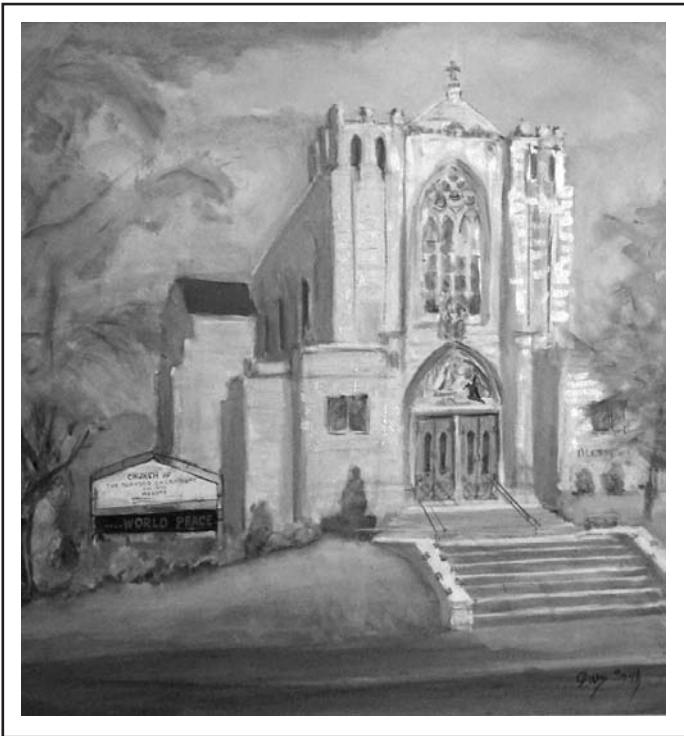


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SUNDAY MASSES

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

* 10:00 am Choir - Charlie Min - charles_min@hotmail.com

* 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

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Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544

Catholic Family Services - www.cfstoronto.com

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Vatican - www.vatican.va

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Organ Prelude: Fantasia cromatica, SwWV 258 - Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck

Entrance: 315 Come and sing to God our Saviour

Mass Ordinary: 575, 564A, 581, 583, 541, 592

Psalms 138 response: *Before the Angels I sing your praise, O God.*

Offertory: 440 Jesu, lover of my soul

Choir Mass: Perfice gressus meos - Samuel Webbe
O hold thou up my goings in thy paths: that my footsteps slip not.

Incline thine ear to me, and hearken unto my words.

Shew thy marvellous loving-kindness, thou that art the Saviour of them which put their trust in thee.

[Psalm 17:5, 6b, 7A]

Communion: 174 Draw nigh, and take the Body of the Lord

Choir Mass: Introibo ad altare Dei - Henricus Isaac
I will go in to the altar of God:

To God which maketh my youth joyful. [Psalm 43:4]

Recessional: 427 I heard the voice of Jesus say

Postlude: Variations on "Mein junges Leben hat ein End" SwWV 3 - Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck

PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Rosemarie Chapeski, Guiditta (Judy) Carolli, Alan Crimi, Mary-Anne Grobin, Kenneth Field, Eric Seidel, Julie Jones, Vida Lahajnar, Maria Martins, Emily Wright, Paula Tarantino, Robert Walford, Crystal Pinero, Lauren McDermott, Bonnie Brady, Anne-Marie Mullen, Tom Voisey, Deirdre MacLeod, Joe Cosentino, Timothy Rogers, Sister Mary, Lauren Diamambro.

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

Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to the ordained or consecrated life, do not be afraid. Jesus calls and will give you the grace to respond wholeheartedly. 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.

vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca

Dear Youth! If you are in Gr. 5-12 and are looking to have a relationship with JESUS, attend our NEXT YOUTH MEETING on Sunday, February 23rd after the 11:30 am Mass. There will be snacks, games, catechesis, small groups, and MORE! Bring a friend or two and don't miss this opportunity to grow in faith, community and relationship with our LORD! See you there 😊 Joanna

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>

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

(ISAIAH 6.1-2A, 3-8), (1 CORINTHIANS 15.1-11), (LUKE 5.1-11)

VIGIL LAMPS

St. Joseph Vigil	St. John Vigil Lamp
Elspeth Jukes (INT)	Luke Calberry (INT)

