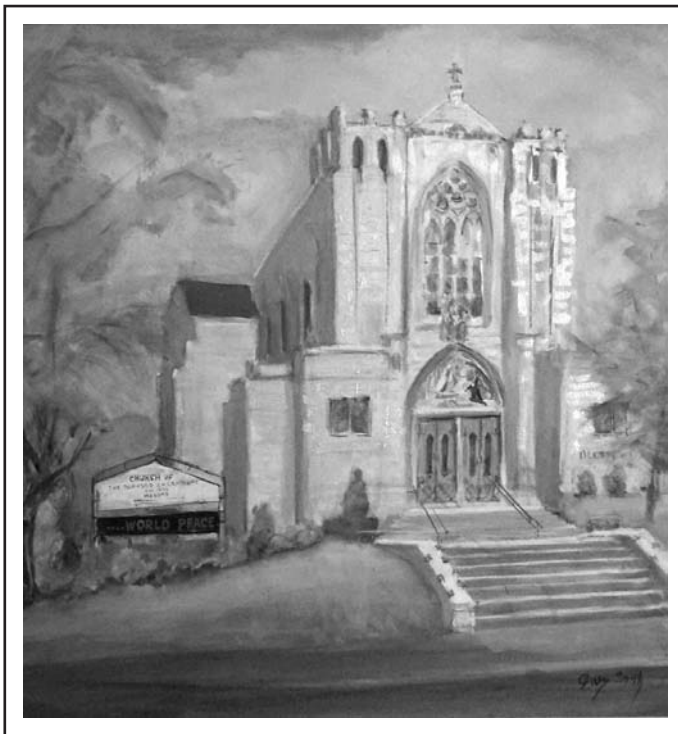


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SUNDAY MASSES

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. 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

Or call the parish office for an appointment

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
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- * 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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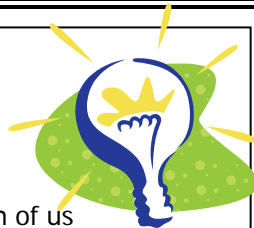
Vocations - www.vocationstoronto.ca

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Communion Reflection

Let your light shine.....



The most important thing about each of us is our capacity for goodness. We can be a source of light. We have the hands that can care, eyes that can see, ears that can hear, tongues that can speak, feet that can walk, and above all hearts that can love. Unfortunately, through laziness, selfishness, and cowardice, our light can be dimmed, so that we become shadows of the people we could be. Lord, help us to believe in our goodness, and to let the light of that goodness shine. On seeing the light others find their way, and you will be glorified.

*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Josephine Cosentino*

*St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Mario Addeo*

Masses of Intentions

Monday – Eileen Doran + / George MacDonald +
Tuesday – Mario Bazzocchi + / Eileen Doran +
Wednesday – Jean Gray + / David Bunbury +
Thursday – Byrne & Egerton Families + / Eileen Doran +
Friday – Anna Notarandrea + / Doreen Power (INT) / Dora Lo (INT) /
Fran McDonald (INT) / Josephine Cosentino +

Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Rosemarie Chapeskie, Michael Chiarotto, Joe & Rita Di Diodato,
Matteo Di Folco, Marcus Gibbons, Marlin Holroyde, Remington Holroyde,
Brenda McGuire, Mare Olito

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

Blessed Sacrament Card Group - Meet the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month in the Parish Hall from 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm. Our next gathering will be on Thursday, February 20th. All are welcome; there is an elevator to assist you to the parish hall.

“You are the light of the world.” Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, contact **Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto** at 416-968-0997.

email vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Jordan and Germany under the spiritual leadership of our own Fr. Joseph Nguyen. November 11 – 24, 2020. Cost (incl. all taxes and tips) \$4,790.00. Information brochures can be found in the Loretto Room, the parish office and at all the doors.

There will be no Childrens' Liturgy on Sunday, February 16th.

Office will be closed on Monday, February 17th for Family Day & Mass will be at 10:00 am.

EDGE Camp – August 23rd – 27th at Camp White Pine, Haliburton
Registration is now open. Please contact Joanna at bsccyouthministry@gmail.com
Registration forms will be handed out at our parent information session at 6:30 pm
before our regular EDGE meeting on Friday, February 21st in our parish hall at
7:00 pm.. Everyone in Grades 5 – 8 is welcome.

*Join Fr. Joseph and Adam for our Lenten Talks on Wednesdays, February 5th, 12th & 19th
in the Loretto Room from 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm EVERYONE IS WELCOME*

Women's Knitting Group - next meeting will be Monday, Feb. 24 at 1:30 in the Loretto Room. All are welcome!

Scripture : Isaiah 58.6-10, 1 Corinthians 2.1-5, Matthew 5.13-16

February 9, 2020

I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me.....will have the light of life. (John 8.12)

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Sacrament Dates

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

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.

Catholic School Students to begin in January

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
(includes attending 4:30 pm Mass)**

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.

Women's Group Retreat - A one day retreat will be held on Thursday, Feb. 13th beginning @ 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall. Our facilitator is Father Ante Market from St. Augustine's Seminary. The theme of the Retreat is Called to Life of Excellence, A Life of Virtue. The outline for the day is as follows: 9:00 am Refreshments, 9:30 Talk #1, 10:30 Adoration and Reconciliation, 11:30 Mass, 12:30 Lunch, 2pm Talk #2. Closing 3:00 pm. **All women in the parish are welcome to attend.** Light refreshments, tea and coffee, juice are provided at the breaks but we ask each of you to bring a sandwich for lunch. Please contact patriciatomev@rogers.com or 416 487-1295 if you wish to attend.

Blessed Sacrament Parish Lenten Schedule

Ash Wednesday, February 26th

Blessed Ashes to be distributed during the Masses:

8:30 AM, Noon, 1:00 PM (School Mass- *All are welcome*) & 7:00 PM

Stations of the Cross Fridays at 7:00 pm - During Lent beginning Friday, February 28th

Saturday Morning Mass at 9:00 am - During Lent beginning Saturday, February 29th

Our Lenten Parish Mission with Fr. Daniel begins the weekend of March 21st & 22nd. Monday, March 23rd - 7:00 pm Mass with extended Homily, Tuesday, March 24th - 7:00 pm Mass with extended Homily and Wednesday, March 25th 7:00 pm Liturgy and Confessions.

Everyone is welcome.



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