

St. Jerome's Parish

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Administrator: Fr. Fraser McLaren | **Associate Pastor:** Fr. Gomi Fernando | **Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Norbert Aquino

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Office Hours

Monday: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. (closed for lunch, 12 - 1 p.m.)

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

Closed: Saturday & Sunday

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 (Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion): 9 a.m.

Wednesday (St. Joseph Devotion): 7 p.m.

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

Confession

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

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

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.

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms take place on Sundays, twice a month. Parents must participate in a preparation class before a date is given for their child's baptism. A baptismal registration form is available at the parish during office hours. Parents must be registered parishioners, for a minimum of 3 months.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married should contact the parish office. One must be a registered parishioner. A date for the wedding will be set at the couple's first interview with the priest. A marriage preparation course is required.

Funeral

Please contact the Church before making plans with the Funeral Home. Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services: 416-733-8544.

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 classes and discussions from September to Easter, and journey along other candidates, mature Catholics who act as mentors, and the program teachers.

Interested candidates, please contact Liza De Sousa, Ext. 203 or email: ldesousa@archtoronto.org

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	sj.baptismprepministry@gmail.com
Bereavement Ministry	sjbereavementministry@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy	childrensliturgy8530@gmail.com
Decoration Ministry	sjdecorations.ministry@gmail.com
EEMHC	sj.ministerscommunion8530@gmail.com
Funeral Mass Assistance	sjsacristans8530@gmail.com
Hospitality/Ushers	sjhospitality8530@gmail.com
Lectors	stjeromeslectors@gmail.com
Martha's Ministry	sjmarthaministry@gmail.com
Maranatha Prayer Ministry	stjeromemaranatha@gmail.com
Lay Pastoral Visit	sj.laypastoralvisit@gmail.com
Mothers & Toddlers	sj.momsandtots8530@gmail.com
RCIA	RCIA8530@gmail.com
Sacristans	sjsacristans8530@gmail.com
Skills & Development	sjpskillsdev@gmail.com
St. Jerome's Cave	sjthecave@gmail.com
St. Jerome's Guild	<i>coming soon</i>
Young Adults	stjerome.ya@gmail.com
Youth Ministry	stjerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org

Catholic Organizations

CWL	sjcw18530@gmail.com
Couples for Christ`	sj.couplesforchrist8530@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus	SjKofC17394@gmail.com
Legion of Mary	sj.legionofmarypraesidium8530@gmail.com
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



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ST. JEROME'S PARISH

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MASS INTENTIONS

October 18th – 24th

Sunday, 8 a.m.

S.I. – D'Souza Family

Sunday, 12 p.m.

TKS – Andrea & Adrian
Roberto

Sunday, 6 p.m.

† Hyacintha Philip Lewis

Monday, 9 a.m.

† All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, 9 a.m.

S.I. – To End World Conflict

Wednesday, 9 a.m.

† Victoria Nazir Paul

Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Thursday, 9 a.m.

† Gerry Rulloda

Friday, 9 a.m.

TKS – Raul Jingco
† Ludwig & Edmund Abraham,
& Rosalind Abraham Karam
† Hermelinda & Tomas
De Guzman
† Vincenza & Loreto Panacci

Friday, 7 p.m.

TKS – Viegas Family
† Walter Teodoro & Ino
Vendramin

Saturday, 9 a.m.

† Gerardo Lopez

Saturday, 5 p.m.

† Maria Goretti Peter Morin

Please Pray for our Sick:

Wilson Anum, Wilfred Ojedar Jr.,
Charles DeBien, Desmond Sallah,
Luisa Rosati,
Abraham Villahermosa,

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

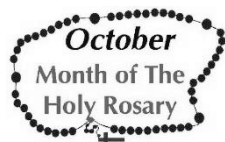
October 4th: **\$9,492**

October 11th: **\$8,797**

Healing/Reconciliation:
\$2,500

Maintenance: **\$3,366**

OCTOBER – MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY



For the month of October, the Knights of Columbus will be leading the congregation in *praying the rosary 25 minutes before each Mass* — **Saturdays at 5:00 p.m., and Sundays at 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., and 6:00 p.m.** to celebrate the month of the Holy Rosary. *All are welcome to join.*



MASS OF REMEMBRANCE – All Souls' Day

Monday, November 2, 2026, 6:30 p.m.

