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Feast of the Holy Family



New Year's Day Mass Mon Jan 1st, 2018 Feast of Mary Mother of God 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM (German) 12:10 PM No Evening Mass

OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch! Celebrating New Year's

Join us We January 3rd, after the 12pm Novena Mass for lunch in the Church Hall. Come and meet new friends, enjoy a great meal. There is no cost, however your Donations are appreciated to help defray the costs of food supplies.

Adoration and Holy Hour

Join us for a quiet time of prayer and reflection on First Friday Jan 5th, following the 12:10pm Mass.

2018 Weekly Offering Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2018 are available for pick up at the back of the Church. If you used envelopes this year there will be a box set for you with the same number. Please make sure you pick up only the box with your name on it. If you don't have a box and would like one, please contact the Parish office or email at <u>secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca</u>. **ALL 2017 TAX RECEIPT DONATIONS** must be received by December 31, 2017. After January 1, 2018, all donations go toward 2018 taxes. Thank you for your understanding.



When in Church.



Be aware of your surroundings Keep your belongings safe and <u>with you</u> at all times Report any concerns immediately to the Office. We have seen a recent increase in thefts on Church Property.

Reflective Wednesdays

Wednesday January 17, 2018 Martyrs: Witnesses of Faith

Join us for some time of reflection on topics and issues that are close to the heart for us in our spiritual journey. These 45-minute presentations will follow the 12:00pm Novena Mass and will be repeated following the 5:05pm Novena Mass. (1pm-1:45pm or 6pm-6:45

A look ahead at St. Pat's!

January 2018

Jan 3rd – Open Door – following the 12noon Novena Mass Jan 5th – Adoration and Holy Hour following the 12:10pm Mass Jan 7th – Baptism of Jesus Party, following the 12:10pm Mass Jan 13th – The Black Nazarene

Jan 17th – Reflective Wednesday, Martyrs: Witnesses of Faith Jan 27th - Infant Jesus of Prague (Santo Niño)

For more information on these upcoming events visit <u>www.stpatrickstoronto.ca</u> or the Parish Bulletin

Fr. Jon Hansen C.Ss.R. Appointed Bishop for Mackenzie-Ft. Smith

Pope Francis appointed the seventh Bishop of the Diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith: Bishop Elect Jon Hansen, C.Ss.R.

Father Jon Hansen was born in Edmonton and raised in Grande Prairie, AB. After high school he attended the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology and completed a diploma in Building Construction Engineering following his father's footsteps into the construction industry. Returning for further studies he completed a Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of Alberta. At the same time, he joined the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer, the Redemptorists, professing religious vows in 1998.

Studying in Toronto, at the University of St. Michael's college, he graduated with a Masters of Divinity in 2003. After a Diaconal appointment in Sudbury, ON in 2004 he was ordained to the Priesthood in Grande Prairie by Archbishop Arthé Guimond. He served as an associate pastor in Redemptorist parishes in St. John's, NL and in Toronto, ON where he was the director of the "Out of the Cold" a program which provides food and shelter to the homeless of the inner city. In 2007 he became the Director of Formation for Redemptorist students. In 2009 he became pastor of St. Mary's Parish in Saskatoon, SK and was there for 6 years during which time he served on the Diocesan Truth and Reconciliation Commission, the Bishop's Council of Priests as well as working closely with the Diocesan Offices of Migration and Justice & Peace.

In 2015, with the approval of his Redemptorist province, he accepted an appointment from Bishop Mark Hagemoen to serve as Pastor of Our Lady of Victory parish in Inuvik as well as to care for the missions of Tsiigehtchic, Tuktoyaktuk and Paulatuk, all located in the diocese of Mackenzie-Ft. Smith.

Pope Francis named him the seventh Bishop of the Diocese of Mackenzie -Fort Smith (Yellowknife, NWT), to succeed Most Rev. Mark Hagemoen, who had been named Bishop of Saskatoon. The dates of Father Hansen's episcopal ordination and installation are yet to be announced.

Mass Intentions of the Week

This bulletin was submitted for print earlier than usual. Masses booked after Dec 20th are not announced in this bulletin.

Baptism of Jesus Party! For Families Sunday January 7, 2018 1:15pm – 3:00pm

Families are invited to join us at our Baptism of Jesus Party following the 12:10pm Mass on Sunday January 7th in the Neumann Hall. The event will run until 3pm. Lunch and fun, Liturgically themed activities for Families with Children and Youth ages 0-18!

