

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S PARISH



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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. Joseph Rodrigues
Permanent Deacon:	Deacon Terence Da Silva
Permanent Deacon:	Deacon Michael E. Minkowski
Pastoral Assistant:	Michelle Brylowski
Youth Minister:	Levy Anne Ramos
Ministry with Maturing Adults	Sue Merko
Music Director:	Michelle Brylowski
Parish Secretary:	Eleonora Bettio
Accounting:	Arnold Rego
Sacristan:	Narda Van Dyk



SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (also live) & 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

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

Third Wednesday of the month in the Parish Hall at 7:30 pm.
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

Tuesday evening via conference call

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

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PARISH SCHOOLS

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Attention knitters!

Looking for a Christmas project that will make our seniors happy? Consider knitting something small which we could add to the Christmas treat bag we are preparing during the month of December. It could be a knitted Christmas ornament or another item which our seniors could enjoy as a reminder that they are not forgotten at Christmas. Often great ideas for knitted Christmas gifts can be found on YouTube. If you would like more information please call the parish office at 905-822-1171 and I will return your call or you can reach me at smerko@archtoronto.org. Happy knitting!

MASS TIMES AT ST. CHRISTOPHER PARISH

Saturday 5PM Sunday 8:30AM Sunday 10AM Sunday NOON
Daily Mass Monday-Saturday at 9 am

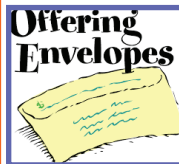


CARING & SHARING CHRISTMAS 2021

Our annual Christmas appeal to help those in need is even more urgent this year! More and more families are turning to The Compass for help to support their families in these difficult and unprecedented times.

If you are in a position to do so, we ask you to donate Gift Cards preferably from Walmart or President's Choice/Loblaws by placing them in the collection basket at Mass or at the Parish Office during business hours. These cards will be distributed by The Compass to ensure that Christmas is a bit brighter for those in need.

You can also make a direct donation to The Compass at thecompass.ca



2022 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES Advent Candles & MISSALS

Will be available for pick up on the weekends of **Nov. 20/21** and **Nov. 27/28** after all masses and Mon-Fri 9 am - 1 pm at the parish office.

Missals \$6.00/each
Advent Candles \$8.00/set

If you did not have a chance to pick up your 2021 offertory envelopes this year, you do NOT have one for 2022.

Please drop by the parish office on any of the above dates/times to receive a new 2022 number and box of envelopes. Thank you!

Advent Wreath Prayer



The following prayer may be said each evening of the week before the evening meal or at a time when the family is gathered together:

Loving God, source of all Light, hurry and send your spirit to us so that, noticed or unnoticed, we may give warmth and light to each person we meet this holy season. We ask this, through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Remembering our dearly departed

During the month of November, we pray particularly for those members of our family and friends and our parish family who have died. As a reminder of their presence in our lives we put their names on a card which is then attached to the ends of the pews in the church. The cards will remain on the pews for the whole month. At the end of November, if you are a family member of one of our deceased, you may remove the card and keep it for your own personal remembrance.

Prayer Corner

This week, please pray for the following people:

For those who have died:

Michael Di Iola John Talarowski Fr. Paul Casullo

SUNDAY MASS TIME CHANGE

Starting the weekend of
November 28th,
the 8:00 am mass is back to **8:30 am**.
Thank you!



CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE



Confessions

Mon., Dec. 20th: 10am-11am & 6:30pm-8:30pm
Tue., Dec. 21st: 10am-11am & 6:30pm-8:30pm
Wed., Dec. 22nd: 10am-11am & 6:30pm-8:30pm

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Sat., Dec 19th: 5 pm
Sun., Dec. 20th: 8:30 am, 10 am & 12 noon

CHRISTMAS EVE

Fri., Dec. 24th: 4:00 pm, 6:30 pm, 9:30 pm
& 12 midnight

CHRISTMAS DAY

Sat., Dec. 25th : 8:30am, 10 am & 12 noon

Holy Family

Sun., Dec. 26th: 8:30am, 10 am & 12 noon

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

Fri., Dec. 31st: 5 pm only
Sat., January 1st: 10 am only

Epiphany

Sun., Jan 2nd: 8:30am, 10 am & 12 noon

Next two weeks at St. Christopher's Parish

Monday, 22 November

9:00 am - Mass (Marc Zeni - Spec. Int.)
7:30 pm - K of C mtg. - Hall

Tuesday, 23 November

9:00 am - Mass (Cathy Stamper - D)
7:30pm - RCIA - Hall

Wednesday, 24 November

9:00 am - Mass (Reynaldo Pilar Bucoy - D)
9:30 am - Bible Sharing - Parish Hall

Thursday, 25 November

9:00 am - Mass (Joan, Martin & Brian Leon - Spec. Int.)

Friday, 26 November

9:00 am - Mass (Crisanta Villanueva - D)
7:30pm - New Beginnings - Hall

Saturday, 27 November

9:00 am - Mass (Annamaria Carnevale - D)
(Efigenio Perez Jr. - D)
Perez-Bajs Family - Spec. Int.)
5:00 pm - Sunday Mass

Sunday, 28 November

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

Monday, 29 November

9:00 am - Mass (Gloria Cote - D)

Tuesday, 30 November

9:00 am - Mass (Guy Robertson - D)
6:30pm - First Communion Prep. - church
7:30pm - RCIA - Hall

Wednesday, 1 December

9:00 am - Mass (Julio Abella - D)
9:30 am - Bible Sharing
6:30pm - First Communion Prep. - church

Thursday, 2 December

9:00 am - Mass (Irma & Vaheh Davidkhanian - Spec. Int.)
6:00 pm - Edge - Hall

Friday, 3 December

9:00 am - Mass (Elvezia Russo - D)
7:30 pm - New Beginnings - Hall

Saturday, 4 December

9:00 am - Mass - (Imelda Hendrick - D)
(Lorenzo De Maestri - D)
10:30 am - First Communion Prep. - church
5:00 pm - Sunday Mass
7:00 pm—Young Adult Ministry - Hall

Sunday, 5 December

Sunday Masses - 8:30 am, 10:00 am & 12 noon
1:00 pm - Life Teen - Hall

Children's Liturgy is back!!!

Children's Liturgy is back on our parish YouTube page!

In person: Children's Liturgy will be back Mid November at the 10 am mass.

If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry, please contact Levy at lramos@archtoronto.org

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