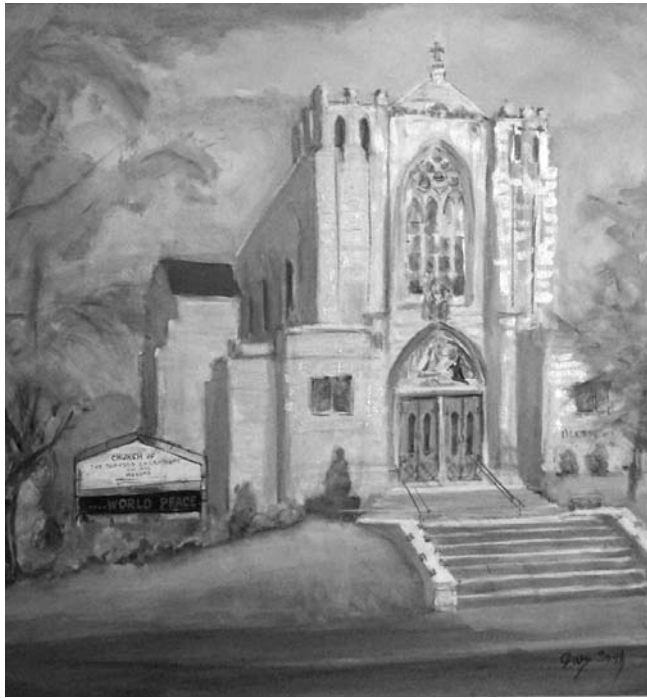


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*Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929  
Original painting by Gary Smith*

## 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

Fr. Larry Marcille - Pastor

Deacon Bill Nalepka

Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM

Joanna Manturowicz - Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Fr. Clement de Lima - Priest in Residence

Fr. Constantin Siarapis - Priest in Residence

## 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

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday—3:45 pm—4:25 pm

Or call the parish office for an appointment

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

8 weeks notice is required.

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 - Maria

\* Altar Servers

\* Eucharistic Ministers - Barb

\* Sacristans - June

\* Ministers of Hospitality - Garry

\* Edge Youth Group

\* Parish Women's Group

\* St. Vincent de Paul

\* Development & Peace

\* Director of Music- Paul Jenkins 416-920-3341

[cpauljenkins@mac.com](mailto:cpauljenkins@mac.com)

\* 10:00 am Choir - Charlie Min

\* 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)

\* Childrens Liturgy - Joanne

Archdiocese of Toronto - 416-934-0606

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

Blessed Sacrament School - 416-393-5226

Principal Riccardo Agostino Vice-Principal Rafal Balik

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)

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

## MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

(Numbers are in the blue hymnal unless indicated)

Organ prelude An Wasserflüssen Babylon BWV 653 J. S. Bach  
Entrance 135 At the name of Jesus  
Mass 543-548  
Psalm 25 missal **Lord, be mindful of your mercy.**  
Offertory 358 Turn back, O man  
Choir Mass: Super flumina Babylonis - Palestrina  
By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept,  
when we remembered thee, O Sion. As for our harps,  
we hanged them up upon the trees that are therein.  
[Psalm 137:1-2 (Vulgate)]  
Communion 174 Draw nigh and take the body of the Lord  
Choir Mass: This is my commandment - anon. English 16th c.  
Recessional 94 In the cross of Christ I glory  
Postlude Choral Alleluiaque No. 5 Charles Tournemire



*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp  
Burns for the intentions of  
Tomek & Anna Tylka*

*St. John Vigil Lamp  
Burns in memory of  
Ian Bain*

### Mass Intentions – October 2 – 8

**Monday**-Corrie Meulenstein (I), John Wilson (D)  
**Tuesday** – John & Sheila McGivney (D), Corwyn Ophelders (I)  
**Wednesday** –Joanne Korpan (D), David Bain (D)  
**Thursday** – Sr. Johanna (D), Deacon Paul (D)  
**Friday** – Mario & Milvia Bazzocchi (D),  
Ray Robitaille, (D)John & Helene Ophelders (D),  
Ted Ophelders (D)  
**Saturday** – 4:30 – Frank Cosentino (D)  
**Sunday** – 8:30 – For the People  
10:00- Jean Aslin (D)  
11:30- Kingsley Mahon (D)

### Please keep the sick in your prayers:

Rosemarie Chapeski, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli, Sandi Clark,  
Margaret Coulter, Alan Crimi, Charles Graham,  
Kenneth Field, Julie Jones, Sean McDermott,  
Emily Wright, Paula Tarantino, Robert Walford

