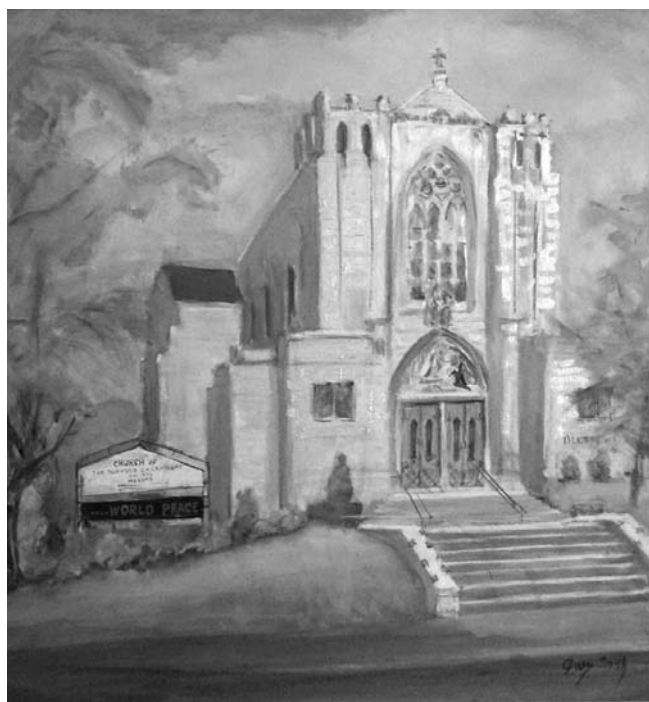


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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:30 am, 10:00 am & 11:30 am
(Children's Liturgy October – May 10:00 am Mass)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 8:30 am

Public Holiday Mass: 10:00 am

First Friday Adoration: 9:00 am Mass: 12 Noon

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm (Loretto Room)

Sunday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm (Loretto Room)

Registration forms for the parish and all sacraments, as well as mass cards and religious items, are available in the Loretto Room after all weekend Masses. We also have a DVD lending library.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

All Parishioners are encouraged to register in our community. Registration forms are available in the Loretto Room on the weekends.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Larry Marcille - Pastor

Fr. Joseph Nguyen – Associate Pastor

Paul McDonald - Deacon

Sr. Johanna D'Agostino, IBVM

Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM

Joanna Manturowicz – Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Rafal Bartosinski – Seminarian Intern

PASTORAL STAFF

Julie Brett - Office Administrator

Paul Honeyford - Property Manager

Agnes Ahn - Bookkeeper

Lumen Fernandes - Part-Time Reception

Juliet Lobo - Part-Time Reception

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday—3:45 pm—4:25 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism Request Forms are available in the Loretto Room.
Baptisms are on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Marriage Request Forms are available in the Loretto Room after Mass. The form must be completed one year in advance of the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If you need a priest to visit someone who is ill at home please call the office to notify the Parish Priests.

PARISH MINISTRIES

* Lectors

* Eucharistic Ministers

* Ministers of Hospitality

* Parish Women's Group

* Development & Peace

* Director of Music- Paul Jenkins 416-920-3341

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* Heart & Soul Choir (10am) Sarah Martin & Joan McGivney

* R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

* R.C.I.C. - Rite of Christian Initiation for Children

* Catechetical Program for Public & Private School Children

* Outreach Programs (Out of the Cold, Good Shepherd)

* Knights of Columbus (1388 Council)

* Eucharistic Marian Prayer Group - Mondays 5:30 pm

* Children's Liturgy (10 am - must register)

* Altar Servers

* Sacristans

* Marriage Preparation

* BSC Youth Group

* St. Vincent de Paul

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5th Sunday of Lent

Communion Reflection



Mercy...

The quality of mercy is not strain'd;
It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven upon the place
beneath.
It is twice blest:
it blesseth him that gives and him that takes.
'Tis mightiest in the mighty;
it becomes the throned monarch better than this crown.
It is enshrined in the hearts of kings.
It is an attribute of God himself.
And earthly power doth then show likest God's when mercy
seasons justice.
Therefore, though justice be thy plea, consider this – that in
the course of justice none of us should see salvation.
We do pray for mercy, and the same prayer doth teach us all
to render the deeds of mercy.

