

## Immaculate Conception R.C. Church

20916 Dalton Road, Sutton West, ON L0E 1R0

## Our Lady of the Lake R.C. Church

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#### **Pastoral Team**

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

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

#### **Parish Organizations**

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#### Catholic Woman League (CWL):

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Sonya	905-960-4140
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### Maria (VP)

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**Altar Servers:** Parents, please contact the office.

#### 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 Baptismal application. An interview with the Pastor and preparation class attendance by the parents is required. Baptisms are celebrated on the 1st and 3rd weekends 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 months before the proposed date. Please book your reception hall only after you have 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? (R.C.I.A.)**

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.

#### FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

#### **SUTTON - MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

Tues.	Dec 3	7:00pm: Healing for
		Fr. Dunstan req. a parishioner
Wed.	Dec 4	8:30am: Special Intention for
		Fr. Dunstan req. a parishioner
Fri.	Dec 6	7:00pm: +Luisa & Luigi Turano
		req. Rosa & Pasquale Turano
Sat.	Dec 7	NO MASS
Sun.	Dec 8	8:30am: +Alice Krohmer
		req. Helmut Krohmer
Cancellation of Saturday Mass in Sutton		

The 5:30pm Mass in Sutton on December 7, 2024 will be cancelled due to the annual Santa Claus parade.

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The sanctuary light in **Sutton** burns this week In thanksgiving for **Arulseeli.** 

Parish Loan \$ 18,500.00 Weekend Collection (Nov 23/24) \$ 2,510.10



Please join us in prayer for the repose of the soul of **Wayne Douglas Stubbings** a former parishioner who passed away on November 20, 2024. Visitation will be on Monday

December 2, 2024, 7:00pm-9:00pm at Forrest & Taylor Funeral Home.

#### Children's Liturgy Sunday December 1, 2024

8:30am (Sutton) & 10:30am (Keswick) Intended for children ages 3-8





#### **First Friday Adoration**

### December 6, $202\overline{4}$

Keswick: followed by morning Mass Sutton: 6:00pm before evening Mass

#### St. Thomas Aquinas School Mass

Thursday, December 5, 2024 at 11:00am at Our Lady of the Lake Church, Keswick.



# The Solemnity of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception

Monday December 9, 2024 is the

Feast of our Parish and we will be having a solemn Mass at 7:00pm in Sutton.

Please join our parish celebration!

#### **KESWICK - MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**

Thurs.	Dec 5	7:00pm: +Eugenio Scetto
		(1 year Anniversary)
		req. Scetto Family
Fri.	Dec 6	8:30am: +Wayne Douglas
		Stubbings
Sat.	Dec 7	4:00pm: +Harley Quigg
		req. Holmes Family
Sun.	Dec 8	10:30am: +Aiden Tomkins
		req. Geraldine Tomkins
		+Mark & Elizabeth Stephens
		req. Lima Uthemavadu



The sanctuary light in **Keswick** burns this week for the healing of **Darren Boyko.** 

#### **CWL Christmas Potluck**



Calling all the women of the Parish to come and enjoy an evening of fun and food on **Wednesday December 4, 2024** in Keswick.

Doors open at **6:00pm**. Please bring a dish to share and a friend, too.

#### **Season of Advent**



Advent has a two-fold nature: It prepares us for Christmas, when we recall Christ's first coming among us, and it is also a time when

we look forward to His second coming at the end of the ages. Advent is a season of joyful expectation.

During Advent, each Sunday's Gospel reading has a specific focus. The Old Testament readings, especially those taken from Isaiah, are prophecies about the Messiah and messianic times. The selection from the writings of the Apostles present exhortations and instructions on different themes of this season. *Ordo* 

#### **First Advent**

Candle Name: The Prophecy Candle

The First Week of Advent Represents: Hope

Candle Colour: Purple

Purple is the primary colour associated with Advent. Within the Catholic Church, it symbolizes penance, preparation, and sacrifice. During the first week of Advent, we remember the Old Testament prophets who foretold of Jesus' coming with hope and anticipation.

#### Advent Confession December 18&19, 2024

A good way to prepare spiritually during Advent is through the **Sacrament of Reconciliation.** Confession allows us to ask for God's pardon and start anew. It brings peace to our hearts. Daily prayer is also important during Advent. We can set aside a few minutes each day to gather with family and pray, read the Bible, or say the Holy Rosary. These simple gestures help us grow closer to Jesus.

Our parish Confessions will be on: Sutton: Wednesday December 18 - 6:00pm-8:00pm Keswick: Thursday December 19 - 5:00pm-7:00pm



### <u>Christmas Vigil & Midnight Mass</u> <u>Schedule</u>

**December 24** Sutton 5:00pm

Keswick 8:00pm Keswick 11:45pm (11:15pm singing Carols)

**December 25** Sutton 11:00am

#### New Year's Mass Schedule

**December 31** Sutton 6:00pm (Adoration)

7:00pm Mass

January 1 Sutton 8:30am

Keswick 10:30am

#### Parish Library

We started a Parish Library at both Churches with a focus on children's books, DVDs, etc., although there are also some available for all ages. Books may be taken into the Church for the very young. All items may be loaned for home use. We have index cards to be filled out when parishioners loan an item. These are then placed in the locked wooden box, ensuring privacy. Please complete the top part of the index card indicating your phone number or e-mail address for easy reminders, calls or e-mails for overdue items. When returning, please complete a second card in the return section and place it again in the locked box. Please note: some DVDs are not mainstream and thus are not rated. These should be viewed by adults first before showing to children as some saint DVDs contain violence. We have tried to provide a rating if none is given, but it is an opinion only.



A sincere Thanks to Marie Craig who worked hard to start and organized our parish library in both churches.

#### Communication, Intimacy, Relationships



Build a joyful marriage by learning the tools of healthy communication. Retrouvaille, a Catholic-origin program, welcomes all couples to help get their relationships back

on track. Join us on **January 17-19, 2025 in Mississauga.** Call 437-234-5610 or visit torontoretrouvaille.com or helpourmarriage.org.

## Marriage Sunday 2025 - Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop Ivan Camilleri February 9, 2025 at 2:30pm

As part of Marriage Sunday 2025 celebrations, Bishop Ivan Camilleri will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2025. The Mass will take place at 2:30 pm on Sunday, February. 9, 2025 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto). All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. All are welcome to attend. Reserved seating is available for couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversary in 2025. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a firstcome, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass. Registration and other important information can be found at www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

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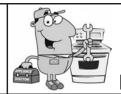


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