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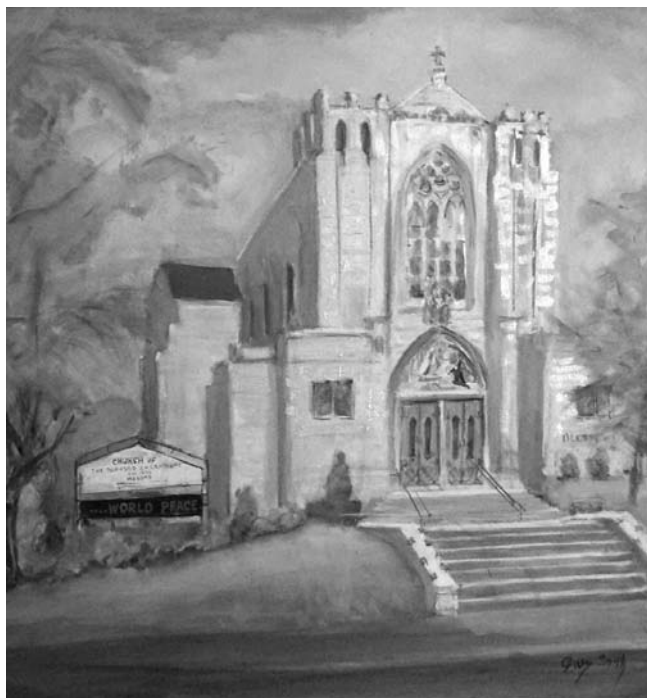
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SUNDAY MASSES

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 of the month – Adoration and
Benediction following 8:30 Mass

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 8:00 - 4:00 pm

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

Friday - Closed

The Loretto room is open before and after weekend
Masses - for Mass cards and religious items.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

All parishioners are encouraged to register in our
community. Registration forms are available at the
parish office or in the Loretto Room on the weekends.
Visit our website or call the office.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Larry Marcille - Pastor

Fr. Cyril Balaba - Priest in residence

Deacon Bill Nalepka

Joanna Manturowicz - Youth Minister/ Sacramental Preparation

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

Eight weeks notice is required. Contact the parish office to
register your child.

Baptisms are on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish office, 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

Director of Music - Peter Mahon

Organist - Surinder Mundra

10:00 am Choir - Charlie Min

Baptisms - Joanna

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

Weekday Lectors

Weekend Lectors

Eucharistic Ministers

Ministers of Hospitality

Knitting Group

Sacristans

Altar Servers

St. Vincent de Paul

Edge Youth Group

Children's Liturgy

Young Adult Youth Group:

Outreach Programs (Out of the Cold, Good Shepherd)

Knights of Columbus (1388 Council)

Archdiocese of Toronto - 416-934-0606

www.archtoronto.org

Blessed Sacrament School - 416-393-5226

Principal Katherine Banfield Vice-Principal Rebecca Rego

Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544

Catholic Family Services - www.cfstoronto.com

Vocations - www.vocationstoronto.ca

Vatican - www.vatican.va

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Opening Hymn: 98i Praise To The Holiest in The Height

Mass Ordinary: 563, 564b, 566, 567, 569, 570, 571

Responsorial Psalm 802 Response: *Do not forget, do not forget the works of the Lord.*

Gospel Acclamation: 815

Offertory Hymn: 94 In the Cross of Christ I glory (sung to Cross of Jesus, 93)

Communion Hymn: 95 O Cross of Christ (omit vs. 4A. Sing 4B)

Concluding Hymn: 97 Lift High The Cross (vv. 1,2,3)

PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Rose Marie Chapeski, Guiditta Carolli, Alan Crimi, Mary-Anne Grobin, Kenneth Field, Eric Seidel, Maria Martins, Emily Wright, Paula Tarantino, Robert Walford, Crystal Pinero, Deirdre MacLeod, Sister Mary, Lauren Diamambro, Franco Graça, Dorothy Khorshed, Madalena Martins, Inge Hentrich.

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

Vocations: God is the Father with the open arms. Who will preach this Good News of reconciliation? Consider service as a priest, deacon, brother, or sister. 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

IF YOU ARE NEW TO THE PARISH ~ WELCOME!

Contact the parish office or go to the Loretto room before or after weekend Masses to fill out a "New Parishioner Registration Form"

Booking Mass Intentions

If you would like to book a Mass intention, St. Joseph's Vigil Lamp or St. John's Vigil Lamp, please contact the parish office at 416-481-2256 or by email at blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org. Mass intentions can also be booked in the Loretto Room during the weekend Masses. Payment is \$20 per Mass and can be made by cash or cheque.

Offertory envelopes

If you would like to be an envelope user and receive a tax receipt for your donations, please come to the parish office or to the Loretto room on weekends, and ask for donor envelopes. Thank you.

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/@BlessedSacramentToronto>

A warm welcome to our Sunday liturgies, Sunday Seminarian Michael Berlinriga!

