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<p>Hospitality</p> <p>5:00 pm - Ron & Janet Roscovich 10:00 am - Helen & Andy Lipiec</p>	<p>Ministry Schedule - June 24/25</p> <p>Lector</p> <p>5:00 pm - Mitch Pogoda 10:00 am - Marg Van Geest</p>	<p>Communion</p> <p>5:00 pm - Bianca Verrecchia 10:00 am - Dick Van Geest</p>
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Pastor
Very Rev. Fr. Christopher Gerard Gillen
Parish Priest / Vicar Forane
(Dean of Haldimand)

Administrative Assistant
Financial Recorder
Sandy Johnson
In Office Hours
Tuesday & Thursday
9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Sunday Masses
Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm
Sunday 10:00 am

Weekday Masses
See Schedule inside of the bulletin

Reconciliation/Confessions
Saturday: 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Requesting Sacraments
Interview and Classes Required

St Martin Elementary School
905-957-3032

Blessed Trinity High School
905-945-6708

Cemetery Management
Nick Sarantakos - 289-440-2929

Parish Organizations
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President - Maryanne Mous
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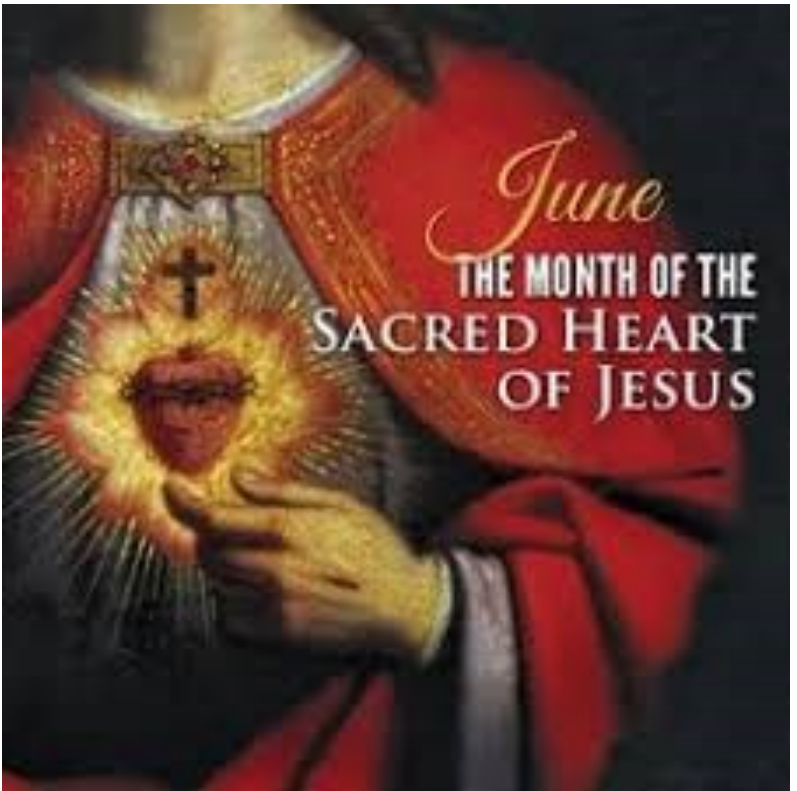
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Facility Maintenance
Chair Frank DeFilippis

Parish Groups
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Parish Financial Council
Cemetery Committee
Responsible Faith Ministry
Children's Liturgy.
ACTS Retreats Teams

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June 18, 2023 - Year - A

The 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS, PARISH CALENDAR

Recitation of the Holy Rosary takes place before each Weekday Mass beginning at 8:35 am

