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

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



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 at 10:00 a.m. or by appointment

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

The sacrament of Baptism is offered every Saturday and Sunday at 1:45 pm one family at a time by appointment. 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 the Parish Office.

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 6:00pm to 8:00pm in the JC Room.

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	Andrea Milanetti, Princ.	905-822-0721
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...he was carried up to heaven.

...And the disciples returned to Jerusalem with great joy.

The ascension is the crowning glory of Jesus. He has done the will of the

Father. Now the Father glorifies him. We celebrate because where the head has gone, we have hope to reach. We too hope to reach that glory, if we fulfill the will of God. The 'disciples return to Jerusalem with great joy' because they had seen his glory. They were filled with thoughts and dreams of being glorified like their Lord and Master. They were willing to do the will of the Father.

Upcoming ShareLife Collection: We have currently raised **\$ 63,129.25,** bringing us closer to our goal of \$160,000. Our next collection will be on June 4th & June 5th.

The **Knights of Columbus** & **Lifeteen** are pleased to host **Karaoke Night Fundraiser** on Sat. June 4th at 6pm in the church hall. All proceeds from 50/50 tickets & Raffle Draws go towards youth attending Lifeteen Camp. Dinner & drinks will be provided.

Employment Opportunity: Parish Secretary

(Modified Full Time: 25 hrs/ wk)

St. Christopher's Parish is seeking a modified full time Parish Secretary to provide confidential secretarial, administrative, and coordination to the Pastor. Those wishing to be considered should submit their resume and cover letter in MS Word or PDF format to Fr. Joseph Rodrigues at JRodrigues@archtoronto.org.

Deadline for receipt of applications is <u>June 8th</u>, <u>2022</u>. We thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Full job description is available on the parish website.

Our parish is seeking an **Organist/ Cantor** for the 10am & 12pm mass. Contact Fr. Joseph to apply. Thank you!

Pilgrimage to Teopoli Shrine

The Knights of Columbus & Legion of Mary are organizing a day pilgrimage to the Shrine of Teopoli – Theos Polis- City of God in Gravenhurst, Muskoka, on Sunday July 24th.

The bus will depart from the church at 7:30am and will return later that day. Cost for the bus is \$25/person.

Bring a packed lunch and wear comfortable walking shoes.

For more information, contact Nick Romeo at 905-822-2682

The Rosary Apostolate in the

Schools, a ministry of evangelization through prayer, is seeking volunteers who have a devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit Elementary Catholic Schools to pray the rosary with the children once a month (October to May, Training and materials will be provided.

If you are interested, please contact Irma at 905-823-2428 or Pat at 647-525-7076.

Prayer Corner:

This week, please pray for the following people:

Arthur Manalo
Arthur Subriyan

SL ShareLife Corporate Golf Tournament

Monday, June 6, 2022

Shotgun start 1:00 pm
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Please contact Maria Panagakos at mpanagakos@archtoronto.org



We are seeking volunteers for this year's **Vacation Bible School**! Commitment is for **July 4 - 8, 11-15 & 18 - 22**.

Great opportunity for youth who need to complete community service hours! Contact **Levy Anne** at <u>Iramos@archtoronto.org</u>

What's Happening at St. Chris

Mon. May 30th

Confirmation Rehearsal – 6pm

Tues. May 31st

Confirmation Rehearsal - 6pm Marian Mass – 8pm

Wed. June 1st

St. Justin, Martyr

Thurs. June 2nd

St. Marcellinus & Peter

Fri. June 3rd

St. Charles Lwanga & Companions
Confirmation Mass – 6pm

Sat. June 4th

Confirmation Mass - 2pm

Sun. June 5th

Pentecost Sunday

Knights of Columbus Breakfast – all masses

Confirmation Mass – 3pm



On Sun. June 5th, Join the Knights of Columbus for Breakfast after all Sunday masses!

Weekly Mass Intentions

Tues. May 31st Roma Griffin †

Wed. June 1st Linda Costante

Thurs. June 2nd Maureen & John Honan

Fri. June 3rd Linda Mascarenhas †

Sat. June 4th <u>9am</u> D'Arsenia & Ronaldo Tizon

5pm Holy Souls

Sun. June 5th

8:30 Holy Souls 10am People of the Parish

Noon: Marina MacMillan †

Youth Ministry:

The Youth Café is open after all Sunday masses this weekend!

Reminder: **JR Edge** (Gr. 3-5) meets this Thursday in the hall at 6pm.

Lifeteen Camp registration is now open to all teens age 14-18! Join youth throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto on Aug. 8-12th at Jackson's Point Salvation Army Campground.



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