

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

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PARISH STAFF

Parish Coordinator: Angeli San Juan angeli@holyrosary.ca office@holyrosary.ca

Parish Office:

Caretaker: : Jim Doinog

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

(Office Closed for Lunch from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.)

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (Office Closed on Statutory Holidays)

MUSIC DIRECTORS

Edwin Chiu: Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Geoff Butler: Sunday 9:30 am, 11:00 am & 12:30 pm.

T.C.D.S.B. SCHOOL CONNECTED TO THE PARISH

Holy Rosary Catholic School: 416-393-5225 308 Tweedsmuir Ave. Toronto, ON. M5P 2Y1

Bianca Auciello: Principal

FAMILY CATECHETICAL PROGRAM

(October - May)

9:30 a.m., Sunday Family Mass in the Church 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Catechetical Classes in the Parish Hall & Holy Rosary School

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

We ask new parishioners to register with the Parish. Forms and donation envelopes are available at the entrances of the Church and at the Parish Office. Registration Forms can also be found on our website: www.holyrosary.ca please fill out the form and either email it to the Parish Office or drop it into the collection basket or to the Parish Office.

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday **8:00 a.m.** Sunday **9:30 a.m.** Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Sunday 12:30 p.m.

- Community Celebration: Choir, Piano and Guitar - Mass Without Music

Cantor/Congregational Singing

WEEKDAY MASSES

12:10 p.m. Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. Saturday

ROSARY

Monday to Friday: 11:40 a.m.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday: 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday: 11:50 a.m. to 12:05 p.m.

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

People seeking Baptism for their children must be registered in the Parish for at least three months, must have an interview with a member of the Parish staff and must complete a Baptismal Preparation Course.

ARRANGING A WEDDING

Couples wishing to arrange a wedding are required to contact the Parish 1 year in advance. A wedding reception should not be set before the date is confirmed with the Pastor. A Marriage Preparation Course is required and can be taken at any parish. Contact the Parish Office for more information.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK AND CARE FOR THE ELDERLY & SHUT-INS

Those confined to their homes by illness, infirmity or age, may arrange to receive communion by contacting the Parish Office.

THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

June 24th, 2018

"O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; be my help. Do not abandon or forsake me, O God, my Saviour!" (Cf. Psalm 26.7,9)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

In addition to All-Day Eucharistic Adoration on one Saturday of each month between 9:30 am and 4:45 pm, Holy Rosary has daily adoration after the 12:10 pm Mass until 2:00 pm Monday to Friday.



Prayer and Quiet Reflection The Rosary will be prayed at 12:00 noon and 2:00 pm "Can you not watch an hour with me?" *Matthew 26:40*

July 7, August 4, September 1

Nativity of John the Baptist



The prophets were not fortune tellers - they were messengers. They were chosen by the Lord to remind His people that He was real and had a good plan for them. The prophets were sent to call the Israelites back to their true God. The message God entrusted to them was meant to grow a deeper faith in the hearts of God's people. But not all of God's people responded with greater faith. Some

were too overcome by fear to surrender in trust to the Lord. We each still face this same choice today. When the Lord's word is spoken into our life we can either respond with fear or receptivity. God is always calling us to respond with greater trust and wonder, and He gives us

His own Spirit to make it possible. To register, go to: www.formed.org and enter the Parish Code: FVT2H9



The **JULY** Food of the Month donation is **BOXES OF** CRACKERS. The JUNE Food of the Month donation is **BOXES OF CHEERIOS.**



On behalf of the clients, volunteers at the COTH Foodbank, thank you for your support. For more information or to donate, please visit

info@cothfoodbank.ca



Please join us in the Parish Hall, TODAY, Sunday, June 24, following the 12:30 pm Mass in the Parish Hall to congratulate Fr. John and wish him well on his new appointment.

Out-of-the-Heat Program

We are in need of volunteers for the newly formed Outof-the-Heat, which is the extension of Out-of-the-Cold. Every Tuesday in the Parish Hall (Room 5) from 2:00 to **4:00 pm.** All are welcome! Questions? Please contact Josie at (416) 985-6558.



Beginning July 1st and through the summer Holy Rosary will be implementing our Summer Mass Schedule. Please make note that our Sunday Mass times during the

months of July and August will be at 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 noon. Should you have any questions, please contact Angeli in the Parish Office.

