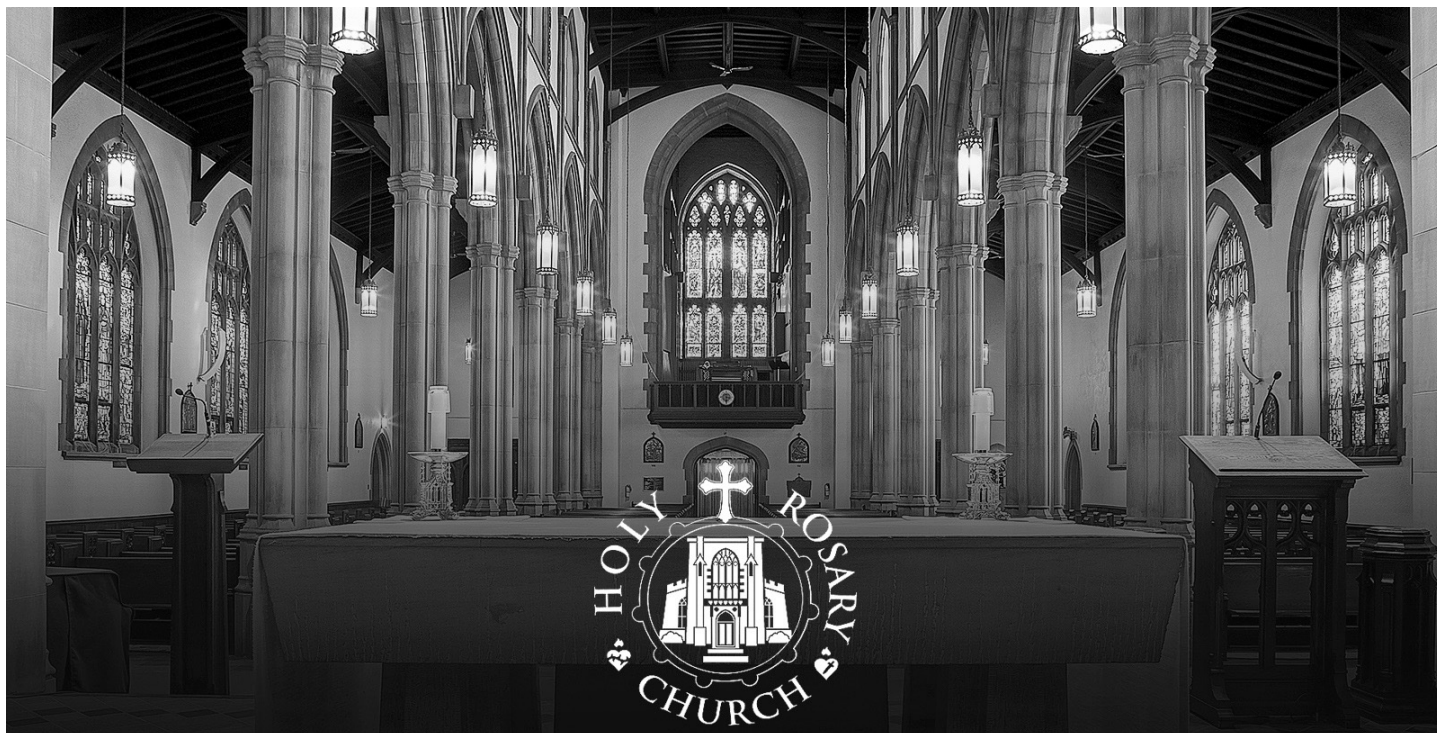


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CHURCH HOURS

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 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sun 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

MUSIC DIRECTORS

Edwin Chiu: Saturday 5:00 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.

EUCCHARISTIC 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.

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Let my prayer come into your presence. Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord. "

(Cf. Psalm 87.3)



The Pastor's Reflection

"Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus

wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood." (Mk 12:44)

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

The Temple was divided into many different courts. The collection boxes were found in the Court of the Women. This was a very large area that could hold thousands of people. People would walk into the court and toss their offerings into a collection box. Each collection receptacle looked like a trumpet. The more money one would throw into the box, the more noise it made, drawing the attention of other worshippers. The poor woman in today's Gospel had so very little to offer. The two tiny coins she tossed into the trumpet as a contribution to the treasury, made no sound.

