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Joanna Manturowicz – Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Fr. Constantin Siarapis - Priest in Residence



A Thanksgiving Prayer

Heavenly Creator,

*In this season of gratitude and abundance, we give You
thanks for our many blessings as we pray for all
who struggle with hunger and want.*

Be with them in the dark of night, when all hope seems lost.

Keep their faith strong as they await relief.

*And let Your goodness flow through our
hearts and hands as we reach out to one
another in the full, true joy of Thanksgiving in Christ.*

Amen

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Prelude: Sonata VI – José Lidón

Entrance hymn: 352 Come, ye thankful people, come

Mass Ordinary: 535-537, 539, 541, 542

Psalm 90 response: *Fill us with your love, O Lord, that we may rejoice and be glad.*

Offertory: 287 Ave Maria

Choir Mass : Ecce quam bonum – William Byrd

Behold, how good and joyful a thing it is: brethren, to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down unto the beard:

even unto Aaron's beard, and went down to the skirts of his clothing.

Like as the dew of Hermon: which fell upon the hill of Sion.

For there the Lord promised his blessing: and life for evermore. [Psalm 132:1-3]

Communion: 186 As we gather at your table

Choir Mass: Caro Mea – Mathieu Gascongne

My flesh is meat indeed, and my blood is drink indeed.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him. As the living Father hath sent me and I live by the Father: so he that eateth me, the same also shall live by me. [John 6:56-58]

Psalm 118:81, 84b, 86b (Vulgate, altered)

Concluding hymn: 414 Now thank we all our God

Postlude: Nun danket alle Gott, Op. 65, No. 13 – Sigfrid Karg-Elert

St. Joseph Vigil Lamp

Burns for the intentions of Amadeo Zela

St. John Vigil Lamp

Burns in memory of David King

Mass Intentions – October 14 - 20

Monday – Fe Hernando (D), Special Intention (INT)

Tuesday – Judy Nelles (D), Archie Knight (D)

Wednesday – Jack Thomas (D), Melita Bastanbillai (INT)

Thursday – Elaine Glossop (D), Rodney Crown (D)

Friday – Eleuterio Loares (D), Simplicia Loares (D)

Conсорcia Villarino (D), Isamel Villarino (D)

Pacencio Villarino (D), Jean Jarvis (D)

Saturday – 4:30 – Giovanni & Frank Pennino (D)

Sunday – 8:30 – John Amaral (D)

10:00 – Michael Chiarotto (D)

11:30 – Mary Bubnic (D)

Please keep the sick in your prayers:

Rosemarie Chapeski, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli, Alicia Mathlin,

Alan Crimi, Maryann Grobin, Kenneth Field, Eric Seidel,

Julie Jones, Vida Lahajnar, Maria Martins,

Emily Wright, Paula Tarantino, Robert Walford, Crystal Pinero,

Lauren McDermott

Please call the parish office to add or remove a name on the list. Thank you!

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 13, 2024 If we really believe in something, it does not seem to be a sacrifice to give up everything else to pursue that new dream. Jesus asks the same as any great leader...total dedication; but He promises rewards no one else can promise. "You will have treasure in Heaven, then come, follow Me." Come, follow the call of Christ as a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you think God is calling you to one of these, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

Catechism 2024/2025

Joanna Manturowicz is our Youth Minister/Sacramental Preparation Coordinator

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Communion Classes –Tuesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 10, Jan. 7 & 21, Feb. 4 & 18, March 4 & 25, April 8 & 22, May 6 & 20

First Reconciliation Date: Saturday, May 31, 2025 at 10:00 am

First Communion Ceremony Date: Sunday, June 1, 2025 at 2:30 pm

Confirmation Classes –Wednesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 11, Jan. 8 & 22, Feb. 5 & 19, Mar. 5 & 26, Apr. 9 & 23, May 7 & 21

Retreat Date – Saturday June 7, 2025 at 11:00 am – 5:30 pm (Mass at 4:30 pm)

Confirmation Ceremony Date: Sunday, June 8, 2025 at 2:30 pm

Catechism Registration will take place in the hall after each Mass on the following dates:

Saturday, October 19 & 26. Sunday, October 20 & 27. A parent must register their child.