MASS INTENTIONS – February 10th – 16th

Mon. 10	8:30 am – Lori Lawson (D) Phillip Thomas (D)
Tues. 11	8:30 am – Frank Lawson (D) Mario & Milvia Bazzocchi (D)
Wed. 12	8:30 am – Yvette Rowledge (D) Julia Michaela Byrne (D)
Thurs. 13	8:30 am – Mary-Anne Grobin (INT)
Fri. 14	8 :30 am –Anna Notarandrea (D) Emil Augier (D)
Sat. 15	
4:30 PM	Joan Yim (D)
Sun. 16	
8:30 AM	For the People (INT) Angela Gallacher (D)
10:00 AM	Michael Chiarotto (D)
11:30 AM	Quiteria Maia (D), Claude Marchand (D)



Opening Jubilee Year Masses in the Central Region of the Archdiocese of Toronto

- St. Paul's Basilica (83 Power Street)
Wednesday, Feb. 12 @ 7:00 pm
Celebrated by Bishop Robert Kasun
- St. Mary's Church (588 Adelaide Street)
Thursday, Feb. 20 @ 7:00 pm
Celebrated by Bishop Robert Kasun
- St. Edward the Confessor Church (75 Churchill Ave.)
Tuesday, Feb. 25 @ 7:00 pm
Celebrated by Cardinal Frank Leo

Confessions will be held from 5:30 pm to 6:45 pm.

February 9, 2025

“Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make you fishers of people.” (Matthew 4.19)

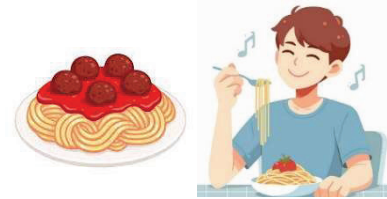
February 8th - International day for prayer and awareness for the victims of human trafficking

Josephine Bakhita, born in Sudan in 1869, was kidnapped at the age of 7-8 years, as was her sister two years before. She lived as a slave, being sold over a dozen times. She was a victim of human trafficking, working in the homes of wealthy families' houses.

“The chains are too tight, loosen them a little, please!” St. Josephine Bakhita

Prayer for St. Josephine Bakhita - You were kidnapped and enslaved from the time you were a little girl of just 7 years old. Intercede for the children who, like you, suffer the pain of slavery. Free them from this terrible suffering and allow them to reunite with their families. You were enslaved in the service of many influential people, and you had no rights. Intercede for the victims of human trafficking and labour exploitation so that their captors free them and that human trafficking and exploitation be eliminated from the face of the Earth. You were traded and sold to many masters in your life, you suffered torture, you were tattooed all over your body, your skin was cut dozens of times, and your wounds were sprinkled with salt. You were on the verge of death so many times. Intercede for the victims of torture so that they may be freed and heal their bodies and souls in the love of the Almighty. Please stop this brutal practice. You had a life filled with pain, suffering and slavery, but you chose to have an open and joyful heart and to follow the truth of Jesus Christ. Help us to be sensitive to the suffering and pain of others, to understand that slavery is an evil that continues to plague humanity and that it requires our commitment as faithful followers of God's love and Christ's example to work for justice in the world, to end human trafficking and exploitation and to support survivors of such terrible evils. **Amen!**

Dear parishioners, on behalf of Blessed Sacrament Parish, Fr. Prince and myself, I wanted to take a moment to our deepest gratitude for your gift card donations for the Sr. Johanna Memorial Angel tree. Your support is an invaluable contribution to our mission of spreading love, compassion, and hope. The donations will be split evenly between St. Francis Table and the Good Shepherd Ministries. We have collected a total of \$7360.00 in gift cards and \$816.20 in cash. Thank you, your generosity has touched our hearts!



Our Annual Pasta Dinner will be held on Saturday, March 1st immediately after the 4:30 pm Mass in the parish hall. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$15 for children 12 and under. Tickets can be purchased at the door, the parish office or in the Loretto room after Mass. We are also looking for door prizes. Thank you!

Catechism 2024/2025

Joanna Manturowicz is our Youth Minister/Sacramental Preparation Coordinator
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, 2025

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 has already taken place. Please come to the parish office to register your child. Only a parent can 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.

BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL

2025 SACRAMENT DATES

First Reconciliation: Thursday May 22, 9:45 AM.

First Communion: Sunday May 25, 2:30 PM.


Confirmation Retreat: Wednesday May 21, 2:30PM

Confirmation: Thursday May 29 7:00 PM

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