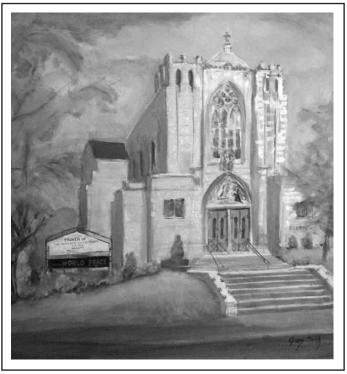
# BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

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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

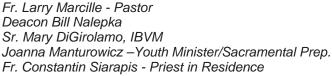
#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Friday - Closed Saturday - Loretto Room - 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Sunday - Loretto Room - 9:15 am - 12:45 pm 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



#### PASTORAL STAFF

Julie Brett - Office Administrator Paul Honeyford - Property Manager Agnes Ahn - Bookkeeper Lumen Fernandes - Part-Time Reception Aldrin Fernandes - Head Custodian Vicente Pereira - Part-time Custodian 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
- \* Altar Servers
- \* Sacristans
- \* Ministers of Hospitality
- \* Edge Youth Group \* St. Vincent de Paul
- \* Parish Women's Group
- \* Development & Peace
- \* Director of Music- Paul Jenkins 416-920-3341 cpauljenkins @mac.com
- \* 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)
- 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





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

**Communion Reflection** 

Being with Christ...



Jesus says: 'Whoever is not with me is against me; and whoever does not gather with me scatters'.

I sometimes feel that my life is like scrubland, halfway between garden and desert. I sometimes feel that I live in a world of twilight, halfway between day and night. I sometimes feel like lukewarm water, halfway between hot and cold. I sometimes feel that I am in a state of indifference halfway between love and hate. I sometimes feel I am trudging along a safe little path halfway between good and evil. Lord, save me from the illusion that because I am not against you, I am therefore for you. Above all, save me from being neutral. St. Joseph Vigil Lamp Burns in memory of Joseph & Lena Fabiano \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

> St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp Burns in memory of Frank & Gerrie Lysaght

#### Mass Intentions

Monday – Terrence J. O' Sullivan + / Gary Simon (INT) Tuesday – David Butler + / Traci Cairns + Wednesday – Sal Meilach + / Michael Turner + Thursday – Christopher & Adam Hawkins + / Margaret Ormand + Friday - Cosimo Pusateri + / Allan Smart + / Francisco Buning + / Lena Fabiano + / Queen Elizabeth +

#### <u>Please keep in your prayers the sick:</u>

Rosemarie Chapeski, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli, Sandi Clark, Margaret Coulter, Alan Crimi, Kenneth Field, Janet Knowles, Tom Voisey Please call the parish office to have a name added (or removed) to the sick list.

#### Catechism 2022/2023

#### REGISTRATION Wednesday, October 26 from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm & Saturday, October 29 from 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm In the Loretto Room

Please bring a copy of the child's baptism certificate and \$150 cash or cheque made out to Blessed Sacrament WATCH OUR WEBSITE & BULLETIN FOR FURTHER UPDATES Joanna Manturowicz is our Youth Minister/Sacramental Preparation Coordinator <u>bsscyouthministry@gmail.com</u>

Communion Classes – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 6 & 20, Jan. 10 & 24, Feb. 7 & 21, Mar. 7 & 21, Apr. 4 & 18, May 9 First Reconciliation Date and Ceremony Date to be confirmed

Confirmation Classes – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 7 & 21, Jan. 11 & 25, Feb. 8 & 22, Mar. 8 & 22, Apr. 5 & 19, May 10 Ceremony Date to be confirmed

The 11:30 am Solemn High Mass on Sunday morning will be the only live streaming Mass. The Friday morning Mass will continue to be livestreamed for the present time. God's Blessings on our Homebound Parishioners.

We post Mass each weekend to our YouTube channel. You can click the button below to view our YouTube channel and subscribe to it. <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9WJE6kleV-\_eY7-8j-Qbag</u>

**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.

Scripture : Amos 8.4-7, 1 Timothy 2.1-7, Luke 16.1-13

I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness. (John 8.12)

#### Our church is open for private prayer: Monday - Thursday from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm, Friday 8:00 am - 9:15 am (First Friday to 10:15 am), Saturday 10:00 am - 6:00 pm & Sunday 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

We cannot serve two masters. Which one are you willing to follow? Could it be you are being called to serve the Master as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

**Church Bulletin Advertising** – Liturgical Publication will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in October 2022 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422

A Memorial Exhibit on Her Late Majesty, Canada's Queen ELIZABETH II 1926 – 2022 will be open Friday, 16th September through Monday, 19th September, 2022 in our parish hall. It will be open after all the Masses this weekend. Please see our bulletin boards for the complete list of times. Everyone is welcome!

**SAVE THE DATE!** Join us at Blessed Trinity Parish, 3220 Bayview Ave. for 4 afternoons of learning and discernment and address themes such as understanding the dying process, decision-making at the end of life, accompaniment, and the importance of building compassionate communities on October 16, 23, 30, and November 6th from 1pm-3pm, in the Parish Hall.

On Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup> after the 10:00 am & 11:30 am Masses we will be having a Ministry Fair. Come learn about all the ministries at Blessed Sacrament. See if you would like to be involved.....could it be as a Minister of Hospitality, can you sing, do like working with children/teens????? Come see.....

- Lectors - Sacristans - Eucharistic Ministers - Minister of Hospitality

- Women's Group/Knitting Group - 11:30 am Choir / 10:00 am Choir

- Catechism/EDGE/Lifeteen - Bible Study - RCIA - Out of the Cold - SVDP

- Children's Liturgy - Altar Servers - Children's Liturgy - RCIC - Knights of Columbus

Representatives from each ministry will be present

Hello everyone, My name is Jesus (pronunciation Hey-Sous) Fidel Añon. I was born in Murcia, a city in the south of Spain. I am 25 years old, I was born on the 4th of December 1996. I am the second of two siblings, I have one older sister, and thanks to God my parents are still alive and married. They are practicing Catholics, and they passed on their faith to us. After I graduated high school I went to college and I finished my degree in Pathological Anatomy in 2016. That year, in a vocational meeting I started discerning my vocation for the priesthood and after a retreat in Italy I was sent to the Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary of Toronto, which is a diocesan missionary seminary. I have been studying for this diocese for 6 years, excluding one year in which after I finished my studies in philosophy God gave me the grace to stay one year in the Holy Land, serving the pilgrims and visiting the Holy Places. Now I have started my internship at Blessed Sacrament parish and I am excited to stay here serving this parish and share this year with all of you. Please pray for me.

