



St. Jerome's Parish

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Office Hours: Mon. to Fri. - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Sun. - 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Saturday: 9:10 a.m.
 Wednesday and Friday: 7:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday after the 9:10 morning Mass until 10:30 a.m.,
 or by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms take place on the last Sunday of the month. Parents must participate in a preparation class before they can set a date for their child's baptism. The Baptismal Registration Form is available online at our website, or may be picked up at the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact one of the priests at least one year in advance. A date for the wedding cannot set until the couple have their first interview with the priest. A marriage course is required. For more information call the parish office.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please introduce yourselves to the priests after Mass. Theresa Culliton, our Lay Pastoral Assistant, can fill you in on our parish groups and ministries. Help us to get to know you by filling out our parish registration form. You can email Theresa at culliton@stjeromeparish.ca We are a vibrant community of faith and we hope you will feel a part of our parish family.

Parish Staff

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| Pastor: | Msgr. Michael Busch |
| Associate: | Fr. Jibin Joy, MCBS |
| Lay Pastoral Associate: | Theresa Culliton |
| Parish Secretary: | Rocelyn Esposito |

Parish Elementary Schools

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| Our Lady of Peace, 15 Fincham Dr. | 905-452-7010 |
| Pauline Vanier, 56 Oaklea Blvd. | 905-455-1001 |
| St. Alphonsa, 60 Olivia Mare Rd. | 905-456-1403 |
| St. Brigid, 81 Torrance Woods | 905-454-0316 |
| St. Jacinta Marto, 40 Fallowfield Rd. | 905-459-1931 |
| St. Jean-Marie Vianney, 75 Jordensen Dr. | 905-497-6888 |
| St. Joseph, 8 Parkway Ave. | 905-451-8501 |
| St. Monica, 60 Sterritt Dr. | 905-454-6346 |

Parish Secondary Schools

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| St. Augustine, 27 Drinkwater Rd. | 905-450-9993 |
| St. Roch, 200 Valleyway Dr. | 905-456-8543 |

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



August 31st – September 5th

Friday, 9:10 a.m.

† Maria Esperanza Casis

† Duncan De Soyza

† Celia Fernandez

Special Intention – Shaamin Yogarathnam

Saturday, 9:10 a.m.

† Julies Fernandes

ShareLife Living the Gospel...

The Episcopal Board has granted permission for ShareLife to continue the campaign into the Fall of this year. As of June 30, 2020, the ShareLife office had received \$5.4 million from parishes for this year's campaign. The added collection weekends are:

- **September 12-13, 2020**
- **October 10-11, 2020**
- **November 7-8, 2020** (*if necessary*)



Register for Mass

A reminder to all parishioners that you are required to register for Sunday Mass and reserve your spot by obtaining a ticket. You simply go to the parish website:

<https://stjerome.archtoronto.org>

1. Click on the image "Register for Mass".
2. Select the date and time you will be attending.
3. Select the number of tickets required for your family members. Please note you will be seated together as a household.
4. Please arrive at least 25 minutes before the start of Mass.
5. City by-law requires you to wear a mask/face covering at Mass
6. Please bring your tickets or show your mobile ticket on your smartphone.
7. If you booked for 4 family members but only 3 members attends and you did not cancel the one ticket, please identify yourself as a family of 4 as you originally booked for.

Please note: Ticket registrations will close at 12:00 Noon on Fridays. Please call the parish during office hours (Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.) to cancel your Mass ticket.

If you do not have access to a computer, please call the parish office at 905-455-4260 to reserve your ticket by phone.



First Communion

Following the directions from the Cardinal, we are offering the opportunity for families to celebrate First Holy Communion should they wish to do so at this time

An email was sent out to all First Communion families inviting them to choose a date and Mass time during the four weeks of September. Only 6 families can be accommodated at each Mass. The dates are:

All Masses (Saturday 5:00pm and Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am and 12:00 Noon on:

- **September 5th & 6th**
- **September 12th & 13th**
- **September 19th & 20th**
- **September 26th & 27th**

To date, Saturday September 5, at 5:00 p.m., is full and many other dates and times already have 4 and 5 families booked. The only Mass time that is completely free is the 8:00 a.m. Mass on all weekends.

