



St. Jerome's Parish

RENEW FOR MISSION

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Pastor: Fr. James Cherickal | **Associate Pastor:** Fr. Gomi Fernando

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Norbert Aquino | **Office Manager:** Rocelyn Esposo

Youth Minister: Perla Sayah

Office Hours

Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. (closed for lunch, 12 - 1 p.m.)

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

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 p.m. & 6 p.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday to Saturday: 9 a.m.

Wednesday & Friday: 7 p.m.

Confession

Monday to Saturday: 8:30 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.

Wednesday & Friday: 6:30 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.

No confession on weekends and major feast days.

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. Would you like to join any ministry? Please contact the ministry you are interested in.

Sacrament of Baptism

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, for a minimum of six months, using offertory envelopes.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact one of the priests at least one year in advance. One must be a registered parishioner, using offertory envelopes. 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.

Funeral

Please contact the Church before making plans with the Funeral home.

RCIA

The RCIA program (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a process designed for adults who wish to become Catholic or complete their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation). Candidates meet weekly for lectures from September to Easter, and journey along other candidates, mature Catholics who act as mentors, and the program teachers. Interested candidates, please contact the parish office.

Adoration Chapel

Open daily from 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. All are welcome for quiet time, prayer and reflections with Our Lord.

Parish Ministries

Altar Servers	sj.altarservers8530@gmail.com
Baptism Preparation Ministry	TBD
Bereavement Ministry	TBD
Children's Liturgy	childrensliturgy8530@gmail.com
Decoration Ministry	sj.decorationsministry8530@gmail.com
EEMHC	sj.ministerscommunion8530@gmail.com
Funeral Mass Assistance	TBD
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Martha's Ministry	sjmarthaministry@gmail.com
Ministers of Care	sjc.pcnursinghomes@gmail.com
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St. Jerome's Cave	TBD
St. Jerome's Guild	TBD
Youth Ministry	st.jerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org

Catholic Organizations

CWL	sjcw8530@gmail.com
Couples for Christ`	sj.couplesforchrist8530@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus	17394gk@gmail.com
Legion of Mary	TBD
Rosary Apostolates	therosaryapostolate8530@gmail.com
St. Vincent de Paul	ssvpstjerome@gmail.com

Interested in joining any ministries/organizations? Please contact the respective ministry/organization using their designated email address.

Parish Committees

Building Advisory Committee
Finance Committee
Volunteer Screening Committee

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.	905-459-1931
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 High Schools

St. Augustine, 27 Drinkwater Rd.	905-450-9993
St. Roch, 200 Valleyway Dr.	905-456-8543

Saint Vincent de Paul Helpline:

(Must reside within the parish boundaries)

365-987-4162

*November
Mass Intentions for
All Souls*

Please Pray for our Sick:
Rosetta De Cicco
and James Ryan

**WEEKLY
OFFERTORY**
November 2nd : \$9,236



2025 ALTAR SERVER AWARDS

On Saturday, October 25th, five altar servers from St. Jerome's Parish received the ***Bishop's Altar Server Award for Service*** from the Most Reverend Ivan Camilleri, Auxiliary Bishop – Archdiocese of Toronto at the Annual Bishop's Altar Servers Award Ceremony. We offer our sincere thanks and congratulations to the following recipients in the white Altar Server gowns:

(L to R) Jenine Nones, Chibueze Onyige & Eldrick Tan
Not pictured: Lakiesha Joseph & Janosha Joseph

2026 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The 2026 Offertory envelopes will be available in the gathering space on the First Sunday of Advent (November 30th). Please note that the Offertory boxes will not be labelled. To get started, pick up a box and fill out the **first four envelopes** with your full name, address, and phone number. Alternatively, you can call the parish office to add your new 2026 envelopes to your records.



***Please DO NOT use envelopes from the previous year.
The envelope number could be assigned to a new parishioner.***

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Saturday, November 28th at 11 a.m.



All are invited to join us in celebrating the lives our loved one at a special Mass of Remembrance on **Saturday, November 29th at 11 a.m.** The Mass is to remember those who have passed away in the last 12 months. The Bereavement Ministry volunteers will be in the gathering space after each Mass the weekends of **November 8/9th, 15/16th and 22nd** to include your loved ones at the Mass of Remembrance.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:
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The Knights of Columbus will be offering their 6th Annual Fall Yard Clean Up in Support of their 'Coats for Kids'. To book your *Fall Yard Clean Up* or for more information, call Chris at 416-277-5225 No yard? - you can still donate.

Thank you for your support!

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
POSTER CONTEST**

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a "Keep Christ in Christmas" poster competition on **December 6th, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.** in the parish hall. The contest open to students ages 5-14 years old. Design and colour your own poster. Pizza and drinks will be available. Seating limited to 75 students in 4 age categories. For more information, contact Rickson at 647-645-2879.



November 09, 2025

FORMED is a Catholic website that provides access to wide range of faith-based resources, including movies, documentaries, audio talks, Bible studies, and e-books. FORMED helps parishioners grow in their faith at home or in small groups, offering engaging content for all ages. Follow the steps below to sign-up for FORMED and watch your faith flourish.



1. Go to formed.org
2. Click on 'Parish' (top blue menu bar)
3. Click 'FIND YOUR PARISH SUBSCRIPTION'
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5. If you are signing up for the first time, select 'Need an Account? Sign up'
6. Enter your email and name, check the box to agree to the Terms of Use, and click 'Sign up'
7. Select your parish by entering the parish postal code: L6Y 5G4 then click 'Submit' (enter postal code with a space)
8. You will be taken to the main FORMED site and prompted to create a password.
9. You are now signed in and able to access all content.

For more information or help with registering, email: parishcare@formed.org, Tel: 1-800-777-7502



RED WEDNESDAY

November 19, 2025 at 7 p.m.

On Wednesday, November 19, 2025, people around the world will mark Red Wednesday, an initiative of Aid to the Church in Need (ACN). This global day highlights the persecution of Christians and reminds us that religious freedom is a human right. In Toronto, the Archdiocese of Toronto invites the Catholic community to participate in Mass at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, where Bishop John Boissonneau, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will preside. By attending the Mass, wearing red, or organizing local activities, you stand in solidarity with those who suffer for their faith.

More info: www.acn-canada.org/rw Contact: el@acn-canada.org or (416) 785-0498

St. Jerome's will also celebrate with a Mass on Nov. 19th at 7 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Jerome's Parish Dinner & Dance

Saturday, December 6th

Doors open at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.

Location: Polish Cottage Hall

(Behind St. Eugene de Mazenod Church)

Ticket: \$60 per person (Limited to 100 tickets)

Contact: Mike at 905-216-9022 for tickets and information. Tickets on sale in the gathering space after all the Masses.

Door prizes / Raffles



SHEPHERDS' TRUST COLLECTION - November 15 & 16, 2025



There will be a second collection for The Shepherds' Trust on the weekend of **November 15 & 16, 2025**. The mission of the Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that the elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care.

Thank you for your support of this important work.

BAPTISMS

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

Oct. 12th: Luca Fernandes, Bryson Hamilton
& Ezra Parbhudial

Oct. 26th: Norah Manua



2025 DONATION TAX RECEIPTS

If you have moved or need to update your contact information and address, please contact the parish office with your new information. This will ensure you receive your 2025 donation tax receipts which will be mailed out in February 2026. If married and you wish to have both spouses' names on the donation tax receipt, please contact the parish office to add this information as soon as possible.



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