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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

Holy Rosary Catholic School: 416-393-5225
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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.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever."

Weekly Biblical Reflection

Excerpt from Homily of Frank Cardinal Leo, Archbishop of Toronto

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

Praised be Jesus Christ. Today is Stewardship Sunday which is observed annually across the Archdiocese of Toronto on the third Sunday of September. The parable which our blessed Lord taught, at first glance doesn't appear to be about stewardship at all. It seems to be about a vineyard, odd hiring practices, and unfair wages. But if we listen closely, we discover it is really about how we live and experience what has been entrusted to us.

Notice how the parable unfolds. The landowner goes out again and again: early morning, mid-morning, noon, afternoon, even the eleventh hour. God does not call us once; there are a series of invitations throughout life. Stewardship, then, is listening to these grace-filled invitations and being faithful to the hour we are in.

The trouble begins when the early workers stop living in their present moment. They measure their whole day against someone else's final hour. Comparison pulls them away from their own call and blinds them to the situation of others; namely the late workers. Those who waited in the marketplace until the final hour were not on vacation; they were unwanted, passed over. Anyone who has been unemployed knows the pain of being overlooked and the fear of not having what it takes, not having the basic necessities of life. Imagine their joy and relief when they received the "usual daily wage". The "wage" given is not their pay for an hour's labour—it is mercy and a restoration of dignity and underscores God's generosity and providential care for us...

Announcements

1. Children's Liturgy

Join us TODAY, Sunday, September 20th at the 12 PM Mass in the Parish Hall - share the Gospel and Catholic Faith through fun and joy-filled activities. Note that this is for children aged 4-10. Children under 4 must be accompanied by an adult. Parents are welcome!

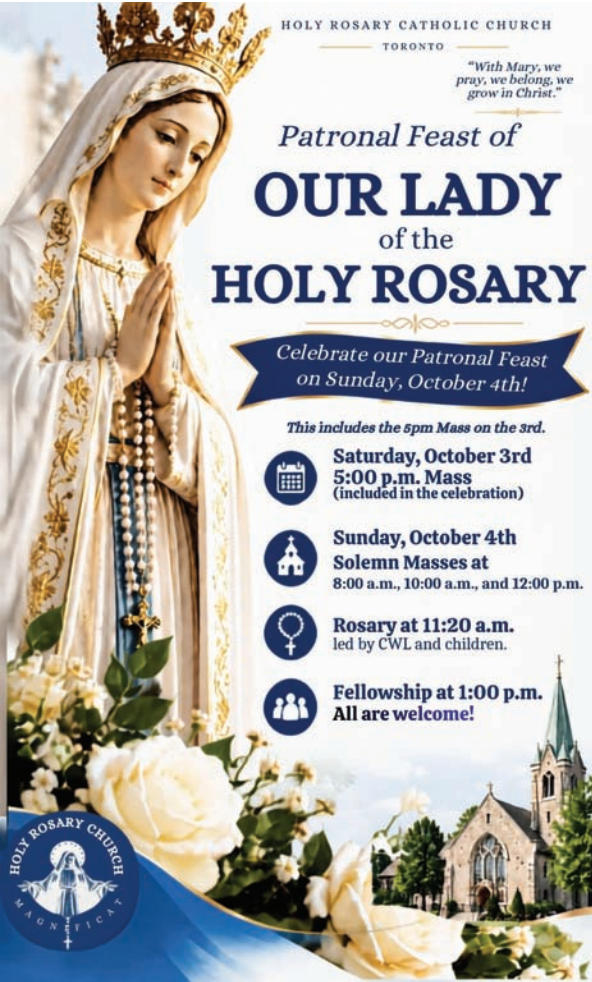
2. 112th World Day of Migrants and Refugees – Sunday, September 27, 2026. This year's theme, chosen by Pope Leo XIV, is "Even just one of these children."

Drawing from the Gospel of Matthew (18:5) — "Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me" — the Holy Father calls the Church to pay special attention to migrants and refugee children. He reminds us that every child matters, and we are called to protect and welcome them with open hearts, offering them safety, dignity, and a hopeful future.

