SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2007

- April 1st, 2007 **PASSION SUNDAY (PALM SUNDAY)** Masses Saturday 5:00, Sunday 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 noon.
- April 3rd, 2007 Chrism Mass St. Michael's Cathedral at 7:30 p.m. at which the oils are blessed by the Archbishop and priest renew their vows of ordination. For those who cannot attend, there is also an evening mass in our parish.
- April 5th, 2007 **HOLY THURSDAY** Confessions 6:30 7:30, Mass of the Lord's Supper at 8:00 p.m.
- April 6th, 2007 **GOOD FRIDAY** Confessions 10:00 10:45, Divine Mercy Novena at 11:00 a.m., The Lord's Passion at 12:00 noon and 3:00 p.m., Stations of the Cross at 7:30 p.m., Confessions after the stations.
- April 7th, 2007 **HOLY SATURDAY** Confessions 10:00 11:00 a.m., Divine Mercy Novena at 11:00 a.m., Confessions 4:00 – 5:00, Easter Vigil at 8:00 p.m.
- April 8th, 2007 **EASTER SUNDAY** 9:00, 10:30, and 12:00 noon; Divine Mercy Novena at 1:00 p.m.

April 14th, 2007 Lift Jesus Higher Rally 2007 from 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre. There will be confessions, Holy Mass and Divine Mercy devotions and uplifting music. Presenting will be Archbishop Thomas Collins, Fr. Benedict Groeschel, Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields and Peter Herbeck. There will be a concurrent Youth Event. For tickets call Camille (416) 497-0641.

April 21st, 2007 The Eucharistic Apostles of the Divine Mercy, Angus, Ontario Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy, Stockbridge, Massachusetts. Departure time, April 21 at 3:00 a.m. Meeting place from Angus - in front of Our Lady of Grace (no later than 2:30 a.m.) from Toronto - in front of St. Mary of DeLeuca (no later than 4:00 a.m.). Fee is \$200.00 per person (CDN funds). For more information call Fr. Joe Pena at 705-424-1551 or 416-559-5912, Susan De La Rosa at 647-239-9350. Deadline is February 28, 2007. Our Parish Prayer Group meet every Wednesday evening at 8:00 p.m. in the Church hall. They will pray for your intentions if you could write out your requests for particular intentions and place them in the box located near the statue of our patron, St. Thomas the Apostle.

> Volunteers needed to help Seniors in York Region through CHATS. Community Home Assistance to Seniors. Services such as transportation, telephone assistance, meals on wheels are provided. Call Christine McGregor at 905-713-3373 ext. 6051 if you can help.

Let us continue to pray for vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Visit <u>www.vocationstoronto.ca</u> or call Fr. Liborio Amaral at 416-968-0997. Speak to Fr. Andrews or contact Fr. Liborio.

New Beginnings is a support program for separated, divorced or widowed persons. Call 416-222-1101 ext. 107/258 for more information.

Stations of the Cross will be every Friday of Lent about 8:00 p.m. – following the evening mass.

Adults baptized as Catholics but never confirmed are invited to contact Fr. Andrews to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 13 or May 20 this year.

Knights of Columbus are selling their annual Car Raffle Tickets after masses until May.

Fr. Michael McGivney Alumni are invited to gather for the 15th Anniversary Celebrations. For more information check the Alumni Link at <u>http://fmmh.vedsb.ca</u> or call the school. Parishioners may donate shares to the Parish, ShareLife, Shepherds' Trust or St. Augustine's Seminary. In the recent Federal Budget the capital gains tax that would be payable on the sale of any publicly listed shares will be eliminated if these shares are donated to a registered charity. Call the parish office or the Office of Stewardship and Development (416)934-3400 ext. 561 for more information.