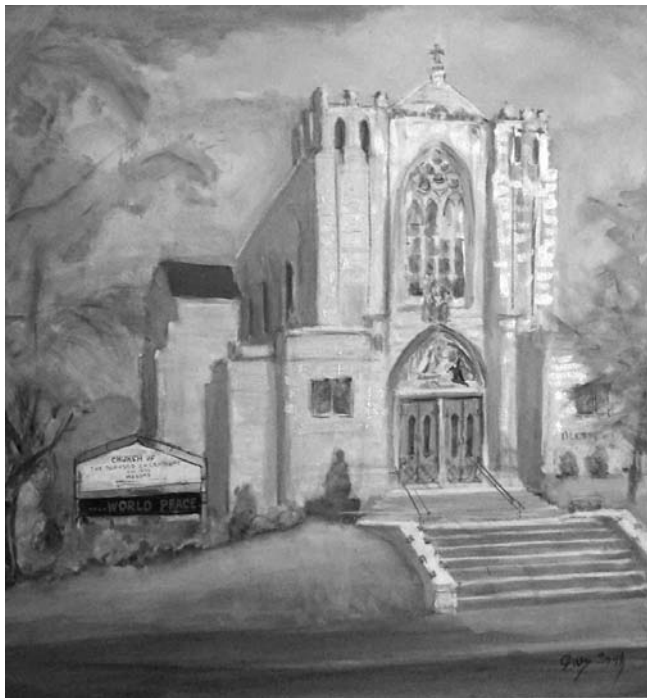


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Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929  
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## SUNDAY MASSES

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-Thursday: 8:00 - 4:00 pm

Closed for Lunch from 12:00 pm - 1:00 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

Fr. Prince Robert Michael - Associate Pastor

Deacon Bill Nalepka

Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM

Joanna Manturowicz - Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Fr. Constantin Siarapis - Priest in Residence

## PASTORAL STAFF

Myrna Hentrich - Office Administrator

Paul Honeyford - Property Manager

Agnes Ahn - Bookkeeper

Lumen Fernandes - Part-Time Reception

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

\* Knitting 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)

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

## MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Prelude: Voluntary, Z. 718 – Henry Purcell

Entrance hymn: 97 Lift high the cross

Mass Ordinary: 535-537, 539, 541, 542

Psalm 116 response: *I will walk, before the Lord in the land of the living.*

Offertory: 78i Take up thy cross, the Saviour said

Choir Mass: These are they which follow the lamb – John Goss

Communion: 292 The eternal gifts of Christ the king

Choir Mass: Venite comedite – William Byrd  
*Come and eat my bread and drink the wine which I have prepared for you.*

Proverbs 9:5

Concluding hymn: 413 Holy God, we praise Thy Name

Postlude: Chacony – Henry Purcell

*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp  
Henry Lui (D)*

*St. John Vigil Lamp  
Anna & Thomas Gow (INT)*

### Mass Intentions –September 16 – September 22

**Monday** – Grace Ferretto (D)

**Tuesday** – Fatima Hrienko (D)

**Wednesday** – Henry Lui (D)

**Thursday** – Elaine Glossop (D), Rodney Crown (D)

**Friday** – Miryt & Angelo Tambasco (INT)  
Thomas Martin (INT)

**Saturday** – 4:30 – Jeannette Frizelle (INT)

**Sunday** – 8:30 – Christopher & Adam Hawkins (D)

10:00 – Garrett Jacob Bean (D)

11:30 – Allan Smart (D)

### Please keep the sick in your prayers:

Rosemarie Chapeski, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli, Alicia Mathlin,

Alan Crimi, Maryann Grobin, Kenneth Field, Eric Seidel,

Julie Jones, Vida Lahajnar, Maria Martins,

Emily Wright, Paula Tarantino, Robert Walford, Crystal Pinero,

Uschi Von Skopczynski

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

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 15, 2024 "Who do people say that I am?" Who do you think Jesus is? The depth of our faith is rooted in our answer. Is God calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon? If you think you are being called to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416- 968-0997.

