

St. Jerome's Parish

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday - 7:00 p.m. (Holiday Mondays 10:00 a.m. only)

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Peace	15 Fincham Avenue, L6X 3V2	905-452-7010
Pauline Vanier	56 Oaklea Boulevard, L6Y 4W7	905-455-1001
St. Alphonsa	60 Olivia Marie Road, L6Y 0M4	905-456-1403
St. Brigid	81 Torrance Woods, L6Y 2X4	905-454-0316
St. Jean-Marie Vianney	75 Jordensen Drive, L6X 0S1	905-497-6888
St. Joseph	8 Parkway Avenue, L6X 2G4	905-451-8501
St. Monica	60 Sterritt Drive, L6Y 5B6	905-454-6346

SECONDARY SCHOOLS

St. Augustine	27 Drinkwater Road, L6Y 4T6	905-450-9993
St. Roch	200 Valleyway Drive, L6X 0N3	905-456-8543

BAPTISMS

Parent(s) are to be registered parishioners and participate in a preparation class. Please register for baptism, using the Baptism Package available at Sunday Mass and contact the parish office for further information.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest one year in advance.

A Marriage Course is required. For additional information contact the parish office.

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office when someone is in immediate need of this sacrament. We can also arrange for the reception of Holy Communion upon request.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Jan Kolodynski, Pastor Mrs. Rocelyn Esposo, Parish Secretary Mr. Jorge Barbosa, Property Manager

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a community of faith. Please introduce yourself/family to the priests and register as soon as possible.



MAY 28th - June 3rd

Monday, 7:00 p.m.

Special Intention – Fr. Jan Kolodynski Holy Hour after Mass

Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.

In honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary Coronation and Procession in the Church

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

Special Intention - Jonasz Sowinski

Friday, 7:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving – Peter & Winnifred Wanasingha (47th Wed. Ann.)

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

† Julies Fernandes

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

† Luis Correia † Tran Thi Tan

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

† Rocco Mastrangelo † Alejandro & Meliza Manalac † Nazario Mendoza Jr. † Fouad Yousif



SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN PARISH GOAL: \$65,000.00

Living the Gospel by helping young families succeed...

Camila was attending programs at Rose of Sharon Services for Young Mothers when she and her daughter were kicked out of the family home. As counsellors helped her search for an affordable apartment, she became pregnant a second time. Despite these challenges, Camila attended every program available to her at Rose of Sharon. At the end of the year, she walked out a stronger woman with a plan to achieve the life she wants for herself and her daughters. Last year, at ShareLife-funded agencies that assist young mothers, over 1,000 clients like Camila received support for their new families.

TODAY is the next ShareLife Sunday.
Please give generously

Total collected to-date: \$28,774.00

FR. JAN'S 46th ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY Monday, May 28th



"Our vocation is to embrace the hearts of all men, to do what the Son of God did, he who came into the world to set it on fire.

It is true therefore, that I am sent not only to love God but to make him loved. It is not enough to love if my neighbor does not love him."

~ St. Vincent de Paul

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Congratulations and most fervent good wishes to our Pastor Fr. Jan on the 46th Anniversary of his Ordination. With prayers of gratitude and joy, we honour you for being a dedicated, compassionate, loving shepherd of God's people. God bless you on this milestone of devotion and generous service.

MAY IS THE MONTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

May is a special month for the Blessed Mother. St. Jerome's Legion of Mary will celebrate our devotion to her with the Crowning of Mary on **Tuesday, May 29 after the 7:00 p.m. Mass** There will be a rosary procession inside the church.



All are welcome to attend.

