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 - 10:00 am,

Benediction - 10:00 - 10:15 am

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. Visit website or call the parish office.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Larry Marcille - Pastor Deacon Bill Nalepka Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM Joanna Manturowicz - Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep. Mirko Ljuba – 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 Oliver Lovekin - Videographer/Admim Loretto Room June Rom-Roginski - Sacristan Maria Thomas - Sacristan

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 Priest.

* Altar Servers

* Edge Youth Group

* St. Vincent de Paul

* Sacristans

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
- 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

Baptism of the Lord



Communion Reflection

Sharing in the Lord's Ministry...

Lord Jesus, touch our eyes so that we may see the signs of your presence in our lives and in the world.

Touch our ears so that we may hear your word. Touch our tongues so that we may profess our faith.

Touch our hands so that we may give and receive. Touch our feet so that we may walk in your paths. Touch our minds so that we may understand your ways.

Touch our wills so that they may be in tune with your will.

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

Mass Intentions

Monday – Fr. Guenter Petricek +

Tuesday - Mario Bazzocchi +

Wednesday – Msgr. Ken Robitaille +

Thursday - Allan Smart +

Friday - John & Connie Orr (INT) / Nijmeh Family (INT)/ Ho Family (INT)/Chun Family (INT)/Honnor Family (INT)/ Marianne Sacher (INT)

Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Jen Blackmore-Cammaert, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli, Anne Cole, Margaret Coulter, Alan Crimi, Matteo Di Folco, Kenneth Field

Please call the parish office to have a name added (or removed) to the sick list.

You <u>MUST</u> use Eventbrite to book tickets for the <u>Weekend</u> Masses at Blessed Sacrament
You MUST book your seats at https://www.eventbrite.ca
Link is also on the home page of our website

www.blessedsacramenttoronto.ca

(please do not book a seat if you are not going to attend)

Our church is open for private prayer on Tuesday's from 9:00 am - noon, Wednesdays 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, Saturday's 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm and every first Friday from 9:00 am - Noon.

First Reconciliation. First Communion Classes

Classes are Tuesday's 4:30-5:30 pm. At this time ALL CLASSES WILL BE DONE VIRTUALLY pending direction from the Province and the Archdiocese. Tuesday Class dates: Dec. 7, Dec. 21, Jan. 4, Jan. 18, Feb. 8, Feb. 22, Mar. 8, Mar. 22, Apr. 5, Ap. 19, May 3, May 17

First Reconciliation – Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at 7:00 pm ***date change***

First Communion – Sunday, May 29, 2022

Confirmation Classes

Classes are Tuesday's 6:30-7:30 pm At this time ALL CLASSES WILL BE DONE VIRTUALLY pending direction from the province and the Archdiocese. Tuesday Class dates: Dec. 7, Dec. 21, Jan. 4, Jan. 18, Feb. 8, Feb. 22, Mar. 8, Mar. 22, Apr. 5, Ap. 19, May 3, May 17

Confirmation Retreat - Saturday, May 28, 2022 Confirmation date - Thursday, June 2, 2022

Students are required to participate in all classes and the Confirmation Retreat.

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Sacrament Dates

First Communion will be on Sunday, June 5, 2022 Confirmation will be on Thursday, June 9, 2022

January 9, 2022

And now why do you wait? Rise and be baptised and wash away your sins, calling his name! (Acts 22.16)

Reminders for parishioners - those feeling unwell should not attend Mass at this time.

Parishioners should not congregate in large groups before or after Mass.

Cardinal Collins has given dispensation to those not attending Mass.

Parish Office – is open Tuesday & Wednesday by appointment only. Reconciliation/Confession – Please call for an appointment during this Covid crisis.

Visit the Archdiocese of Toronto's website www.archtoronto.org where you can find a listing of parishes that livestream the Mass, including St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. The Daily Mass is also televised on **Salt+Light TV,EWTN and VisionTV among other locations.**

Our Mass is live-streamed at 8:30 am each Friday morning and on Saturday's at 4:30 pm. We post Mass each weekend to our YouTube channel. You can click the button below to view our YouTube channel and subscribe to it. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9WJE6kleV-eY7-8j-Qbag

GOOD SHEPHERD CENTRE – in need of Casseroles, recipes and pans are available at the bottom of the south stairs to the parish hall. Community volunteer hours will be given to grade 7 Confirmation students and high school students.

Parish Envelopes – Please pick up your 2022 parish envelopes at the back of the church. A big "THANK YOU" to all our parishioners and friends who support us by their generosity and presence. Free parish calendars are also available. If you would like to purchase a missal please go to the Loretto Room – they are \$5 each.

Sunday Evening Prayers: Each Sunday we pray Evening Prayer (Vespers) on Zoom. The meeting will be online at 6:45 to say hello and we finish by about 7:15. Each week Deacon Bill will send out a link via Flocknotes with the prayers and music. Please email/call the parish office to get on the email list.

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious. If He is contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca

Pray for all those we lost in 2021: Bill Rosenitsch, Koren Cooper, Mare Olito, Lisa Callaghan, Mary Anne McNeely, Paul Murphy, George Gies, Lorraine Arcand, Lorne Dubeau, Albis Rocco, Mary-Catherine O'Brien, James McBride, Philip Rossiter, Rosemary Seager, Roger Lee, Stan Korab, Shuwan Ahn, Delores Gouveia, Leonard Sward, Neil Gillis, Helmut Dassinger, Brenden Desveaus, Beatrice Heintzman, Paul Scanlon, Anna Lapinska, Dora Lo, Georgina Madott, Cheryl Harrison, Rita Debeau, Yvette Theriault, John Levantis, John Egan Jr., Ernesto Coletta, Luigi Cava, Walter Mueller, Theresa Galszechy, Ronald Quintalean, Luciano Loschiavo, Rosa Castrilli, Mary Grant, Ngoc-Khoi Hoang, Erhan Chan, Anna Rana, Will Desgagne, Patricia Fortin

Pray for all those who were baptised in 2021: Caleb-Jaxson Lugo, Georgia Davies-Cohen, Gregory Ehrensperger, Julian Lee, Emma Gomez, Olivia Campbell-Cotter, Elliot-James Lee, Quinn Pogson, Matias Lopez, Masai Morante, Charlotte Stoll, Henry Grossi, Thomas Grossi, Adelaide Kerr, Noelle Walker, Sophia Bastiampillai, Mason Mariani, Evalyn Wojtalski, Maria Gonima, Solenn Babaran, Nicholas Rao, Kimi Sakai, George Dallal, Deana Ramundi, Samuel Dempster, Davis Chisholm, Reid Chisholm, Bryce Chisholm, George Abenoja, Henry Colaiacovo, Nathan Boynton, Jordan Boynton, Cameron Martin, Felice Tolibao, Scarlett Armstrong, Cameron Leung, Olivia Leung, Samuel Torres-Gross, Caleb Kucia, Hayden Sarraino, Elijah Correia, Know Rice, Madelyn Madej, Chloe Alforte-Taculad, Madelyn Filimon, Matteo Mamic, Maitland Hudak, Liam Lawson, Sebastian Burgess, George New, Ernesto Wever, Remington Milnes, Cece Cavalluzzo



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