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*Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929
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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

Sr. Johanna D'Agostino, IBVM

Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM

Joanna Manturowicz – Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Adam Pantaleo – 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
cpauljenkins@mac.com
- * 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

Archdiocese of Toronto - 416-934-0606

www.archtoronto.org

Blessed Sacrament School - 416-393-5226

Principal - Richard Walo

Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544

Catholic Family Services - www.cfstoronto.com

Vocations - www.vocationstoronto.ca

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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Communion Reflection

While I know myself as a creation of God,
I am also obligated to realize and remember
that everyone else and everything else are
also God's creation.

Maya Angelou

St. Joseph Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Henry Kitts

St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp
Burns for the intentions of
Msgr. Sam Bianco

Masses of Intentions

Monday – Eddrin Sequeira + / Sue McGrath +
Tuesday – Michael Roche + / Gertrude McMaster +
Wednesday – Deacon Paul McDonald + / Lillian Dolan (INT)
Thursday – Maria Tellis (INT) / Marlo Hencenbergs +
Friday – Allan Smart + / Cosimo Puseteri + / France John-Chuan + / Winston Sicat (INT) / Roseanne Simon +

Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Rosemarie Chapeskie, Joe & Rita Di Diodato, Matteo Di Folco,
Brenda McGuire, Mare Olito

Please call the parish office to have a name added to the sick list.

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Sacrament Dates
PARENTS MEETING- THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21 at the parish
First Communion at 7:00 pm & Confirmation at 7:30 pm
First Reconciliation will be on Wednesday, December 4th at 9:30 am
First Communion will be on Sunday, May 3, 2020 at 2:30 pm
Confirmation will be on Thursday, May 14, 2020 at 7:00 pm

Let's celebrate Sr. Johanna – There will be an afternoon tea on Saturday, November 30th from 2:00 – 4:00 pm. Drop by for a spot of tea with some light refreshments and to say farewell to Sr. Johanna. She is moving to Presentation Manor and will not be attending our parish on a weekly basis. She will be missed.

Blessed Sacrament Women's Knitting Group will be supporting the **CHURCHILL-HUDSON BAY** diocese. (New or gently used, all ages) Hats, scarves, vests, waterproof mitts, woolen socks, slippers, reflective tape for clothing. Postage donations are also welcome. Our collection boxes will be in the Loretto Room until December 1.

Next knitting group meeting IS Monday, November 18 at 1:30 pm in the Loretto Room

This is the Sunday of the Poor, which was created by Pope Francis in 2017. It is set aside to remind us of our works of charity to assist the poor in our community. As I announced last Sunday, the members of St. Vincent de Paul will speak at all our Masses about how we can assist those in our parish. I ask you to REMEMBER THE POOR BOXES. Fr. Larry

A Toronto Christmas Tradition – St. Michael's Choir School
Roy Thomson Hall, Sunday, December 9th at 3:00 pm For tickets call Roy Thomson Hall at 416-872-4255 or
www.roythomsonhall.com

Scripture : Malachi 4.1-2, 2 Thessalonians 3.7-12, Luke 21.5-19

November 17, 2019

So, in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. (Romans 12.5)

Catechetical Program

**Sacramental Preparation for First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation
for Children and Youth in Public and Private Schools.**

REGISTRATION IS CLOSED

First Reconciliation, First Communion Classes

Classes are Sunday's 9:00 – 10:00 am or Tuesday's 4:30-5:30 pm. Classes are held in the Parish Hall. Sunday Class dates are: ~~Oct. 6, Nov. 3,~~ Dec. 1, Jan. 12, Feb. 2, Mar. 1, Apr. 5 & May 3. Tuesday Class dates are: ~~Oct. 8, Nov. 5,~~ Dec. 3, Jan. 14, Feb. 4, Mar. 3, Apr. 7 & May 5.

First Reconciliation to be held at 10:00 am on Saturday, February 8, 2020

First Communion on Sunday, May 24, 2020 Times to be determined

Confirmation Classes

Classes are Sunday's 11:00 am – 12:30 pm or Wednesday's 4:30 – 6:00 pm, Classes are held in the parish hall. Sunday Class dates: ~~Oct. 6, Nov. 3,~~ Dec. 1, Jan. 12, Feb. 2, Mar. 1 & Apr. 5. Wednesday Class dates: ~~Oct. 9, Nov. 6,~~ Dec. 4, Jan. 15, Feb. 5, Mar. 4 & Apr. 8

Confirmation Retreat date is Saturday, April 25, 2020 - 10:30 am – 5:30 pm

Confirmation date is Wednesday, May 13, 2020 at 7:00 pm.

Students are required to attend all classes and the Confirmation Retreat.

The **Out of the Cold** dinner program serving a hot dinner to those in need in our community is sponsored by Glenview Presbyterian, St. Leonard's Anglican and Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. The program runs every Sunday from the first Sunday in November to last Sunday in March at the Glenview Presbyterian Church at 1 Glenview Avenue. The Blessed Sacrament Church is responsible for the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of each month. Volunteers are needed to prepare NUT FREE desserts that are easy to carry away like muffins, cookies, brownies, squares, etc. Desserts can be dropped off at Glenview Presbyterian Church on Sundays at 4pm during this period. In addition, donations for NEW socks, mittens, gloves, and undergarments are always welcome as well. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to this year's Out of the Cold leaders. 2nd Sunday: Sandra Girard and Nina Spinosa at ootc.secondsunday@gmail.com. 3rd Sunday: Ann Marie and Bill Rosenitsch at annmarieroz@gmail.com.

Saturday, December 7th there will be a meeting for all Altar Servers at 10:30 am – noon in the parish hall. Lunch will be served. Anyone wishing to be an Altar Server is also encouraged to attend

Banns for Ordination

Mr. Rafal Michal Bartosinski is to be ordained to the Diaconate for the Archdiocese of Toronto on **Sunday, November 24, 2019 at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Toronto.** Please remember him in your prayers. Canon Law obliges Catholics to reveal any impediment to Sacred Orders to the Bishop or Pastor.

Parking - We understand the difficulty of finding parking but please do not block our neighbours' driveways, it is illegal as well as a danger to the people in emergency situations. Please make sure when parking on the streets around the church that there is room for emergency vehicles to get by safely. The Toronto Police asked if parishioners would park on streets west of Duplex, on Yonge Street or Lawrence. Thanks, Fr. Larry



You are invited to the Ordination of

Rafal Michal Bartosinski
Our former Seminarian Intern

To the Transitional Diaconate

His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins
Will celebrate the Ordination Mass
**On Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 11:30 a.m.
At Blessed Sacrament**

Please join us for a reception immediately
Following the Ordination Mass
In the parish hall



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