

## ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

**Tuesday, June 16<sup>th</sup>**

† Deanne Emerson

**Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>**

Pro Populo

**Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup>**

Intentions of George Attwood

**Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup>**

† Joan Haney

**Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup>**

† Edmond Valin Sr.

## SANCTUARY LIGHT

The sanctuary light burns for the repose of the soul of  
Deanne Emerson

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jacob McLean, Dawn Ruthven,  
Raphael Ng, Margaret (Peggy) McCarthy, Agnes Von  
Mehren, Ella Careira, Patricia Doiron,  
Gerry Genuino, Evelyn Wemigwans, Philip Nicolaoas,  
Carmel Richard, Linda Duke, Vivian Holland, Richard  
Keating, Joanna Hodson,  
Rachel Ouellette, Norm Leach, Sean Murphy, Gary  
Fisher

*Those wishing to add a loved one to the parish Mass intentions or list of the sick are kindly asked to contact the parish office.*

## REFLECTION

*Jesus wanted ordinary people who could take an assignment and do it extraordinarily well. He chose these men, not for what they were, but for what they would be capable of becoming under his direction and power. When the Lord calls us to serve, we must not think we have nothing or very little to offer. The Lord takes what ordinary people, like us, can offer and uses it for greatness in his kingdom. Do you believe that God wants to work in and through you for his glory?*

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP WEEKEND, JUNE 27 & 28

Please let those gently used items you can do without benefit our neighbors in need.

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a non-profit charity whose volunteer members collect clothing, shoes, linens, and household goods to donate, exchange for vouchers or sell in order to support the works of the charity.

Please tie your donation bags or close your boxes to prevent any lost or missing articles.

There will be a truck parked in the driveway between the church and the rectory all weekend, **June 27 (4 PM-6 PM) and 28 (8 AM-12:30 PM)**. Thank you for your generosity and kindness.

## SUMMER OFFICE HOURS & PARISH BULLETIN

### Office Closure:

Please be aware that the parish office will be closed on **Monday, June 22; Monday, June 29; and Monday, July 9** as our Office Administrator is away on holiday. During this period, Fr. Joshua will be available in the office Tuesday to Friday, 9am to 5pm to respond to emails and phone calls.

### Summer Office Hours

Beginning in July, the parish office will shift to summer hours. From **July 3 to September 4**, the office will be open **Monday-Thursday, 9:00AM-5:00PM**, with a closure from **12:00-1:00PM**. On **Fridays**, the office will be open **9:00AM-12:00PM**.

### Parish Bulletin

The parish bulletin will pause for the summer. The final issue before the break will be published on **June 28**, and publication will resume on **August 30**.

## SPIRITUAL BOUQUET FOR FATHER'S DAY – ALL MONTH LONG

Throughout the month of June, parishioners are invited to honor their fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, and all father figures by completing a prayer-intention card.

Cards are available at the church entrance and may be placed in the basket near the statue of Sacred Heart.

All names and intentions will be prayerfully offered together at all the Masses on June 27 and June 28.



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## PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

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### **THIS WEEKEND, SECOND COLLECTION: JUNE 13 & 14 – MARYGROVE CAMP**

This weekend, there will be a second collection for Marygrove Camp. Marygrove Camp offers a safe, fun, and enriching summer experience for young girls who might not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy a week away. Operated by the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, the camp provides recreation, mentorship, and community in a supportive environment. Your generosity helps ensure that every child who needs this experience can attend at no cost.

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### **THANK YOU TO OUR GARDENING VOLUNTEERS!**

A heartfelt thank-you to our wonderful gardening volunteers – Alex, Carmen, George, and Paul - for rolling up their sleeves to clean up our grounds and plant beautiful new flowers. Your hard work, care, and enthusiasm bring new life to our parish and help make our community a welcoming, vibrant place for all.

If you're interested in helping keep our outdoor spaces thriving by watering and tending the gardens, please speak directly with Fr. Joshua Roldan, or email the parish office.

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### **UPCOMING SUMMER SECOND COLLECTIONS**

#### **JULY 4 & 5 – BUILDING FUND**

Our Building Fund supports the ongoing care, maintenance, and improvement of our parish facilities. These resources help us preserve a safe, welcoming, and functional space for worship, ministry, and community gatherings. Contributions to this collection directly sustain the long-term health of our parish home.

#### **AUGUST 15 & 16 – CANADIAN MISSIONS**

The Canadian Missions collection assists missionary work across Canada, especially in remote and underserved regions. This support helps provide pastoral care, sacraments, evangelization, and essential community outreach where resources are limited. Your gift strengthens the Church's presence and service throughout our country.

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## YOUTH MINISTRY

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### **EDGE MINISTRY PROGRAM!**

Edge is a Catholic middle school ministry for Grades 6–8 that offers a fun, welcoming space to build community, grow in friendship, and deepen faith through games, small group discussions, light snacks, and shared exploration in the parish hall.

**Did your child attend any Edge Nights this year? We'd love to hear from you!** Share a short story or testimony with Mercy at [stjohnsym@archtoronto.org](mailto:stjohnsym@archtoronto.org). Your feedback will help us prepare for the Fall launch of the program and continue building a great experience for our youth.



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### **ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY – THE BUTCHER SHOPPE FUNDRAISER LINK**

BBQ season is here, and St. John's Youth Ministry is firing up our Butcher Shoppe fundraiser! Our ministry receives \$10 for every item sold through our fundraiser link, so every order makes a difference. Orders are delivered directly to your doorstep Tuesday-Friday, with your choice of delivery date. Please visit our link below or scan the QR code which will take you to our link. Purchases must be made through our link for us to receive donations.

Link: <https://butchershoppeteams.com/collections/st-johns-youth-ministry?page=1>

Your support helps fund retreats, outreach events, leadership development, and weekly programs like Edge Ministry and Life Teen for the 2026–2027 ministry year. For more information, contact our Youth Minister, Mercy, at [StJohnsYM@archtoronto.org](mailto:StJohnsYM@archtoronto.org).

