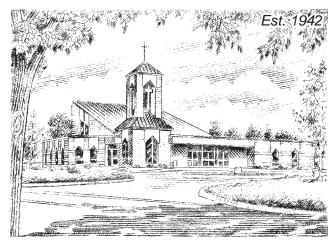


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Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4:00pm Keswick 5:30pm Sutton Sunday: 7:30am* Keswick

(*from May long weekend to October long weekend)

8:30am Sutton 10:30am Keswick

Weekday Masses:

Please consult Sunday's bulletin

Confessions (Reconciliation): Before Masses whenever possible - or by appointment.

First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Keswick: Mass - 8:30am, Holy Hour until 10:30am Sutton: Holy Hour - 5:30pm, Mass at 7:00pm

New Parishioners Registration: For registration, please use the pink visitor envelopes. Income Tax Receipts issued for minimum donation of \$25.

Papal Blessings: For special celebrations, please go to www.vatican.ca for directions.

Bequests: In your kindness, please remember Immaculate Conception & Our Lady of the Lake R.C. Church

Parish Organizations

K of C: Perry Smith 905-476-8279
CWL: Ann Palmer 905-989-1244
IC Women: Rose Sheppard 905-722-3623
R.C.I.A.: Tony Snider 905-476-4765
SVDP: 905-476-0097

Special Groups

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Parish Schools

 St. Bernadette (Sutton):
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 905-476-7784

 Prince of Peace (Keswick):
 905-476-1551

 Our Lady of the Lake College (Keswick):
 905-656-9140

Marriages: Marriages are celebrated in the Church where the bride or groom is registered at. When a man and a woman plan to marry each other, they should contact a priest one year in advance and always before the wedding date is set, and before arranging for the reception hall. The engaged are required to attend a Marriage Preparation Course.

Please note: However, if this man or woman has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted. Questions are often being asked about marriages performed outside the Catholic Church by non-Catholic ministers. These are not valid marriages according to the teaching of the Catholic Church, but many can be rectified by simply consulting with your Parish priest to discuss the available options. Sometimes people make decisions without proper information, so if you wish, please contact your Pastor for details or call the Marriage Tribunal at 416-934-3400 ext 300.

Marriage Preparation Courses

Queen of Apostles Centre 905-278-5229, Catholic Family Services 416-222-0048, The Paulist Centre 416-534-2326, St. Francis Retreat Centre 519-941-1747, Our Lady of Grace Church 705-424-1551

Marriage Counselling

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Baptisms

<u>Baptisms celebrated in Sutton and Keswick:</u> The forms are available online or at the parish office. Forms must be complete and include copies of baptismal certificates for parents and godparents. Parents are required to attend 2 Catechism meetings. First with Father and second with the Deacon. Meetings are set only after completed registration forms with certificates are provided to the parish.

Sat.

SUTTON MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Mon.	April 29	9:00am: +Dorothea M.S. Zimmerman
Tues.	April 30	8:30am: +Sophie Zimmerman
Wed.	May 1	6:30pm: Devotion of Our Lady
		7:00pm: +Johanna Bajoras req. Una Findlay
Fri.	May 3	First Friday Adoration
		5:30pm – 7:00pm Holy Hour
		7:00pm: Special Intention
Sat.	May 4	5:30pm: +Judith & Kevin Derouin
		req. Derouin Family
Sun.	May 5	8:30am:+ Edward Jagodzinski
		req.Monika & Roman Jagodzinski

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Keep in your prayers: Erica Barry, Tyler Clements, Marika Gilligan, Sebastian Henriques, John Hopkins, Grant Madill, Linda & Pasquale Martignani, Sara Mudge, Elaine Nangini, Lesia Rogers, Janis Scully

<u>Our Condolences</u> to the family of + Paul Serravalle. In your prayers and masses, please remember his soul. RIP

	CALENDAR OF EVENTS
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May 4	Confirmation at 2pm in Keswick
May 25	1 st Holy Communion Mass 2pm in
	Keswick - St. Thomas Aquinas
May 26	1 st St. Holy Communion Mass at
-	12:30pm in Keswick for Prince of
	Peace, Private and Public School
May 30	Prince of Peace 25th Anniversary
June 1	1 st Holy Communion Mass at 2pm
	in Keswick for St. Bernadette
	School
June 15	15 th Anniversary Deacon Steve
	(Dinner/Dance)

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION ON JUNE 15TH

We are looking for photos of your family's sacraments and other parish events to be used in a slide show during our dinner/dance. If you have anything, please contact Perry Smith at email perrysmith@rogers.com

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications sets up the advertisements for our bulletin. The ads will begin in July and supports the bulletin service. Please consider advertising your business. To do so, call 1-800-268-2637.

KESWICK MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Thurs. May 2 8:30am: Blessings upon those suffering with mental illness & addiction

Fri. May 3 <u>First Friday Adoration</u>

8:30am: +Peter Sawicky req. Pat

Raymer

May 4 Holy Hour 9:00am to 10:30am 2:00pm: Confirmation Mass

reg. Special Intention

4:00pm: Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Sun. May 5 10:30am: +Joan Bentley req. CWL

EASTER COLLECTION

SUNDAY - April 20/21: \$2,990.00 GOOD FRIDAY: \$1,660.00 EASTER: \$1,895.00

ShareLife to date: \$4,196.

