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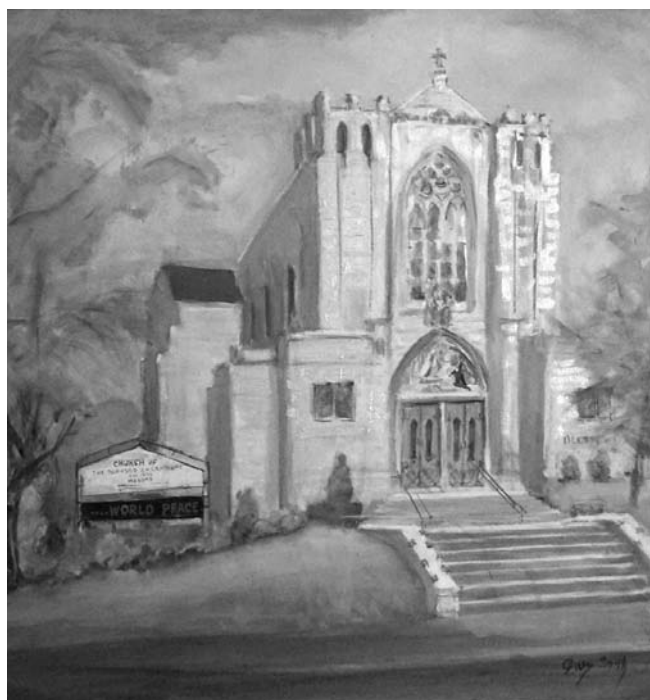
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*Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929
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SUNDAY MASSES

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

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MUSIC FOR CHOIR AND CANTOR MASSES

Numbers refer to blue WAA hymnal unless otherwise indicated.

Opening Hymn: 315, Come and Sing to God Our Saviour

Mass Propers: 505A, 496, 508, 567, 570, 513

Psalm 112 Response: Light rises in the darkness for the upright

811

Offertory Hymn: 316, Lord God of Morning and of Night

Choir Mass: Anerio, Laudate Dominum Omnes Gentes

O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise him, all ye people. For his merciful kindness is great toward us: and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever. Praise ye the Lord.

Communion Hymn: 171, Jesus, my Lord, my God, my All.

Choir Mass: Victoria, Jesu Dulcis Memoria *Jesus, sweet remembrance, Granting the heart its true joys, But above honey and all things Is His sweet presence.*

Closing Hymn: 405, Immortal, Invisible, God only Wise

10:00 am Music Ministry

Opening: Here I am to worship BOL 66

Resp. Ps: 112

Offertory: Open my eyes Lord BOL 127

Communion: Take and Eat CBW 611

Closing: Sing a new song CBW 563

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: "You are the light of the world." Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, 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 58.6-10), (1 CORINTHIANS 2.1-5)
(MATTHEW 5.13-16)

VIGIL LAMPS

St. Joseph Vigil Lamp	St. John Vigil Lamp
Janet King (I)	Betty Bujold (I)

MASS INTENTIONS – Feb 9th to 15th

Mon. 9	8:30 am – Mario & Milvia Bazzocchi (D)
Tues. 10	8:30 am – Lori Lawson (D)
Wed. 11	8:30 am – Catherine Bundgaard (D)
Thur. 12	8:30 am – Diane Ardila (I)
Fri. 13	8:30 am - Deidre MacLeod (I) Dr. Jolanta Nowakowska (D)
Sat. 14	4:30 pm – Anna Notarandrea (D) Dr. Artur Nowakowski (D)
Sun. Feb. 15	8:30 am – Catherine Bungaard (D) Special intention (I) 10:00 am – Michael Chiarotto (D) For the people of Iran (I) 11:30 am – Mihail & Elena Ivanov (D) Juan Magallanes (D)

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.

Blessing of all couples

As part of marriage Sunday 2026, Fr. Ray Douziech will be honouring and blessing all married couples this weekend at all weekend Masses, Saturday, February 7th and Sunday, February 8th.

February 8, 2026

“I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life.” (John 8.12)

Communion Reflection

Let your light shine...

*Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate,
but that we are powerful beyond measure.
It is our light, not our darkness, that most frighten
us.*

*We ask ourselves, ‘Who am I to be brilliant,
gorgeous, talented and fabulous?’*

Actually, who are you not to be?

You are a child of God.

Your playing small doesn’t serve the world.

*There’s nothing enlightened about shrinking so that
other people won’t feel insecure around you.*

*We are born to manifest the Glory of God that is
within us.*

It’s not just in some of us; it’s in everyone.

*And as we let our own light shine, we unconsciously
give other people permission to do the same.*

*As we are liberated from our own fear, our presence
automatically liberates others. (from the inaugural
speech of Nelson Mandela)*

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.

LIFT JESUS HIGHER 2026

**On Saturday, March 14, 2026 from 9am to 5:30pm
At the North Building, Metro Convention Centre**

The upcoming Lift Jesus Higher Rally will mark the event’s 35th anniversary! The day will feature two simultaneous events—a youth rally (ages 13-18) and an adult rally (which younger children are welcome to attend). It is a day to deepen and renew your faith, with inspiring talks and testimonies, powerful praise and worship, the rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, fellowship, and so much more! For more information www.ljhr.ca or contact Catholic Renewal Ministries at 647-559-8384

Knit for the North:

Meeting dates for February are the 11th and the 25th. Meetings begin at 1:30pm in the church hall.

New members are always welcome.

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
 - Silent 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

Thank you for Giving to ShareLife

Thank you for your support to the 2025 ShareLife Campaign. We are pleased to announce that your donations helped exceed our parish goal of \$500,000.00 with a final offertory total of \$531,481.81. Also for the first time in Sharelife’s history the 2025 campaign raised more than \$15 million, reaching a total of \$15,671,786. Your generous contributions reached those who needed it most and enabled ShareLife agencies to continue their good work.

Sister Johanna’s Memorial The Angel Tree

We are overjoyed to announce that we raised \$6,550 in gift cards for the Angel Tree. The gift cards will be donated to St. Francis Table and The Good Shepherd Ministries. Thank you for supporting those less fortunate and for your kindness and generosity!

Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Refuge

We are in need of Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Refuge. Our pick up days is the 2nd Tuesday of each month. There is a supply of aluminum casserole dishes and copies of recipes beside the freezer located in the basement by the Saint Brother André room. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

**Mass on Monday, February 16th will be at
10:00 am. Happy Family Day!**



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