*Please call the parish office to add or remove a name on the list.*

## Catechism 2023/2024

**Registration:** Saturday, November 4 - 2:00 pm – 4:30 pm & Wednesday, November 8 – 5:00 pm – 8:00 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  
Joanna Manturowicz is our Youth Minister/Sacramental Preparation Coordinator  
[jmanturowicz@archtoronto.org](mailto:jmanturowicz@archtoronto.org)

Communion Classes –Tuesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 12, Jan. 9 & 23, Feb. 13 & 27,  
Mar. 5 & 26, Apr. 9 & 23, May 14 & 28

First Reconciliation Date: Saturday, June 8 at 10:00 am  
Ceremony Date: Sunday, June 9 – 2:30 pm

Confirmation Classes –Wednesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 13, Jan. 10 & 24, Feb. 14 & 28, Mar. 6 & 27, Apr. 10 & 24,  
May 22

Retreat Date – Saturday, May 11 – 11:00 am – 5:30 pm (Mass at 4:30 pm)  
Ceremony Date: Sunday, May 26 2:30 pm

**Parent Meetings:** 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm  
*Workbooks for First Communion will be given out at the parent meeting.*  
Confirmation Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm

[Scripture : Ezekiel 18.25-28, Philippians 2.1-11, Matthew 21.28-32](#)

October 1, 2023

But the greatest gift is love. (1 Corinthians 13.13)

**FOOD DRIVE – Boxes will be located at the St. Joseph's altar for the next few weeks for the Good Shepherd Ministries Thanksgiving Food Drive.**

**September 30/October 1, 2023 Special Collection - Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation**

As part of our ongoing efforts towards healing and reconciliation, the Archdiocese of Toronto has made a commitment to provide funds in support of programs and initiatives that respond to the various needs that exist among Indigenous Peoples both locally and throughout the country.

The Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation fund is part of a national effort announced by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. To date, the fund has raised close to 40 percent of the \$30 million target as pledged by the Canadian bishops. The archdiocese will contribute \$6 million towards the national pledge. The collection on September 30/October 1 provides an opportunity for the faithful to contribute to this important initiative. For more information or to donate online please visit:  
[www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation](http://www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation) - thank you for your generosity!

**The 11:30 am Solemn High Mass on Sunday morning is live streamed each week. We will also stream First Friday Mass. God's Blessings on our Homebound Parishioners.**

We post Mass each weekend to our YouTube channel. You can view our YouTube channel and subscribe to it.  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9WJE6kleV-eY7-8j-Qbag>

**Tip Tap Pay** - we now have one for our votive candles. All our votive candles are \$2 each or \$6 for the Holy Family 3-day. You can tap for any candle at the Holy Family

**Knit for the North** - The knitting group will meet in the church basement on Wednesday, October 4 at 1:30pm. We are always pleased to welcome new members.

Our group donates much of our work to communities living in Northern Ontario while at the same time supporting the work of the St. Vincent de Paul Chapter here at Blessed Sacrament.

**Blessed Sacrament Parish is seeking a soprano section leader for the choir and soloist with sight reading skills and an appreciation for classical sacred music.**

Please contact music director Paul Jenkins  
[cpauljenkins@mac.com](mailto:cpauljenkins@mac.com)

**The ShareLife Campaign remains open until December 31, 2023!**

**We would appreciate your donation to our campaign. We are down by close to 50% from last year. We need your assistance!**

**Children's Liturgy** – Takes place on Sundays during the 10:00 am Mass beginning on Sunday, October 22. Registered children will be called to the front of the church at approximately 10:05 am and will be led downstairs for the liturgy activities. The children's liturgy is directed towards children from JK to grade 2. Please fill out a registration form in the Loretto Room. One form per child. We ask for a fee of \$20 to go towards the materials needed to run this program. Student and adult volunteers are needed, please contact the parish office.

***Praying the Holy Rosary - For the month of October the Rosary will be prayed before each of the Sunday Masses. If you would like to volunteer in leading the Rosary 20 minutes before the celebration of Mass please contact Margaret Esterhuizen at 416-483-5457.***

**DONATIONS FOR THE NORTH**

The Knitting Group is collecting NEW Wool Socks and Waterproof Gloves and Mitts and New or Gently Used Ski Jackets and Pants (all sizes) - MUST be Clean - to send to Northern Communities in the Moosonee-Hearst Diocese. Donations can be dropped off in the carton, which will be located in the church foyer, in the month of October. If you would like to make a financial contribution towards our shipping costs, please do so through the parish office.





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