We ask that you fill out the registration form, attach a *copy* of the Baptism certificate (even if they were baptized at Blessed Sacrament) Administrative fee: \$150 paid by cash or cheque

Scripture : (Wisdom 7.7-11), (Hebrews 4.12-13), (Mark 10.17-30)

October 13, 2024

"Blessed are the poor in spirit; for theirs is the kingdom of heaven!" (Matthew 5.3)

**Blessed Sacrament School
Sacrament Dates 2025**

First Reconciliation: Thurs. May 22 @9:45am

First Communion: Sunday, May 25 @ 2:30pm

Confirmation Retreat: Wed. May 21 @ 9:00am

Confirmation: Thursday, May 29 @ 7:00 pm

If you are attending Blessed Sacrament Catholic School and would like to register for the Sacraments, please contact the school at 416-393-5226.

The 11:30 am Solemn High Mass on Sunday morning is live streamed each week.

God's Blessings on our Homebound Parishioners.

We post Mass each weekend to our YouTube channel.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9WJE6kleV-eY7-8j-Qbag>

Praying the Holy Rosary: For the month of October the Rosary will be prayed before each of the Sunday Masses. If you would like to volunteer in leading the Rosary 20 minutes before the celebration of Mass, contact Margaret Esterhuizen at 416-483-5457.

RCIA/RCIC: To register for the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) and the RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children), please contact the parish office. Classes will start soon in October on Monday evenings. blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org

Children's Liturgy: The children's liturgy program will be on break thanksgiving weekend. Classes will resume on Sunday, October 20th.

Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Special Collection: October 5/6, 2024. A second collection will be taken.

A Thanksgiving Prayer

God of all blessings, source of all life, giver of all grace:
We thank you for this day, for the companionship we share and the bountiful goodness of the bread we break together.

God of all goodness, we pray in thanks for your presence among us as we gather together, and your promise to be with us now and always. AMEN.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Blessed Sacrament has started a new venture with our friends at Glenview church, making boxed lunches once a month for those in need. It will be on the first Wednesday of each month. If anyone would like to contribute baked goods, we would be so grateful. This is a perfect opportunity for the school kids to get in some volunteer hours! Those interested please reach out to Mary Lynch -Delisle @ puprah452@gmail.com. This is a great opportunity for us to give back to our friends in need.

Thanksgiving Food Drive – Good Shepherd Ministries: Boxes will be located at the St. Joseph's Altar for the next few weeks for the Good Shepherd Ministries. We are collecting nonperishable food. Items needed are: Tuna & Canned Meat, Coffee & Tea Bags, Soup & Stews, Condiment (e.g. Soy Sauce, Barbecue Sauce, Ketchup, Mayonnaise, Mustard, etc.) Peanut Butter & Jams, Canned Tomatoes, Corn and Vegetables, Beans & Chickpeas, Pasta Sauce, Granola Bars & Pancake Mix, Dried Meals & Bagged Rice. Thank you for your donation and support! Contact: 416-869-3619 x262 or email: corliss@goodshepherd.ca. Let's Share our Blessings!

Remembrance Mass: We would like to invite you to a "Mass of Remembrance" to celebrate all those who have died this past year, and all those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith. The Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, November 2nd at 10:30 am. We will announce their name and light a candle in their memory. All are welcome. A reception will follow in the parish hall. If you would like further information, please email us at blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org or call the parish office at 416-481-2256.

Diaconate Ordinations: Congratulations to **Jesus Fidel Añón** who will be ordained at our parish, Blessed Sacrament, on Saturday October 12th at 10:00 am. Reception will follow in the parish hall. All are welcome!

***THANK YOU:** We would like to thank Humphrey Funeral Home for their donation of two beautiful bouquets of flowers in dedication to Saint Michael the Archangel. We would also like to thank Sheridan Nurseries for their Thanksgiving decorations.*



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