

16th February 2014

A few thoughts from the Pastor:

The Gospel today shows us the way to live our devotion to Christ. The first step for us is to turn away from self-centred, sinful inclinations and attachments and turn toward God, who is our inspiration.

We need to live our lives with loving detachment so that we can be useful servants of the Lord. The inspiration of living the "yes" of the Gospel allows us to communicate "the depths of God". The truth of God's law and God's voice speaking to our hearts empowers us to live God's justice guided by the power of our lives.

This way is the true measure of a fulfilling life with many blessings and fruitfulness.

Totus Tuus 2014 Catholic Summer Youth Program



We are EXCITED to offer once again this summer program for youth at St. Anthony of Padua Parish

Totus Tuus is a unique and fun-filled program that features a team of 4 college-age students (2 men and 2 women) who will engage our youth with a week-long program about the faith with skits, songs and inspiring interactive teaching. Thousands of Catholic youth have been delighted to be a part of it throughout North America.

Please join us the week of August 10-15, 2014.

Grade School Program

Students entering Grades 1-6 Monday to Friday, August 11-15

From 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Children bring bagged lunches and beverages and one box of cookies or crackers.

Outdoor fun break at midday. **\$50.00** registration fee per child.

Jr. High and High School Program

Students entering Grades 7-12 Sunday to Thursday, August 10-14

From 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Thursday night - student social. **\$10.00** registration fee per teen.

EXTENDED CHILDCARE HOURS AVAILABLE AT NO EXTRA CHARGE

Steubenville YOUTH Conference

Toronto July 4-6, 2014

"God is"

2014 CONFERENCE THEME:

"Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; For the Lord God is my strength and song, And He has become my salvation." Isaiah 12:2
Registration opened January 13, 2014 CALLING ALL YOUTH (Grades 8-12)

Register now as there are limited spots available.

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MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, February 17, 2014

Seven Holy Founders of the

Servite Order

7:00p.m.

Intentions:

✠Joyce Lobo

✠Santina Diana

✠Gerry Michon

✠Jacek Janiak

✠Eduardo Cervantes

Tuesday, February 18, 2014

Ferial

9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Martha Coelho

Wednesday, February 19, 2014

Ferial

9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Roger V. Solis

Thursday, February 20, 2014

Ferial

9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Friday, February 21, 2014

St. Peter Damian

9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Salome Cardines

Saturday, February 22, 2014

Chair of St. Peter

9:00a.m.

Intention:

Reg Digby

Pray for the sick....



Darcie Camilleri

Manuelpillai Stanislaus

Theresamma Stanislaus

Sandra Cirilli

Norah Mount

Leona King

Steve Duffy

Rheta Jobes

Percy D'Souza

Marian Lopes

Helen Miller

Roy Tower

Rebecca Hearn

OUR SACRAMENTS...

HOLY EUCHARIST



The Holy Eucharist is the Real Presence of Jesus Christ among us and is central to our practice of the faith. When we receive the Eucharist in Holy Communion, either in the hand or on the tongue, we receive His very Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity. Holy Communion is considered to be the last of the Sacraments of Initiation but, unlike Baptism and Confirmation, it can be received more than once.

In this sacrament, Jesus Himself is the very channel of eternal life (John 6:53-58). It strengthens our charity, removes venial sins and preserves us from future mortal sins. Because of the seriousness of Jesus' teaching on receiving His Body and Blood, the Church encourages Catholics to receive frequent Communion, and mandates reception of the Eucharist at least once a year during the Easter season. The Church also states that to receive Holy Communion worthily, we must be in a state of grace (without mortal sin). To receive the Eucharist without sanctifying grace in our souls profanes the Eucharist in the most serious way (1 Cor 11:27-28).

After we have received Holy Communion, the Church also recommends that we make a proper thanksgiving either with a period of silence, with prayer, with a hymn, psalm or other song of praise. If possible, it is also recommended that we stay and pray after Mass for a suitable time.



PLEASE!

Obey the One Way signs while driving through the church parking lot. Safety is a priority.

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There will be a
Secular Franciscan meeting on
Tuesday February 18th at 7pm.
All are welcome.



THE 22nd ANNUAL LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY...

"HOPE RISING"

Saturday, March 1st, 2014

9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Metro Toronto

Convention Centre

North Building, 255 Front Street W.

A Grace-filled Day with:

* His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal
Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

* Father Michael Gaitley,
MIC, author of the best-selling
books, *Consoling the Heart of*

* Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields &

Peter Herbeck

* Divine Mercy Celebration,
Uplifting Music

* Eucharistic Healing Procession

* Confession and Holy Mass

* Separate Youth Event

\$20 Adults \$10 Youth

\$6 bus

Contact Shirley Digby 905-793-0422

Parish Mission

*Living the mission discipleship of Pope Francis
as described in the encyclical: "The Joy of the Gospel"*

Mission Speaker: Fr. Marc Angers M.Afr.

Sunday Masses Preaching: March 8 – 9

*Three evening presentations: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
March 10 – 12*

February 26, 27, 28 – St. Thomas Aquinas presents HAIRSPRAY

St. Thomas Aquinas Secondary School is proud to present the fun-filled, well-loved musical HAIRSPRAY. This production showcases the numerous talents of our student body and staff. With amazing live music, phenomenal dancing and gorgeous singing, this show has something for everyone. Plus it's a great family event for Black History Month. The show runs three nights, Feb 26-28 at 7:00 p.m. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and \$5 for elementary aged students. Tickets are only available at the door. The show takes place at St. Thomas Aquinas S.S., 25 Corporation Drive, Brampton. For more information, visit www.theatredp.com or contact Mike Ferro at 905-791-1195.

St. Anthony of Padua Parish Financial Report

**Copies will be available the weekend of
22/23 February 2014**

ATTENTION ALL LECTORS

Please pick up your schedules
at the Sacristy.

You may also sign up at the Sacristy
for receiving future schedules
via email.