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#### **SUNDAY MASSES**

Saturday – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday – 9:15 a.m. Wednesday and Friday – 7:00 p.m.

#### **FIRST FRIDAY**

One hr. after the 9:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. Masses. Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

#### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. & 4:15 p.m. Other times upon request.

#### **BAPTISMS**

By appointment only. At least two month advance notice. Attendance at a pre-baptism class is required for parents. You may wish to attend this class before your child is born.

#### **CARE** of the SICK

Visitation and/or communion for the sick upon request.

#### **MARRIAGE**

Couples must contact a priest one year in advance. A Marriage Course is required. If either party has been previously married, the Bishop's Office must be consulted before a date may be set.

#### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Mr. Cyril Moraes R.C.I.A. Co-ordinator Mrs. Arlene Morgan Sacramental Facilitator

#### **CATHOLIC CEMETERIES**

Operated by the Archdiocese of Toronto, each Catholic cemetery is a visible sign of our belief in the resurrection which offers a comforting atmosphere in which our Catholic Faith is celebrated and our love for family and friends is remembered. Burial services include ground burial, mausoleum crypt entombment, cremation as well as monuments and markers.

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#### PARISH SCHOOLS

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#### **MASS INTENTIONS**



#### Sunday, October 28

8:00 AM – For the intentions of the people of St. Anne's

10:00 AM - † Maria Teves

12:00 PM - † Grace Cangialosi

#### Monday, October 29

9:15 AM – † Antonio Arruda & all family members

#### Tuesday, October 30

9:15 AM - † Frank Duff

#### Wednesday, October 31

9:15 AM - † Bertha & Daphne Pereira

7:00 PM - † Domenico & Rosaria Gulli

- † Servant of God Frank Duff
- All deceased Legionaries
- Special Intention Kpebesani Family

#### Thursday, November 1

9:15 AM - † All Souls

#### Friday, November 2

9:15 AM - † All Souls

7:00 PM - † All Souls

#### Saturday, November 3

9:15 AM - † All Souls

5:00 PM - † All Souls

#### LAMP INTENTIONS



#### **SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1**

Peace for Ricaud Family

#### **SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2**

In memory of Leon & Garry Smilsky

#### SACRED HEART LAMP

Giving Thanks & Praise to God for the birth of Sienna Pacheco

#### ST. ANNE LAMP

In memory of Leon & Garry Smilsky

#### **DIVINE MERCY LAMP**

In memory of Beverly Reid

#### PADRE PIO LAMP

**Special Intention** 

# OCTOBER 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### Gospel of Mark 10. 46-52.

"My teacher, let me see again." It's the obvious answer to Jesus' question. What else would a blind man ask for? It may be the obvious answer but it is not always the answer given. No one wants to be blind. That's not the question. The deeper question is whether we really want to see. Do we really want to see the reality of our lives, things done and left undone, who we are and who we are not? Do we really want to see our faults and our shortcomings? Do we really want to see the needs of our neighbor, the poor, or the marginalized? Do we really want to see the injustices of the world? Do we really want to see who Jesus is and not just who we wish or want him to be?

True seeing is more than simply observing with our physical eyes. It implies a deeper knowing and understanding. This happens when we see with the eyes of truth and faith. Bartimaeus did see with the eyes of faith, we know this, because we are told he regained his sight and followed Jesus. This seeing, however, is not without risk. If we really want to see then we must be willing to change and be changed. We must be willing to leave behind our way and to follow Jesus.

Sometimes that risk is too much. For most of us life is neither all seeing nor all blindness. There are times when we get it and times when we don't. That's how it was for Bartimaeus too. It wasn't always darkness. Remember, Bartimaeus asks to "see again." At the end of the story we are told that he "regained his sight."

Jesus offers a clear vision of what true life looks like. To the extent we do not see that vision we are blind. As tragic as blindness is, the greater tragedy is when we do not even see that we are blind. We bump and stumble our way through life believing that, this is as good as it gets.

