HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Monsignor Robert Nusca pastor@holyrosary.ca Deacon: Rev. Mr. Daniel Gana danielgana@holyrosary.ca

PARISH STAFF

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

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 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

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

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

Principal: Josephine Jamnik TCDSB Website: www.tcdsb.org

FAMILY CATECHETICAL PROGRAM

(October - May)

11:00 a.m. - 11:10 a.m. Fellowship in the Parish Hall 11:10 a.m. - 11:55 a.m. Classes in the Parish Hall 12:00 p.m., Sunday Family Mass in the Church

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

We ask new parishioners to register with the Parish. Registration Forms, Pre-Authorized Giving 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 online, save it and either e-mail it to the Parish Office, drop it into the collection basket on Sunday or drop it directly to the Parish Office.

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Choir, Piano and Guitar

Sunday **8:00 a.m.**Sunday **10:00 a.m.**Sunday **12:00 p.m.**

- Mass Without Music

Cantor/Congregational

- Community Celebration:

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 at least 1 year in advance and must be registered Parishioners. 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. Please 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.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 15th, 2020

"Come to the waters, you who are thirsty, says the Lord; you who have no money, come and drink joufully."

(Cf. Isaiah 55.1)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

In addition to All-Day Eucharistic Adoration from 9:30 am until 4:45 pm, Holy Rosary has daily adoration after the 12:10 pm Mass until 2:00 pm Monday to Friday. The next All-Day Eucharistic Adoration is on April 4th, May 2nd, June 6th

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





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To register, go to: www.formed.org and enter the Parish Code: FVT2H9



The MARCH Food of the Month donation is boxes of CRACKERS.

Please bring donations to the Sunday Sacristy at the main entrance of the Church. For more information, please visit: http://www.cothfoodbank.ca/



Lectio Divina Bible Study meets in the Parish Hall – Room 5 (upstairs) on **Thursdays from** 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm. For more information, please call Mary

Ellen Burns at 647-929-7106 or the Parish Office.



March 17 – Seniors' LUNCH & LEARN at 12:45 pm. Fr. Daniel Callam will talk about John Henry Newman.

March 23 – 27 – Week of Confessions – Monday to Friday from 11:45 am – 12:05 pm, Saturday from 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm or by appointment.

March 28/29 - SHARELIFE SUNDAY

March 29 – St. Vincent de Paul Irish Tea Concert –
at 2:30 pm in the Church and Parish Hall. There will be a raffle, bake sale and Irish dancers. The concert features Harpist, Eithne Heffernan and Entertainer,
Hugo Straney. Tickets are available in the Parish Office

Please join us every **Thursday at 7:00 pm during Lent**, as we celebrate the **Stations of the Cross** in the Church. *Hosted by Holy Rosary's Catholic Women's League*



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is looking for new members to join our group. Our mission is to serve the poor in our area. This is done by



visiting our neighbours in need, offering fellowship and monetary support. The commitment is 4 hours a month which includes the monthly meeting and home visits. We are also looking for someone who is interested in a volunteer administrative position. We need a coordinator to compile and set up the monthly visits for our visiting members. If you are interested in being a part of this wonderful Society, please contact Jackie at jjandthegirls@gmail.com.

The Out-of-the-Cold Program is looking for a volunteer who would be able to assist with the coordination of this program.

Out of the Cold Holy Rosary

This person would assist the present

coordinator with administrative duties, and program set up. It runs for 20 weeks each year from fall to early spring. For more information please contact Jackie at jjandthegirls@gmail.com.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 15th, 2020

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 16, 2020

12:10 am. Joana Wilson & Parents (+)

Requested By: Maria Larguinho

Tuesday, March 17, 2020

12:10 pm. Kornier Toth (+) Requested By: Toth Family

Wednesday, March 18, 2020

12:10 pm. The Honourable, George W. Vari (+)

Requested By: His Wife, Helen Vari

Thursday, March 19, 2020

Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

12:10 pm. Giuseppe Pizzolato (+) Requested By: Angeli San Juan & Family

7:00 pm. Stations of the Cross

Friday, March 20, 2020

12:10 pm. Rosalie Berwing (+)

Requested By: Her Husband, Eric Berwing

Multiple Intentions:

Belmira Melo (+), Semiao Melo (+), Luis Sousa (+), Maria Sousa (+), Jose Sousa (+), Wilfred Bruce (+), & Oliver Browne (+)

Saturday, March 21, 2020

9:00 am. Thoai (Peter) Tinh Trieu (+)

Requested By: Lan Huong

5:00 pm. Alice Sequeira (+)

Requested By: Oswald D'Souza + Family

Sunday, March 22, 2020

Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners 10:00 am. Marie & Louis Attié (+)

Requested By: Their Daughter, Françoise Stanford

12:00 pm. Kaito De Francesco (+) Requested By: The Feghali Family

Please remember in your prayers all who have recently died, especially: Oliver Browne (+), Carmencita Cabugoy (+), Arthur Navasero Sr. (+), Elizabeth Vitek (+), Mary Virginia Ouellet (+), Beatrice Deciantis (+), Rosa Tuquib (+), Lawrence Melara (+), Diane Prouty (+), Dominga Dulatre (+), Christina Sison (+), Desmond Joseph Sweeney (+), & Bernabe Perez (+)



CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PREVENTATIVE MEASURES

The Archdiocese of Toronto continues to work with health officials to monitor the local situation regarding active cases of the coronavirus (COVID-19).

At this time, Cardinal Collins has asked all parishes to implement the following measures:

At the Sign of Peace, refrain from shaking hands – a simple bow, nod or "Peace be with you" to your neighbour is appropriate.

Please also continue to practice healthy hygiene
– wash your hands with soap or use hand
sanitizer regularly, remain home if you are sick,
sneeze/cough into your sleeve and avoid
touching your eyes, nose or mouth.

Let us continue to care for ourselves and one another as we pray for all those impacted worldwide by COVID-19.

Easter Flowers

Easter will be upon us very soon and once again; the Flower Guild is asking for your assistance. Each weekend before Easter, there will



be envelopes for flower donations in all pews and at the Church entrances. Your donations will be put towards the cost of decorating Holy Rosary for Easter. The Flower Guild depends entirely on your generosity.



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially:

Assumpta Frazer, Patricia Cook, Geoffrey Haden, Susanna Pingitore, Hugh McConville, Betty Dempsey, Don Bruce, Aniyah Deneault, Ernie Gilligan,

Darlene Sanders, Marsha Wynter, Henri Fine, John McIllmurray, Isabel Chegalcos, Elizabeth Morgado, Francisco Valencia, Patti Massicotte, Antonio Basille, Robert Dowell, Susan Olaguer, Baby Keegan Beckett, Garnet Louis, Kevin Louis, Paula Lawless, Tony Provvisionato, Eden Portus, Assunta Brighina, Maryleigh Picchetti, Caterina Cugliari, Maria Rocca, Zenaida Nyobu, Shirley Holman, Elmo Sheppard, Judith Catherine Evans, Margaret Mary McKenzie, Clare De Mello & Messias Sousa

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