Instructions

1. Email Theresa at culliton@stjeromeparish.ca with your choice of date and time, name of child, and number of family members attending. Please give an alternate date/time in case your first choice is not available
2. Theresa will respond and confirm via email.

Once your spot has been confirmed, you will be instructed to book the actual seats with EventBrite. Reservations are opened 2 weeks prior to your chosen date so please book as soon as you can as seats go quickly. If you have not been to church since we re-opened this process will seem a little confusing. We are only allowed 120 people at each Mass. Every person attending must book a seat (they are free), or you will not be allowed into church.

We look forward to celebrating this special occasion with your child. Coming to the Table of the Lord to receive the Eucharist for the first time is an important event and while we recognize that it is not the celebration you hoped it would be, we are committed to making this celebration as meaningful and as spiritual as possible.

GUIDELINES FOR CONFESSION



The Sacrament of Reconciliation is now available. Please make note of the following guidelines when coming to the church for confession.

1. As per City by-law, you must wear a mask/face covering in the Church.
 2. Enter through the chapel door beside the St. Joseph Shrine when it is open. After you enter, close the door behind you.
 3. Stay behind the plexiglass shield for confession. You may kneel or sit.
 4. When finished, *'knock on'* the door you came in for the next person, then EXIT by the door into the gathering space.
 5. We cannot sanitize between each confession, so we ask you to please sanitize your hands before and immediately after the confession before you exit the Church.
 6. Leave the church by the side entrance. Say your penance in your car or at home.
 7. Please do NOT re-enter the Church to say your penance. It has been sanitized for the Sunday Vigil Mass.
- You may also book an appointment for Confession by calling the parish office at 905-455-4260.



3rd ANNUAL VIRTUAL PARISH MINISTRY CONFERENCE

October 30th & 31st
Registration is Open!

Hope and purpose are essential ingredients for a satisfying life. Learn from **Deacon Larry Oney**, our Parish Ministry Conference keynote speaker, about the importance of discovering your personal purpose and mission. Uncover all that God has in store for you and walk in your personal divine mission.

Interested in Cardinal Collins' take on holiness? Send your questions to Annalisa Parente at aparente@archtoronto.org by **October 28th** and we will present them to him during the live Q&A session.

Take advantage of our Early Bird price (\$15 per person) by registering at <https://lit.ly/2020PMC-Regiser> before **September 13th**. After which time prices go up to \$25 per person. For more information about registration, please visit: <https://bit.ly/2020PMC-FAQ>.

For more information, visit our website at www.archtoronto.org/conference.



WEBSTORE LAUNCH

The Daughters of St. Paul at Pauline Books & Media (3022 Dufferin Street, Toronto) are thrilled to announce the "grand opening" of their Canadian webstore, **PaulineStore.ca!** Visitors to **PaulineStore.ca** can now access Bibles, spiritual reading, and faith formation resources from Pauline Books & Media and other leading Catholic publishers, as well as book reviews and service through a forthcoming live chat feature.

Celebrate the launch of **PaulineStore.ca** with 15% off your first online purchase until September 21, 2020.



PRAYER

Dear Jesus,

Let your light shine in our Catholic Schools, let your grace rain down bringing hope to each person we encounter, bringing wisdom to our teachers and leaders, bringing strength in times of trial. Protect us from harm. Let the children come to you, for the kingdom of God is theirs.

St. Thomas Aquinas, patron saint of Catholic Schools, pray for us.

Amen.



WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

August 16th: \$5,665.00

August 23rd: \$4,107.00

To cover our monthly expenses (utilities, salary, room & board for our priests, basic maintenance supplies, etc.) church needs a minimum of \$25,000 each month



Monday, September 7, 2020

Daily Mass at 9:10 a.m.

The parish office will be closed. The church will close after the morning Mass.


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