BUILDING REPAIRS AND RENOVATION DEBT:

To-date: \$410,000.

PARISH CHALLENGE!

We have a parishioner who has generously donated \$10,000 to our parish debt with the challenge to see if we can raise another \$2,000 by Easter! Raised to date: \$2,470. Thank you

TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE JUNE 15 ANNIVERSARY DINNER/DANCE

Tickets are **now** available from the parish office or after weekend Masses on a first come, first served basis. Please note that tickets must be paid for on receipt. \$100 per ticket. This special evening honours **Deacon Steve's 15**th **anniversary of his Deaconate Ordination** and also the **65**th **anniversary of Immaculate Conception Church**. Money raised will be used to pay down the Building Roof Repairs and Renovation Loan. Thank you for supporting this event.

St ShareLife

Rashida endured years of abuse while living in Egypt. Fearing her husband would abuse their children, she applied for refugee status in Canada. Once in Toronto, not knowing the language, what to do, or who could help, she met an Arabic speaker who told her about Catholic Crosscultural Services who helped her navigate the immigration process. "CCS saved my life," Rashida says. "Today I have money of my own, an apartment, and my children are finally safe and happy."

May 5 is ShareLife Sunday Thank you for your support.

1st HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION Class #7

Topic: Eucharist

Thursday, May 2nd at 7pm in Keswick **or** Saturday, May 4th after 5:30pm Mass in Sutton

Class #8

Children's 1st Confession & Rehearsal

Tuesday, May 7th at 7pm in Keswick

1st Holy Communion Make-up class: Tuesday, May 14 at 7pm at Our Lady of the Lake Church in Keswick. Class is mandatory for anyone who has missed a class.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to all the Confirmandi who were confirmed this weekend and to those who will be confirmed next weekend.

NAMES FOR THE NAMELESS IN THE NEW TESTAMNENT

Dismas The good thief, who died in crucifixion with the Lord, according to the apocryphal *Gospel of Nicodemus*.

Gestas The impenitent thief.

Longinus The Roman soldier who lanced the crucified Christ, according to the apocryphal *Gospel of Nicodemus*. Stories of his spear were told and embellished in the romance of King Arthur.

ORIGIN OF THE WEEK

The week of seven days originated several thousand years ago among Semitic peoples of the Near East. It was based on a natural quarterly subdivision of the 28 days of the lunar month. The Book of Genesis in the Hebrew Bible presumes a seven-day week. From these Semitic people the week entered the Greek culture in Egypt. There the days were named after the sun and the moon and the five planets visible to the eye. These names of the week were later adopted throughout the Greco-Roman world.

Sunday – day of the sun Monday – day of the moon Tuesday – Tiw's day, god of war Wednesday – god of Woden's day Thursday – god Thor's day Friday – Frigg's day, goddess of love Saturday - day of Saturn

SATURDAY

Just as **Sunday** had always been devoted to Jesus Christ, **Saturday** eventually became Our Lady's day. This tradition was promoted in Carolingian times by Alcuin (d.804). A votive Mass in Our Lady's honour has commonly been offered on Saturday throughout modern times.

HYPERDULIA

Our Lady is given a veneration above that of all other saints. This is because of her unique relationship to Jesus, to the God from whom he comes, and to the church which continues his presence. This veneration, called hyperdulia, is expressed in official dogmas, feast days, and in multiple forms of private devotions on the part of Catholics. Her role as a woman in relation of the mystery of church and salvation is a great importance today.

MARIAN LITANIES

Late in the Middle Ages, litanies seeking Our Lady's intercession became common. This simple and popular form of praying addresses Our Lady by a series of titles with the petition: "Pray for us." The Litany of Loreto, familiar to Catholics, was approved by Sixtus V in 1587. It received this title because it was popular at the shrine of Loreto in Italy. This litany was made popular by St. Peter Canisius. It has about fifty titles for Mary; the most recent, "Queen assumed into heaven," was added by Pius XII in 1950.

ANGELUS By the 14th century, it became customary to ring church bells to remind the faithful to pray in honour of Our Lady and to remember the mystery of the Incarnation. This tradition of the Angelus (Latin *angelus*, "angel," the first word of the Angelus prayer) imitates the ancient monastic call to prayer by ringing the church bells. It is still popular today in many parishes. A series of Hail Marys, spaced with invocations to Our Lady and a concluding prayer, is prayed as the church bells ring at 6am, noon and 6pm.

"EARLY BIRD" MASS

Beginning Sunday, **May 19**th we will have a <u>**7:30am**</u> Mass in Keswick. This Mass fulfills your Sunday Obligation. Please join us.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for **counters** and **musicians**. If you are interested contact the parish office at 905-476-0097.

"And Jesus has this message for us: mercy. I think — and I say it with humility — that this is the Lord's most powerful message: mercy." – *Pope Francis*

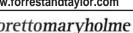
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