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## **HOLY ROSARY CHURCH**

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#### **PASTORAL TEAM**

Pastor: Fr. Peter Turrone pturrone@archtoronto.org

#### **PARISH STAFF**

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#### **CHURCH HOURS**

Monday to Friday 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. & 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Sunday 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Mon-Fri 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sat CLOSED Sun 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

#### **MUSIC DIRECTORS**

Edwin Chiu: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Geoff Butler: Sunday 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

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#### **WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS**

We ask new parishioners to register with the Parish. Forms and Donation Envelopes are available at Church entrances, the Parish Office and www.holyrosary.ca





#### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday - Friday: 12:10 p.m.

#### **WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Vigil) **Sunday:** 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

**ROSARY** Monday to Friday: 11:40 a.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Monday to Friday: 12:40 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Saturday evening 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. Sunday 6:00 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.

#### FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS TO SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament until 3pm with devotions at 2:45 p.m.

#### First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Rosary with Veneration of Relics of St. Jacinta and Francisco Marto at 8:30 a.m.

Confessions at 8:30 a.m. Mass at 9:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration with Fatima Prayers 9:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Monday to Sunday 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** Please contact the parish office.

**ARRANGING A WEDDING** Please contact the Parish Office for information at least 1 year in advance.

#### 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.

### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

"When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days."

(Cf. Psalm 90.15-16)



#### Whole 40: Making a Spiritual Plan for Lent

Ash Wednesday is the beginning of

Lent and a great day to make a plan for this holy and grace-filled season. Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. Elizabeth Klein, Professor at the Augustine Institute Graduate School, to discuss the purpose of the season of Lent, how to prepare for it, and why it is such a fruitful season in our life of faith. To watch, please visit FORMED. To register for FORMED, for FREE, go to: <a href="https://www.formed.org">www.formed.org</a> and enter the Parish Code: FVT2H9.

Announcements

1. The Parish Office will be CLOSED tomorrow, Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup> for Family Day. There is no 12:10 PM Mass. Mass will be celebrated at 9 AM.



2. Toonie Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVDP) will be held this weekend, **February 17**<sup>th</sup> **and 18**<sup>th</sup>. SSVDP asks for your generosity to help support the most vulnerable in our community. Thank you for your

support.

- 3. The next LUNCH & LEARN event for SENIORS will take place on **Wednesday**, **February 21**<sup>st</sup> at 12:45 **PM** in the Parish Hall Room 2. Mike Payette, the artistic director of Toronto's Tarragon theatre will speak on the current theatre world. Please register at the main entrance of the Church on the weekends of February 10/11 and February 17/18, with a member of the Seniors' Committee.
- 4. FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, February 24, 2024, 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

About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

#### 3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

- 1. scan this QR code:
- 2. follow this QR link: <a href="https://QRCO.de/WebFeb24">https://QRCO.de/WebFeb24</a>
- 3. send an email to: <a href="mailto:Development@ArchToronto.org">Development@ArchToronto.org</a> and write "webinar February 24" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



5. The FEBRUARY Food of the Month donation is **CANS OF BOOST OR ENSURE** (**meal replacement**). With rising food costs, the Foodbank is serving record numbers of clients

(approximately 1200 people per week). In order to ensure that the Foodbank can continue in future years we need the financial support of the community. On behalf of the clients, volunteers at the COTH Foodbank, thank you for your support.

6. Dear brothers and sisters in the Lord:

After 21 years of dedicated service as



a Permanent Deacon, Deacon Daniel
Gana has officially retired from
active ministry at Holy Rosary Parish as of Dec 31st,
2023. We are grateful for his service and many
friendships he formed over the past two decades. In
thanksgiving for his ministry, we will offer a light
reception after the 12pm Mass on Sunday, March 3rd,

2024. Please join us in saying thank you to him!

7. All are invited to attend the St. Augustine's Seminary Divina Eloquia presented by Rev. Hubertus Drobner taking place on Tuesday, February 27, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. in Charbonnel Lounge, University of St. Michael's College, Elmsley Hall, 81 St. Mary St., Toronto. For more information and to register please visit <a href="https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/patristic-talk-feb2024">https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/patristic-talk-feb2024</a>. Please register early, as space is limited for in-person events.

## **FEBRUARY 18th, 2024 MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, February 19, 2024

Deacon Domenic Pullano (+) 9:00 am.

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

12:10 pm. Kim McDougall (+)

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

12:10 pm. Cheslava Kirebko (+)

Requested By: Family

Thursday, February 22, 2024

12:10 pm In Thanksgiving to the Sacred

Heart of Jesus & our Lady of

Lourdes

Requested By: Hema

Friday, February 23, 2024

12:10 pm. Pierre Quaneaux (+) & Deceased

Family Members

Multiple Intentions: Holy Souls in Purgatory

6:30 pm. Jesus Ilagan (+) Requested By: Tess & Dan Aviado

Saturday, February 24, 2024

Intentions of the Blessed Virgin 9:00 am.

> Mary and in reparation for all sins committed against her Immaculate

5:00 pm. Yohanes Thio In Liong (+) (Death

Anniversary)

Requested By: Liang K. Tan

Sunday, February 25, 2024

Second Sunday of Lent

8:00 am. Anna Nagy-Bakos (+) Requested By: Edit Nagy-Bakos

10:00 am. Jayne Paclibare (+) Requested By: Paclibare Family

12:00 pm. Holy Souls in Purgatory

Requested By: Maria Zelia

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Anthony Verombeck, Mario, Edward Haggarty, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

Come & See — Discernment Weekend Retreat — March 15–17, 2024 at St. Augustine's Seminary From: Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Director, Vocations The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. ST. AUGUSTINE'S Augustine's Seminary on Friday, March



SEMINARY

15 at 6:30 p.m. until Sunday, March 17 at 2 p.m. This Retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this event in your parishes, during your announcements as well as including this event in your respective parish bulletins, it appreciated. Thank you in advance for your assistance as we work together to build a culture of vocations. Please note registration done that must he online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee. For more information, please contact at: vocations@archtoronto.org.

#### Parish Vitality & Stewardship

A steward is someone who receives God's gifts gratefully, develops those gifts responsibly, shares those gifts lovingly in justice with others, and makes a return with interest to the Lord. As such, the goal of parish vitality and stewardship is to help increase the engagement of everyone in the life of their parish as stewards, inviting us all to become more involved in the myriad of different ways to serve one another for the glory of God.

We Offer the Following Resources on Parish Vitality and Stewardship:

- 1. The Spirituality of Stewardship. Housing resources for parishes, groups and individuals. Included in this section is Cardinal Collins' Pastoral Letter on Stewardship (including its companion resources), stewardship bulletin reflections for parishes, a stewardship prayer card, and more!
- 2. Stewardship Sunday. Celebrated annually across the entire Archdiocese of Toronto on the 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Stewardship Sunday normally occurs on the third Sunday in September. During this time, His Grace, Archbishop Francis Leo supplies a homily to be shared at all Masses that weekend.
- 3. Parish Vitality. This section features practical resources to help a parish community deepen parishioner engagement.
- 4. Parish Vitality Additional Resources. This section has a multitude of interesting resources, including downloadable promotional videos for parishes.

If you have any questions, please contact Quentin Schesnuik, Associate Director - Parish Vitality & Stewardship in the Office of Formation for Discipleship at quentins@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400, ext. 568.

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