

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

Administrator:	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



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

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

PARISH SCHOOLS

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SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (also live) & 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday 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

Fourth and Fifth Sundays in Ordinary Time

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

World Day of the Sick is held each year on February 11th, the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. We will remember the sick of our parish on **Sunday, February 13th at the 10 a.m.** Mass. From February 6th until February 11th, we will have a basket sitting on the table in the vestibule of the church. You may bring the name of anyone for whom you would like special prayers and place it in the basket. The basket of names will then be placed in front of the altar. Please use your own paper and pen to write the name of that person as a preventative measure during the Covid pandemic.

What's happening at St. Chris

31 January to 13 February

Friday, February 4

7:00 pm - Holy Hour - Church

Tuesday, February 8

6:30 pm - First Communion Prep. - Church

Wednesday, February 9

6:30 pm - First Communion Prep. - Church

Friday, February 11

7:00 pm - Holy Hour - Church

Saturday, February 12

10:30 am - First Communion Prep. - Church

Sunday, February 13

2:00 pm - Baptisms - Church

Virtual Ordinandi Dinner

Tuesday, March 1, 2022 7 pm to 8 pm

Virtual via [youtube.com/archtoronto](https://www.youtube.com/archtoronto)

Please join us as we gather virtually to celebrate new priestly vocations and our seminaries.

We hope you will join us as we meet and honour our Ordinandi at St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Seminary who with God's grace, will be ordained to the priesthood in 2022.

Come share with us the unique opportunity to meet these fine men and to hear about the unique faith journey that lead them to this most noble commitment.

There is no cost to view this event.

If you would like to make a donation to help cover the costs and support our two seminaries, the Office of Vocations and Serra House in the work that they do, or obtain further information on this event, please visit:

serracanada.com/2022-ordinandi-dinner

Prayer Corner

This week, please pray for the following people:

For those who are sick:

Paul Sych Andrea Sych

For those who have died:

Patrick Shaw Lilian Forbes

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Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:00 and 12:00 noon

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Tuesday to Saturday: 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

By appointment only

Tax Receipts

2021 Tax Receipts will be mailed to parishioners **by the Archdiocese of Toronto** in the week commencing **February 14th, 2022**. The minimum threshold has been set at \$50 (as in all previous years) and parishioners with donations less than \$50 can call the parish office and request one.

Only donations made to the Parish are tax receipted - donations made directly to the Archdiocese of Toronto will be receipted **separately** by the Archdiocese. **Thank you!!!**

Ways to support our Parish

Some suggestions how to support the Parish:

- Regular Sunday offertory envelopes;
- Pre-authorized giving (PAG) - automatic monthly withdrawal from your bank account,
- Occasional - pink Visitor envelopes/OR any plain envelope from home - please write your first and last name and full address.

Credit card/Online donations: go to our website stchristophersmi.archtoronto.org and click on DONATE.

Thank you for your financial support especially during these challenging times. It is very much appreciated!



ShareLife Update

OUR PARISH TOTAL: \$ 155,875.50

Many thanks to all the donors who made our ShareLife Campaign a success!

Thank you for your generosity.

CHURCH BULETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2022 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

Celebration of Marriage Mass

The Celebration of Marriage Mass will take place on **Sunday, February 13, 2022**, at **St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St, Toronto** at **2:30 p.m.** **Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB** will preside over this special Mass and all married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows. Due to social distancing measures, in-person attendance is limited at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica and only couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, and 60+ wedding anniversaries and one (1) guest per celebrant couple will be able to register to attend (for a total of a group of 3). Other couples, family, and friends are welcome to participate in the celebration via the [Livestream](#). The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m. **Registration will close on February 4, 2022, or when we reach maximum capacity at the Cathedral.** We look forward to meeting and serving all the married couples who have registered for this event.

*****NEW - HOLY HOUR - *****

Our faith is centered on the Eucharist: the real presence of Christ who promised to remain with us always, and who gives himself to us as nourishment for our bodies and for our salvation for our souls; devotion to the Eucharist is - and has always been - a vital part of living a rich and authentic Catholic life. Beginning January 7th, every Friday evening from 7 pm to 8 pm, we will celebrate a Holy Hour in the Church beginning with *Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* followed by *Adoration* and concluding with *Evening Prayer* of the Church and *Benediction*. We encourage you and your family to participate in the Holy Hour as a way of drawing closer to our Lord and preparing to receive him in the Sunday Eucharist.

SENIORS CORNER

If you are aware of a senior parishioner who is confined to home who would enjoy the occasional greeting card from the parish, please contact Sue Merko at smerko@archtoronto.org or please contact the parish office and leave a message and we will make arrangements to add that person to our list. Please be ready to provide the name and full address of the parishioner. This information will remain confidential.

Biweekly Mass Intentions

Monday, January 31, NO 9 am mass

Tuesday, February 1, 9 am

† Tom Stamper

Wednesday, February 2, 9 am

† Victor Arena

Thursday, February 3, 9 am

† Paul Augusto Russo

Friday, February 4, 9 am

† Rena Rego

Saturday, February 5, 9 am

† Tom Stamper

† Miebeth de van der Schuren

† Brian Pinto

Saturday Evening Mass 5 pm - Holy Soul

Sunday, February 6, 8:30 am

10 am - People of the Parish

12 noon

Monday, February 7, NO 9 am mass

Tuesday, February 8, 9 am

† Maria Rosa Lages

† Don Amos

Wednesday, February 9, 9 am

† Peter & Jozefa Malarczuk

Thursday, February 10, 9 am

Special Intention for Fr. Scott Young

Friday, February 11, 9 am

† Kara Winchester

Saturday, February 12, 9 am

† Pasquale Battaglia

Saturday Evening Mass - 5 pm

Sunday, February 13, 8:30 am

10 am - World Day of the Sick

12 noon

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