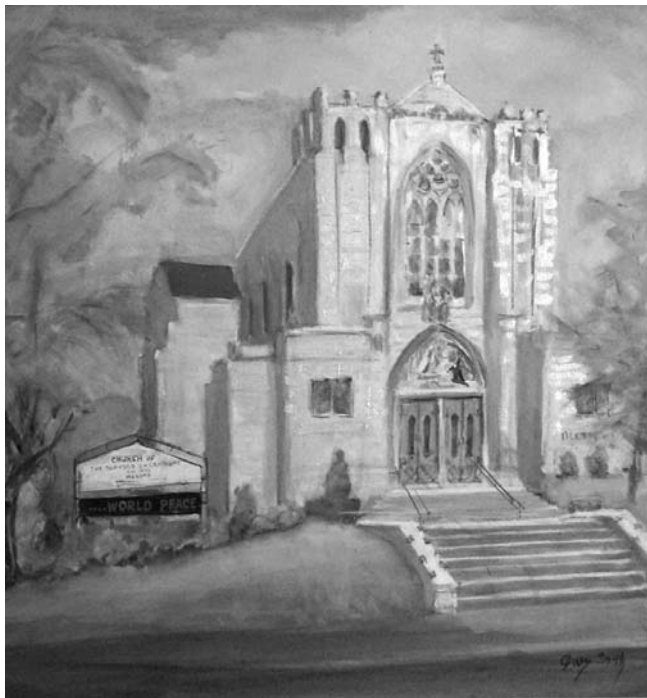


# BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

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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/Admin 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)

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent



## Communion Reflection

### What I fail to do...

It isn't the things you do; it's the things you leave undone which give you a little heartache at the setting of the sun.

The gentle word forgotten, the letter you didn't write; the flowers you might have sent, and your haunting ghosts tonight.

The stone you might have lifted out of your brother's way; the little heart-felt counsel you were hurried too much to say.

The tender touch of the hand, the gentle and kindly tone which we have not time or thought for, with troubles enough of our own.

*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp  
Burns in memory of  
Bill & Bob Henry*

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*St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp  
Burns the intentions of  
People of Ukraine*

### Mass Intentions

**Monday** – Rosa Testa + / Randy Mihalek +

**Tuesday** -Val Morris + / Ray & Barb Lecuyer +

**Wednesday** – Cosimo Pusateri + /

**Thursday** – Allan Smart + / Ray Robitaille +

**Friday** - Patrick Anderson + / Ted Ophelders + / John Ophelders +

### Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Jen Blackmore-Cammaert, Rosemarie Chapeski, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli,  
Margaret Coulter, Alan Crimi, Kenneth Field, Janet Knowles

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

### 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-27, Jan-4, Jan-18, Feb-8, Feb-22, Mar-8, Mar-22, Apr-5, Apr-19, May-3, May-17~~

**First Reconciliation – Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at 7:00 pm**  
**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-27, Jan-4, Jan-18, Feb-8, Feb-22, Mar-8, Mar-22, Apr-5, Apr-19, May-3, May-17~~

**Confirmation Retreat - Saturday, May 28, 2022**  
**Confirmation date – Thursday, June 2, 2022 – 7:00 pm**

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 – 7:00 pm

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. Please call the parish office if you would like a call.

### **St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday – THIS WEEKEND**

The truck will be parked in the back of the church before and after the Saturday Vigil Mass on 19 March, and Sunday Masses on 20 March. Please note: no electronics, no household goods, no furniture. If you miss this one there will be a truck at St. Monica's Parish on the weekend of April 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>

*Scripture : Exodus 3.1-8a, 13-15, 1 Corinthians 10.1-6, 10-12, Luke 13.1-9*

March 20, 2022

You who fear the Lord, hope for good things, for lasting joy and mercy. (*Sirach 2.9*)

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**Parish Office – is open Tuesday & Wednesday  
Loretto Room is open Sundays 9:15 am – 12:45 pm**

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, and Sunday at 11:30 during Lent. 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.

Lenten talk – Seminarian Intern Mirko will give a Lenten talk beginning at 6:15 before the Evening Prayer.

**Our church is open for private prayer on Tuesday's from 9:00 am – noon,  
Wednesdays 9:00 am – 4:00 pm, Saturday's 8:30 am – 5:30 pm (DURING Lent)  
and every first Friday from 9:00 am – Noon.**

**Blessed Sacrament Parish Lenten Schedule**

**Stations of the Cross Fridays at 7:00 pm - During Lent**

**Saturday morning Mass at 9:00 am – During Lent**

**Lenten Day of Confession – Wednesday, April 6<sup>th</sup> – 9:00 am – 12:00 pm & 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Our new email address is [blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org](mailto:blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org) and our new website is [blessedsacrament.archtoronto.org](http://blessedsacrament.archtoronto.org). Please join our "flocknote mailings" list. Email us and we will add you to the list.

**ALTAR SERVERS – if you were one of our very valued Altar Servers before the pandemic and would like to come back and serve at the weekend Masses please do so. If you were not an altar server and would like to be please approach Fr.**

**Larry or Mirko our seminarian. There will be a sign up sheet in the Loretto Room. Please fill out whether you are new or a current altar server. Or email the parish office at [blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org](mailto:blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org)**

The Lord is kind and merciful and calls us to proclaim His Name. Consider service in the priesthood or consecrated life. 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.

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