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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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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.

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.

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place." (Jeremiah 29. 11, 12, 14)

Weekly Biblical Reflection

"A man going on a journey called in his servants and entrusted his possessions to them. To one he gave five talents; to another, two; to a third, one-each according to his ability." (Mt 25:14-15)

Dear brothers and sisters in the Lord:

Today's Gospel marks the end of parables regarding Christ's Second Coming. Over the past three weeks, Jesus has told us that we must be awake and at work while awaiting his return in order to avoid a harsh judgment.

The man who goes on a journey is Jesus Christ himself. After his Ascension, he returns to the Heavenly Father. In the interim, he leaves all his possessions with his disciples. It is to them, and us, that he gives this parable. Each disciple has been entrusted with something that belongs to God. Only he knows why some get more than others in this life; however, we all get something. What matters is that we put it to good use. For example, rich or poor, brilliant or average, all of us have been given 24 hours in the day. How do we use our time? Do we use it to glorify God or to seek out our own comfort and advantage? This makes all the difference in the world, and in the world thereafter.

Moreover, the talents themselves are still only secondary to the main meaning of the parable. It has more to do with how we relate to the "man" Jesus Christ, Son of God. Are we willing to use our faith and take risks in following the Lord? Or are we afraid of him and thus prefer to remain as we are? Do we not believe in God's power to produce good fruits worthy of the Kingdom in and through us? St. Therese of Lisieux has much to teach us about how to live according to the logic of the Gospel. She taught, "Our Lord needs from us neither great deeds nor profound thoughts. He cherishes simplicity." She teaches us to trust and not fear the Lord. Again, she wrote, "I cannot understand those souls who are afraid of so affectionate a Friend." Be not afraid. Let us ask the Lord for the grace to recognize that he is not a "harsh man" but a loving Saviour who trusts in us to make good use of his many possessions he continually lavishes upon us (c.f. Mt 25:24).

God bless, Fr. Peter

Announcements

1. There will be a collection this weekend, November 14/15, in support of The Shepherds' Trust. This fund helps provide financial assistance, healthcare, and dignified retirement support for elderly and disabled priests after many years of faithful ministry. Your generosity helps ensure that retired priests can maintain an active and independent lifestyle and receive the care they need. Thank you for your generosity.

2. The Holy Rosary Church Seniors' Club presents "Cabrini", a powerful film you won't want to miss! Join us for a moving afternoon featuring the acclaimed film "Cabrini", celebrating the extraordinary life and legacy of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini (Mother Cabrini's feast day is on November 13). The movie will be held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday, November 18th. A light lunch will be served at 12:45 PM, followed by the film. Please register with a member of the Seniors'Committee following all the Masses this weekend.



NOVEMBER 15th, 2026

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 16, 2026

12:10 pm. Janet Rinaldi **(+)**
Requested By: Christine Rinaldi

Tuesday, November 17, 2026
Saint Elizabeth of Hungary

12:10 pm. Sara Fleming (Personal Intentions)
Requested By: Family

Wednesday, November 18, 2026

12:10 pm. Márite Vanago **(+)**

Thursday, November 19, 2026

12:10 pm. Anna Artuso **(+)**
Requested By: Patti Artuso

Friday, November 20, 2026
The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

12:10 pm. Debbie (Special Intentions - Birthday Blessings)
Requested By: Liana

Multiple Intentions: Jackson De Freitas **(+)**, Wiktor Patoka (Special Intentions), Melvin **(+)** & Jean Barbaste **(+)**, Louise (In Thanksgiving for healing and blessings received), Deepa and Samson (In Thanksgiving), Ian Mcanoy **(+)**, Kevin Kennedy **(+)**, Maureen Reilly **(+)**, John Kelly **(+)**, Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, November 21, 2026

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

5:00 pm. Annina Landolfi **(+)**
Requested By: Family

Sunday, November 22, 2026
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:00 am. Lillain Nasello (for her intentions)
Requested By: Salvatore

10:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

12:00 pm. Nichole Feghali (Personal Intentions)
Requested By: The Family

12:10 pm. Javier Jose Buelvas Macea **(+)** (1-Year Death Anniversary)
Requested By: Maria Buelvas

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Candice Demello, Zacarias Libo-On, Glynda Kou, Matthew Carlos Duarte, Guylaime 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 Verombeck, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

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Weekly donation envelopes for 2027 will be available for pick-up at the main entrance of the Church on the weekend of November 28th/29th. Participating in the Envelope program for your weekly cash donations will ensure that you receive a year-end charitable donation tax receipt. Monthly giving through credit card or pre-authorized debits is even easier and also provides you with a tax receipt. If you have not registered for either of these programs, please contact the Parish Office to enrol.



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