

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S PARISH



1171 CLARKSON RD. N., MISSISSAUGA, ON L5J 2W1

Tel: 905-822-1171



EMAIL: stchristophersmi@archtoronto.org

WEB SITE: stchristophersmi.archtoronto.org

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

St. Christopher's Parish is a believing community committed to manifesting Christ's love through celebrating the sacraments, sharing gospel values, serving one another and all who hunger for Jesus.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:	Rev. Scott R. Young
Associate Pastor:	Rev. Jaime Perea Castro
Permanent Deacon:	Deacon Terence Da Silva
Permanent Deacon:	Deacon Michael E. Minkowski
Pastoral Assistant:	Michelle Brylowski
Youth Minister:	Levy Anne Ramos
Music Director:	Michelle Brylowski
Parish Secretary:	Eleonora Bettio
Accounting:	Arnold Rego
Sacristan:	Narda Van Dyk



BAPTISM

Second and fourth Sunday of every month by appointment at 1:45 p.m. Parents are asked to take a baptismal class. You may prepare for the sacrament three months before the birth of your child.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. Do not book a hall or choose music until you have spoken to the priest. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS & CHILDREN

Those wishing to become Catholic or learn more about the Catholic faith are invited to contact us.

LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

At all weekend Masses.

MOTHERS' GROUP

Second Wednesday of the month in the Msgr. Hickey Lounge at 7:00 p.m. Contact: jen@catholicmomsgroup.com

BIBLE SHARING GROUP

Wednesday mornings in the JC Room at 9:30 - 11:15 a.m. Mid-September through May.

LEGION OF MARY

Thursday mornings in the JC Room at 9:30 a.m.
Tuesday evenings in the JC Room at 7:00 p.m.

EDGE YOUTH MINISTRY

For youths in Grades 6, 7, 8
First and Third Friday nights of the month in the parish hall from 7:00 to 9:00pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Fourth Monday of the month in the parish hall at 8:00 p.m.

RELIGIOUS BOOKS & ARTICLES STORE

Open after the Saturday 5:00 p.m. Mass and all Sunday Masses

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Christopher	Antoinette Hilario, Princ.	905-822-0721
St. Helen	Paul Basran, Princ.	905-822-4564
St. Louis	Laura DiGiambattista, Princ.	905-822-8251
St. Luke	Linus O'Neil, Princ.	905-274-2760
Iona Catholic S.S.	Carl Cini, Princ.	905-823-0136

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10:00 a.m.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK & SHUT-INS

Call parish office for home visit.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

By request through the parish office.

PARISH OUTREACH PHONE NUMBER

416-580-3982



Theology On Tap

If you are between the *ages of 19 & 29*, have questions about faith and life, and enjoy a good brew every now and then, join Theology On Tap.

The schedule for events is posted on a bulletin board at all the entrances of the church.

West: Boston Pizza

50 Courtney Park Dr. E., Mississauga

Oct. 7th, 2019 @ 7 pm: What to do when life gives you lemons with Harry McAvoy



Check out our new website!

We are pleased to announce the launch of our brand new website! After several months of hard work and dedication, we are delighted to officially announce the launch and share all the exciting features we've prepared for you. We will continue to update our content with helpful information, articles, blogs, newsletters and parish announcements so make sure to check in with us often. We hope you find the new website with a fresh look, easy to access information and valuable resources. Please visit us at stchristophersmi.archtoronto.org

stchristophersmi.archtoronto.org

R.C.I.C. Preparation

Classes for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Children will be beginning soon. If your child has not been baptized and would like to be baptized, please contact Michelle at the parish office for details on the process.

Prayer Corner

This week, please pray for the following people:

For those who are sick

Cathy Stamper Ann Ruebottom Eunice Clark

For those who have died

Lalitha Miranda Alzira do Vale
Jonathan Gatti Deacon William Campbell



Calling all singers and musicians!!!

Music ministry is starting up again for this year, and you are invited! Whether you are a seasoned chorister, or an instrumentalist, or new at stretching your musical muscles, we have a spot for you in our ministry. The 10 am choir has rehearsal on Thursday evenings at 7:30 pm in the church, and the noon choir practices before mass on Sundays. Introduce yourself and let us know where you would like to join!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

to take Holy Communion to the Roman Catholic residents at Sheridan Villa on Sunday mornings.

