

#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4:00pm Keswick 5:30pm Sutton Sunday: 8:30am Sutton 10:30am Keswick

#### Weekday Masses:

Tuesday:	7:00pm	Sutton
Wednesday	8:30am	Sutton
Thursday	7:00pm	Keswick
Friday	8:30am	Keswick

Mass intentions are received weekly during office hours by phone or dropping in.

#### First Friday - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Keswick: after the morning mass Sutton: 6:00pm followed by mass

#### **Parish Registration:**

If you have moved to our parish boundaries and not yet registered as parishioners, you are most welcome to be part of our community. Please register by completing the pink visitor envelope or contact the office.

#### **Parish Organizations**

 Catholic Woman League (CWL):

 Sonya
 905-960-4140

 Knights of Columbus:

 Tvrtko (GK)
 416-451-9149

 klobucar8026@gmail.com

 Society of Saint Vincent de Paul:

 Maria (VP)
 905-476-0097 ext.3

 416-557-9964

 Third Order Secular Franciscans:

 Rolf
 905-989-0523

Altar Servers: Parents, Contact the office.

# Immaculate Conception R.C. Church

20916 Dalton Road, Sutton West, ON LOE 1R0

# Our Lady of the Lake R.C. Church

129 Metro Road North, Keswick, On L4P 3C8

#### **Pastoral Team**

Rev. Fr. James Dunstan, IVDei Pastor Rev. Deacon Stephen Palmer

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Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday: 9:00am - 3:00pm

#### **Parish Schools**

St. Bernadette (Sutton):	905-722-6226
St. Thomas Aquinas (Keswick):	905-476-7784
Prince of Peace (Keswick):	905-476-1551
Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Academy	
(Keswick):	905-656-9140

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact the office for the application. An interview with the pastor and preparation class attendance by the parents is required. Baptisms are celebrated on the 1st and 3rd weekend of the month.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions are available 30 minutes before weekend masses and by appointment during the week.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Couples planning marriage must meet with

Fr. Dunstan a minimum of 6 month before the proposed date. Please book your reception hall only after you've met with the Pastor.

#### Sacrament of Anointing of the sick

If you or your loved ones wish to receive this sacrament, please contact our parish office.

#### Interested in Becoming a Catholic (RCIA)

Adults wishing to become Catholic are asked to book a meeting with Fr. Dunstan. Tony Snider is the coordinator for the RCIA program.

#### **Communion for the Sick**

If you are unable to attend church, arrangements can be made for you to receive Holy Communion at home. Contact the parish office.

# **SUTTON - MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

Wed.	Aug 6 Aug 7	7:00pm: 8:30am:
Sat.	Aug 10	5:30pm: Healing for Dorothy
		Murphy
		<b>r</b> eq. Helen Bromley
Sun.	Aug 11	8:30am: Parishioners
		(Pro Populo)

# **KESWICK - MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

Thurs.	Aug 8	7:00pm: Special Intention for
		Enid Schwaderer
Fri	Aug 9	8:30am:
Sat.	Aug 10	4:00pm: Special Intention for the
		Fielding Family
		req. Holmes Family
Sun.	Aug 11	10:30am: +Mark & Elizabeth
		Stephens
		req. Lima Uthemavadu

The sanctuary light in **Keswick** burns this week

for the Healing of one of our Parishioners.

The sanctuary light in **Sutton** burns this week for the repose of the Soul of **Mike Conlon.** 

## Parish Loan Weekend Collection (July 27/28) Mission Appeal

\$ 40,000.00 \$ 2,393.65 \$ 3,402.75

Thank you very much for your continuous and generous support in maintaining our parish and bringing the loan down.

# Rest in Peace

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Let us pray, together with families and friends, for the repose of the souls of **Christopher Andre De Ville, Gary Abraham** and **Scott Joseph Steele,** that



they are in company with Christ, who died and now lives. May they rejoice in The Lords kingdom, where all our tears are wiped away. Unite us together again in one family to sing God's praise, forever and ever. Amen

# Second Collection for Canadian Missions on the weekend of August 10/11, 2024,

The Archdiocese of Toronto holds its annual collection for Canadian Missions. Proceeds go to the Dioceses of Mackenzie-Fort Smith and Grouard-McLennan and Catholic Missions. In Canada, which do not receive support from October's World Mission Sunday collection. Canadian home missions face unique challenges in demanding cultural and physical environments. Your contributions to this collection provide crucial support to fellow Catholics in remote areas of our nation.