This year's Annual Mass for the Faithful **Departed** will be held on **Wednesday** August 15, 2018 at 7:00 PM at

the following Catholic CATHOLIC CEMETERIES Cemeteries: Assumption, Christ the King, Holy Cross, Mount Hope,

Queen of Heaven, Resurrection and St. Mary's in Barrie.

His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins will be celebrating Mass this year at Queen of Heaven Cemetery.



Sunday, July 1st, is Canada Day. The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, July 2nd and the 12:10 pm Mass is MOVED to 9:00 am. There is no 12:10 pm Mass on Monday, July 2nd. The

FUNERAL SERVICES

Parish Office will re-open on Tuesday, July 3rd.

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June 24th, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 25, 2018

12:10 pm. Eleanor Roy (+)

Requested By: John Cleminson & Mary Wilson 1:00 pm. Holy Rosary School Graduation Mass

Tuesday, June 26, 2018

12:10 pm. In Thanksgiving

(Wedding Anniversary)

Requested By: Mr. & Mrs. Lobraico

Wednesday, June 27, 2018

12:10 pm. Cyril Macneil (+) Requested By: Anne Kobliha

Thursday, June 28, 2018

12:10 pm. Jose Serodio (+)

Requested By: His Wife, Ines Serodio

Friday, June 29, 2018

12:10 pm. Mira

Requested By: Her Sister, Irena

MULTIPLE INTENTIONS:

Antonio Furtado (+), Roy Abad (+), Gino Pirruccio (+), Joseph Magnolta (+), Uy & Urbanozo Families (Special Intentions – In Thanksgiving)

Saturday, June 30, 2018

9:00 am. Celestino Freitas (+)
Requested By: Manuela Freitas
5:00 pm. Angelo Melo (+)
Requested By: Maria Sousa

Sunday, July 1, 2018 – Canada Day!

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners 10:00 am. Msgr. Kenneth Robitaille (+)

(Death Anniversary)

12:00 pm. The Living & Deceased Members

Of the Lobraico & Reynolds

Families

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:



Melanie Marshman Dear, Zosima Enriquez, Sebastian, Mira, Bill Keith, Mary Lynch, Zenaida Nyobu, Herta Hoffman, Shirley Holman, Deirdre Horgan, Madeline Horgan, Elmo Sheppard, Margaret Mary McKenzie, Clare De Mello & Messias Sousa

Please remember in your prayers all who have recently died, especially: Jeanette & Carlo Toccalino (+), Betty Lou (+), Sherry Mae (+), Peggy Sue (+), & Paul Ruby (+), Denzil D'Souza (+).

SPECIAL BLESSING FOR SENIORS IN JUNE

Most loving God, we thank you for the gift of years granted in our time to so many men and women in the second half of life. We thank you for their presence in our parish community; for their life experience, their courage and wisdom, their witness of faith. We ask your blessing upon them as they live the many transitions that are part of maturing years. Be with them, keep them in your care, grant them peace and enable them to become beacons of hope in our world.

Looking for Choir Members

The Holy Rosary gallery choir is looking for a few tenors and basses to complement our wonderful sopranos and altos. For information please speak with Geoff our organist or contact the Parish Office.



"Qui bene cantat bis orat"

"The one who sings well, prays twice."

- St. Augustine of Hippo

Planning Committee Volunteers Needed

"And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, Giving thanks to God the Father through Him": Colossians 3:17

After having completed a successful Fundraising Campaign, Holy Rosary's Planning Committee has been meeting with a view to implementing our Parish Plan using funds you so generously gave. We are in need of volunteers and ideas to help implement the Parish Plan.

Sincerest thanks to all those who have already generously volunteered to work on one of the sub-committees. If you would like to contribute your time and talents to a specific

sub-committee that fits your skills, please contact **Catherine Pawluch**, Chair at ncasimc620@rogers.com or at 416-485-3526

Canada Summer Jobs

Groups applying for the 2018 Canada Summer Jobs grant were required to indicate their agreement with certain beliefs held by the current federal government. This contravenes the *Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms*, which guarantees the freedom of religion and conscience, of thought, belief, opinion and expression, as well as "equal protection and equal benefit of the law without discrimination." Dozens of Catholic organizations throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto were impacted by this policy. Cardinal Collins invites you to write to your federal Member of Parliament to respectfully express your concerns. Please visit www.savesummerjobs.ca. You can also donate by using the envelopes at each of the entrances to support those organizations directly impacted.

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