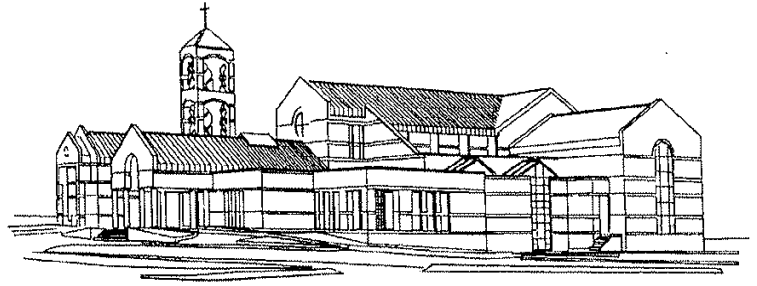


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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME September 3, 2017



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Mission Appeal 2017

Each year, our Parish invites a missionary Priest to speak about the faith of our brothers and sisters in developing countries. This year, *Fr. Toussaint* and *Fr. Jean-Claude* will preach to us about the missions in Africa this weekend of September 2 and 3. The following weekend, **September 9 and 10**, we will be having a second collection for the missions of the Congregation of the Sons on the Immaculate Conception in Africa.

Ogni anno, la parrocchia ospita un missionario che viene ad informarci sulla realtà dei cristiani in paesi in via di sviluppo. Questo fine settimana, P. Toussaint e P. Jean-Claude ci parleranno delle missioni in Africa. Nel fine settimana del 9 e 10 settembre, avremo una seconda colletta a vantaggio delle missioni della Congregazione dei Figli dell'Immacolata Concezione in Africa.

2018 First Holy Communion Dates

- * Sunday April 29, 2018 at 12:30pm: *St. Catherine & Other Schools*
- * Sunday May 6, 2018 at 12:30pm: *St. Gabriel*
- * Sunday May 27, 2018 at 12:30pm: *St. John Bosco*
- * Sunday June 3, 2018 at 12:30pm: *Immaculate Conception*

2018 Confirmation Dates

- * Friday April 13, 2018 at 7pm: *St. Gabriel*
- * Friday April 20, 2018 at 7pm: *Immaculate Conception, St. Catherine*
- * Friday April 27, 2018 at 7pm: *St. John Bosco & Other Schools*

2018 First Holy Communion Registration

Registrations are now open. Children who are in grade 2 should register. A fee of \$50.00 will be applied to cover the expenses of books and other activities. A copy of the Baptismal certificate of the candidate is required at the time of registration. Forms may be obtained in the Church office or on the Parish website and can be returned during office hours. Public school students are asked to register as well.

2018 Confirmation Registration

Registrations are now open. Registrations will be confirmed following a meeting with the Pastor. Students who are in grade 7 should register. A fee of \$60.00 will be applied to cover the cost of expenses. A copy of the Baptismal certificate of the candidate is required at the time of registration. Forms may be obtained in the Church office or on the Parish website and can be returned during office hours. Public school students are asked to register as well.

Parish Office Closure

The Parish office will be closed on **Monday September 4, 2017** for the Labour Day Holiday.

We wish all teachers and students a successful start to the new school year!

L'ufficio parrocchiale rimarrà chiuso lunedì 4 settembre, 2017 per la ricorrenza del Labour Day.

Auguriamo un buon rientro a scuola a tutti gli insegnanti e alunni!

**Let us welcome the following children
to our community through the
Sacrament of Baptism**



*Giovanni Sammy Ruscica
Mila Carolina Clordina Trinchi*

Upcoming Marriages



*Trudy Gomes Pinto & Fabio Cinelli
Amanda Soares & Roberto Luigi Colaricci
Anna Marie Kolodziej & Matthew David Martini*

Children's Indoor Soccer Program

The Knights of Columbus is inviting parents to register their children from Grades 2 to 6 for the "**Children's Indoor Soccer Program**" from September 28th to May 24th at the St. John Bosco gym. Teamwork, discipline and leadership are the skills we want to instill in the kids during this phase of their lives. Registration forms are available at the parish office. The cost is \$150 per child for over 20 sessions, including a soccer ball. Contact Domenico at 905-856-7498 or email at sciacchitano@rogers.com.

Planning to be a Catholic Teacher?

If you are planning to apply to teach in a Catholic School and will be requesting a Pastoral reference letter, it is highly recommended that you become an active member of our Parish community in order to facilitate the process.

Sacrament of the Sick

Sick and elderly Parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion and have a Priest visit them on the First Friday of the month are asked to contact the Parish office to have their name added to the list.

I parrocchiani malati che desiderano ricevere la Santa Comunione e una visita del sacerdote ogni primo venerdì del mese sono pregati di contattare l'ufficio parrocchiale.

The R.C.I.A. Program

Registration for the RCIA program is now open. The Rite of Christian Initiation for adults is a program designed for individuals who seek to enter the Catholic Church because they are not baptized or belong to non-Catholic churches. It is also for those who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Any adults desiring to prepare for the Sacraments of Baptism or Confirmation can pick up a registration form from the parish office.

Marriage Preparation Course

Immaculate Conception Parish will be starting the fall session of the Marriage Preparation Course for Couples getting married in our Parish between January-July 2018 and it is open for all the 2018 marriages. Commencing with Information Night on **Tuesday September 26th @ 7:30pm** in the Church Hall. If you require further information, please contact Grace Colaricci at (905) 856-0467.

Carmelite Missionary Sisters of St. Theresa of the Child Jesus 50th Anniversary Celebrations

The Carmelite Missionary Sisters of St. Theresa of the Child Jesus are celebrating the 50th Anniversary of their missionary work in Canada with a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration on **Sunday September 24, 2017** at 3pm at Immaculate Conception Parish.

*Le Suore Carmelitane Missionarie di S. Teresa del Bambino Gesù celebrano il 50^{mo} Anniversario del loro lavoro missionario in Canada con una Solenne Celebrazione Eucaristica **domenica 24 settembre, 2017** alle ore 15 presso la Parrocchia dell'Immacolata Concezione.*

Festa in onore di S. Gabriele dell' Addolorata

*La Festa di San Gabriele sarà celebrata **domenica 17 settembre, 2017** presso il Veneto Centre. S'inizia alle ore 13. Processione con la statua alle ore 14,30. Santa Messa concelebrata all'aperto dopo la processione. Segue spettacolo musicale.*