We are invited to reflect on how our parishes and communities can respond with concrete acts of hospitality and compassion to the youngest and most vulnerable among those on the move.

3. An Introduction to the Life and Thought of St. Augustine

Please join us at 7 PM on Tuesday, November 17th and Tuesday, November 24th in Room 2 of the Parish Hall for the St. Augustine series. All are welcome!



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"With Mary, we pray, we belong, we grow in Christ."

**Patronal Feast of
OUR LADY
of the
HOLY ROSARY**

*Celebrate our Patronal Feast
on Sunday, October 4th!*

This includes the 5pm Mass on the 3rd.

-  **Saturday, October 3rd**
5:00 p.m. Mass
(included in the celebration)
-  **Sunday, October 4th**
Solemn Masses at
8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 p.m.
-  **Rosary at 11:20 a.m.**
led by CWL and children.
-  **Fellowship at 1:00 p.m.**
All are welcome!

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH
MAGNIFICAT

SEPTEMBER 20th, 2026

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 21, 2026

Saint Matthew

12:10 pm. Efren Castillo (+)
Requested By: Roberto

Tuesday, September 22, 2026

12:10 pm. Violet Czernkovich (+)
Requested By: The Family

Wednesday, September 23, 2026

Saint Pius of Pietrelcina

12:10 pm. Anita (+) & Rudy Peralta (+), Holy
Souls in Purgatory
Requested By: Angelica

Thursday, September 24, 2026

12:10 pm. German Kong (+)
Requested By: Germanus

Friday, September 25, 2026

12:10 pm. Efrain Castillo (+)
Requested By: Roberto

Multiple Intentions: Javier Jose Buelvas Macea (+), Catalino Eugenio (+), Sonia Labatt (+) (Death Anniversary), Joel Barbaste (+), Mercedes Zavavla (+), Lucinda Couthine (+), Dave David (+), Mrs. Virginia Medeiros (+), Deceased Members of the Paclibare & Romero Families, Sisters of Saint Peter Claver, Colleen Barbaste (Birthday), Bernard Rodrigues-Nascimento (for passing an examination), Angelica & Baby Marcus & Family, Raquel (In Thanksgiving)

Saturday, September 26, 2026

Saints Jean de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues

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

5:00 pm. September Birthday Celebrants
Requested By: Marie Garol

Sunday, September 27, 2026

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners
10:00 am. Yvonne Chiu (+), Susan Santiago
(+), Sylvia Lukban (+)
Requested By: John & Derrick Chiu
12:00 pm. Volodymyr Turchyn (+)
Requested By: Family

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Candice Demello, Olga Landry, Zacarias Libo-On, Glynda Kou, Matthew Carlos Duarte, Teresa Oziewicz, Guylaine Cormier, Yakym Bilyk, Denis Connolly, Goretti Raposo, Miranda Thompson, Richard Marshall, Paul Swarney, Kaye Graham, Mary Hopkins, Peter Robinson, Dominic Curran, Gerard Gonsalves, Mary Castillo de Vega, Mary Agnes

Ludwick, Madeleine Mendoza, Peter Verwoerd, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey, Anthony Verombeek, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

Help Restart Our Knights of Columbus Council!

Attention all Catholic men (ages 18+): We are working to reactivate Knights of Columbus Council #16723 at our parish. Whether you are a former Knight or wish to learn more, we need your help to rebuild this brotherhood of charity and service. An organizational meeting will be held Thursday, September 24th in the Parish Hall. Please reach out today to express your interest!

Contact: Deacon Kevin at deaconkevin@holyroary.ca
416-827-9900

Learn More: Visit koc.org to see the impact we can make together.

The Out of the Cold Program will be opening for the 2026-2027 season, on Saturday, October 24th, running for 20 weeks. We are looking for home cooks that would like to provide the entree portion that we serve. The cooks would prepare, and deliver the food to the church hall each Saturday before 11. Menu and recipe are provided. This Soup Kitchen provides a warm place and hot meal for those in our community facing food insecurity. Feeding the poor is a fundamental act of human compassion that addresses immediate physical survival while driving broader social, economic and spiritual growth.

If you are interested or have any questions please contact Jackie Jensen at jjantheirls@gmail.com

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