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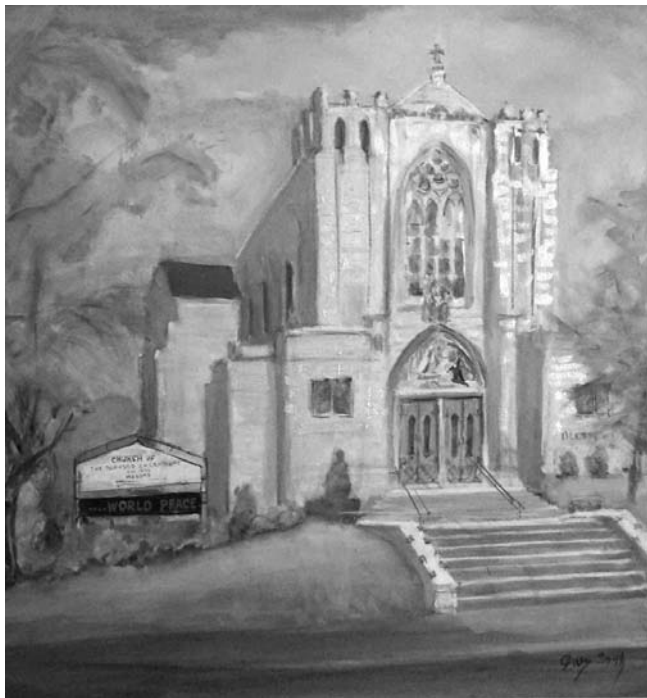
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Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929  
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## SUNDAY MASSES

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/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)

# Passion (Palm) Sunday

Palm Sunday is the first Day of Holy Week. It is when Christians remember how Jesus entered Jerusalem riding on a donkey. It is called Palm Sunday because the people were so happy to see Jesus and knew that he was very important, so they took branches from the Palm and Olive Trees that lined the road. They waved them in the air shouting 'Hosanna' (which means 'God Saves' in Hebrew) and put some of them on the road to make it easier for the donkey to walk on the rocky road.



*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp  
Burns in memory of  
Ines & Arierico Ardila*

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

## **Mass Intentions**

**Monday** – Antonia & Anna Rana + / Mario Bazzocchi +  
**Tuesday** -Robert Armstrong + / Isabele Burnes +  
**Wednesday** – Peter O'Rourke + / Fernando Fraga +  
**Thursday** – Holy Thursday  
**Friday** - Good Friday

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

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

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. 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**  
**First Communion – Sunday, May 29, 2022 – 2:00 pm**

## **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 – 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 – 2:00 pm  
Confirmation will be on Thursday, June 9, 2022 – 7:00 pm

## ***Blessed Sacrament Parish is in need of Volunteers***

We invite you to consider how you can better live out your role and your baptismal call by using your time and talent in serving as a Liturgical Minister in our parish in one (or more) of the following areas: Altar Server, Sacristan, Reader, Funeral Altar Server, Usher, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or as part of our 10:00 am Choir either as a singer or a musician. Please call or email the parish office (416-481-2256 – [blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org](mailto:blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org)). Please leave your name, phone number and the area you are interested in and someone will give you a call back.

**Scripture : Luke 19.28-40, Isaiah 50.4-7, Philippians 2.6-11, Luke 22.14 – 23.56**

April 10, 2022

Then my soul will rejoice in the LORD and delight in His salvation.. (Psalm 35.9)

**WOMEN'S KNITTING GROUP** - The women's knitting group will meet in the church hall on Wednesday, April 13 at 1:30 pm. New members are always welcome.

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.

**Our church will continue to be 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 are they who come in the Name of the Lord! Am I being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, religious brother or sister? If God is calling you 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)



### **The Great Triduum**

Holy Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> - Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm  
Collection for the Ukraine

(No 8:30 am Mass)

*Quiet time before the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight  
(Prayer service at 11:45 pm)*

Good Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup> - Holy Liturgy:  
11:00 am, 1:00 pm & 3:00 pm  
Stations of the Cross: 7:00 pm

Holy Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup> - Easter Vigil 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup> - Masses: 8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am & 1:00 pm

### **Holy Week 2022**

Palm Sunday, April 9/10- Blessed Palms will be available at all Masses  
Chrism Mass at  
St. Michaels Cathedral Basilica  
Tuesday, April 12<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am

Easter Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup> Mass will be at 10:00 am.  
Parish Office is Closed on Easter Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>

### **Live-Streaming**

Holy Thursday 7:30 pm, Good Friday 3:00 pm, Easter Vigil 7:30 pm & Easter Sunday 11:30 am

At our Easter Vigil we will welcome 4 candidates for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults  
At our 1:00 pm Mass we will welcome our candidates for Rite of Christian Initiation for Children

*During Lent, please remember the St. Vincent de Paul poor boxes and the making of casseroles for the Good Shepherd Refuge*

**Parish Office NEW HOURS as of Monday, April 4, 2022**  
**The parish office will be open Monday - Thursday from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm**  
**Friday's the parish office will be CLOSED**  
**Loretto Room Student office will be open**  
**Saturdays 4:00pm - 6:00 pm & Sundays 9:15 am - 12:45 pm**



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