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

(NUMBERS 21.4-9), (PHILIPPIANS 2.6-11)

(JOHN 3.13-17)

VIGIL LAMPS

St. Joseph Vigil Lamp	St. John Vigil Lamp
Henry Lui (D)	Emily Hunger (D)

MASS INTENTIONS – September 15th to 21st

Monday 15	8:30 am – Hilda Ipekian (D) Berjouhi Berberian (D)
Tuesday 16	8:30 am – Thomas Moroz (D) Paul Moroz (D)
Wed. 17	8:30 am – Fatima Hrienko (D) Joan Foy (D), Special Intention (I)
Thurs. 18	8:30 am – Henry Lui (D) Elaine Glossop (D), Rodney Crown (D)
Friday 19	8:30 am – The People of Gaza (I)
Sat. 20	4:30 pm – Paul Jenkins (D) The People of the parish (I)
Sunday 21	8:30 am – Joan Foy (D), The People of Gaza (I) 10:00 am – Michael Chiarotto (D) 11:30 am – Lochaln O'Leary (D) Maria Barbuti (D)

Donate with PAG – Pre-Authorized Giving Plan Advantages for the donor:

- Convenience, your offering is received automatically every month. Continual support of your parish when you are away.

Advantages for the parish:

- Regular, dependable flow of contributions to the parish finances. Reduction of paperwork.

This is how you enrol:

- Decide on the amount of your gift to the parish to be withdrawn from your bank account
- Fill out the PAG form which can be picked up from the parish office or the Loretto room and attach a void cheque.

September 14, 2025

“We adore you, O Christ, and we praise you, because by your Cross you have redeemed the world.”

Communion Reflection

New Saints Carlo Acutis & Pier Giorgio Frassati

Saint Pier Giorgio Frassati was born on April 6, 1901, in Turin and died there on July 4, 1925, of polio at the age of 24. He is the patron saint of youth, young adults, athletes, students, and mountaineers. He was called “Man of the Beatitudes” by Saint John Paul II for his exemplary work of bringing comfort and happiness to those who were poor, suffering, meek, hungry, thirsty, and in need of mercy.

Saint Carlo Acutis was born to Italian parents May 3, 1991, in London and died in Monza, Italy Oct. 12, 2006, of leukemia at the age of 15. He was known for his devotion to the Eucharist and his use of digital media to promote Catholic devotion. He has been referred to as the “patron saint of the Internet”, “God’s Influencer” and the “first millennial saint”. The Vatican said Carlo has performed two miracles since his death, the first involving the healing of a Brazilian child suffering from a pancreatic malformation, the second involving the recovery of a Costa Rican student injured in an accident.

Frassati and Acutis both had a deep devotion to the Eucharist and went to Mass every day. They were canonized by Pope Leo XIV on September 7, 2025

Saint Carolo Acutis and Saint Pier Giorgio Frassati - Pray for us!

Confirmation, Saint Project - We invite all youth who went through Confirmation in the last 5 years to pick up their Saint Project from the Parish Hall on Sunday, September 14th. If the projects are not picked up, they will be discarded or given away.

Thank you and God Bless! Joanna

Volunteers needed – If there are any current or retired teachers who would like to teach First Communion or Confirmation or any Grade 11-12/young adults who would like to volunteer, please contact Joanna, our Sacramental Coordinator at JManturowicz@archtoronto.org.

New at Blessed Sacrament Parish

A Young Adult Youth Group ages 19 – 35 years

Come and join other participants to our new “Young Adult Youth Group” meetings. They will be held in the Loretto room at 12:45 p.m. (right after the 11:30 a.m. Mass). All are welcome!

Collection for the “Needs of the Church is on Sep. 28th

LEGACY 2026 -100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Blessed Sacrament Parish a Century of Faith

Please join us for an evening of celebration!
Saturday April 25, 2026 at the Historic Guild Inn Estate

201 Guildwood Parkway Scarborough, Ontario
6pm Cocktails and Hors D’oeuvres followed by a 3 Course Dinner with Open Bar.

There will be a Live Auction and dancing to follow. Tickets are now available in the Loretto room and at the Parish office.

Come and Celebrate with us! You don’t want to miss this!

Registration for First Communion and Confirmation: 2025-2026

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

Saturday, Oct. 18 & 25. Sunday, Oct. 19 & 26.

We ask that parents fill out the registration form and attach a **copy** of your child’s Baptism certificate. There will be an Administrative fee of \$150, to be paid by cash or cheque. Thank you!

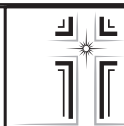
RCIA - Blessed Sacrament’s Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults program (RCIA) begins after Thanksgiving on October 20th. Classes are held every Monday evening from 7 pm to 8:30 pm in the Loretto room. The program is for adults seeking to enter the Catholic Church, as well as for those who are Baptized but have not received any other Sacraments. For registration, please contact the parish office, blessedsacrament@archtoronto.org

Children’s Liturgy: Our Children’s Liturgy Program begins on Sunday, October 19th. This program runs for approximately 20 minutes during the 10am Mass and is open to school aged children (JK to Grade 2). 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. Registration forms can be found in the Loretto Room and the cost per child is \$20. We are also looking for volunteers to help out. Please fill out the volunteer form in the Loretto room. For more information, contact Joanne Whyte at: jwhyte@archtoronto.org

e-bulletin: Keep in touch with us via email and text! If you would like to register for the e-bulletin, **TEXT DIGITAL TO 514-900-0130**, or connect with us online at: blessedto.flocknote.com/ebulletin.



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