



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

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St. Alphonsa, 60 Olivia Marie Rd. 905-456-1403

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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

MASS INTENTIONS

March 18th – 23rd

Monday, 9:10 a.m.

† Gerardo Rulloda

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m.

† Ramon Monzon

Wednesday, 9:10 a.m.

† Mary Daley

† Alfredo DeCicco

† John Gonsalves

Special Intention – P.J. Hintzen

Thursday, 9:10 a.m.

Special Intention – Gerard D’Souza

Friday, 9:10 a.m.

† Tomas Cabison-Yntig

† John Gonsalves

Special Intention – P.J. Hintzen

Friday, 7 p.m.

† Mary Daley

† Celine Mbeng Obi & Sylvester Arrey Ndip

† Albert Ocran & Robert Mills

Saturday, 9:10 a.m.

† Alfredo DeCicco

THIS WEEKEND IS SHARELIFE SUNDAY

ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish’s annual campaign.

Every day, young people in our community need a helping hand due to homelessness, trafficking, or violence. ShareLife agencies ensure the safety of youth fleeing violent homes and provide them a supportive place to stay. This is all made possible thanks to amazing people like you who choose to support ShareLife. We thank you for your kindness and generosity.

Our parish goal this year is **\$60,500**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website www.stjerome.archtoronto.org) or at www.sharelife.org/donate



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.**

Mar. 22nd - Stations of the Cross for the Youth
All are welcome to attend.



PALM SUNDAY: March 23rd & 24th

Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses – 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

HOLY MONDAY: Morning Mass, 9:10 a.m.

HOLY TUESDAY: NO morning Mass

HOLY WEDNESDAY: Morning Mass, 9:10 a.m.

HOLY THURSDAY (NO morning Mass)

March 28th – 7:00 p.m.

MASS OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Please note this is the only Mass celebrated today

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until

10:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY (NO morning Mass) *Office closed*

March 29th - 11:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S PASSION

With Liturgy of the Word

HOLY SATURDAY (NO morning Mass)

There is no liturgical celebration on Holy Saturday morning. The very absence of celebration is the Church’s way of expression that she waits at the Lord’s tomb meditating on his suffering and death.

EASTER VIGIL

Saturday, March 30th – 8:00 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY: March 31st

The Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

“The Resurrection of the Lord

ST. PATRICK’S DAY COFFEE MORNING

Wednesday, March 20th

In celebration of St. Patrick’s Day, our usual monthly Wednesday coffee morning has been moved to **Wednesday, March 20th after the morning Mass.**

If you would like to contribute by bringing a dozen muffins/donuts, or a coffee cake etc. please email Theresa and let her know, culliton@stjeromeparish.ca

All contributions gratefully accepted. All are welcome



March 10th: **\$8,680**

Maintenance: **\$3,506**

Thank you for your generosity

**MUSIC CHOIR DIRECTOR NEEDED
FOR THE 12 NOON & 5 P.M.**



Donna Rodrigues-Cordiero, our Choir Director at the 12:00 noon Mass on Sunday is retiring after Easter. Mary Anne Braganca, who graciously leads two of our choirs, now wishes to concentrate her efforts on the 10:00am Sunday choir. That means we will also need a

director for the 5:00pm Choir on Saturday. If you would like to be a part of this challenging and rewarding ministry by directing the 12 Noon Sunday or 5 p.m. Saturday choir, please contact the parish office.

These are volunteer positions

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
FOOD ITEMS NEEDED**

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul needs the following non-perishable items:



- Individual fruit & pudding cups
- Pancake mix & syrup
- Canned evaporated milk
- Cooking oil
- Small bags of rice
- Cookies & crackers

Please place your items in the SSVD Food bin in the gathering space.

Thank you for your support!

While we appreciate your generosity, please **do not** put clothing in the food bin. We will be having a clothing drive in early Spring.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
LENTEN SOUP**



St. Jerome's Knights of Columbus are inviting parishioners for Lenten Soup in the parish hall on **Friday, March 22nd, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.** followed by evening Mass and the Stations of the Cross.

Knights of Columbus will be preparing and serving the soup.

Interested in Catholic young adults' community (18-39) at St. Jerome's or nearby Churches?
Email: stjeromeyagers@gmail.com

**2023 ANNUAL REPORT
TO THE FAITHFUL**

PARISH RECEIPTS

Offertory	\$ 447,690.65
Special Diocesan Collections*	\$ 64,795.45
Other Collections	\$ 15,507.85
Easter & Christmas	\$ 27,559.75
Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals	\$ 12,816.00
Mass Offerings/Intentions	\$ 11,390.00
Other Donations	\$ 5,250.00
Hall Revenue/Bank Interest	\$ 1,977.57
Parish Program Receipts	\$ 24,925.00
Sundry Receipts	\$ 121,627.59
Investments withdrawn	\$ 19,925.86
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	\$ 753,465.72

PARISH PAYMENTS

Clergy & Staff Salaries & Benefits	\$ 231,794.46
Taxes, Insurance, Utilities, Office	\$ 69,227.98
Hall, Repairs & Renewals	\$ 8,457.00
Church, Grounds, Liturgical	\$ 62,765.52
Diocesan Assmt. /Clergy Health	\$ 102,285.00
Rectory Expenses	\$ 38,045.93
Parish Program Expense	\$ 21,566.24
Sundry Expense	\$ 52,786.27
Furnishing & Equipment	\$ 17,155.23
Major Repairs	\$ 53,085.05
New Investments	\$ 5,034.53
Sub-Total:	\$ 662,203.21
Special Diocesan Collection	\$ 36,287.95
TOTAL PAYMENTS:	\$ 698,491.16

***SPECIAL DIOCESAN COLLECTION**

ShareLife	\$ 34,550.00
Humanitarian Relief	\$ 2,835.00
Shepherd's Trust	\$ 6,075.00
Evangelization of Nations	\$ 2,735.00
Needs of the Canadian Church	\$ 2,461.45
Extensions & S.F.M.	\$ 2,484.70
Healing & Reconciliation	\$ 70.00
Holy Land	\$ 6,765.00
Marygrove Camp	\$ 2,329.10
Mission Co-op	\$ 1,335.00
Papal Charities	\$ 3,155.20
TOTAL:	\$ 64,795.45

Cash Balance: Start of the Year:	\$ 73,359.02
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	\$ 753,465.72
	826,824.74

Cash Balance: End of the Year:	\$ 128,333.58
TOTAL PAYMENTS:	\$ 698,491.16
	826,824.74

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