

# St. Jerome's Parish

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## 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	<a href="mailto:sj.altarservers8530@gmail.com">sj.altarservers8530@gmail.com</a>
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St. Jerome's Cave	<a href="mailto:sjthecave@gmail.com">sjthecave@gmail.com</a>
St. Jerome's Guild	<i>coming soon</i>
Youth Ministry	<a href="mailto:stjerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org">stjerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org</a>

## Catholic Organizations

CWL	<a href="mailto:sjcw18530@gmail.com">sjcw18530@gmail.com</a>
Couples for Christ`	<a href="mailto:sj.couplesforchrist8530@gmail.com">sj.couplesforchrist8530@gmail.com</a>
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St. Vincent de Paul	<a href="mailto:ssvpstjerome@gmail.com">ssvpstjerome@gmail.com</a>

**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)

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## MASS INTENTIONS

May 3<sup>rd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>

**Sunday, 8 a.m.**

S.I – Brendan Thomas

**Sunday, 12 p.m.**

TKS – Barbara Halyburton

**Sunday, 6 p.m.**

† Glen Noronha

**Monday, 9 a.m.**

TKS – Pelita Jingco

**Tuesday, 9 a.m.**

† Anna, Ippolito & Ferdinando Bozzo

**Wednesday, 9 a.m.**

† Vincent Gomes

**Wednesday, 7 p.m.**

† Feyona Mah

**Thursday, 9 a.m.**

S.I. – Obed & Vera Mbeng-Arrey

**Friday, 9 a.m.**

† Percy Sr. & Mabel Rodrigues

**Friday, 7 p.m.**

† Irene Reeves & Jaime Rodrigues

**Saturday, 9 a.m.**

† Jeannette D'Andrade

**Saturday, 5 p.m.**

† Manuel, Maria & Virginio Borges

### Please Pray for our Sick:

Carmelita Aquino,  
Wilson Anum,

Deanna Gerjel, Theresa Kahn,  
Oscar Noronha, Rita Mason,  
Rosy Miranda,  
& Desmond Sallah

## WEEKLY OFFERTORY

April 26<sup>th</sup> : \$8,548

ShareLife: \$814,955

## COFFEE MORNING

Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

We will gather for coffee, baked goods and fellowship in the parish hall after the morning Mass on **Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>.**

We ask you to please bring baked goods, a dozen muffins/donuts, or a cake to share. Contributions are gratefully accepted.



*See you all at the parish hall*



## CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK

May 3-8, 2026

### *Pilgrims of Hope: On the Path to Holiness*

During Catholic Education Week (May 3 – 8, 2026), we give thanks for the gift of publicly funded Catholic Education in our province. Catholic schools foster supportive communities where children can experience the joy of God's love and understand the Christian mission in the world. Let us journey with our parishes, educators and families to sow and nurture the seeds of faith with the next generation of Catholics, encouraging them to embrace lives of holiness and Christian witness as one body in Christ. To indicate your support of Catholic education and sign-up for email updates, visit: [www.togetherinfaith.ca](http://www.togetherinfaith.ca).

## MOTHER'S DAY

BREAKFAST

Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a Mother Day's breakfast on **Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup> after the 10 a.m. Mass.** Free admission to all mothers. Family member ticket, \$5 each, available in the gathering space after all the Masses.



## CWL SPRING FLOWER PICK-UP TIMES



A reminder to all parishioners who ordered their CWL flowers to pick up your order, the weekend of **May 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>**  
Friday May 8<sup>th</sup> – 2 p.m. to 8 p.m.  
Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> after 5 p.m. Mass  
Sunday May 10<sup>th</sup> - 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., after all Masses.



Serving Our Neighbours In Need

## *Bundle up Weekend*

### SAVE THE DATE

May 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>

The collection bin will be open between

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (both days)

## MARANATHA INTERCESSORY PRAYER MEETING

Every Wednesday night, 7:45-9 p.m.



St. Jerome's Marantha Intercessory prayer ministry will meet every **Wednesday evening, 7:45 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** in the parish hall. This prayer ministry is enriched with the Holy Rosary, praise and worship, sharing of the Word of God, and intercessory prayers.

Come, let us worship the Lord, enter His gates with thanksgiving, and pray together for our parish and church community. *All are welcome!*

May 3, 2026

## MAGNIFICAT BREAKFAST

St. Benedict Parish Hall

Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Join our Mary, Cause of our Joy, Toronto Chapter for our 52<sup>nd</sup> Magnificat breakfast at St. Benedict Parish Hall (2194 Kipling Ave. Etobicoke). Treat your mother, sister, colleague or friend to an inspirational morning that includes a hot breakfast, praise and worship led by our spirit-filled music ministry, a personal testimony of the transforming love of Christ in the life of an invited speaker. Priests are available for women wishing to avail themselves of the sacrament of Reconciliation.



Inquiries contact, Kathy: 647-969-9352

[magnificat.toronto.chapter@gmail.com](mailto:magnificat.toronto.chapter@gmail.com)

SEATS NOT SOLD AT THE DOOR. For complete details and to register online:

<https://www.stbenedicts.ca/magnificat-breakfast>

*Avoid disappointment: Register early.*

## A DAY WITH MARY

Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, Villanova College, King City



You are invited to a “Day With Mary” taking place on **Saturday, May 30, 2026** at Villanova College in King City. This family-friendly day will consist of Holy Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, praying of the Rosary, Confessions, a keynote address for adults and children’s catechesis for the little ones. There will be music, fellowship and more.

There is no fee to register – this is a free event open to all.

Registration will open until May 15:

<https://bit.ly/DWMRegistration> . Complete information can

be found at <https://archtoronto.org/Mary>



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## 2026 STUBENVILLE CONFERENCE

Power and Purpose Conference

June 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Come and experience the Holy Spirit's power and healing at the Power and Purpose Conference on **June 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>**. Allow him to reveal the purpose of your life: to live in true freedom and joy of the Spirit. Be uplifted by the witness and fellowship of disciples like you.

For more information, please contact:

Vicky Sutton at 416-888-8659 or email:

[suttonv62@gmail.com](mailto:suttonv62@gmail.com)

for more information.



## BBQ PICNIC

Knights of Columbus

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>

after the 12 p.m. Mass

## ST. JEROME'S TOTUS TUUS 2026

July 26 – 31, 2026



Totus Tuus  
Toronto

The youths of St. Jerome's Parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for “Totally Yours”) this summer from **July 26 – July 31, 2026**. Totus Tuus is an Archdiocese of Toronto program. The Day Program is **Monday to Friday (July 27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>), 9 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.** for children who have finished grades 1-6 (we

also have an extended pick-up program that runs until 4:30 p.m.). The intermediate / high school program for those who have finished grades 7-12 is **Sunday to Thursday (July 26<sup>th</sup> – July 30<sup>th</sup>), from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.** Registration and payments are due by July 5, 2026.

**Day Camp Registration Cost: \$120**

**Evening Camp Registration Cost: \$50**

To register please visit the parish website.

*(Families with multiple children joining can save \$20 per sibling registered!)*

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Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [www.sharelife.org/donate](http://www.sharelife.org/donate)

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