# MUSIC MINISTRY INVITATION



We are looking for Music Ministry members - past, present & new to come together to form a youth/adult choir for the 70th Anniversary

Mass on Saturday, August 17 for Musicians and Singers. There will be Wednesday night rehearsals on **August 7 and 14** from **7 pm to 9 pm** at **Immaculate Conception Church in Sutton**.

For inquiries & commitments: kitty.stb10@gmail.com

# **Thank You and Farewell**

We would like to express our deepest sentiments of gratitude and appreciation to Yves and Kim Larocque who are leaving our parish after the retirement from the Becker's Funeral Home.



Thank you for all the support, compassion and



guidance that you provided to our parish community. Your presence in this congregation has truly been a blessing. Thank you for your faithfulness and your faith journey with us. May God bless you and all your endeavours that you undertake in the future.

# Aug 6 Feast Transfiguration of the Lord

The meaning of the feast + Today's feast recalls that privileged moment when Jesus, accompanied by Peter, James, and John, revealed his glory and the voice of the Father proclaimed, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him" (Matthew 17:5).



+ A feast in honour of the Transfiguration was first celebrated in Syria in the fourth century. It was first celebrated in the Western Church in France in the tenth century and was finally added to the Roman calendar in 1457 to commemorate of victory of Saint John Capistrano and the Christian forces in a battle against the Turks the previous year.

+ The readings and prayers for this celebration teach us how Jesus was the fulfillment of the prophets' visions and of how we are invited to share in the glory of Jesus as adopted daughters and sons of our Heavenly Father. *Aleteia* 

### Prayer:

My Transfigured Lord, You promise suffering and death to all who follow You, but You also promise the hope that awaits those who endure. Grant me the grace to endure every cross in life, uniting my sufferings with Yours, so that I may one day partake in the glory of eternal life in Heaven. Jesus, I trust in You.

#### Aug 10 Feast of St. Lawrence, Deacon, Martyr

The esteem in which the Church holds Lawrence is seen in the fact that today's celebration ranks as a feast. We know very little about his life. He is one of those whose martyrdom made a deep and lasting impression on the early



Church. Celebration of his feast day spread rapidly. He was a Roman deacon under Pope Saint Sixtus II. Four days after this pope was put to death, Lawrence and four clerics suffered martyrdom, probably during the persecution of the Emperor Valerian.

Legendary details of Lawrence's death were known to Damasus, Prudentius, Ambrose, and Augustine. The church built over his tomb became one of the seven principal churches in Rome and a favorite place for Roman pilgrimages.

A well-known legend has persisted from earliest times. As deacon in Rome, Lawrence was charged with the responsibility for the material goods of the Church, and the distribution of alms to the poor. When Lawrence knew he would be arrested like the pope, he sought out the poor, widows, and orphans of Rome and gave them all the money he had on hand, selling even the sacred vessels of the altar to increase the sum. When the prefect of Rome heard of this, he imagined that the Christians must have considerable treasure. He sent for Lawrence and said, "You Christians say we are cruel to you, but that is not what I have in mind. I am told that your priests offer in gold, that the sacred blood is received in silver cups, that you have golden candlesticks at your evening services. Now, your doctrine says you must render to Caesar what is his. Bring these treasures—the emperor needs them to maintain his forces. God does not cause money to be counted: He brought none of it into the world with him-only words. Give me the money, therefore, and be rich in words."

Lawrence replied that the Church was indeed rich. "I will show you a valuable part. But give me time to set everything in order and make an inventory." After three days, he gathered a great number of blind, lame, maimed, leprous, orphaned, and widowed persons and put them in rows. When the prefect arrived, Lawrence simply said, "These are the treasures of the Church." The prefect was so angry he told Lawrence that he would indeed have his wish to die-but it would be by inches. He had a great gridiron prepared with coals beneath it, and had Lawrence's body placed on it. After the martyr had suffered the pain for a long time, the legend concludes, he made his famously cheerful remark, "It is well done. Turn me over!" Once again we have a saint about whom almost nothing is known, yet one who has received extraordinary honour in the Church since the fourth century. Almost nothing-yet the greatest fact of his life is certain: He died for Christ. We who are hungry for details about the lives of the saints are again reminded that their holiness was, after all, a total response to Christ, expressed perfectly by a death like this.

Saint Lawrence the Patron Saint of: Cooks Deacons and the Poor Franciscan media

