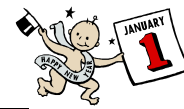


January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010



# The Epiphany of the Lord

## THIS WEEK AT ST.THERESE

Psalter III

### MONDAY January 4<sup>th</sup>

7:00 pm – Mass – † Alfred Larsen  
Req. by Bill and Irene Lynch

6:00 pm – Youth Meeting

7:30 pm – Meeting in hall re 1862 Bloor Street Property

7:30 pm – CWC Executive Meeting

### TUESDAY 5<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am – 6:30 pm ADORATION (Chapel)

5:00 pm – Legion of Mary

7:00 pm – † Ferdinando Guglielmo

Req. by His Parents

7:30 pm – K of C Executive Meeting

### WEDNESDAY 6<sup>th</sup>

10:00 am – 6:00pm – Adoration (Chapel)

7:00 pm – Mass – † Pasqualina Scanga

Req. by Guerino Scanga

7:30 pm Bible Study

### THURSDAY DECEMBER 7<sup>th</sup>

7:00 pm – Mass – † Mike Heenan

Req. by Jessie Heenan

7:30 pm RCIA

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 8<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am – Mass – † Mildred Larsen

Req. by Bill and Irene Lynch

10:00 am – 6:30 pm ADORATION (Chapel)

10:30 am – Mass at Whitecliffe

7:00 pm – Mass – † Denise Daley / Her Family

**AND ALSO** † Saveria Scanga / Guerino Scanga

7:30-8:30pm - Choir Practice

### SATURDAY 9<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am – Mass – in Convent

9:30 am – 10:30 am - Reconciliation

10:30 am – Noon – Parish Confirmation Classes

4:30 pm Mass – The Intentions of Glen Owens

Req. by Eileen Owens

Confirmation Enrollment Mass

### SUNDAY 10<sup>th</sup>

Psalter IV

CONFIRMATION ENROLLMENT MASSES AT 9 AND 11 AM MASSES

9:00 am – Mass – † Harry Beardmore

Req. by Ted and Yvonne Major

11:00 am – Mass – † Mr. & Mrs. O'Keefe and Mr. & Mrs. MacDonald

Req. by Bernie and Mary MacDonald

7:00 pm Mass – The People of Our Parish

## PRAY FOR US!

Frank Siciliano, Fred Gimblett, Vince Roti, Antonietta Celeberti, Carol Ward, Gail Gerrow, Lina Vervoort, Gloria Barbosa, Serge Corbin, Annelies Bromley, Richard Barnoski, Edward Kingsbury, Matthew Boardman, Evelyn Gowans, Colleen Pitman

## NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

**First Reading:** Isa. 40.1-5 ,9-11

**Second Reading:** Titus 2. 11-14; 3.4-7

**Gospel :** Luke 3.15-16,21-22

## VOCATION VIEWS

Many adults never grow up. They continue to traipse across the earth looking for a shining star. Tell them who lights up your life, O Christian.

## GOSPEL SUMMARY



The wisemen from the East came to Jerusalem and asked where they might find the child who was King of the Jews. Herod was concerned about this birth, and as a result had worked up the total population of Jerusalem as well. To the wisemen, he acted as though he wanted, like them, to go and worship this child. He asked the wisemen to figure out where the child was and then come back and tell him. Of course, we know that in his heart, Herod only wanted to destroy Jesus. We also know that nothing can be hidden from God, who knew Herod's heart. God sent an angel to the wisemen in a dream and told them to go home a different way and avoid Herod.

## STEWARDSHIP

Thank you for putting your name on the front of your donation envelope each week.

### LAST WEEK

Christmas	\$ 12,371.37
December 27/28th	\$ 4,407.85
Diocesan Debt	100.00

## NEEDS FOR OUR FOOD BANK



We are in need of coffee, tea, juice, cold cereal, hot cereal, rolled oats, white sugar, brown sugar, flour, oil. Potatoes, green beans, carrots, peas, salmon, ham, chicken, turkey, canned milk. Peanut butter, jam, pancake mix, cake mix, muffin mix, rice, cookies, juice boxes, ketchup, chili, stews, soap, shampoo, deodorant, toilet paper, Kleenex, laundry detergent, dish soap.

## CONSULTATIVE MEETING ABOUT 1862 BLOOR STREET

With the advice of the Chancery (Bishop's) office, I would like to

call a consultative meeting regarding the former St. Anthony's Church's property at 1862 Bloor Street. The meeting will be held on **January 4, 2010 at 7:30 pm** in the hall. This is open to all parishioners. The purpose is simply to address the concerns of the parishioners on this matter and be submitted to the Chancery for further consideration. See you then! **Father Vic**

## YOUTH GROUP ON MONDAY NIGHTS

We have a Youth Group here at the parish every Monday night from 5:45 pm-7:30pm for those students in grades 6,7,8. If you are interested in having some fun, come and join us. You can call John Vandersanden for more information at 905-697-3654.



