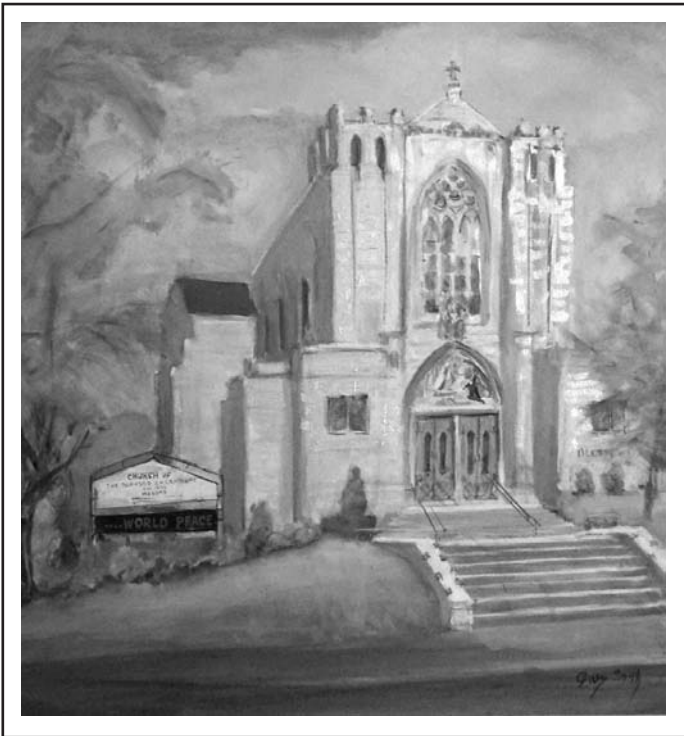


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SUNDAY MASSES

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

Available after all weekend Masses are parish registration forms, Sacraments registration forms, Mass cards, religious items, as well as offertory envelopes.

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

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Vocations - www.vocationstoronto.ca

Vatican - www.vatican.va

3rd Sunday of Lent

MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Entrance: 86, O Sun of Justice

Mass Ordinary: 499, 501, 502, 503, 504

Psalm 103, response: The Lord is merciful and gracious.

Offertory: 80, Forgive our sins as we forgive

Choir Mass: *Farrant, Hide Not Thou Thy Face*

Communion: 174, Draw Nigh and Take

Choir Mass: *Sicut Cervus, Palestrina*

Like as the hart desireth the waterbrooks O Lord, so longeth my soul after thee O God.

Recessional: 72, The Glory of These Forty Days

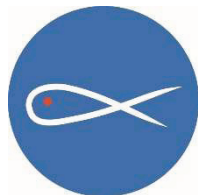
PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

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

The Lord is kind and merciful and calls us to proclaim His Name. Consider service in the priesthood or consecrated life. 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



The Saint Vincent de Paul Bundle weekend will be held on Saturday, March 22nd and Sunday, March 23rd. All donations are to be dropped off in the church parking lot. **We accept** all clothing, footwear, bedding, drapery, towels, and toys. **We do not accept** baby items, construction material, dishes, furniture, books, videos, and audio cassettes.

Thank you!

LEGACY 2026 - 100 Year Anniversary

Next year, we will celebrate the 100th anniversary of Blessed Sacrament Parish. Exciting plans are in the works! **Save the date.... Blessed Sacrament 100th Anniversary Gala will take place on April 25, 2026.**

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

(EXODUS 3.1-8A, 13-15), (1 CORINTHIANS 10.1-6, 10-12),
(LUKE 13.1-9)

VIGIL LAMPS

St. Joseph Vigil	St. John Vigil Lamp
Henry Lui (D)	Fr. Frank Carpinelli (I)

MASS INTENTIONS – March 24th – March 30th

Mon. 24	8:30 am – Linda Langero (D)
Tues. 25	8:30 am – Henry Lui (D)
Wed. 26	8:30 am – Joao Maia (D)
Thurs. 27	8:30 am – Nelly & Magdi Ayasha (D) Gord Barter (D)
Fri. 28	8 :30 am – Grace & Patrick Byrne (I)
Sat. 29	
9:00 AM	Joseph Sebeh (I)
4:30 PM	Marcus Gibbons (D), Joanne Bruno (D)
Sun. 30	
8:30 AM	The Zadoyan Family (D)
10:00 AM	Members of the Culotta Family (D)
11:30 AM	Mass for the people of the parish (I)

Save the date: A Day with Mary

On Saturday, May 31, the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a new archdiocesan event called "A Day with Mary" will be taking place at Villanova College in King City. We will gather together from all corners of the archdiocese to participate in Mass, pray the Rosary, and grow deeper in our devotion to Our Lady. There will be music and fellowship, and we hope you will consider joining the Cardinal Archbishop and so many others who love the Blessed Mother. More information will follow in the coming weeks. Mary Mother of the Church, pray for us!

March 23, 2025

“Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand. Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! (Matthew 4.17)

The Jubilee of People with Disabilities 2025

The Jubilee of People with Disabilities will take place on April 28th and 29th as part of the Holy year celebration. It is a moment to reaffirm that every person has a place in the church not despite their differences, but because of them. Pope Francis who has been using a wheelchair since 2022, due to knee pain, has consistently emphasized the importance of recognizing the immense value that people with disabilities bring to the church. Pope Francis told us that all people with disabilities have an obligation to be evangelists, going out and evangelizing other people. He is teaching us that a person with a disability no longer is a person to be helped, but a person who has to go out and help others and evangelize others. The two-day event will include a passage through the Holy Door, prayers, and a special encounter with the Holy Father. See Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aBEZMGpl4iw>

Wednesday, March 26th, April 2nd & April 9th at 7:00 pm. Fr. Frank Carpinelli will be celebrating Mass, followed by a reflection from the Gospel of St. Luke on The Passion of Christ. All are welcome!

Jubilee 2025 Parish Lenten Mission:
March 29th-April 1st

Journeying Together in Hope and Reconciliation. Archbishop Terrence Prendergast will be here speaking at the LORD’S DAY Masses on March 29-30. The topic will be: Being a Disciple of Jesus Today.
. On **Monday, March 31 at 7:00 pm**: he will speak on “Dilexit Nos” Pope Francis’ Encyclical on the Love of the Heart of Christ.
. On **Tuesday, April 1 at 7:00 pm**: Making a good Lenten Confession & Consecration of Families to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Blessed Sacrament Lenten Schedule

Saturday morning Mass at 9:00 am.
Dates: March 8, March 15, March 22, March 29, April 5 and April 12.

Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7:00 pm
Dates: March 7, March 14, March 21, March 28, April 4, April 11 and April 18.

Lenten Day of Confessions: Tuesday, April 8th
9:00 am to 12:00 pm and from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm
The Holy Week schedule will be coming soon.

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

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

Dear Youth! If you are in Gr. 5-12 and are looking to have a relationship with JESUS, attend our **NEXT YOUTH MEETINGS on Sundays, April 6th, May 4th, June 1st and June 22nd** 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

ShareLife Campaign 2025: Our first ShareLife Sunday collection will be on March 30th. Through your support of ShareLife, you extend the hands of Christ to those in need: the poor, the vulnerable, and the marginalized in our community. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. Thank you for living the Gospel through your compassion!



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