Mon	June 19	NO PARISH MASS CELEBRATED	
Tues	June 20	9:00 am +George and Ina Newman 9:30 am - 10:45 am Choir Practice	by the Newman Family
Wed	June 21	St. Aloysius Gonzaga 9:00 am +Jose Carlos DaSilva 10:30 am Gethsemane Centre Mass/ Adoration/Confessions	by the Melo & Mikhail Families Fr. Christopher
Thurs	June 22	NO PARISH MASS CELEBRATED	
Fri	June 23	9:00 am +Maria & Antonio Pais	by Family
Sat	June 24	The 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm Confessions. 5:00 pm For the special intentions of Mike & Amy Urban	by Mike Urban
Sun	June 25	10:00 am +Pro Populo Dei - For the special intentions of St. Martin's Parish Family 11:30 am Christian Baptism of Madison & Isabelle Gazzola 11:30 am Parish Picnic on the church grounds. (Remember to bring your lawn chairs)	

E-TRANSFERS

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CELEBRATION OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM

We welcome the following children into the Family of Faith:

Madison Carmen Gazzola - June 25
Isabelle Rosemary Gazzola - June 25
Kellan Lyell Long - July 16
Keira Silvana Long - July 16

All Baptisms are at 11:30 am.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

June 18, 2023 is the last day for Children's Liturgy before the summer break. Children's Liturgy will start up again in September. Thank you Jennifer for leading our children to Jesus.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION ADULT CATECHUMENATE (R.C.I.A.) LAY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Mark 16:15 - "He said to them, 'Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation.'"

Romans 10:14-15 - "How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: 'How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!'"

Matthew 4:19-20 - "'Come, follow me,' Jesus said, 'and I will send you out to fish for people.' At once they left their nets and followed him."

2 Timothy 2:2 - "'And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable people who will also be qualified to teach others.'"

Go and make disciples - Now that you know what the Bible says about making disciples, are you ready to get started?

We've developed an RCIA program with strategies and tools to help you share the gospel. We are looking to develop a team of 6 or 7 Catholic parishioners, both cradle and converts, to instruct others who are interested in renewing their faith and or becoming Catholic and share our faith with them.

Please contact the office if you are interested by June 18th.

If you fit any one of the following descriptions (or if you know of someone who does), call us!

- anyone who wants to join the Catholic Church
- anyone who wants to consider entering the Church
- anyone who was baptized but never received the other sacraments
- anyone who simply wishes to inquire about Catholicism
- anyone Catholic who feels that they would like to review or increase their knowledge of the faith (and at the same time, act as a parish sponsor for an inquirer)

Likely the process won't begin until the early fall, but there's no time like the present to signal one's intentions!

JUNE: MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

June may be many things to many people, but for Catholics the month has traditionally been dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. It is God's heart that is the greatest symbol of love! "Look at this Heart which has loved people so much, and yet they do not want to love me in return. Through you my divine Heart wishes to spread its love everywhere on earth" - Jesus said to St. Marguerite Marie Alacoque, in the 12 promises made to her. The solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is celebrated this year on Friday, June 16.

THE TWELVE PROMISES

1. I will give them all the graces necessary for their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their families.
3. I will console them in all their troubles.
4. They shall find in My Heart an assured refuge during life and especially at the hour of their death.
5. I will pour abundant blessings on all their undertakings.
6. Sinners shall find in My Heart the source of an infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall speedily rise to great perfection.
9. I will bless the homes where an image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored.
10. I will give to priests the power of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who propagate this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart, never to be effaced.
12. The all-powerful love of My Heart will grant to all those who shall receive Communion on the First Friday of nine consecutive months the grace of final repentance; they shall not die under my displeasure, nor without receiving their Sacraments; My heart shall be their assured refuge at that last hour.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

God our Father,
In your wisdom and love you have created us and called us your own.
Bless our fathers, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
In moments of joy, rejoice with them.
In times of struggle, give them your courage and perseverance.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor and appreciate them always with a spirit of profound respect.
May the example and prayer of St. Joseph inspire them to live their vocation with courage.
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE UPCOMING EVENTS

"Feed Your Soul, Feed Your Tummy."
Every third Wednesday Mass at 9:00 am, followed by breakfast at Lackis.
Please join us. There's room for everyone (husbands welcome) We continue through summer. See you - June 22, July 19 & August 16. (check bulletin for possible changes to weekday Masses)