This ministry is done in pairs and you would be assigned to bring communion to the residents on one floor at the Villa. You would be scheduled about once a month. If you can help, please call the parish office.



Children's Liturgy Volunteers Needed

Our children's Liturgy program is looking for both youth and adult leaders. We are looking for enthusiastic people to share the Gospel with the children of the Parish. There will be a meeting for all volunteers new and experienced on **Wednesday, September 25, at 6 pm** in the church hall. For more information you can contact Levy at Lramos@archtoronto.org

Volunteers are needed for Confirmation

both adult and youth. An information (dinner) meeting will be held on **Monday, October 7 at 6:30pm** to discuss the new program. Please call or email Michelle at the parish office to confirm your attendance at the meeting.

Celebrate Your Marriage with a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend!

Celebrate your love and take a fresh look at your marriage! Spend a very special weekend together. A Weekend of discovery...a lifetime of love! Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend getaway that helps married couples rediscover themselves as individuals and as a couple. The Weekend format helps couples communicate openly and honestly without group sharing, therapy or marriage counselling.

Upcoming Weekend: October 25-27, 2019 - Four Points Sheraton (Argentia Road), Mississauga, ON
For more information and application, please go to www.wwme.org or contact: Gerard & Marge McCauley at gerard.marge@rogers.com or (905) 792-1925

First Communion & Reconciliation



The Sacrament of Reconciliation and First Communion are first offered to children in grade 2.

Our preparation for these sacraments begins in February 2020. First Communion parent information meetings:

Monday, December 16th at 7 pm

or

Tuesday, December 17th at 7 pm

FALL THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE



for The Compass
October 12/13 Weekend

SHARELIFE

You gave them a summer to remember

As students return to school, many will be sharing stories about their summer camp adventures. Not every kid is so fortunate, however, due to financial means or lack of accessibility, such as for those with a hearing impairment. For over 100 Deaf kids and their siblings, a ShareLife-funded agency called Silent Voice offered a summer camp experience in an American Sign Language environment. To learn more about this life changing program, which was made possible by your gift to ShareLife, visit bit.ly/sharelifefsummer.

Bishop Barron on the Mass

The Parish will be putting on a six part presentation on the Mass, based on a CD program made by Bishop Barron. The program discusses each element of the mass, explaining what these mean and why they are significant. Discussion will be facilitated by Deacon Mike together with Deacon Miguel Da Silva from St. Martin of Tours Parish.

The program will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall on the following nights: October 2, 9, 30 & November 6, 13, 27

Seniors Outreach Ministry

If you are a former volunteer with our Senior Outreach programme, we would ask you to return your three-ringed binder so that we can reuse the binder for our newest volunteers. Please leave your binder at the parish office or in the sacristy on the weekend and it will be picked up.

This Week at St. Christopher's Parish

Monday, September 30

9:00 am - Mass (Presciutti & Frasca Families - D)

Tuesday, October 1

9:00 am - Mass (Peter & Jozefa Makarczuk - D)

7:00 pm - Legion of Mary - JC Room

Wednesday, October 2

9:00 am - Mass (Pieter de van der Schueren - D)

9:30 am - Bible Sharing - JC Room

12:00 noon - Seniors' Lunch'n Learn - Main Hall

7:00 pm - Bishop Barron on Mass - Hall

Thursday, October 3

9:00 am - Mass (Rita Kennedy - D)

9:30 am - Legion of Mary - JC Room

7:30 pm - Choir Practice - Church

Friday, October 4

9:00 am - Mass (Teresa Bissola - D)

9:30 am - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

11:00 am - Benediction

Saturday, October 5

9:00 am - Mass (Joseph & Aurelia Kanoza - D)

10:00 am - Sacrament of Reconciliation - Church

11:00 am - Pet Blessing - front of the church

5:00 pm - Sunday Mass

Sunday, September 29

Sunday Masses - 8:30am, 10:00am & 12noon

Post-Secondary Campus Ministry & Chaplaincy Connect

Attention Post-Secondary Students: Are you new on campus and looking for a place to belong? Check out Catholic campus ministry! Find your Catholic home on campus in the GTA and across Canada by connecting at www.chaplaincyconnect.ca



