

13 December 2015

YOUTH CORNER

Jesus said, "Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." Luke 6:36



Our Youth

LifeTeen/EDGE Programs

Upcoming Events: Our Advent Buddy project has begun. For information please contact: paduayouth@gmail.com

Edge Nights: Fridays, 6:30-8:30pm in the St. Joseph Room at St. Anthony's until our Christmas break.

LifeTeen: Saturdays, 5-9pm. Starting with 5pm Mass, then to the St. Joseph Room at St. Anthony's.



A huge Thank You to the CWL for their most generous monetary donation. A big shout out to all of the EDGE youth who packed sandwiches and necessity packs for the Homeless as well as to the Faith Ambassadors at St. Anthony's school for their amazing donations. A big shout out to our LifeTeen youth who spent Saturday either distributing the Homeless packs or serving at Ste. Louise outreach. Way to go LifeTeen on completion and presentation of the "Buddy Bench" at St. Marguerite Bourgeoys' school and a special thank you to Nikkita who made a great testimony in front of the kids about the Bench.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy". Matt. 5:7

Tutoring Program:

Every Saturday, from 3:00PM to 4:00PM Please have your children come.

Note: More Volunteer teachers are needed - please see Fr. Joseph.

Adult Faith Formation:

Frequently Asked Questions

I have difficulty in memorizing the Act of Contrition by heart in the confessional. . .

Bring a copy of it with you to the confessional. Sometimes pastors have a copy ready. It is important that you understand the prayer. It is not meant to be a memory test. Express it in your own words when your memory fails. You can always ask a priest to help you.

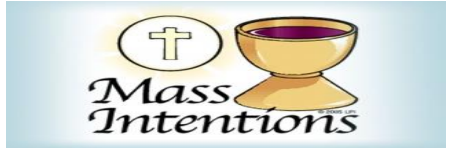
During school hours, please remember. . . NO PARKING on school property. The children at the school are at a safety risk when vehicles are parked and when vehicles come and go.

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The Secular Franciscans will be selling 2016 calendars on Dec. 19/20, 2015. The cost is \$5.00.

There will be a Secular Franciscan meeting on Tuesday Dec.15, 2015 at 7:00 pm. All are welcome.

The Children's Liturgy will have its final sessions on Dec. 12th and 13th 2015. We will resume on Jan. 2nd and 3rd 2016.



Sunday, December 13, 2015 Third Sunday of Advent

- 8:15a.m. †Concetta Favale
9:30a.m. †Pelagia Gavino
11:00a.m. †baby Renato Lucio
12:30p.m. people of St. Anthony Parish

Monday, December 14, 2015 St. John of the Cross

- 9:00a.m. †Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Tuesday, December 15, 2015 Ferial

- 9:00a.m. †Paul McLean
7:00p.m. †Brett Everett
†Elisabetta Pulera
†Alberto Facchini
Philip Caldas
Maikel & Iskandara Michriky

Wednesday, December 16, 2015 Ferial

- 9:00a.m. †Frank Falzone

Thursday, December 17, 2015 Ferial

- 9:00a.m. †Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Friday, December 18, 2015 Ferial

- 9:00a.m. Thomas family

Saturday, December 19, 2015 Ferial

- 9:00a.m. Lopez family in Thanksgiving
5:00p.m. †Randy Milbourne

Pray for the sick:

- Barb MacLean Paul Lyttle
Edwina Fraser Punin Anam
Anna Maria Casiello Leona King
Fareeda Mongrue Yeenin Anam
Michael Whitenect LillianPottage
Doug Higdon Ron Mattison
Antonio De Sousa AnthonyFrancis
Jennifer Mongrue AnitaAquilina
Philip Manrique-Reyes
Maria Luigia Facchini

HOLY DOOR

It is a great honour for St. Anthony of Padua Parish to have the Holy Door. Every day, during this Holy Year of Mercy, the faithful can receive the Plenary Indulgence when they walk through the Holy Door.

Conditions to receive the Plenary Indulgence:

Confession (20 days before or after); receive Holy Communion and pray for the Intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis.

Recite the Apostles' Creed, Our Father.... Hail Mary....and one must exclude all attachment to sin of any kind. An indulgence is defined as the remission before God of the temporal punishment due for sins already forgiven as far as their guilt is concerned.

Dufferin-Peel Catholic schools Kindergarten Registration
January 25* from 7-9pm and January 27,28,29 from 9-3pm.

*A snow date has been designated on January 26 from 7-9pm

On behalf of your Knights of Columbus
pick up your Christmas buttons after Mass
on 19/20th December 2015.
Donations accepted
Proceeds go to Pro-Life



GIVING TREE

We are requesting gift cards from Walmart, No Frills, Supercentre and Freshco. **PLEASE BRING ALL GIFT CARDS and/or CASH TO THE CHURCH OFFICE.**

Please make your cheque payable to St. Anthony's Parish (memo line: Giving Tree). Cash donations are

also welcome. Upon request, tax receipts will be issued for all cash donations or for gift cards of \$25 or above. Your generosity in helping families in need this Christmas is greatly appreciated.

*** Children's Christmas Pageant ***

Practice is every Monday from 6-7pm.

The Pageant will be on Saturday, 19 December at 7pm.

Refreshments will follow.



Marriage Sunday -February 2016

Stay tuned for more details. For info call 416-964-8694
or visit: www.archtoronto.org/marriage

4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

General Meeting and Potluck Dinner
Wednesday 16th December, 2015 7:30pm in the Parish Centre

Adoration Lamps

Tuesday, December 15th

**Giuse Phung
John MacMullen**

Cost of lamps \$20 in remembrance

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

MON. DECEMBER 21

Parish Confessions

7:00pm individual confessions;
several priests will be available

THURS. DECEMBER 24

NO 9:00am Mass

Christmas Eve Masses 6pm; 8pm;
10pm; 12 midnight

FRI. DECEMBER 25

NO 9:00am Mass

Christmas Day Masses

8:15am; 9:30am; 11am; 12:30pm



THURS. DECEMBER 31

usual morning Mass 9:00am

Mary, Mother of God, Vigil Masses

7:00pm followed by Adoration
12:00 midnight Mass

FRI. JANUARY 1

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

8:15am; 9:30am; 11am; 12:30pm

NOTE: Please see the Advent & Christmas Mass Schedule 2015 flyer that is in the foyer for more details.

The Catholic Women's League

The CWL Christmas

Dinner will be held on

Monday, December 14 at 6 pm

in the Parish Centre.

Please remember to bring some non-perishable food items.

