

Parish Staff

Pastor: Msgr. Michael Busch Associate Pastor: Fr. Prem Addagatla, M.Ss.Cc. Lay Pastoral Associate: Theresa Culliton Lay Pastoral Associate: Adrian Gill Parish Secretary: Rocelyn Esposo

Parish Elementary Schools

Our Lady of Peace, 15 Fincham Dr.	905-452-7010
Pauline Vanier, 56 Oaklea Blvd.	905-455-1001
St. Alphonsa, 60 Olivia Marie Rd.	905-456-1403
St. Brigid, 81 Torrance Woods	905-454-0316
St. Jacinta Marto, 40 Fallowfield Rd.	905-366-5732
St. Jean-Marie Vianney, 75 Jordenson Dr.	905-497-6888
St. Joseph, 8 Parkway Ave.	905-451-8501
St. Monica, 60 Sterritt Dr.	905-454-6346

Parish Secondary Schools

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

St. Jerome's Parish

8530 Chinguacousy Road, Brampton, ON. L6Y 5G4 Tel. 905-455-4260 Email: office@stjeromeparish.ca Website: stjeromeparish.ca

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sunday, 8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

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

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Saturday: 9:10 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays: 9:45 a.m. (after the morning Mass)

BAPTISMS

Baptisms take place on Sundays, twice a month. Parents must participate in a preparation class before setting a date for their child's baptism. A Baptismal Registration Form is available online on our website, or in 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 will be set at the couple's first interview with the priest. A marriage course is required. For more information call the parish office.

FUNERALS

Please contact the church before making plans with the Funeral home.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please introduce yourselves to the priests after Mass and fill out our parish registration form. Theresa Culliton, our Lay Pastoral Associate, can fill you in on our parish groups and ministries. We are a vibrant community of faith and we hope you will feel a part of our parish family.



Monday, 9:10 a.m. † Emil Perez

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m. † Marilia Mariano

Wednesday, 9:10 a.m.

Thursday, 9:10 a.m. ⁺ Decease members of the D'Souza Family

> Friday, 9:10 a.m. † Rosalia Sciascia

Saturday, 9:10 a.m.

† Anthony McLeod

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES WITH NO INFORMATION



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We have too many offertory envelopes being used without any information on the parishioner/household who is using these envelopes. If you have the following envelope number in your

possession, please call the parish office to ensure the envelope number is assigned to you.

#4, #166, #370, #381, #438, #476,

#521, #556, #558, #599

Canada Revenue Agency requires a full name and complete address for a tax donation receipt to be issued.



For the month of July and August the parish office will be open on: Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays,

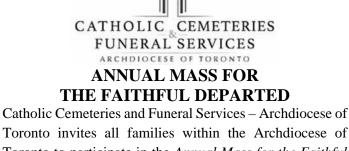
> 9:00 a.m. – 4 p.m. Sundays, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. (closed Thursdays & Fridays)

Regular parish office hours will resume on September 6th.



OFFERTORY

July 3rd: **\$5,15.00** June PAG: \$7,868.08



Toronto invites all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday, August 17th at 7:00 p.m.

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CEMETERY	CELEBRANT	
Assumption, Mississauga	Most. Rev. Ivan Camilleri	
Christ the King, Markham	Most Rev. Robert Kasun	
Holy Cross, Thornhill	His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins	
Mount Hope, Toronto	Rev. Msgr. Paul Zimmer	
Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge	Rev. Msgr. John Borean	
Resurrection, Whitby	Most. Rev. Vincent Nguyen	
St. Mary's, Barrie	Most Rev. John Boissonneau	

SUMMER ATTIRE

As we enter the summer months and vacation time, we are all grateful for a time of rest and relaxation. The coming months can best be characterized as "casual". However, we respectfully ask that all parishioners make an effort to dress appropriately for the Sunday Eucharist.



Beach and gym attire are not appropriate for Mass. Please refrain from wearing shorts, tank/tube tops, flip-flops, etc. Our respect for the Lord and our fellow parishioners demands that we dress appropriately when attending Mass.



CALLING CATHOLIC LAWYERS

If you are a lawyer, we would like to hear from you! The Archdioceses of Toronto has spent a number of vears creating a network of Catholic lawyers who understand our faith and can provide professional service related to Will preparation and writing to other Catholics in our archdiocese. Be a part of our network where you have the opportunity to integrate your spiritual and professional life. For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 or email:

development@archtoronto.org



14th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

The Good Samaritan

The law of God is not so distant that it is difficult to find, nor so complex that it takes a theologian to be able to understand and practice it. Rather, as Moses tells the people in the first reading, the law of the Lord is already in our hearts; all it takes is carrying it out. Everything that we need to know about what it takes to do God's will and build up His kingdom here on earth is written by God in our hearts! Knowledge of the law, however, is only half the battle; what we do as a response to the law is what makes us disciples of Jesus. Jesus was aware of this when sharing the parable of the Good Samaritan. In the parable, the priest and Levite who passed the beaten-up traveller were not evil people. Both these men were men of God, and they knew that if this traveller was dead, by touching him the Jewish purity laws would make them unclean. Thus, they didn't want to take that risk, and chose to pass by him on their way to Jericho. What made the Samaritan the hero in the parable is the fact that he was willing to take a chance and put himself on the line for the sake of the other. The Samaritan was not "choosy" with who he helped and acted out of genuine love. As stewards, when we share the gifts of our time and talent with others, do we imitate the Samaritan by being generous with our gifts and showing no partiality, or do we behave like the priest and Levite and act only out of self-interest? Is there a way in which we are being called by God to share our gifts, but we hold back? If we find that we are not truly giving our best to the Lord, let us renew our efforts to give to God the best of what we can offer, whether it be through prayer, or volunteering our time with our parish, etc.

Summary

Everything that we need to know about doing the will of God, building up his kingdom and following God's law is written by God in our hearts. The parable of the Good Samaritan reminds us how it is easy to know the right thing to do but harder to act on this knowledge out of love. As God's stewards, let us strive to be like the Good Samaritan, who gave himself completely out of love for the other, seeking nothing in return



Mass Intentions will be accepted in person, over the phone and by email. Please call the parish office first to ensure the date you requested is available. A donation of \$20 for each Mass selected on a specific date. Mass Intentions are offered during the daily Mass, Monday to Saturday at 9:10 a.m..



A bequest in your will to our church is an acknowledgement of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can have a favourable impact on yrou overall estate plan. Bequest are not just for the wealthy. Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities or departments in your will. Let your will reflect your Catholic values. We have a free estate planning guide to help you make your plan. The Archdiocese of Toronto also maintains a list of advisors across the GTA who are available to assist in your estate planning and the preparation of a will. Pelase contact us at developement@archtoronto.org for a list of Catholic estate advisors in your area. And remember the importance of using the correct legal names when arranging bequest of other planned gifts.



We will suspend our parish bulletin for the Summer. Our last bulletin will be July 10^{th} . We will resume the parish bulletin on August 28^{th} .

Our parish website will be updated throughout the Summer.



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