All are invited to join us in celebrating the lives of our loved ones at a special Mass of Remembrance on **Monday, November 2, 2026 at 6:30 p.m.** The Mass is to remember those who have passed away in the last 12 months.

Please email the Bereavement Ministry at sjbereavementministry@gmail.com to register your loved ones.

WORLD MISSION COLLECTION

October 17th & 18th

World Mission Sunday calls Catholics worldwide to support the Church where it is still developing or facing challenges. Your prayers and donations provide essential resources for communities that cannot sustain themselves—funding Church construction, pastoral care, education, and healthcare. When our parish participates, we join Catholics everywhere in making possible the work of missionaries who build Churches, train seminarians, support catechists, and serve vulnerable communities. Together, we fulfill our baptismal call to share the Gospel and become one Church bringing hope to all peoples. *Thank you.*



ST. JEROME'S YOUTH MINISTRY REGISTRATION

Youth Ministry registration is now open for the 2026–2027 season!

Our Edge Ministry (Youths in Grades 5 to 8) had it's first session on **Friday, October 16th**. Our Life Teen Ministry is open to youth in Grades 9 to 12 on **Friday, October 23, 2026**. Youth nights take place on select **Fridays from 7:00–9:00 p.m.** and include faith formation, prayer, fellowship, games, and opportunities to grow in relationship with Christ. To register for Youth Ministry or to become a volunteer, please visit the St. Jerome's Parish website and complete the appropriate registration form. For questions, please contact stjerome.youthministry@archtoronto.org.

IN NOVEMBER WE WILL CELEBRATE THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

All Souls envelopes are available in the gathering space. The names of the deceased loved ones written on the envelopes with your donation, will be remembered at all the Masses celebrated in the Church during the month of November. **Please do not repeat names on the envelope from previous years** as their names are already entered in the Book of the Dead.

Thanksgiving and Special Intention Mass offering will be accepted for the month of November on your chosen date.

In Loving Memory



ALTAR SERVERS' TRAINING

Sunday, October 25th, 3-5 p.m.



If you are a Grade 5 student (or older) who would like to serve the Lord at Sunday Mass, you are invited to attend the Altar Servers' training on **Sunday, October 25th at 3-5 p.m.** Parents will need to complete a Volunteer Screening

registration form for their child prior to the training date.

For more information email:

sj.altarservers8530@gmail.com



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS "COATS FOR KIDS" FUNDRAISER

7th Annual Fall Yard Clean Up

The Knights of Columbus will be offering their 7th 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!***

CATHOLIC CEMETERY & FUNERAL HOME

ESTATE PRE-PLANNING SEMINAR



Planning ahead is one of the most thoughtful and compassionate decisions you can make for your family. Join us for an informative seminar designed to help you understand your options and make confident, faith-informed decisions. **Learn about:** *Funeral and burial options *Planning in advance to ease burden on loved ones *Catholic teachings on cremation *Flexible payment options (including 0% financing options)

Dates & Location:

We are offering two dates to attend. Assumption Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home (Mississauga)

Saturday November 14, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. Seminar will be held in the funeral home. To register: 905-670-8801 ext. 2410



First Reconciliation
& First Communion

2026-2027 REGISTRATION

Online registration and payment will open on **Monday, October 5, 2026**, on the parish website. **Registration closes on Monday, October 19, 2026.**



ST. JEROME'S CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday, November 21st, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Calling all Craft Makers, Artists and Small Businesses

The CWL is now accepting vendor applications for St. Jerome's Christmas Bazaar and Bake Sale on **Saturday November 21, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

For more information, please contact Rosemary Phillips at 416-471-4041 or phillipsroma3@gmail.com

Space is limited, reserve now.



Daughters of St. Paul

DAUGHTERS OF ST. PAUL BOOK FAIR

October 24th & 25th, 2026

The Daughters of St. Paul will be visiting our parish on the weekends of October 24 & 25, before and after all the Masses. The Daughters of St. Paul will have a display of Catholic books and faith formation resources available to all parishioners. To learn more about the sisters and their mission of evangelization visit the webstore at www.paulinestore.ca or call us at 416-781-9131 to place special order request for us to bring to St Jerome. We look forward to seeing you there!

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