Mass Intentions		
Saturday Sept 9	5:00 pm	
Sunday Sept 10	8:30 am	
	10:00 am	† Joao De Medeiros, Jose, Francisco & Annibal (Maria De Medeiros) † Katherine & Michael Krubnik (The Surman Family) † Stanislaw & Anna Guzda (Posluszny Family) † Joan Varty (Tony & Cathy Dodds)
	11.30 am	PRO POPULO
Monday Sept 11	8:00 am	
Tuesday Sept 12	8:00 am	† Maria & Luigi Martino (Mafalda Perri) † Mario Mena (Silvana Mena & Family)
Wednesday Sept 13	7:00 pm	"On the Occasion of Logan Wong 7th Birthday" (Lula) † Concetta & Alfonso & Franco Di Marzio (Annette & Fred Giannini)
Thursday Sept 14	8:00 am	
Friday Sept 15	8:00 am	"Special Intentions for Magdalene Ruth" (Joachim & Angela)
Saturday Sept 16	5:00 pm	† Jaroslav Chokota (Mila & Paul)
Sunday Sept 17	8:30 am	† <b>Biagio Forte</b> (Civita Forte & Famiglia)
	10:00 am	
	11:30 am	PRO POPULO

# I will hold you responsible

When Cain killed Abel, he asked God, "Am I my brother's keeper?" God's answer is given through the prophet Ezekiel: a resounding "YES!" We are responsible for not only siblings but for anyone who is part of our life. If we are conscious that any of these people are doing something that will hurt themselves or others, God gives us a duty to



give a warning. The more serious the sin, the more we have an obligation to speak or act. If a friend is about to drive in a drunken condition, we must try to take the keys or offer to drive. If anyone we know is tempted to suicide, we MUST do all in our power to prevent it. God warns us if we fail to take our obligations seriously. He will hold us guilt for the failure to warn others. This is not simply a pious thought, it is a serious duty! (Fr. Lonsdale Commentaries & Clip-Art)

#### Welcome back everyone!

Once again with a new school year begins a new season with many tasks ahead. We are grateful to have you back to celebrate the Eucharist with us. United in faith and love we can respond and serve God and one another in a Christian way. We extend our warmest greetings to



the new members that have moved into our community over the summer months. If you are new to this parish, we wish to welcome you and hope that you find this to be a warm and caring community. Please make sure you register with the parish and introduce yourself to Father Frank. We are here to help and serve in any way we can.

### **Sunday school and Catechism Preparation**

Sunday school registration is now underway; it begins September  $24^{th}$  at the 10:00 am Sunday Mass in the Church basement hall, for children 3-7; they will gather for their own "Liturgy of the Word". Registration forms are available on the cabinets at the main entrance of the Church. Sacramental preparation of 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation for the Public School Children will begin the first Saturday after Thanksgiving.

# Personal Belongings

Please keep your belongings with you at all times during Mass and especially when you are going up to receive the Eucharist. Do not leave any valuables in the pews, such as bags/purses, cameras, cell phones etc. Thank you!

#### Choir Practice

Choir practice for the 11:30 am Sunday Liturgy has begun. Rehearsals are every Wednesday, after the 7:00 pm Mass. We welcome all Parishioners interested in singing at the 11:30 am Sunday Liturgy. We alternate Sundays with the Filipino Choir.

#### SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp for the
Month of September
Is sponsored by Nicoletta Leonelli
In memory of:
Anthony Di Carvalho



This week the Altar flowers next to the Holy Tabernacle were donated by Shirley Hernando on:

"The Occasion of Logan Wong 7th Birthday"

#### Altar Flowers

Altar Flowers are a welcome offering to our worship. Flowers are alive. They are of God's creation. They are a fragrant offering to the God who created them. People give flowers in thanksgiving to God for a family member's birthday, wedding anniversary or other blessing. They are also given in memory of a departed loved one or friend. We give thanks to everyone who has already given flowers on a particular week or Sunday. Flower donation envelopes are located on the cabinets at the back of the church, or you can call the parish office and make arrangements. The minimum donation is \$30.00.

#### Join the Choir

September is a great time to join the choir. Rehearsals for the 10:00 am choir are every Tuesday in the church from 7 to 8 pm beginning September  $12^{th}$ .

#### Serra Vocation

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." The community that gathers needs leadership; consider the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life. Contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

# Annual Celebration of Padre Pio

Sunday, September 17, 2017 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm Mary Lake Sanctuary 13760 Keele St. N., King City

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The Padre Pio Group Centre of Canada invites everyone to the annual commemoration of Padre Pio's death anniversary. Rosary begins at 2 p.m., followed by Mass at 2:30 p.m. There will also be a procession, refreshments and a lottery. CONTACT: Leo (905-713-3798) or Anna (647-300-4055)

# Celebration of Sts. Cosmas and Damian, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Michael the Archangel and St. Padre Pio

Sunday, September 17, 2017 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm St. Francis of Assisi Parish 72 Mansfield Ave., Toronto St. Francis of Assisi Parish's traditional autumn celebration will begin with Solemn Mass in Italian at 2:30 p.m. followed by a procession beginning at the corner of Grace and Mansfield. All are welcome! CONTACT: St. Francis of Assisi Parish PHONE: 416-536-8195 WEB: www.stfrancis.ca



Happy Birthday to our Pastoral Team
Father Frank's Birthday Sunday September 10<sup>th</sup>
Deacon Alan's Birthday Monday September 11<sup>th</sup>
Dear Fr. Frank & Dear Deacon Alan:



Love, Joy, Peace And many, many more blessings Be yours today and always. Happy Birthday!

### Sistine Chapel Choir Concert

Tuesday, September 26, 2017 7:30 pm

For the first time in its history, the Sistine Chapel Choir (commonly known as the Pope's choir) will visit Canada. The first stop on the Canadian tour will take place on Tuesday, September 26 @ 7:30 pm at St. Michael's Cathedral. Tickets are free but will be extremely limited. A limited number of free general admission tickets (maximum 2 per person) will be made available online at: bit.ly/sistineTO beginning Monday September 11 at 10:00 am. The concert will also feature a performance by the students of St. Michael's Choir.

# Offering of Candle

We wish to acknowledge an anonymous donation of \$80.00 for the sponsoring of the Sanctuary Lamp for special intentions and thanksgiving received last week. The Sanctuary Lamp burns continually next to the Blessed Sacrament as a reminder that Jesus in present in the tabernacle.

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#### Rest in Peace

Please pray for all the faithful departed especially remember in your prayers our parishioners William O'Brien and Helen Coughlan who have passed away this week. May they receive the gift of eternal life in Heaven. Eternal rest grant unto them of Lord. May perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.

# 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Augustinians at Marylake

The Augustinians would like to invite you to the 75th Anniversary of the Augustinians at Marylake Year End Mass on Saturday, October 28th at 5:00 p.m. at the Shrine of Our Lady of Grace at Marylake. The main celebrant for the Mass will be Fr. Alejandro Moral Antón OSA, the Prior General of the Order of St. Augustine. Following Mass, join us for fellowship and refreshments. Hope to see you.