

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

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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.

Geoff Butler: Sunday 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

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

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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.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High!"
(Psalm 65.4)



"Do whatever he tells you." (Jn 2:5)

In this Sunday's Gospel, we hear the beautiful words of the Virgin Mary being directed to the servants at the wedding at Cana.

Running out of wine at the beginning of a wedding feast would have been devastating for the newly married couple. Mary's simple and loving appeal to Jesus leads him to perform his first miracle of turning water into wine. Water that was destined to be used in the washing of the feet of the wedding guests! Our Mother Mary is ever attentive to our needs and will always present them to her Son. Wine represents joy in the bible. Jesus, the Bridegroom, came to unite us all to our Heavenly Father. He is our source of lasting joy.

Is your marriage in need of more joy? Pray the rosary together as a family or at least as a couple. You will be pleasantly surprised at the many graces the Lord will bestow upon you in your marriage and family.

There are other things you can do, such as rekindling fond memories of the past. My parents have a beautiful tradition of cracking open photo albums on occasion to look at old wedding and family photos. It is good to remember what they promised God and each other at the altar on the day they received the sacrament of matrimony. Moreover, on your anniversary, make it a habit to have your marriage blessed by a priest. God never ceases to give us grace. The sacrament that was celebrated needs to be constantly strengthened. If your spouse doesn't join you at Mass, keep praying and asking the Lord to touch their hearts so that they will join you. A wise priest once told me that couples should ask Jesus to strengthen the sacramental bond of matrimony each time they receive him in the Eucharist.

Announcements

1. Please note, that there will be no exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from Saturday, January 11th to Wednesday, January 22nd, 2025 inclusive. This includes Sunday, January 12, and Sunday, January 19th. The Church will be open beginning at 7 AM on those two Sundays. Our regular schedule resumes on Thursday, January 23rd.

2. This weekend, January 18th/19th is Toonie Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Please

place a toonie or loonie in one of the poor boxes located at the Church entrances. Thank you for your support.

3. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is recruiting new members. If you are interested in joining, please contact Jackie Jensen at jjandthegirls@gmail.com or 416-562-8482.

4. Welcome, 2025. This is a reminder to all CWL ladies that it is time to renew our membership dues. Colette will be at the Church entrance on Sunday before and after the 12 PM Mass. Please see her to pay the dues. For convenience, you can E-transfer :
Email address: cwlholyrosarychurch@gmail.com
or make a cheque payable to Catholic Women's League Holy Rosary. Those who renewed already, thank you!

Note that the CWL are recruiting new members until March 2nd. For inquiries, please contact Pauline at 416-919-0634.

5. FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR - Saturday, February 1st at 9:00 AM.

The Archdiocese of Toronto & Catholic Cemeteries Estate planning team will discuss:

- **How YOU can 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 the QR code
2. Follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebFeb01
3. Send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar February 1" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

JANUARY 19th, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 20, 2025

Saint Fabian & Saint Sebastian

12:10 pm. Antonio Landolfi (+)

Requested By: The Family

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

Saint Agnes

12:10 pm. Luis Hernan Ortiz (+)

Requested By: Yen Bui

Wednesday, January 22, 2025

12:10 pm. Wladyslawa Balon (+)

Requested By: Dr. Jane Murphy

Thursday, January 23, 2025

12:10 pm. Mimi Allemand (+)

Requested By: Anneliese Blackwell

Friday, January 24, 2025

Saint Frances de Sales

12:10 pm. Daniel Fernandes (+)

Requested By: The Family

Multiple Intentions:

Klara Weber (+), Richard (+), Heidi Cerdan (+) (1-Year Death Anniversary), Visitacion Ilagan (+), Kevin Wood (+), Flora Gica (+) (8th-Year Death Anniversary), Lucia, Karla, & Mauricio (For Healing), Lydia Valerio (Birthday Blessings), Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, January 25, 2025

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

5:00 pm. Holy Rosary Parishioners

Sunday, January 26, 2025

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am. In Thanksgiving of the Company of St. Ursula- Secular Institute of St. Angela Merici in Toronto and all the Ursulines all over the world
Requested By: Florida Abides

10:00 am. Klara Weber (+)
Requested By: Martha & Hayley

12:00 pm. Holy Rosary Parishioners



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Madeleine Mendoza, Fr. Daniel Callam, Peter Verwoerd, Paul Morisset, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey,

Anthony Verombeek, Mario, Edward Haggarty, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

Please remember those who have recently died, especially: Barbara Hawkins (+), Sr.Kathleen Kelly RIP (+), Helen Noah (+), Olivia Hussey (+).



Faith Seeking Understanding Series

Heaven, Purgatory & Hell
Jan 29th, 2025

The Spiritual Combat
Feb 12th, 2025

Spiritual Healing at Each Stage of Life
Feb 26th, 2025



Free admission with
non-perishable food
item

7pm Parish Hall,
Room 2

Healing after Abortion: The Sisters of Life

Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is always hope. The pain and sorrow of abortion does not need to endure for a lifetime. We offer accompaniment and retreats to women seeking healing after abortion. A "Day of Prayer and Healing" offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the wound of abortion. Upcoming dates are: February 8 and April 5. For more details, locations, and confidential registration, or to simply talk to a Sister, please call the Sisters of Life at (416) 463-2722 or email us at toronto@sistersoflife.org

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