This blindness happens in many different ways. Sometimes it is the darkness of grief, sorrow, and loss. Sin and guilt blind us to what our life could be. Other times we live in the darkness of fear, anger, or resentment. Doubt and despair can distort and impair our vision. Failures, disappointments, and shattered dreams can darken our world. There are times when we hide amongst the shadows neither wanting to see nor to be seen. Perhaps the deepest darkness is when we become lost to ourselves, not knowing who we are or the beauty of our creation and existence. The list could go on and on. The darkness fills and covers us in a thousand different ways.

"Call him here," Jesus said. Bartimaeus stands before Jesus. Jesus asks him, "What do you want me to do for you?" That is not just a question for Bartimaeus. It is a question for every one who has ever lived in darkness, every one who has ever begged for life for another chance. It is a question for you and for me. It is a question Jesus asks of us over and over, again and again. There is no universal answer. There is only our answer at this time and place in our life. Tomorrow's answer may be different from today's.

Jesus' question offers a turning point, a new beginning. It asks us to look deep within our self, to face what is, and name what we want. So what do we want Jesus to do for us today? What is the one thing we need today that will open our eyes to see our self, others, and all of creation as God's precious gift to humanity? What is the one thing we need to see and know today, that will move us to turn and to following Jesus on the way? They may be hard questions, but they are the questions that will change our life. I know one thing no matter how deep our blindness may be, He is listening, He is willing, and He is able to restore our sight today.

#### **ALL SOULS – MONTH OF NOVEMBER**

Masses for the month of November have been reserved for All Souls in Purgatory. If you wish to request prayers for deceased members of your family, please fill out the special ALL SOULS ENVELOPE and place in a basket which will be available by the right side of the Altar. Names of deceased family members can be written in the binder which will be also available by the envelopes for the month of November.

#### **CWL NEWS**

#### CWL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE - NOVEMBER 4TH

Let us be the voice to make a change for good and speak for those who cannot. Join us In the Fraser Room after all Masses. Light Refreshment Served.

#### <u>CHRISTMAS BAZAAR – NOVEMBER 24/25</u>

The CWL will be holding their Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 24th and Sunday, November 25th after all Masses.

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TIME: 7:00 PM



#### **POINSETTIA ORDERS**

The Knights of Columbus will be taking poinsettia orders after all masses on the weekends of November 17/18 & November 24/25<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your support.

#### **GIFTS OF SECURITIES – A NEW WAY TO HELP**

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#### **SUNDAY MISSALS - 2019**



The SUNDAY MISSALS for 2019 are now available in the Religious Articles Store after weekend Masses or from the parish office for \$6.00 each.

#### **OVER 55 GROUP**

Come and join the Over 55 Group for fellowship and coffee every Friday morning after the 9:15 a.m. Mass. *All are welcome* 

This Week	Room Booking
Sunday (Oct. 28 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am – Children's Liturgy (SR) 12:00pm – Children's Liturgy (SR)
Monday (Oct. 29 <sup>th</sup> )	9:30am – Notre Dame Retreat (SR)
Tuesday (Oct. 30 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am – Legion of Mary (FR) 10:00am – Choir book updates (SR) 7:00pm – RCIA (PR) 7:00pm – Youth choir practice (C) 7:30pm – Faith Sharing (FR) 8:00pm – 8AM choir practice (C)
Wednesday (Oct. 31 <sup>st</sup> )	10:00am – Food Assistance (FR) 10:00am – Choir book updates (SR) 6:30pm – <b>Confessions (C)</b>
Thursday (Nov. 1 <sup>st</sup> )	9:30am – Centering Prayer (FR) 10:00am – Choir book updates (SR) 7:30pm – 10AM Choir Practice (C)
Friday (Nov. 2 <sup>nd</sup> )	9:30am – Over 55 Group (SR) 6:30pm – Youth Ministry (All Rooms)
Saturday (Nov. 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	7:00am – Legion of Mary (FR) 8:00am – <b>Confessions (C)</b> 12:30pm – <b>Wedding</b> 4:00pm – <b>Confessions (C)</b> 4:00pm – Legion of Mary (FR) 6:00pm – Lifeteen (PR)

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- Proverbs 19:17



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