# 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. Steven Kwon Permanent Deacon: Deacon Terence Da Silva Permanent Deacon: Deacon Michael E. Minkowski Lay Pastoral Associate: Georgina Abrego Perpetua Fernandes Parish Secretary: Youth Minister & Sacramental Preparation: Levy Anne Ramos Ministry with Maturing Adults Sue Merko 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.

#### **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

10:00 a.m. Mass.

#### **MOTHERS' GROUP**

Third Wednesday of the month in the Hickey Lounge at 7:30 p.m.

#### **HOLY HOUR**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Evening Prayer - Every Friday at 7:00 p.m.

#### **LEGION OF MARY**

Every Tuesday at 5 pm & Thursday at 10 a.m. (J.C. Room)

#### YOUTH MINISTRY

Jr. EDGE - Grade 3 - 5

EDGE - Grade 6 - 8

Lifeteen - Grade 9 -12

Contact Levy Anne for dates and times.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Fourth Monday of the month in the Parish Hall at 7 p.m.

#### **RELIGIOUS BOOKS & ARTICLES STORE**

Open every third week of each month following Saturday 5:00 p.m. and all Sunday masses.

#### **PARISH SCHOOLS**

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#### Matthew 18: 15-20



Jesus spoke to his disciples. "If your brother or sister sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If he or she listens to you, you have regained your brother or sister.

#### Psalm 95

#### O that today you would listen to his voice!

Do not harden your hearts, as at Meribah, as on the day at Massah in the wilderness, when your ancestors tested me, and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work.

#### Come...let us adore HIM



At the HOLY HOUR & EVENING PRAYER

Join the parish community every Friday at 7 pm
for Adoration of the Blessed Sacramentfollowed by evening prayer of the church

#### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Program (RCIA)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) for adults who would like to become Roman Catholic will begin again in the fall. If you or a loved one would like to consider becoming a Roman Catholic, please have them speak to Fr. Joseph or contact Georgina Abrego, Lay Pastoral Associate by email at <a href="mailto:gabrego@archtoronto.org">gabrego@archtoronto.org</a>. or by phone @ 905 822 1171 ext. 2225.



#### Walk the WALK for the COMPASS

Saturday, Sept 16 @ 8.30am at St Mark's Church, 130 Mineola St., Port Credit. *Walk, run or Wheel!*,

Proceeds go to The Compass Foodbank and Community Centre. For more information: <a href="www.thecompass.ca">www.thecompass.ca</a>

#### **Spiritus West Young Adult Ministry**

Young adults (19-35)! Great opportunities for Catholic community and formation are waiting for you in the Archdiocese of Toronto. Start this year off differently by partaking in Spiritus West Young Adult Ministry. Visit us this Sunday after mass, September 10<sup>th</sup> to provide you with all the information you need to take part. If you missed it, or know someone else who might be interested, reach us at <a href="mailto:spirituswest@gmail.com">spirituswest@gmail.com</a>



12-Sept, Tue.	9am	Hend Shnayen - (Spec. Int.)
13-Sept, Wed.	9am	Edith Nadone - (Spec. Int.)
14-Sept, Thu.	9am	Honorato & Cirila Bucoy †
15-Sept, Fri.	9am	Suzanne & Chukkri Karakkand †
16-Sept, Sat.	9am	Paul Cea †
16-Sept, Sat.	5pm	Giuseppe Cavasinni †
17-Sept, Sun.		People of the Parish Joan & John Sammut †

# WONDERFUL NEWS



MARRIAGE

Sat. September 16th Jordan & Sandy

#### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS:**



12pm Alex A. Rodrigues †

Please note the following important dates:
Monday, September 18 at 7 p.m. & Tuesday,
September 19 at 7 p.m., there is a parent
information session for First Reconciliation and
Holy Communion preparation in the main church.

#### **Confirmation:**

Wednesday, September 20 at 7 p.m. & Thursday, September 21 at 7 p.m.,

Parent information session for Confirmation preparation in the main hall.

You only have to attend ONE of the information sessions. All necessary forms will be distributed then. For more information please contact Levy Anne Ramos by email to Lramos@archtoronto.org or by

905 822 1171 ext. 2224.

Celebration of the Solemnity of St. Michael – Patron

& Conferral of the Pallium upon the Most Rev. Francis Leo.

Toronto celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael, on Friday, September 29, 2023, 5.30pm. Join in a special celebration at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. At this occasion, The Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurkovič will confer the pallium on our archbishop, as a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful.

#### **Life-Giving Wounds RETREAT**

A Healing Retreat (for Adult Children of Divorced or Separated Parents). The Retreat helps participants to move through and beyond – the broken image of love that they witnessed in their parents' relationship, to their real identity as God's beloved, capable of great love.

It will be led by the Life-Giving Wounds (<a href="www.lifegivingwounds.org">www.lifegivingwounds.org</a>) traveling retreat team from Friday, September 29 at 7:00 p.m. to Sunday, October 1 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Francis Centre (208501 Highway 9, Caledon). Space is limited. Must be 18 or older to attend.



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### "WELCOME BACK BREAKFAST BBQ"

Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> After all Sunday Masses

Bring the whole family as this is a complimentary BBQ after all Sunday masses to welcome everyone home from their summer vacation and to build our parish community spirit.

Courtesy: Knights of Columbus

#### To Our DEAR NEW PARISHIONERS...

we ask you to please register yourself and family. You will find green registration forms at the entrances of the church. Simply drop completed forms into the offertory basket or bring to the parish office. A record of this information is very important, especially for any future sacramental celebrations. Please make a point of introducing yourself to your parish priest who would be pleased to meet you personally.

# ... And to ALL STAFF AND STUDENTS

### OUR PRAYER as you return BACK TO SCHOOL

Heavenly Father, we ask for Your peace on our students, teachers and administrators as they embark on this fresh journey. Today, as we take the first small step on the road of the new academic year, remind us of Jesus's call for us to wash each other's feet. As we grow together on this path, may we cast aside our pride and open our hearts and minds to you. May we seek ways to uplift each other. May we build your kingdom together. Amen.

Wishing staff and students a blessed and safe week back to school!

# **SL** ShareLife

A Catholic Charities agency supported by ShareLife

ShareLife collection till (August 31, 2023) \$ 115,338.00

(Our Sharelife goal is \$145,000.00) Please make a sacrificial gift through your parish or sharelife.org



# Come, Magnify the Lord with Us!

Magnificat 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration
Praise & Worship Workshop
and Magnificat Lunch
Saturday May 20, 2023
9:30 am – 3:00 pm
Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre
1617 Blythe Rd, Mississauga
For full details and registration:

https://www.stbenedicts.ca/magnificat25th

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** Is starting up again on September 17th at 10am mass on Sunday

THE CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP will be restarting meetings on Wednesday, October 18th at 7:30pm. If you would like more information about the group, please email Jen at jen@catholicmomsgroup.com

Prayer Requests: For those who are sick:

\* Rosaria Nasato

For those who have died:

Aliette Campbell

May their souls rest in peace.

If any family member is deceased or sick, and you would like to be prayed for, please contact the parish @ 905 822 1171.

#### **Important Note!**

To avoid any untoward incident, starting in September 2023, any poster that you wish to put on the bulletin board must be approved by the parish office and stamped. Posters without a stamp will be removed from the bulletin board.



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