

Pastoral Team

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 905-451-8501

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 905-454-6346

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St. Jerome's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday, - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch daily, 12-1 p.m.)

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
(Between the Mass times, not during Mass)

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. Friday: 7 p.m. (Holy Hour at 6 p.m.)

RECONCILIATION:

Friday: 6:10 - 6:45 p.m. Saturday: 8:30 - 9 a.m.

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 at the parish office on Sunday. Parents must be registered parishioners.

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 and pick up a box of offertory envelopes. We are a vibrant community of faith and we hope you will feel a part of our parish family.

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

As we journey together through this Jubilee Holy Year, I want to offer my deepest gratitude for your charitable heart and great faith. In a time of economic hardship, you



chose to trust in God's providence and extend your love to those in need. Your compassion has made it possible for so many lives to be touched by God's goodness. I give thanks to the Lord for you-for the way you cared for the suffering, for the way you stood as a beacon of hope. Your kindness has strengthened the bonds of faith-filled giving within the archdiocese, reflecting the faith and virtues that unite us as one. Last year, I invited you to say "yes" to God's call—to see His face in those who struggle. Your response was a testament to the depth of your faith and love. Because of your generous spirit, our community of faith came together to raise an extraordinary \$14.4 million for the ShareLife Parish Campaign. This outpouring of love speaks to the depth of your commitment to caring for others. Your sacrificial gifts breathed life into the work of ShareLife-funded agencies, enabling them to continue their mission of caring for the hungry, the homeless, the lonely, and those seeking a new beginning. Your support of the ShareLife Campaign is a reflection of the love of God poured into our hearts, a love that brings hope and never disappoints. Because of your selfless giving, so many in our community have found strength to move forward. May God bless you abundantly for the love you have shared. May He grant you and your loved ones peace, joy, and the lasting comfort of His presence.

Sincerely yours in Jesus with Mary,



Frank Cardinal Leo Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto

BAPTISMS



On Sunday, February 23rd, we welcomed into our faith community through the waters of

Dominic Kidane, Jaylie Melo-Cameron, & Jeremy Nwankwo

MASS INTENTIONS March 3rd – 8th

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

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m. † Joey Ostoma

Ash Wednesday, 9:10 a.m.

† Tomas & Hermelinda De Guzman † John Gonsalves † Charles & Riccardo Schembri

Ash Wednesday, 12 Noon

Ash Wednesday, 7 p.m.

† Felixberto Pascual

Thursday, 9:10 a.m. † Santiago & Joseph

Thursday, 7 p.m.

† Felixberto Pascual

Friday, 9:10 a.m.

Special Intention – Grace & Angela Yogaretnam Special Intention – To End World Conflicts † Florence Koshy & Maxie Almeida † JC & Ema Almeida † Feelix Yogaretnam & Joseph Nesaratnam

Friday, 7 p.m.

Special Intention – SSVD Members & their families † Marcia Mann † Michael& Katarina Miklausic † Felixberto Pascual † Maria & Herberto Velez

> Saturday, 9:10 a.m. † Visconti Rigoletta



ANNOUNCING THE 2025 SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN

As we approach our first ShareLife Sunday collection on March 30, it is essential that we come together in compassion to meet our Parish Campaign goal, addressing the

growing needs in our communities. By reaching this goal, our agencies will continue to: · offer walk-in counselling to those facing mental health issues · help victims of domestic violence · ensure isolated seniors are not forgotten · distribute food to families in our community · form priests and deacons who will minister in our parishes Your support of ShareLife makes these programs possible, among many others. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.



March 5th is Ash Wednesday. We will be celebrating the distribution of ashes at three Masses that day, 9:10 a.m., 12:00 Noon and 7:00 p.m.

Ash Wednesday begins the season of Lent and is a universal day of fasting and abstinence. The Lenten season continues for 40 days and six Sundays. During this time, we are called to increase our prayer, fast and abstain from meat on Fridays of Lent and to do works of charity.

Evening Masses during Lent will begin on Thursday, March 6th – April 15th at 7 p.m.

The Stations of the Cross will be celebrated on Friday evenings of Lent, <u>after the 7:00 p.m. Mass.</u> Beginning on Friday, March 7th.



We will meditate on the <u>Stations of the Cross</u> every Friday evening during the Season of Lent after the **7:00 p.m.** Mass beginning on Friday, March 7th.

All are welcome to attend.



Canned Tuna Canned Salmon Canned Sardines Corn Beef

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

We are asking our parishioner to help with our collection of food supplies for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to support the marginalized in our community:

Canned corn
Canned Beans
Peanut Butter
Jam
Cooking oil
Kraft Dinner
Canned corn
2lb bag of rice
2lb bag of sugar
Pasta Sauce
Cooking oil
School snacks

Thank you for your support!



2025 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES WITH NO INFORMATION

We have a few 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 for your tax donations.

#6	#229	#504	#542
#584	#529	#665	#730
#756			

Canada Revenue Agency requires a full name and complete address for issuing tax donation receipts.

Please <u>do NOT</u> use offertory envelopes from past years. Past envelope numbers are <u>deleted each year</u> in January.

ST. JEROME'S YOUTH GROUP LIFT JESUS HIGH RALLY



St. Jerome's Youth Ministry Life Teen Program for youths in grade 9 to grade 12, will be attending the Lift Jesus High Rally on Saturday, March 29th at the Metro Convention Center, downtown

Toronto, with St. Patrick's Youth Ministry, Brampton. Parents of registered Life Teen members interested in their child attending please contact via email: stjerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org



FAMILY PASTA DINNER & MOVIE Saturday, March 29th at 6 p.m.

This a fundraiser event organized by our CWL & Knights of Columbus. All are invited, only 100 tickets available. Tickets on sale after all the weekend Masses in the gathering space. Cost:

Adult: \$25 / Teen: \$15 / Child (5-12 years old): \$5

Under 5 years old: Free



OFFERTORY
February 23rd: \$8,536



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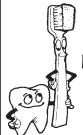
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