Please RSVP by Friday January 5th by contacting Karen: <u>familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca</u>

Come and Celebrate the Black Jesus of Nazarene (Traditional Philippine Feast Day)

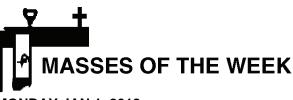
Join us on Saturday January 13, 2018 at 12:00 PM for the celebration of Mass, blessing of Statues, Novena Prayer and Procession. Pot luck lunch to follow in the Parish Hall and Divine Mercy Chaplet. This event is sponsored by the St. Patrick's Senior's Club. For more information, contact Alannah (416) 988-0349.

Come and Celebrate the Infant Jesus of Prague (Santo Niño) (Traditional Philippine Feast Day)

Join us on Saturday January 27, 2018 at 12:00 PM for the celebration of Mass, Blessing of Statues and Children. Lunch to follow in the Parish Hall and the Novena Prayer for Infant Jesus of Prague. Dance Procession with your Statue will conclude the day. This event is sponsored by the St. Patrick's Senior's Club. For more information, contact Alannah (416) 988-0349.

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Lynn Wise, Maynard Farrol, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, George Koss, Angie Cantor, Maureen Eisen, Salvacion Stuart, Eva Tobias, Yasmin Pinon Ruiz, Peter Pacione, Sophie Scott, Alfred Pardinez, Tony Mariotti, Claudette Teoguesco, Dalisay Vittorio, Vivian See, Nonith Deocades, Manuela Abas, Jesus Abas, Gina Sylvester, Jesus Duque, Maria Castillo, Camille Datile, Efren Laserna, Nol Tejada, Tony & Ching Prudenciano, Tony, Joe Caira, Wayne Pinney, Filomena Pulsinelli, Luigi Bertolone, Bernice & Lilianne Zub, Helen Olan, Nattie Gibson, Lannie Bartolome, Jane & Honza Havran, Verna Brewster, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Sol Almaria, Tess Malonzo, Janey Tavares, Evan Nemeth, Veri Rico, Frank, Margaret Gayewski, Lorraine, Cherry Sanger, Christian Paule, Rosa Maravilla, Marcelina Real, Cesarina David, Myrna Modomo, Maria Hontanar, Ma. Christina Bruno, Eileen Modomo, Jesen Doroja, Esmenia Modomo, Leonor, Maria Estela Preciosa, Teresita Guico, Marlene Gomez, Florentina Palma, Joel Palma, Mila Capati, Jenny Soriano, Myrna Soriano, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Armenia Garcia, Jorge Palomaria, Krystel Agnote, Jill Lucas, Gladys Lucas.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Matilda Zammit, Fr. Alfonso Guglielmo Corbo, Delfin Carreon, Mike Angileri, Anastacia Tuazon, Rolando Galang, Vito Battista, Percy Henry, Velasio De Paolis, Francis Yap, Alfredo Muyot, Ederlinda Copon, Francis Yap, Ng Sau Lin, Siy Loo, Cory Nolasco, Jim Strikwerda, Visitacion Faldas



MONDAY JAN 1, 2018 8:30am +Albert Rozario

12:10pm +All Souls in Purgatory

TUESDAY JAN 2, 2018

7:30am +Holy Souls 12:10pm Lopes, Faria, Morey & Gomes Families

WEDNESDAY JAN 3, 2018

7:30am TBD 9:30am (**Deceased**) +Maria Athenna Punzalan, +Procopio & +Sofia Parazo & +Flor Ambatali, +Holy Souls 12:00pm +Deceased members of St. Patrick's German Congregation 2:30pm TBD 5:05pm (**Deceased**) +Holy Souls 7:00pm TBD

THURSDAY JAN 4, 2018

7:30am TBD 12:10pm Fe Bahilanta, Thanksgiving

FRIDAY JAN 5, 2018 7:30am TBD 12:10pm +Inacio Francisco Lopes

SATURDAY JAN 6, 2018 7:30am Luz & Freddie Chua & Family 5:00pm +Prisco Panganiban

SUNDAY JAN 7, 2018

8:30am +Dennis Rozario 12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church 5:00pm +Kenneth Laughlin

ON VISION TV - DAILY MASS at 8:00am & 12:00noon Devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help, Wednesdays at 8:30 am and 12:30 pm This Week:

> Wednesday Dec 27, 2017 Marian Talk: Fr. Mark Miller, C.Ss.R. "Mary, The First Disciple" Homilist: Archbishop Donald Bolen "Rising Above Indifference"

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