## CHILDREN'S LITURGY

A reminder that we do have children's liturgy at the 9 and 11 am Masses for those children in JK to grade 3.

## 2010 ENVELOPES

The boxed envelopes for 2010 are now available in the Church hall. We ask that you kindly pick yours up following mass this weekend. Some families who have envelope numbers in the 700's have been reassigned a new number for this year. If you have any questions, please call Bernadette at 905-436-2126. We remind you to kindly continue to print your name and indicate the amount of your donation on the front of your envelope each week. This helps the counters and the parish secretaries to keep donations accurate. Thank you for your help and your generosity. If you do not have a box for this year and need new envelopes for this year, they are available on the counter at the entrance to the church. Please be sure to record the box number that you take in the red binder. Thank you.



## GIVING TREE

Thank you to all those who so generously donated items towards our Giving Tree this past Christmas. God bless you all. **Father Vic**

A thank you from one of our families this Christmas. Thank you so much for all your support over the years. It is a great help to us. Thank you for all the work you do.



## PARISH OVERFLOW PARKING

Please remember that there is overflow parking behind the convent at Msgr. Cleary School.

## THANK YOU

Thank you to all those who helped with the Live Nativity. Thank you to those who clean our altar linens, our sacristan, our wonderful Sisters, all our Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Lectors, Home and Hospital Visitation Team, St. Vincent's Soup Kitchen Members, Finance Committee, Our Youth Coordinators, Our Parish Sacrament Team, our coordinators of RCIA, Children's Liturgy, Altar Servers, Our food Bank, Cantors, Our Funeral Altar Servers, our talented music ministries, our amazing Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's Connection, our staff and students of our schools and the Trustees and Parish school representatives. Thank you to those who continue to help when help is needed. It does not go unnoticed. God bless you all. **Fr. Vic**

## HUNGRY FOR THE TRUTH? COME BE FED.

Join us for a study of the Sacraments. Input materials from Fr. John Corapi, with Sister Therese Roddy facilitating. Sacred Heart Parish Hall from 7-8:30pm Sunday evenings starting Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> until Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>. No registration fee. Please call 705-745-1309 ext. 277 to register. "Come and be Fed"

## SAVE YOUR STAMPS !

We have a canister at the entrance to the Church for any cancelled stamps you may wish to leave for the missions.

## WALKER NEEDED

We have had a request for a walker for someone in need of one to get around. If you should have one that you no longer use, please contact the parish office.

## UPCOMING PARISH MISSION

Please mark your calendars for our upcoming Parish mission from February 8<sup>th</sup> to February 11<sup>th</sup> 2010. It will be conducted by Redemptorist Father Eugene O'Reilly. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to allow Jesus Christ through the richness of His word, to love you into fullness of life and a deep sense of personal well-being. If you should know anyone who may wish to attend, please let them know that they are welcome. See you at the Mission!



## THANK YOU FROM MOTHER TERESA SCHOOL

Mother Teresa Catholic School Council would like to thank the CWC for their help and support our Family Christmas Mass. A very special "thank you" goes to Kim Anderson and June Murphy for all the work they did in the Parish Hall. We would also like to thank Bill Banks for his continued support and dedication with all our School/Parish events. God Bless you all this New Year.

## THANK YOU TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The parish would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for arranging the Free Skate in December. You are always so supportive of the parish and the families here and we thank you.

## THANK YOU

A Very Special thank you to the good people of our parish who took out time from their busy Christmas schedule to care for the animals in our Live Nativity. From the work crew who prepared the stable to the volunteers who showed up every morning and evening. God bless, **Bill Segers**

## MORE THANKS ....

It seems like there are always very generous people to thank. We have been very blessed with an amazing counting team of people who dedicate their time to come and help to count our offertory collection. You have been doing an incredible job and it has not gone unnoticed by the Bishop's Office. Thank you so very much for all your time and for the great job you do for the parish. Thank you to those families who were involved in the advent wreath lighting and those families involved in the masses Feast of the Holy Family.

## A RESOLUTION FOR THE NEW YEAR

We might resolve to start every morning with a short prayer: "Good morning, Lord. Thank you for extending my life for one more day. Please grant me a special anointing of Your Holy Spirit so that I may do Your holy will today and avoid everything evil." We might also resolve to say a short prayer, every evening, the last thing we do before we go to sleep: "Thank You Lord for helping me to do Your will today. Forgive me, Lord, for saying "no" to Your grace several times today. I am really sorry for all my sins of the day. Please pardon me". And, as we close our eyes, we might say: "Good night Lord. Father into your hands I commend my spirit." Have a Happy New Year, overflowing with a "Yes" to God our Father, to the Lord Jesus our Brother and to the Holy Spirit our Advocate and our Guide to every good deed. Our God and our hope, Glory to You !."

**This week, let us pray for Bishop de Angelis and all Priests of our Diocese.**