Many people think that Jesus' comment was an endorsement and acknowledgment of the fact that the poor woman gave all that she had. Is this really the case? Does Jesus want the poor to become even poorer? Absolutely not! Just before this part of today's Gospel, Jesus had just condemned the religious scribes who used religion for their own financial gain. He said, "They devour the houses of widows and, as a pretext recite lengthy prayers," (Mk 12:40)

Jesus condemns a corrupt system that uses religion to fulfill the corrupt desires of some religious leaders. Everyone is called to give sacrificially to the Church for her upkeep and the advancement of her mission. This call is not the issue. The problem lies in the fact that the Temple leaders failed to care for the widows and the poor and provide them with the means necessary to live according to their inherent dignity. This was not being done. That is the problem, a big problem indeed!

Announcements

1. Please note: there will be no exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from Tuesday, November 12th to Thursday, November 14th inclusive. Exposition resumes Friday, November 15th.

2. We will have Offertory basket collection at all weekend masses. If you give with envelopes or cash, please give during the collection instead of using the drop boxes at the church entrances. If you give with PAG or credit card, please continue to do so as this is the best way to give and provides Holy Rosary with a stable and predictable monthly revenue. For weekday masses, please use the drop boxes at the church entrances. Resuming weekend Offertory basket collection provides the opportunity to all parishioners and our many visitors to contribute and sustain us in our mission to assist people intellectually and spiritually to live and proclaim the saving message of Jesus Christ.

3. The Parish Office will be open on Saturdays from 10 AM - 5PM.



4. Catechism registration for the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation has begun. To register, please fill out one of the registration forms found at the main entrance of the Church. The registration deadline is

November 29th.

5. Advent Retreat with Fr. Boniface Hicks, OSB



Do you want to grow closer to God this Advent season? Please join us for a Marian spiritual retreat led by Fr. Boniface Hicks OSB, benedictine monk, author, and radio host on Saturday, November 30th from 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM. The cost is \$50 per person which includes lunch. Please let us know if you have any dietary restrictions. Please contact the Parish Office to register.



6. The **NOVEMBER** Food of the Month donation is **CANNED FRUIT**. Please drop off donations at the main entrance of the Church or at the Parish Office.

7. Toonie Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVDP) will be held next weekend, November 16th and 17th. The poor boxes will be located at each of the Church entrances. SSVDP asks for your generosity to help support the most vulnerable in our community. Thank you for your support.



NOVEMBER 10th, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 11, 2024

Remembrance Day

12:10 pm. Wanda Somerton (+)
Requested By: Clinton Somerton

Tuesday, November 12, 2024

Saint Josaphat

12:10 pm. Michael Robert Ward (+)
Requested By: Gladys Lavilla-Ward

Wednesday, November 13, 2024

12:10 pm. Personal Intentions of Maria Zelia

Thursday, November 14, 2024

12:10 pm. Raymond
Requested By: Gayle Comeau

Friday, November 15, 2024

St. Albert the Great

12:10 pm. Mieke Christmann (+)
Requested By: Wanda Trimble

Multiple Intentions:

William (+) & Elizabeth MacDougall (+), Hudson & Ramsey Badge (for health), Melody & Blayne Badge (Peace and health), David Ivanovic (Birthday Blessings), John Artibello (Special Intentions) & Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, November 16, 2024

9:00 am. Intentions of the Blessed Virgin Mary and in reparation for all sins committed against her Immaculate Heart

5:00 pm. Pope Francis, Bishops, Fr. Peter, All Religious, Seminarians, & Families

Requested By: Jan

Sunday, November 17, 2024

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

10:00 am. Sarah Pairie (+)
Requested By: Elaine Morgan

12:00 pm. Pascual Domingo (+)
Requested By: Maryjane Domingo



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Peter Verwoerd, Paul Morisset, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey, Anthony Verombeek, Mario, Edward Haggarty, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie

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