



St. Jerome's Parish

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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.

Parish Staff

Pastor: Msgr. Michael Busch

Associate Pastor: Fr. Prem Addagatla, M.Ss.Cc.

Lay Pastoral Associate: Theresa Culliton

Office Manager: Rocelyn Esposito

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

LENT

Pray + Fast + Give

February 19th – 24th

Monday, 9:10 a.m.

† Rudolph Anthony Scurville

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m.

Wednesday, 9:10 a.m.

Thursday, 9:10 a.m.

† Stella Fernandes

Friday, 9:10 a.m.

Thanksgiving – Noel Jingco (60th Birthday)

Saturday, 9:10 a.m.

† Ursula Braganca



If you have never received the Sacrament of Confirmation, Fr. Prem is offering preparation classes for Adults 18 years and older. The classes will take place during the six weeks of Lent and you will be confirmed at the Easter Vigil with our RCIA Catechumens and Candidates. If you are interested, please email Theresa Culliton our Lay Pastoral Associate at culliton@stjeromeparish.ca or speak to her after Mass in the gathering space.

2023 TAX DONATION RECEIPTS

The Archdiocese of Toronto has outsourced the distribution of your 2023 Tax Donation receipts. All 2023 Tax Donation receipts are scheduled to be received in your mailbox on or before **February 9, 2024**.



Office & Church Closed

The parish office is closed on **Monday, February 19th**. The Church will close after the 9:10 a.m. Mass.

Enjoy your day with your family



Feb. 11th: \$6,726
 Maintenance: \$3,130
Thank you for your generosity



LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSION

During the week of March 10th and 17th, each parish in the Archdiocese of Toronto will be holding a **Day of Confession**. Let us make the journey into the heart of our relationship with God. Take a long, loving look at the ways God calls us to grow. Take this challenge and hold it in readiness for the rich blessing that is manifest in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Our parish date is:

Tuesday, March 12th

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.



After volunteering for over 30 years, Donna Rodrigues-Cordiero, our Choir Director at the 12:00 noon Mass on Sunday will be retiring. Donna has provided strong leadership, added greatly to the spiritual worship of this community and offered enduring faithful witness to those in her choir, inspiring many to offer their own voice in service to God. We will miss her greatly. Donna will be with us until after Easter and has offered to help anyone who would like to take up this challenging and rewarding ministry. If you are interested in Directing the 12:00 noon choir, or need more information, please contact Msgr. Michael at the parish office or see him after Mass.



OFFICE FOR REFUGEES

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The Archdiocese's Office for Refugees is excited to announce the commencement of its 2024 Refugee Sponsorship Program for Parishioners. This initiative is designed to aid parishioners interested in sponsoring family members seeking refugee resettlement. If you are a parishioner and wish to sponsor a family member, kindly reach out to the parish office to arrange a meeting with the pastor. Interested parishioners will be asked to provide the necessary funds required for sponsorship.



STATIONS of the CROSS EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT

We will meditate on the Stations of the Cross every Friday evening during the Season of Lent after the **7:00 p.m. Mass**.
Feb. 23rd - Stations of the Cross for Parents
All are welcome to attend.



LEGACY GIFTS TO ANY PART OF THE ARCHDIOCESE

If you have included your parish or favourite archdiocesan charity in your Will or estate plan, please let us know. Through the Legacy Society of the Archdiocese of Toronto, we would like to say a special thank you. All Legacy Society members are invited to the Annual Legacy Society Lunch & Mass by the Archdiocese of Toronto. They also receive:

- A hand-crafted cross, blessed by the Archbishop of Toronto.
- A personal letter and certificate acknowledging your intention.
- Invitations to Legacy Society functions and other special events

Let your legacy be a testament of your faith! All Legacy Society members have the option of remaining anonymous. If you have any questions, please contact the Development Office at development@archtoronto.org or 416 934 3400 ext. 519.

GOOD FRIDAY – March 29th

OUTDOOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS



The Knights of Columbus (Council 9235) will be hosting its 27th Annual Stations of the Cross on Good Friday, **Friday, March 29th at 9 a.m.** at the steps of the Brampton City Hall. This is an opportunity to reflect in prayer upon the sufferings within our community and the world united with the Cross of Jesus. Rain, snow or shine. Please

wear comfortable walking shoes and dress appropriately for the weather conditions.



ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY LENT RETREAT

Plan for a retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary! You are invited to join us on **February 24th, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.** for our Spirit & Life Series Lenten Retreat with Fr. Eric Rodrigues. This event will be held at St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough.

The theme of the retreat will be 'The Holy of Holies,' in which Fr. Eric will explain the various rituals and prayers of the Mass.

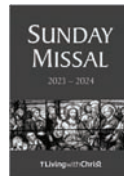
Please register early, as space is limited for in-person events: <https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/st-augustines-spirit-life-series-lenten-retreat>. Telephone: 416-261-7207



GETTING MARRIED SOON?

Joy Filled Marriage Program

St. Francis Centre will be hosting their *Pre-Marriage* weekend retreat utilizing the Joy Filled Marriage Program, the weekend of **April 26th-28th**. If you are interested in participating, please contact St. Francis Centre at 519-941-1747 or via email: admin@stfranciscentre.org for information. Website: www.stfranciscentre.net



2024 SUNDAY MISSALS GET YOURS TODAY!

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

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