William Shakespeare

*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp
Burns for the intentions of
Joel Bangalan*

*St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Richard Demeter*

Masses of Intentions

Monday – Frank & Gertrude Olito + / John Simon +
Tuesday –Alanna Doria (INT) / Vanessa Ludlow +
Wednesday –Pierina Marra + / Alessandro Candeloro +
Thursday – Mario Bazzocchi + / Eugenio Pio Luigi Chianta +
Friday - Jean Cosentino + / Bill Henry + / Elsa Sydiogco +
Saturday- Intentions of all our parish volunteers

Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Rosemarie Chapeskie, Michael Chiarotto, Matteo Di Folco, George Hallan,
Paul Honeyford, Jim Matthews, Vince Pelletier

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Sacrament Dates

First Communion will be on Sunday, April 28, 2019 at 2:30 pm
Confirmation will be on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at 7:00 pm

First Reconciliation, First Communion Classes

Sunday 11:00-12:00 pm or Tuesday's 4:30-5:30 pm. Classes are held in the Parish Hall.
Sunday Class dates are: Apr. 7 & May 5. Tuesday Class dates are: Apr. 9 & May 7.

First Communion on Sunday, May 26, 2019 at 2:00 pm for the Sunday Class & 4:00 pm for the Tuesday Class

Confirmation Classes

Classes are Wednesday's 4:30 – 5:30 pm, Classes are held in the parish hall. Classes are: Apr. 10.

Confirmation Retreat date is Saturday, April 27, 2019 from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm.
Confirmation Rehearsal date is Monday, April 29, 2019 at 4:00 pm in the church.
Confirmation date is Wednesday, May 1, 2019 at 7:00 pm.
Students are required to attend all classes and the Confirmation Retreat.

Blessed Sacrament Card Group - Meet the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month in the Parish Hall from 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm. All are welcome; there is an elevator to assist you to the parish hall.

WOMENS Group – Next general meeting is on Monday, April 8th at 1:30 pm in the Loretto Room. Everyone is welcome. Next book Club is Thursday, May 2nd at 2:00 pm in the Loretto Room. Book is An American Tragedy by Theodore Dreiser.

Scripture : Isaiah 43.1116-21, Philippians 3.8-14, John 8.1-11

April 7, 2019

Love and speak the truth at all times. (Mary Ward)

Living the Gospel by supporting those with disabilities - Ben, a 66-year-old with a developmental disability, lives with his 90-year-old mother. Without any other family, she didn't have a plan to take care of him after she no longer was able to do so. She turned to Mary Centre, a ShareLife agency, which matched Ben with a respite worker. This worker gradually introduced Ben to residents of one of Mary Centre's group homes. Now that he has befriended its residents and staff, Ben will find the eventual transition less overwhelming. He has already developed a sense of belonging to his future community.

**Please give generously.
May 5 is ShareLife Sunday.**



EDGE — contact the parish office for more info. For grades 5 to 8. NEXT MEETING FRIDAY, APRIL 12th AT 7:00 PM IN THE PARISH HALL

National Volunteer Appreciation Week – April 7th – 13th - If you are one of the many who volunteer in one of our Ministries (Choir, Lector, Eucharist Minister, Sacristan, etc.) please join us so that we may say “thank you” for all you do for our parish community. **Please join us Saturday, April 13th at 9:30 am for Mass followed by a breakfast in our parish hall.**

Blessed Sacrament Parish Lenten Schedule

Stations of the Cross Fridays at 7:00 pm
& Saturday Morning Mass
at 9:30 am during Lent

Lenten Day of Confession

Thursday, April 11

9:00 am – 11:00 am & 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Between 11:00 am and 5:00 pm please come to
the parish office

Holy Week 2019

Palm Sunday, April 13/14- Blessed Palms will be
available at all Masses
Chrism Mass at St. Michaels Cathedral Basilica
Tuesday, April 16th at 11:00 am

Easter Monday, April 22nd Mass will be at 10:00 am.
Parish Office is Closed on Good Friday, April 19th
and Easter Monday, April 22nd



The Great Triduum

Holy Thursday, April 18th – Mass of the Lord's Supper
8:00 pm (No 8:30 am Mass)

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight
(prayer service at 11:45 pm)*

Good Friday, April 19th - Holy Liturgy:

11:00 am, 1:00 pm & 3:00 pm

Stations of the Cross: 7:00 pm

Holy Saturday, April 20th – Easter Vigil 8:00 pm
Easter Sunday, April 21st - Masses: 8:30 am, 10:00 am,
11:30 am & 1:00 pm

At our 1:00 pm Mass we will welcome our candidates
for Rite of Christian Initiation for Children
*During Lent, please remember the St. Vincent de Paul
poor boxes and the making of casseroles for the Good
Shepherd Refuge*

Parking On Weekends : We understand the challenge of finding parking on the weekends, but please DO NOT block our neighbour's driveways, it is illegal and hazardous. Please make sure when parking on the streets around the Church that there is room for emergency vehicles to get by. Toronto Police remind us that cars blocking or too close to corners can be ticketed and/or towed. The Toronto Police also remind parishioners that additional parking is available on Duplex Avenue, streets west of Duplex Avenue, Yonge street and streets east of Yonge Street .We appreciate your cooperation and remind you to obey all stated parking laws and to be mindful of those living adjacent to our church. Thank You - Father. Larry



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