Iona Catholic Secondary School

Grade 8 Open House

Wednesday, October 2, 2019 • 6:30 – 8:30 pm

2170 South Sheridan Way (QEW at Southdown Road) 905-823-0136
[@IonaCatholic](https://twitter.com/IonaCatholic) [ionacatholicmississauga](https://www.facebook.com/ionacatholicmississauga) dpcdsb.org/IONAS

Parish Outreach Number: 416-580-3982

SKINNER & MIDDLEBROOK LTD.
FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL
 EST. 1910



Let our family care for your family
 128 Lakeshore Rd. E.
905-278-5546 

Jeannine Marmen Scott Inasley Heather Clarke
 Funeral Directors www.skinnerandmiddlebrook.com

Battaglia's 1150 LORNE PARK RD. 905-271-3994
 MARKETPLACE

WAWEL VILLA
 Polish-Canadian • Seniors Residence
 880 Clarkson Rd. S.
 For Information please call
905-823-3650 www.wawel.org

RE/MAX
 Real Estate Centre Inc., Brokerage



905-270-2000
Ed Girman
 Sales Representative
 647-828-7414
www.EdGirman.com

McKenna Lawn Care
 Weekly Lawn Maintenance
 Fertilization & Aerating
905-855-0500

CLARKSON SPORTS AND PHYSIOTHERAPY
 Evenings, Weekends
 PHYSIO, CHIRO, MASSAGE
905-855-8372
clarksonphysio.ca

WESTAIRE
 AIR CONDITIONING & HEATING LIMITED
 Commercial - Industrial
 58 OAKWOOD AVE. N. **905-278-8868**

TRUSCOTT
 Italian Bakery & Delicatessen
 Open 7 Days a Week
 4 Generations of Quality
 Baked Fresh Daily
 2425 Truscott Drive
 Salvatore & Mirella Lizzi
905-403-9550

COURTESY PHARMACY
 Free Delivery on Prescriptions • Open Sunday
 Medication compounding • CPAP
 1603 Clarkson Rd. Clarkson Plaza
905-823-4664

KATHLEEN M. YEOMAN
 Barrister & Solicitor
 Real Estate • Refinancing
 Wills • Estates
 1679 Lakeshore Rd. W.
 Clarkson Village
905-822-3111

CARISMA FLORISTS
 CUSTOM DESIGNING FOR ALL OCCASIONS
 Ron Mazzucco
 720 Burnhamthorpe Rd. W. Unit 2C **905-848-2300**

Parkland
 LIFESTYLE RESIDENCES
 ON THE GLEN

Lifestyle Apartments,
 All-Inclusive Lifestyle, Assisted Living

Come for lunch, on us. For more information, contact
 Grace Miksa at 905-820-8210 ext. 8223.

experienceparkland.com/ontheglen
 Parkland on the Glen • 1665 The Collegeway, Mississauga

Build a Perfect Plan enjoy a Perfect Life.



Dine and Learn
 Achieve your goals through Pierre's "FREE" Financial Workshop.
 See www.pierrewong.com for details.

For reservation contact: 905.306.0031 or email: Claire.LI@investorsgroup.com

Charitable Giving • RRRSP • TFSA • RESP • Mortgage & Banking • Insurance

Pierre Wong B.A. CLU CEA RRC
 Registered Planned Giving Advisor - Archdiocese of Toronto

10th Floor, 1 Robert Speck Parkway • (416) 200-1228
 Email: pierre.wong@investorsgroup.com



905 823 7600
 book an appointment on-line
www.demarchidental.com

Van Mills
Dental Office

GARVEY & GARVEY LLP
 Barristers and Solicitors
 General Practice
 972 Clarkson Road South
905-823-4400

"thank you for your trust and allowing me to help you"
 Lisa Menecola-Tavares

Turner & Porter
 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

PEEL CHAPEL 2180 Hurontario St. 905-279-7663
 NEWEDUK CHAPEL 1981 Dundas St. W. 905-828-8000
 YORKE CHAPEL 2357 Bloor St. W. 416-767-3153
 BUTLER CHAPEL 4933 Dundas St. W. 416-231-2283

turnerporter.ca

Emergencies Seen Immediately
 Accepting New Patients

Dr. B. DeMarchi & Associates
 1900 Fowler Drive, Mississauga
 Erin Mills Pkwy @ QEW

