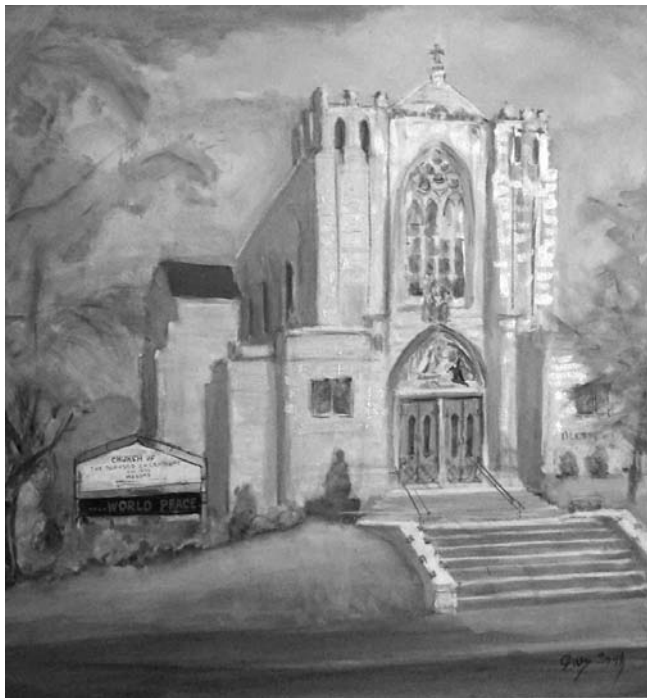


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*Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929  
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## SUNDAY MASSES

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 - 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.

## 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](mailto: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

\* Edge Youth Group

\* St. Vincent de Paul

Archdiocese of Toronto - 416-934-0606

[www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org)

Blessed Sacrament School - 416-393-5226

Principal - Richard Walo

Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544

Catholic Family Services - [www.cfstoronto.com](http://www.cfstoronto.com)

Vocations - [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

Vatican - [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va)

# 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Communion Reflection

The disciples remind us to live lives of astonished gratitude for all God has given to us. In the years to come, may we set aside our careful attention to our losses, and may we learn to be amazed with all that God has given to us.

*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp  
Burns for the intentions of  
All those suffering with Covid*

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*St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp  
Burns in memory of  
Msgr. Ken Robitaille*

### Mass Intentions

**Monday** – Fraser Kennedy + / Patrick John Kivlahan +

**Tuesday** - Jack Brett +

**Wednesday** – Ian Bain +

**Thursday** – Virginia Thalheimer (INT)

**Friday** - Mario Bazzocchi + / Paul Moroz +

### Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Jen Blackmore-Cammaert, Rosemarie Chapeski, 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 **MUST** use Eventbrite to book tickets for the Weekend 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](http://www.blessedsacramenttoronto.ca)

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

Take care.... If you are elderly and living alone, it is always helpful to have a friend who you can call on a daily basis to let them know you are well. Ask a friend to call you if he/she doesn't hear from you. Also, check into safety alert devices that are available on Amazon or at most drug stores.

### 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

Scripture : Isaiah 6.1-2a, 3-8, 1 Corinthians 15.1-11, Luke 5.1-11

February 6, 2022

*Strive first for the kingdom of heaven, and all that you need will be giving to you. (Matthew 6.33)*

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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](http://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>

**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.

Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to the ordained or consecrated life, do not be afraid. Jesus calls and will give you the grace to respond wholeheartedly. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

[www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

**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.**

**Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop Kasun, CSB – February 13, 2022 at 2:30 p.m.** As part of Marriage Sunday 2022 celebrations, Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2022. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 13 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto). Due to social distancing measures, cathedral attendance is limited to pre-registered couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries and a maximum of one (1) guest per celebrant couple. Registration is now open. Given the limited attendance at the cathedral, we encourage milestone celebrants to register early. Those who are not able to register may join the celebration via livestream Mass here: [www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live](http://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live). The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m.

**World Day of the Sick 2022** - The Universal Church will celebrate the Thirtieth World Day of the Sick on Friday, February 11. We especially remember and pray for all those who have suffered, and continue to suffer, the effects of the coronavirus pandemic. • Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the Thirtieth World Day of the Sick (<https://bit.ly/WDSPopesMessage2022>)

**Bereavement Support Group Virtual Sessions** - We are hosting a special bereavement support group series on Tuesdays, March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Grieving with Great HOPE is a Catholic faith-based program that consists of a five-week grief support workshop using a video on-demand format available on FORMED. It offers a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is grieving the loss of a loved one. Sr. Gabriel Mary Riddle, CPS, Pastoral Assistant at St. Peter's Parish, Toronto, will facilitate these sessions with the assistance of the seminarians from St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto. There is no cost to attend, but online registration is required. If you have parishioners who could benefit from this program, please encourage them to register at <https://bit.ly/BS-RegisterMar2022> by February 22, 2022.



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