## BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

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Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929 Original painting by Gary Smith

#### **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 Deacon Bill Nalepka Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM Joanna Manturowicz – Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Tomasz (Tomek) Tylka – Seminarian Intern

PASTORAL STAFF

John Paul Costabile – Sacristan

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
- \* Altar Servers
- \* Sacristans
- \* Marriage Preparation \* BSC Youth Group
- \* St. Vincent de Paul
- Development & Peace \* Director of Music- Paul Jenkins 416-920-3341 cpaulienkins @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
- Catechetic 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)

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

Vatican - www.vatican.va

# Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Communion Reflection Prayer.....



'My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are my ways your ways. As high as the heavens are above the earth. no high are my ways above your ways, my thoughts above your thoughts,' says the Lord. How small our thoughts can be, and how poor our ways of seeing and judging. We think miserly thoughts, and act in miserly ways.

Because we have small minds and small hearts. Lord, open our minds and enlarge our hearts. so that we think more like you,

and act more like you. Let us not to begrudge your goodness to others, knowing that we too are undeserving of your favours, and stand more in need of your mercy than of your justice.

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

> St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp Burns in memory of John Paul Costabile

#### **Masses of Intentions**

Monday – Monica Kirwan + / Gloria Wilson (INT)

Tuesday - Allan Smart + / Kerry Hubata (INT)

Wednesday - Cosimo Puseteri + / Emilia McNally +

**Thursday** - Francisco Buning +/Loretta Thomas +

Friday - Fr. Henry Patrao +/ John Paul Costabile +

Saturday - 4:30 pm - Maria Kim +

Sunday - 8:30 am - For the people/ 10:00 am - Dorothy Murphy (INT)/ 11:30 am - For all Educators

#### Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Rosemarie Chapeskie, Matteo Di Folco, Mare Olito

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

Please continue to use the link below to connect to Eventbrite and book tickets for this upcoming weekend Masses at Blessed Sacrament Parish

https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/mass-tickets-109032444978

You need to book tickets for the WEEKEND Masses each week.

A candle for St. Joseph, the patron Saint of Canada and a candle for St. Luke, the patron Saint of Physicians will burn for those affected by the Covid-19 Virus and that they may be cured and a vaccine found. The candles are in the Sanctuary.

> First Reconciliation, First Communion Classes PLEASE WATCH OUR WEBSITE AND YOUR EMAIL FOR UPDATES **Confirmation Classes** PLEASE WATCH OUR WEBSITE AND YOUR EMAIL FOR UPDATES

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Sacrament Dates PLEASE WATCH OUR WEBSITE FOR UPDATES

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## September 20, 2020

Wherever the river flows, every sort of living creature that can multiply shall live. (Ezek 47.9a)

#### Parish Office - is open Wednesday and Thursday by appointment.

"Seek the Lord while he may be found..." While searching, listen; could it be that you are being called to serve as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

email vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

FOR SAFETY SAKE – If you are living alone, it is always helpful to have a friend who you will call each day, and if the friend doesn't hear from you, ask them to call and check on you.

THANK YOU! We cannot thank our volunteers enough during this difficult time of Pandemic. Returning to Mass has been not only stressful for those attending but also exhausting for our volunteers who have put in so much of their time and personal sacrifice. We could not do this without you and we pray that this unprecedented time will not go too far into the future. Your commitment and willingness to take personal risks is a sign of your generosity to respond to God's call to serve your neighbour and be your brother/sister's keeper. Thank you.

**NEW TO THE PARISH?** If you are new to our parish, please remember to register with us and let your old parish know that you have moved, so that they too can update their records. Registration forms and offertory envelopes are available at the parish office. **MOVING?** Please remember when you move to let us know so that we can update our files. Also, if you are new to our parish, please register with us and let your old parish know that you have moved so that they too can update their records

Sunday, October 4 - 2:00 - 3:00 pm - Life Chain is a peaceful and silent witness to the injustice of abortion and the harm it inflicts on women and the community at large. It is a simple but powerful reminder to our fellow citizens of the sanctity of human life and our duty to defend the weakest members of our society.

The very first Life Chain was held in 1987 in Yuba City, California and consisted of 2,500 people. The annual event grew by leaps and bounds in the following years, with Canada holding its first Life Chain in 1990, and almost 1,000,000 participating across North America in 1992. Last year, there were over 250 Life Chains in Canada and over 15,000 are estimated to have participated from coast to coast.

This year, we will be marking 30 years of Life Chain in Canada. Most Life Chains will be held on Sunday, October 4th. Our nearest Life Chain is Avenue Road and Wilson or Yonge and Eglinton. <a href="https://www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain">www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain</a>.

**The PAG Giving** — Parishioners have the option to give their offertory via the Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) program. With PAG, your offering is deducted automatically by direct debit from your bank account. PAG allows you to support your parish whey you are away. Most importantly, you are in control. You can increase or decrease your amount or withdraw from the PAG plan simply by dropping a signed note in the collection basket or at the Parish Office. If you want to sign up for the program registration forms can be picked up from the Loretto Room after any of the weekend Masses or we can email it to you from the Parish Office. Simply fill out the form, attach a void cheque and put in the collection basket. Should you have any questions call or email the parish office.

We have started using an email system called Flocknotes. Please email us with your email or fill out the form below and put in the collection baskets and we will get you added so that whenever we send out an email you are sure to get it.

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