MARYGROVE GIRLS CAMP 2nd COLLECTION

June 9th & 10th



Envelopes are available in the Gathering Space for the Marygrove Camp annual collection. Marygrove offers 1,100 girls from less-fortunate families an opportunity to attend summer camp. Thank you for your support of this important work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, many

children will benefit from you generosity and caring support. For more information, please visit www.svdptoronto.org

Please give generously

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



The Most Holy Trinity: Model of Marital and Familial Love And Unity

When couples begin to look upon themselves and their relationship in Trinitarian light, upon their bond of love which is sealed in the sacrament of matrimony, the depth and meaning of the lifetime commitment they have made to one another takes on a profound significance. This is so because marriage is to be modeled after the three divine Persons of the Trinity whose gift of themselves is

one of totality, unity, and fidelity. Thus marriage should reflect these same traits:

"The characteristic traits of marriage are: *totality*, by which the spouses give themselves to each other mutually in every aspect of their person, physical and spiritual; *unity* which makes them "one flesh" (Gen 2:24); *indissolubility* and *fidelity* which the definitive mutual giving of self requires; the fruitfulness to which this naturally opens itself" (CSDC, No. 217).

As we reflect on the Holy Trinity one of the first things we notice is the inseparable relationship between the three distinct Persons who are the one God. The Father loves the Son, the Son loves the Father, and the Holy Spirit proceeds from the Father and Son. We might say that the life of the Triune God is the highest and supreme principle of familial relationship. This profound bond of unity among the three divine Persons makes them "inseparable in what they are," and "inseparable in what they do" (CCC No. 267). This inseparable unity also occurs in matrimony: that Christian marital bond between man and wife which is established and sealed by God himself (see CCC Nos. 1639-1640).

The Most Holy Trinity: Origin of Family Life

Let us too reflect on the life-giving aspect of the Holy Trinity. In the Nicene Creed Catholics affirm that the Holy Spirit "proceeds from the Father and the Son." The Holy Spirit is often understood as the Spirit of Love who proceeds from the infinite ocean of love between Father and Son. We might therefore say that the Holy Spirit proceeds not only from the love of Father and Son but as a *result* of that love as well. The infinite love of Father and Son is of such an intensity that the Third Person of the Holy Trinity flows forth, if you will.

This aspect of Love *giving life* to yet more Love is clearly what occurs in marriage when children are conceived. The man and wife, in an act of complete self-giving, produce, as a result of their own love for one another, a new life: a child whose eyes reflect the Most Holy Trinity, and whose love for the parents is so completely bound up in his or her life as to be inseparable from it. At birth, this child will look into his father's and mother's eyes; yet he is not meeting his parents for the first time; for he has already known and loved them. The family existed at the moment of the child's conception, bound together in unity and love.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMATION STUDENTS

We would like to congratulate our young people who



received the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 17th & 24th. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue on their journey of faith in Christ.

May God Bless You!

GOOD SHEPHERD MINISTRIES PROVIDE-A-MEAL PROGRAM

Thank you to all the parishioners that provided a meal to the Good Shepherd Centre. We donated 32 casseroles for May. The next pick up date is **Friday**, **June 1**st Please remember to drop off



your casseroles before **10:00 a.m.** and place it in the freezer in the Social Hall.

VOCATIONS OFFICE



Jesus has given us His Body to each and His Blood to drink so as to nourish us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to him on our journey as a married, single, ordained or consecrated person. If you think God is calling you to

be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Christ Lemieux, Vocation Director at 416-968-0997 or email: vocations@archtoronto.org

ROSARY RELAY FOR PRIESTS

The Rosary Path at Marylake Friday, June 8 at 2:30 p.m.

We invite you to join in praying the Rosary to encircle the world in prayer for the Sanctification of Priests.



<u>The Rosary Path at Marylake</u> (13760 Keele St., King City, ON.) is excited to have been chosen as one of two Canadian sites to

participate in the Worldpriest, Annual Global Rosary Relay for the Sanctification of Priests.

170 participating locations in 68 countries have been chosen to pray a particular mystery of the Rosary at an allocated half hour on this day in thanksgiving to God for our priests and to implore the protection and loving care of Our Lady, Mother of all priests, for all her priestly sons. With the coming of midnight on this day June 8, the entire world, will have been circled in prayer for our priests.

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