faith has been newly planted in them. Even though their catechetical preparation has been completed, they still have much to learn about what it means to live as Catholic Christians. Things often look different from the inside! Once they find themselves really on the inside, the neophytes often have more questions about living a life of faith. They need the ongoing support of the community so that the faith newly planted in them can grow deep roots. Joining them in a mystagogy session gives you an opportunity to share your faith with them and encourage them as they continue their own new journey of faith.

NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE

Thursday, May 10th – Ottawa, ON.

WE STAND ON GUARD FOR THEE...



Pro-lifers will gather on Parliament Hill to witness for the right to life which is inherent to every human being. The March for Life is the largest annual event on Parliament Hill when thousands of Canadians gather to be a voice for the most vulnerable in our country today. Abortion is

the civil rights movement of our day and you are invited to add your support through active participation in this event.

St Jerome’s and St Mary’s are sharing a bus that will be departing at **4:30 a.m.** on **Thursday, May 10** from **St. Mary’s Church.**

Let’s Fill the Bus!!! It’s an amazing “must see for yourself” day and truly memorable experience. If you cannot go consider sponsoring a pilgrim in your place. For information and to sign up call St Mary’s parish office at 905-451-2300.

**GOOD SHEPHERD MINISTRIES
PROVIDE-A-MEAL PROGRAM**

Thank you to all the parishioners that provided a meal to the Good Shepherd Centre. We donated **71** casseroles for March. A reminder,



the trays and lids are used for the *Provide-A-Meal Program*. The next pick up date is **Friday, May 4, 2018**. Please remember to bring your casseroles before **10:00 a.m.** and place it in the freezer in the Social Hall

CHARITY SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE

April 28th & 29th

On the last Sunday of every month, we ask for donations of non-perishable food items or cash donations to purchase food vouchers. This is a much-needed service to assist families in need within our parish boundary and community.



Thank you for your support of this important work!

LEGION OF MARY



The Legion of Mary meets every week in the Chapel on **Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.** New members are welcome to help in our evangelization. Please say, "YES" to Christ and help proclaim the Good News.

For the months of July and August the meetings are held on Tuesdays at 12:00 p.m.

ROSARY APOSTOLATE

The Rosary Apostolate in the Schools is seeking volunteers who have great devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit our elementary schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of 8 days in the year. Training and screening will be provided. If you are interested, please contact: Daniela Dalla Via at 905-451-5712, or pdalla.via@sympatico.ca



FIRST COMMUNION CELEBRATIONS

Our warmest wishes to the children and parents on this joyous occasion. St. Jerome's parishioners offer our congratulations and prayers to those who share fully in the Holy Eucharist for the first time. May they remember this day with you and look forward to joining us at the Lord's Table each Sunday. The following children will be celebrating their First Holy Communion next weekend!

St. Our Lady of Peace

Saturday, April 28th at 5:00 p.m. Mass

Divine Jewel Adonis	Naomi Lebar
Christine Aya Baricuatro	Daniella Ntambue- Ndala
Alec Miguel Cagua	Adriana Oliveira
Esperanza Cesareo	Isabella Pepe
Santiago Cuevas	Sophia Riccardi
Jacob Preston Gil	Courtne Salmon
James Handke	Sean Ivan Ace Tambo

St. Pauline Vanier

Saturday, April 28th at 5:00 p.m. Mass

Mya Burkett	Lucius Mankin
Raquelle DaSilva	Riona Martis
Madelynn Dunn	Helena Rejin
Jude Brion Garrucho	Jack Stapleton
Janosha Joseph	Beatrice Wuthrich

St. Jean-Marie Vianney

Sunday, April 29th at 12:00 p.m. Mass

Anthony Borg	Kyron Monteiro
Jasey Loise Caguiat	Paolo Morabito
Sophie Cole	Isabelle Parente
Joshua Crightney	Alexander Pereira
Angelina Cruz	Ethan Perez
Amanda Dos Santos	Ava Ramana
Isaac Ferreira	Victoria Rodrigues
Erica Gouveia	Aleena Rumzi
Nya Charleen Manson-Hing	Marissa Rumzi
Temitope Kasali	Abigail Tungol
Elaiza Jane Libunao	Liam Touzo
Laurence Martinez	James Stratheran
Brayden McCollough	Alyssa Singh
Victoria Meleca	Nicholas Vitulli
Andrew Mikhael	Malaika Wilson

CONFIRMATION CELEBRATIONS



Date & Time	School
Thursday, May 17 th 7:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Peace Pauline Vanier St. Alphonsa St. Jean-Marie Vianney St. Joseph
Thursday, May 24 th 7:00 p.m.	St. Brigid St. Monica St. Jerome's RCIC



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