

St. Jerome's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday, - 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 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 & 6:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Saturday: 9:10 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Friday: 6:10 - 6:45 p.m.

Saturday: 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

Pastoral Team

Pastor: Fr. James Cherickal

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

In Residence: Fr. Phong Nguyen

Deacon: Mr. Norberto Aquino

Office Manager: Rocelyn Esposo

Youth Minister: Perla Sayah

Volunteer Sacramental Coord.: Donna Shotwell

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

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

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.

Pastor's Corner

My dear Parishioners,

This week I write to you with mixed emotions. Today, as I pen this note, we bid farewell to Fr. Prem, who has served our parish faithfully for the past three years, including the

past year as my close collaborator in ministry.

Fr. Prem has truly found a place in all our hearts through his joyful service and his warm presence. His homilies, filled with wisdom and insight, have inspired and uplifted us. I take this opportunity to thank Fr. Prem sincerely for his dedication and support, and I pray that the Lord may bless him abundantly in his new role as Administrator of Holy Family Parish in Bolton.

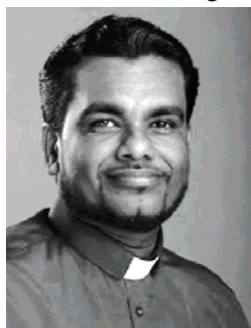
Looking ahead, we welcome Fr. Gomi Fernando, who has been appointed as our new Associate Pastor. He will be joining us in August, and we look forward to his presence and ministry among us.

*With gratitude and blessings,
Fr. James Cherickal*



OUR NEW ASSOCIATE PASTOR, FR. GOMI FERNANDO

Father Gomi Fernando was ordained on January 28, 2012 in Sri Lanka. For the next three years, served as an Associate Pastor in three parishes within the Kurunegala district in Sri Lanka. He became the Pastor of the Sacred Heart Church with three mission Churches and served for over three years. Fr. Gomi was appointed by the Sri Lankan Bishop Conference as one of the Spiritual Directors in the National Seminary for Ampitiya in the city of Kandy, to which he served for more than three years.



With the blessing of his Bishop and the Archdiocese of Toronto, Fr. Gomi was granted the opportunity to come to Canada in 2022. As a resident priest, he served at St. Mary's Church in Barrie for five months. Fr. Gomi was then assigned his first parish as the Associate Pastor at Marguerite D'Youville Parish, Brampton. After two years at St. Marguerite D'Youville, Fr. Gomi was appointed as the hospital Chaplain for Toronto General Hospital, Toronto Rehab, and Mount Sinai Hospital where he has been serving for the past nine months.

Please welcome Fr. Gomi to St. Jerome's Parish as our newly appointed Associate Pastor!

MASS INTENTIONS

June 29th – July 5th

Sunday, 8 a.m.

† Hoang Thi Tran

Sunday, 10 a.m.

Special Intention - St. Jerome's Parishioners

Sunday, 12 p.m.

† Rob Pilla

Monday, 9:10 a.m.

† Christopher & Piedade Mascarenhas

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m.

Special Intention – Connie Perera

Wednesday, 9:10 a.m.

† Shervanthi Rajah

† Charles & Riccarda Schembri

Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Thanksgiving – Shehan Rajah

Friday, 9:10 a.m.

Special Intention – Grace & Angela Yogaretnam

† Jerome & Felizardo Cabion

† Felix Yogaretnam & Joseph Mesaratnam

Friday, 7 p.m.

Special Intention – SSVD Memebers & Their Families

† Ivan Miranda & Lorna Rego

† Janet Ramikissoon

† Dominador Sabanal

Please pray for our Sick

Baby Noah Colletta, Romeo Meleca, Vilma Mordido, Isaia Mazzuchin, Eliza Rodriguez, Judy Sacco, David Torrijos, Stephen Wong & Luz Viminda



MARTHA'S MINISTRY HIGH TEA

Sunday, October 19th, 1:30-4:30 p.m.

All our invited to attend our High Tea Fundraiser, on **Sunday, October 19, 2025, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.** There will be high tea baked treats, entertainment, prizes and tea.

Tickets (\$30) can be purchased in advance, please contact 905-451-5712 or sjmarthaministry@gmail.com

We ask all attendees to dress in your Sunday best (dresses, jackets, ties, hats and fascinators).

BAPTISMAL MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



St Jerome's Parish is establishing a new Baptismal Ministry to assist in welcoming our newest members to our Catholic community. We are looking for volunteers to assist with a short preparation session for parents and to support activities at the Baptisms.

Baptismal Ministry team members can expect to participate once every 2-3 months. For more information on joining this beautiful ministry, please contact the parish office.

JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO MARTYR'S SHRINE

Sunday, August 24, 2025

All are welcome and encouraged to attend the Archdiocese of Toronto's Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Martyr's Shrine in Midland on **Sunday, August 24, 2025** with Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto. The program will include opportunities for the Sacrament of Reconciliation Holy Mass with Cardinal Leo, a rosary procession, Eucharistic Adoration, Benediction and Fellowship. For more information, visit: www.archtoronto.org/jubilee



C.W.L DINNER DANCE FUNDRAISER

Friday, September 19, 2025

Europa Banquet Hall (7050b Bramalea Rd., Miss.)

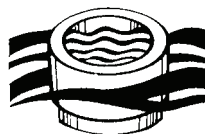
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OFFERTORY
June 22nd: \$7,475

BAPTISMS

We welcomed into our faith community through the waters of Baptism:



June 8th: *Gianna Cabanig*

June 22nd: *Luca Littlejohn & Nathaniel Manzo*

ROSARY APOSTOLATE MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Rosary Apostolate in our parish schools are seeking volunteers who have a great devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit our parish elementary schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of only 8 days a year. Training, screening, and materials will be provided.



If you are interested, please contact Ruth DSouza at 647-389-4373 or ruth_darryl@yahoo.ca

TOTUS TUUS

August 10-15, 2025



Parents of school aged children are invited to register for St. Jerome's Totus Tuus Summer Camp week, **August 10th – 15th**:

Day camp for grades 1-6, 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Evening camp for grade 7-12, 6-9 p.m.

Please visit our parish website for registration and more information.



ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services – Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the *Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed* on **Wednesday, August 13th at 7:00 p.m.**

CEMETERY	CELEBRANT
Assumption, Mississauga	Most Reverend Ivan Camilleri

Please refer to the Archdiocese website for more information on the other Catholic cemeteries.

This will be the last bulletin for the Summer. Next bulletin will be August 24th. Please refer to our parish website for current updates.

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