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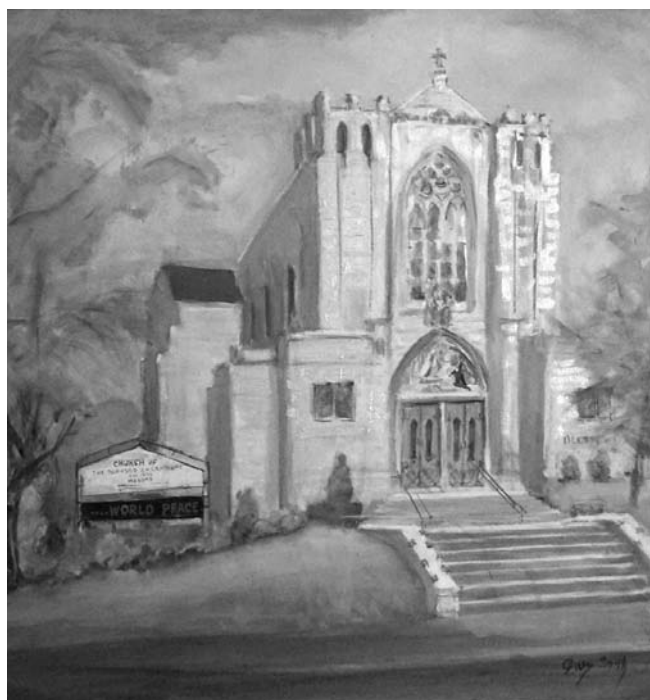
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*Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929
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SUNDAY MASSES

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 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

Georgina Abrego - Lay Pastoral Associate

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 - Georgina Abrego

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 Karl Leitmann

Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544

Catholic Family Services - www.cfstoronto.com

Vocations - www.vocationstoronto.ca

Vatican - www.vatican.va

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Opening Hymn 342: The Church's one foundation

Mass Propers: 505A, 506, 508, 567, 570, 513

Psalm 27 Response: The Lord is my light and my salvation

811

Offertory Hymn 345ii: Where charity and love prevail

Choir Mass: Rheinberger, Dextera Domini
*The right hand of the Lord hath wrought strength;
 the right hand of the Lord has exalted me. I shall
 not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord.*

Communion Hymn 367: Be Thou my vision

Choir Mass: Gibbons, Almighty and Everlasting God

Closing Hymn 401: Lord, we hear your Word with gladness;

10:00 am Music Ministry

Opening: Here I am to worship BOL 66

Resp. Ps: 27

Offertory: Invitation Fountain BOL 87

Communion: What A Beautiful Name BOL 162

Closing: O Bless the Lord CBW 562

PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Rose Marie Chapeski, Guiditta Carolli, Mary-Anne Grobin, Kenneth Field, Eric Seidel, Maria Martins, Emily Wright, Paula Tarantino, Crystal Pinero, Deirdre MacLeod, Sister Mary, Lauren Diamambro, Franco Graça, Madalena Martins, Juliana D'Silva, Belinda Fernandez, Elma Monaghan.

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

Vocations: "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near." Are you willing to proclaim the coming of the kingdom as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. vocations@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.

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>

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

(ISAIAH 9.1-4), (1 CORINTHIANS 1.10-13, 17-18)

(MATTHEW 4.12-23)

VIGIL LAMPS

St. Joseph Vigil Lamp	St. John Vigil Lamp
Fr. Cyril Balaba (I)	Fr. Larry Marcille (I)

MASS INTENTIONS – Jan 26th to Feb 1st

Mon. 26 8:30 am	Myrna Hentrich (I) Mary Ann Badali (I)
Tues. 27 8:30 am	Leopoldo Rojas (I)
Wed. 28 8:30 am	Blair MacNeil (D)
Thur. 29 8:30 am	Alison Frederick (D)
Fri. 30 8:30 am	Marcus Gibbons (D) Joanne Bruno (D) Deidre MacLeod (I)
Sat. 31 4:30 pm	Shirll Kosmal (D) Melanie Watson (D)
Sun. Feb. 1	8:30 am – Brendan Keigher (D) 10:00 am – Timothy Cairn Rogers (D) 11:30 am – The people of the parish (I) Josif & Rozalilia Juranescu (D)

Lent begins on Wednesday, February 18th

Masses with distribution of ashes

8:30am, 12 noon, 1:45pm (school Mass) & 7:00pm

We will have Mass on Saturdays at 9:00 am during

Lent and Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm each

Friday

Lenten Day of Confession and Holy Week Schedule coming soon.

