4 Detober 2020

Living the Gospel by welcoming newcomers to Canada

The Dia Desso family were forced to flee the Cote d'Ivoire due to the civil war. They sought safety in neighbouring Ghana, where they met a team from the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto (ORAT). ORAT, a ShareLife-funded agency, facilitated the family's private refugee sponsorship by Good Shepherd Parish in Thornhill. They are now thriving! The father loves his work driving a forklift, the mother cares for their one-year-old son at home, and the daughters are succeeding at school. Thanks to your support, the Dia Desso family is proud to be living in Canada.

Next Sunday, is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.



October is the month of Mary Our Lady of the Rosary. . . Pray for us

Vocations

Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest, deacon or religious? Contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocations Director at the Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

Sacrament of Confirmation

A letter from the Pastor was emailed to parents/guardians if your child was registered to receive this sacrament last spring. Kindly complete the verification form and email it back to the parish office by 2 October 2020. The Confirmation dates are listed on the verification form.

For those seeking new registration for this school year, there will be more information coming in the bulletin, hopefully within the next few weeks.

Thank you for your patience as we strive to make our church and our sacramental celebrations, safe for everyone.





Sunday, 4 October 2020

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15a.m.&James	Theophilus Baltazaar
9:30a.m.	
11:00a.m.	
12:30p.m.	

Monday, 5 October 2020 Ferial

7:00p.m.

9:00a.m. ⊕Anne & Bill McNeil

Tuesday, 6 October 2020 Bl. Marie-Rose Durocher; St. Bruno

9:00a.m.Pasquale & Elvira DiMarzio

Thanksgiving ∜Edgar Dias

Wednesday, 7 October 2020 Our Lady of the Rosary 9:00a.m.⊕Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Thursday, 8 October 2020 Ferial 9:00a.m. ⊕Carole

⊕Carole Miranda

Friday, 9 October 2020 St. Denis & Companions; St. John Leonardi

9:00a.m.
⊕Amy Elizabeth Ocampo

Saturday, 10 October 2020 Our Lady's Saturday 9:00a.m. ⊕Priscilla Villalino

5:00p.m. ⊕Austin & Denis Pereira

Pray for the sick James 5:13-20

Theresa LeongJeCharlene LawrenceAFredrico MacielLaCharlene D'SouzaCJackson Philip Wolverton

Jennifer Smith Alice Slaney Lemox Crow Charlene Hanson

A note from our Pastor

My dear parishioners,

As of the latest by-law announced on the 19 September, churches can still remain at 30% capacity. That means that St. Anthony's may hold up to 230 people at a time. Masks or face coverings are requested when inside the church.

We have a reservation process for anyone who would prefer to reserve your space for <u>Sunday</u> Mass. You DO NOT have to reserve. It is not a must. But if you prefer to reserve for Sundays, simply phone the church office for a reservation number.

If you like, you may choose to come as first come, first serve and you might need to be in line.

Please note that <u>Weekday</u> Masses are all first come, first serve. You are encouraged to self-regulate while attending. Also, you may wish to create your own personal log when attending church.

R.C.S.A. -- Rite of Christian Snitiation of Adults

Interested in becoming Catholic?

Would like to learn more about the Catholic faith? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but have not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? To register please contact Laura at 905-793-8030 ext. 102 –or— Email: <u>pastoralnstanthony@gmail.com</u>

FORMED... all about our Catholic faith – powerful & enriching topics... <u>www.formed.org</u> and follow the steps:

1. Click on sign up

2. I belong to a parish or organization 3. Enter parish name and full address 4. Enter name and your email address5. Click on sign up

This week on FORMED:

Mary, The Mother of God: the story of salvation from Abraham to Augustine. Filmed on location with Stephen Ray

Padre Pio: Between Heaven and Earth

True Worship: Fr. Michael Schmitz

Mother Teresa ... and so much more!

Parish Keadcount – October 2020

The Archdiocese is requesting your participation in its annual parishioner attendance survey for all parish and mission communities, on the weekends of October 17/18 & October 24/25.

Remember St. Anthony of Padua Parish in your will

Adoration Lamps

Tuesday, 6 October No names noted at time of printing \$10 / candle

Prayer and Procedure in place for Receiving "Act of Spiritual Communion"

Provided by Pope Francis

-Start with the sign of the cross -Read a Scripture passage – Gospel Reading of the Day -Acknowledge your sins and ask for forgiveness and pardon -Have a real desire to be united with Christ -Receive Christ in your soul and pray

-Receive Christ in your soul and pray the *Act of Spiritual Communion* -Offer prayer of Thanksgiving

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Please observe the FIRE ROUTE and ONE WAY designation

To continue supporting the parish financially, you may mail cheques via Canada Post; drop off during Sunday Mass collection; -or- go to: www.archtoronto.org