

# St. Jerome's Parish

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## PARISH STAFF

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**MAY THE SPIRIT OF GOD  
LEAD YOU THROUGH  
THE NEW YEAR**



**MASS INTENTIONS**

January 8<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>

**Monday, 9:10 a.m.**

**Tuesday, 9:10 a.m.**

† Paul Christopher Hintzen

**Wednesday, 9:10 a.m.**

† Carmelita Tia-Guilas

**Thursday, 9:10 a.m.**

**Friday, 9:10 a.m.**

† Rev. Edwin Savundara

**Saturday, 9:10 a.m.**

† Nicola Musacchio



**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**NO MONDAY MORNING MASSES**

Please make a note, Monday morning Masses will be suspended from January 15 to February 5, 2024. Monday morning Mass will resume on **Monday, February 12, 2024 at 9:10 a.m.**

**NO EVENING MASS ON JANUARY 5<sup>th</sup>**

Please note there will be no Eucharistic Adoration or evening Mass on Friday, January 5, 2024. We will resume on **Friday, February 2, 2024**

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



St. Jerome's will be using the Archdiocesan provided website: <https://stjerome.archtoronto.org>  
The new office email will be: [stjerome@archtoronto.org](mailto:stjerome@archtoronto.org)

**OFFERTORY**

December 24<sup>th</sup>: \$8,615

Christmas: \$12,140

*Thank you for your generosity*



**2024 SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION OPENS JANUARY 15<sup>th</sup>**

Parents who have a child in grade 7 will receive a letter from St. Jerome's Parish through the parish schools. The letter outlines the necessary process for your child's preparation for Confirmation. For more information and how to register please visit the NEW parish website: <https://stjerome.archtoronto.org> or contact our Lay Pastoral Associate, Theresa Culliton at [culltion@stjeromeparish.ca](mailto:culltion@stjeromeparish.ca)

*The deadline to register is February 2, 2024*

**2024 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES**

The 2024 boxes of offertory envelopes are now available in the gathering space. The offertory boxes are not labelled. All parishioners will get a **NEW** envelope number for 2024. Just pick-up a box, fill the first 4 envelopes with your full name, address and telephone number or call the parish office during the weekday to add your NEW 2024 envelope number to your parishioner file. You can also complete a parishioner registration form (yellow) on the bookcase in the gathering space.



*Please DO NOT use envelopes from previous year.*

*All 2023 Envelope numbers will be deleted.*

*Thank You*

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The Society of St. Vincent de Paul St. Jerome Conference wishes to thank our amazing parishioners, including the Knights of Columbus, for their generous support of our Christmas fundraiser: **Together we raised over 10,000!** These funds will directly support the food needs in our parish. We could not do it without you, and we are so grateful to belong to this parish.



JANUARY 7, 2024



## 2024 MASS INTENTION REQUESTS

Mass Intention requests at St. Jerome's can be taken over the phone or via email. Please check with the office in advance to ensure the date you request is available. Mass intentions (maximum 2 names) are offered at the 9:10 morning Mass on: **Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday:** Single Mass intention

**Wednesday & Friday:** Maximum 5 Mass intentions

**First Friday of the Month (7:00 p.m. Mass):** Maximum. 5 Mass intentions

Once the date is confirmed and the Mass intention recorded, you can drop off the donation, cash or cheque in an envelope **labelled** with the date and name of the intention being offered, your name and telephone in the locked mailbox at the entrance of the church or directly to the parish office. The Archdiocese of Toronto has suggested Mass Intention donations at \$20 for each date.



## INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND UPDATE

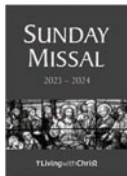
On December 12, 2023 the Archdiocese of Toronto announced the first phase of funding as part of our \$6 million commitment to the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund (IRF). Through the tremendous generosity of parishioners throughout the archdiocese, including our own parish, more than \$2.7 million has been directed through the IRF to organizations and projects committed to promoting healing and reconciliation for communities and families.

Recipients include **Aboriginal Legal Services** located in Toronto, Ontario, that will receive \$538,000 to help fund their Indigenous family dispute resolution program called *Giiwedin Anang*.

Thank you for your continued prayers and ongoing support as we journey together on the path of healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land.

To learn more, visit

[www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation](http://www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation)



## 2024 SUNDAY MISSALS NOW ON SALE

The 2024 *Living with Christ* Sunday Missals are available for purchase at the parish office. **Cost \$7, cash only**



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By Baptism we are God's holy family. Pray today for the grace to live faithfully your vocation as a single, married, ordained, or consecrated person. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

Website: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)



## CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS with Archbishop Francis Leo February 11, 2024 at 3 p.m.

As part of Marriage Sunday 2024 celebrations, Archbishop Francis Leo will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, especially those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> or 60+) in 2024. The Mass will take place **at 3 p.m. on Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto)**. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass.

All are welcome to attend. Couples celebrating a 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> or 60+ anniversary in 2024 may register for reserved seating. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass. Registration and other important information can be found at [www.archtoronto.org/marriage](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage)

For questions, please email: [formation@archtoronto.org](mailto:formation@archtoronto.org) or call 416-934-9-3400, ext. 523.



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