Save the date

Saturday, February 7, 2026



PASTA DINNER

Immediately after the 4:30 pm Mass in the hall.

Tickets are on sale in the Loretto room after all weekend Masses, at the parish office and will

be sold at the door.

\$25.00 for adults/ \$15.00 for children under 12

January 25, 2026

“Jesus proclaimed the good news of the kingdom curing every sickness among the people.” (Matthew 4.23)

GALA 2026 -100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Blessed Sacrament Parish a Century of Faith!

- Join us Saturday, April 25, 2026 at 6:00 pm
- Guild Inn Estate 201 Guildwood Parkway
- Tickets \$75 under 19 & \$175 adults
- It includes cocktails and Hors D'oeuvres
- 3 course Dinner with open bar
- Live Auction and Dancing
- Tickets available in the Loretto room after all weekend Masses or at the parish office

**** A bus will be provided for those who need it departing from Blessed Sacrament Parish**

~ Gratis

Any questions, please call Mary at
416-994-4525 or email
blessedsacrament82@gmail.com

Communion Reflection

“Faith without good works is dead.”

So says the apostle St. James in one of the most important sayings of the New Testament.

*A watch that has a gold chain
but which does not tell the time
is worthless.*

*A fruit tree which in spring
is full of blossoms and leaves,
but when autumn comes has no fruit,
is false and is only taking up space.*

It is the same with faith.

*A faith that does not lead to works of love -
such as kindness, compassion, forgiveness -
is false and useless and dead.*

Mother Teresa put it like this:

“If we believe, we will love.

If we love, we will serve.”

It is as simple as that.

Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop John

Boissonneau – Feb. 8, 2026 at 2:30 p.m.

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.)

As part of Marriage Sunday 2026 celebrations, Bishop John Boissonneau will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2026.

All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. Couples that are celebrating special anniversaries, may register for reserved seating. Registration and other important information can be found at www.archtoronto.org/marriage or call 416-934-3400 ext. 523. All are welcome!

Altar Server Training Session: On Saturday February 7th from 2pm to 3:45pm, we will have an altar server training session for all our altar servers at Blessed Sacrament Parish. It will be in the parish basement hall. Our seminarian Michael will give a talk on “Unveiling the Mystery of Holy Mass and the Role of Altar Servers”. Afterwards, altar servers will go up to the church to practice and review what they have learned. This is a wonderful opportunity to rediscover the meaning behind the prayers, the words and the actions of the priest and the Christian faithful who celebrate Mass as one Body in Christ. At every Mass, altar servers play an essential role in helping the parish community to enter more deeply into the sacred mysteries that unfold before our eyes, namely, the gift of the Holy Eucharist. If you are able to attend, please kindly inform Georgina Abrego after the Sunday Masses or email her at gabrego@archtoronto.org.

Food and drinks will be provided for at the event.

God bless you.

Employment Opportunity

Part time Cook (12 hours per week)

Blessed Sacrament Parish is seeking a part time Cook to prepare meals, as well as plan meals and purchase food items for the priests living in the rectory. Those wishing to be considered should submit their resume and cover letter in MS Word or PDF format to Fr. Larry Marcille & Agnes Ahn at aahn@archtoronto.org. Deadline is February 14, 2026. We thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, February 7, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.

Learn: How to avoid problems in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection. How to create your own legacy and about our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals. To register follow this link <https://qrco.de/WedFeb7> or send an email to Development@ArchToronto.org and write “webinar February 7” in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



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