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

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## Catechism 2024/2025

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. 10, Jan. 7 & 21, Feb. 4 & 18, March 4 & 25, April 8 & 22, May 6 & 20

First Reconciliation Date: Saturday, May 31, 2025 at 10:00 am

First Communion Ceremony Date: Sunday, June 1, 2025 at 2:30 pm

**Confirmation Classes** –Wednesdays 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm – Dec. 11, Jan. 8 & 22, Feb. 5 & 19, Mar. 5 & 26, Apr. 9 & 23, May 7 & 21

**Retreat Date** – Saturday June 7, 2025 at 11:00 am – 5:30 pm (Mass at 4:30 pm)

Confirmation Ceremony Date: Sunday, June 8, 2025 at 2:30 pm

**Catechism Registration** will take place in the hall after each Mass on the following dates:

Saturday, October 19 & 26. Sunday, October 20 & 27. A parent must register their child.

We ask that you fill out the registration form, attach a *copy* of the Baptism certificate (even if they were baptized at Blessed Sacrament)

Administrative fee: \$150 paid by cash or cheque

*Scripture : (Isaiah 50.5-9), (James 2.14-18), (Mark 8.27-35)*

September 15, 2024

"May I never boast of anything except the Cross of the Lord, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world."

**Blessed Sacrament School  
Sacrament Dates 2025**

First Reconciliation: Thurs. May 22 @ 9:45am

First Communion: Sunday, May 25 @ 2:30pm

Confirmation Retreat: Wed. May 21 @ 9:00am

Confirmation: Thursday, May 29 @ 7:00 pm

If you are attending Blessed Sacrament Catholic School and would like to register for the Sacraments, please contact the school at 416-393-5226.

**Children's Liturgy**

We are happy to announce that beginning October 6<sup>th</sup>, our Children's Liturgy program will return after the summer break. This program runs for approximately 20 minutes during the 10am Mass and is open to school aged children (JK to Grade 6). Our aim is to present the Liturgy of the day in an age-oriented manner to foster a love and better understanding of the meaning of Jesus' teachings.

For more information, contact Joanne Whyte at: [jwhyte@archtoronto.org](mailto:jwhyte@archtoronto.org)

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Rite of Christian Initiation for Children (RCIC)

To register, please contact the parish office at [blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org](mailto:blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org)

The 11:30 am Solemn High Mass on Sunday morning is live streamed each week.

God's Blessings on our Homebound Parishioners.

We post Mass each weekend to our YouTube channel.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9WJE6kleV-eY7-8j-Qbag>

**Communion Reflection**

**Faith without works.....**A watch may have a gold chain, but if it doesn't tell time, it is useless.

A fruit tree may be teeming with blossoms, but if it doesn't produce fruit, it is useless.

A lamp may be studded with diamonds, but if it doesn't give light, it is worthless.

And a faith that doesn't result in good works is dead.

The fruit of prayer is faith.

The fruit of love is service.

And the fruit of service is peace.

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**It is with great joy that we welcome to our new Associate Pastor Fr. Prince Robert Michael!**

My name is Fr. Prince Robert Michael from the Diocese of Sultanpet, Palakkad, Kerala a Southern part of India. I was ordained on May 1, 2011, at St. Michael's Cathedral, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. In the past, I had been working as a Pastor at two parishes and as a Director of Social Work in my Diocese. I am so happy to be here as your associate pastor. I would be pleased to meet each and everyone of you. Please come and say hello to me after Mass, so that I can get to know you better. Fr. Prince.

**Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada: Supporting Bishops in Their Pastoral Mission Across the Country**

The collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place on 28-29 September 2024. This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the Bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying, and caring for the Church in Canada. We thank you in advance for your generosity and commitment.

**ShareLife: Answer the call to Compassion:** 100,000 people in Toronto are expected to turn to food charities for the first time in 2024. Through our parish's support, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto and a generous anonymous donor are committing \$750,000 to fund food banks and meal programs throughout the Archdiocese. Please help combat hunger at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate) or by giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your compassion.

**Knit for the North:** The knitting group meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month in the church hall. All knitters and crocheters are welcome, including beginners. We support the Moosonee/Hearst diocese and the SSVP Chapter.

**Mount Hope Cemetery plot for sale**

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