MENECOLA
 DOORS & WINDOWS
 Since 1973

- Quality Products
- Great Workmanship
- Affordable Prices

416-239-1213
 21 Chauncey Ave., Etobicoke

CASKET OUTLET
 SAVE UP TO 75% over Funeral Homes
 Canadian Quality Caskets, Urns, Funeral Flowers & Headstones
 966 Pantera Dr., Unit 25 **905-282-0555** CasketOutlet.ca



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
 FUNERAL SERVICES
www.catholic-cemeteries.com
 Assumption Cemetery 905-670-8801
 Catholic Cremation Services 905-670-8801
 Funeral • Cremation • Burial

Hair Design for Women and Men
 Since 1981
 "Voted Best Hair Salon in Mississauga 8 Years in a Row"
 Sherwood Forest Village, 1900 Dundas St. W. **905-822-2690**



EMERGENCY LOANS FOR HOMEOWNERS
 POWER OF SALE • GARNISHMENT • FORECLOSURE • JUDGEMENTS • TAX ARREARS • COLLECTIONS • DEFAULTS
416-760-3333 Gerry@talkToGerry.com Gerry Van Donkersgoed, BSc, MBA, LLB
 TalkToGerry.com Unlimited Private Funds Some terms & conditions apply. OAC Rates may change without notice.

State Farm Alice Fahey Insurance
 Providing Insurance and Financial Services
 1715 Lakeshore Rd. W. **905-403-1500** www.AliceFahey.ca

Cousin's
 1215 Hurontario St.
905.278.7575

Robert Jagielski
 B.A., M.A., LL.B.
 Barrister and Solicitor
 All Real Estate Transactions
 Wills, Power of Attorney
 and Probate Applications
905-568-8708
 Special Pricing for Parishioners and Brother Knights

DR. KOMAL JAN
 Family Dentistry
 New Patients Welcome
 Clarkson Village Plaza
 1860 Lakeshore Rd. W. **905-822-4362**

MADOTT LAW
 Matthew C. Madott
 Family Law
 Wills & Powers of Attorney
 Probate
 1290 Central Parkway W. Suite 402
905-232-0299
matthew@madottlaw.com

Celebrating Our 40th Anniversary
Port Credit Smiles
 Family & Cosmetic Dentistry
905-274-4151
www.PortCreditSmiles.ca

ZIGGY'S GENERAL CONTRACTING
 Landscaping, Driveways, Interlock
 Restorations/Renos,
416.822.4412
ziggys_contracting@live.ca

THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE
 TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE
 PLEASE CALL 905-624-4422



Vincent BARBER SHOP
 Real Men go to Barbers
 Best Prices in Mississauga
 Southdown Plaza **905-822-3176**

Dr. Jordan Alley & Dr. Emeric Bacso
 150 Lake Shore Rd. W. @ Mississauga Rd.



Glen Oaks Funeral Home
 by Arbor Memorial
 3164 Ninth Line, Miss/Oakville • **905-257-8822** • glenoaks.ca
 All your final needs in one beautiful location.

ROYAL LEPAGE
 REAL ESTATE SERVICES LTD., BROKERAGE
 Residential / Commercial
Mike Stitski
 Broker
416-520-6452
 39 Years of Experience
 Knowledge + Experience = Results



Kingsway Family Dental
Dr. Gladioli Sequeira
 2828 Kingsway Dr., Oakville
905 829 2366
www.kingswayfamilydental.ca
 - New Patients Welcome -

Scott
 FUNERAL HOME
 Jarret M. Florecki
 Managing Funeral Director
 MISSISSAUGA CHAPEL
 420 Dundas St. E.
905-272-4040

Experienced staff familiar with all customs and practices



DR. JOAN CHIN DENTISTRY
 New Patients Welcome
 1414 Lakeshore Rd. W. (at Silverbirch)
905-823-9555
www.chinupandsmile.com

