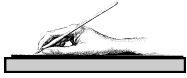


TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



PASTOR'S CORNER

Staying in shape" is a lifelong process, whether it be financial, physical, or spiritual, because to be successful in life is never easy. There are so many obstacles on this wide, or perhaps narrow road, to success in life. This is why we try so many things in order to accomplish this one thing that we crave for. Perhaps this short list will help you, at least, to open your eyes to see what you may have been missing for all these years:

1. Your life motto should sound like this: Life is complex, but filled with countless, often disguised, opportunities to grow in the right direction.
2. Always be focused on what you want to achieve, because maintaining a strong vision will provide you with purpose and guidance.
3. In every situation try to be flexible, focused, organized, positive and proactive, rather than to attempt to please some, placate others and hold the rest at bay.
4. Learn from the wisdom of those who have come before you.
5. Never forget that there are important lessons to learn from every failure, and you only fail if you do not learn from them. According to Ovid, some of the best lessons you will learn will be from your enemies. So perhaps they are not really your enemies.
6. Be a good listener and you will learn many things about yourself.
7. Have a high tolerance for ambiguity and stress with a sense of security and self-assurance.
8. Do not be afraid to be empowered by your daily routine: simple things can produce great results.
9. Display patience, understanding, and humor when dealing with a difficult situation. Sometimes a simple smile can quickly solve a problem and make a world of difference.
10. The more resilience you develop during this journey, the easier it will become to achieve your goals. Otherwise, you will hardly begin, much less finish, your journey to the source of your being.

Finally, the most important item on your list should be this: Remember that you will need a lot of help from above to be successful in this life and in the life to come, because where God is, there is life, love, peace and success.

Fr. Slawek

WHAT IS THE PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN? PreAuthorized Giving ("PAG") is plan to assist you in supporting your Parish through regular financial offerings.

The operation and maintenance of your parish is made possible through the generous and regular offertory giving of our parishioners. In response to changing lifestyles and demands on your time, the PAG plan will assist you in establishing a systematic giving program.

The PAG plan creates a win / win situation for you and Holy Spirit Church. Enrolment for the PAG plan is a very simple procedure. When you enroll, your offering will be automatically withdrawn from your designated bank account on the 20th day (or next business day) of each month. This amount will electronically be deposited to the Parish's account.

The PAG plan does not cover the special collections; therefore, we encourage you to continue using the envelopes made available at the back of the church.

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS SESSIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

Info Session for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be on Sunday, October 2nd, 2022 right after the 9:00 am mass. Parents are required to attend the Info session with their children.

Info Session for the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Communion will be on Sunday, October 16th, 2022 right after the 9:00 am mass

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED FOR ALL MASSES

We are in need of 5 Altar servers for each weekend Mass.

If you are in grade 3 and up and are interested in serving our community please consider joining the Altar servers.

Volunteer forms are available for pick up on the table at the back of the Church and can also be picked up from the parish office during office hours.

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS

Reception of Holy Communion

It has come to my attention that some people, receiving on the hand, carry the Sacred Host back to their seats. This is forbidden. Please be sure to consume Jesus, truly present in the Sacred Host, right after you receive Him. You must consume the Host in the front of the church, right after receiving. There are people who wish to steal consecrated Hosts for the sake of rituals. If you see anyone walking away without having consumed the Sacred Host please alert one of the Ushers, the Sacristan—Anthony or Fr. Slawek.



ARE YOU MOVING? OR HAVE YOU ALREADY MOVED?

Please contact the parish office so your records can be updated. Thank you.

Marriage Preparation Course

The 2022 Marriage Preparation Program will commence on October 15, 2022 at St. Aidan Church located at 3501 Finch Ave. East. Please note this program is held once a year, hence, couples planning to marry by December 2023 can register for it.

For more information, kindly contact Aggie Gomez at 416-292-5707



MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, September 20

9 a.m. (+) Lois Larocque req. by the Bohren family.

Wednesday, September 21

9 a.m. Intentions of Marion Gonzales req. by the Popescu family.

Thursday, September 22

9 a.m. Private Intentions.

Friday, September 23

9 a.m. (+) Mercedes Vivo req. the Vivo family.

Saturday, September 24

4:30 p.m. (+) Emma Clappison req. by Jocelyn Jensen.

Sunday, September 25

9 a.m. Intentions of all Parishioners.

11 a.m. (+) Francisco Sr. & Francisca Anchuelo req. by Lourdes Anchuelo.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH OFFERING SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER 4, 2022

Regular Envelope Offering \$ 3,117.00

SEPTEMBER 12, 2022

Regular Envelope Offering \$ 4,750.00
Building Fund Offering \$ 2108.00

Thank you for your continued generosity



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Holy Spirit Conference

*Turning concern into
action*

Lord, help me to make time today to serve You in those who are most in need of encouragement or assistance.

With a generous heart and spirit, let us share what we have with our neighbour -in-need. Your generous contributions to the POOR BOX will help us lift up the lowly and feed the hungry.

LEARN FROM YESTERDAY
LIVE FOR TODAY
HOPE FOR TOMORROW

