

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
Parish Secretary:	Perpetua Fernandes
Youth Minister & Sacramental Preparation:	Levy Anne Ramos
Ministry with Maturing Adults	Sue Merko
Accounting:	Arnold Rego
Sacristan:	Narda Van Dyk



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

Lifteen - 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.

SENIORS COFFEE TOGETHER

Tuesday mornings after 9:00 a.m. mass - (vestibule)

BIBLE SHARING

Wednesday mornings 10-11 a.m. (J.C. Room)

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Christopher Isabel Sauve, Princ. 905-822-0721

St. Helen Ruben Furtado, Princ. 905-822-4564

St. Louis Natalie Poerba, Princ. 905-822-8251

St. Luke Mark Gibson, Princ. 905-274-2760

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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

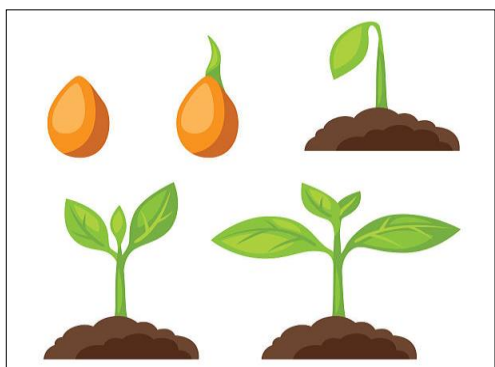
Saturday at 10:00 a.m. or by appointment

COMMUNION TO THE SICK & SHUT-INS

Call parish office for home visit.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

By request through the parish office.



Jesus said... “With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the

greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.” ...Mark 4.26-34

Lord, it is good to give thanks to you. Psalm 92 -

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name, O Most High; to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night.

HE DESERVES ALL THE GLORY!



❖ *Come...let us adore HIM...*

The HOLY HOUR Adoration will be after morning mass on the 1st & last Friday of the month, the other Fridays it will be in the evening @ 7pm.

JUNE 2024 - dedicated to *The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*

(A Message from His Grace Most Reverend Francis Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto on this Devotion).

“June is dedicated to the MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS and as we begin the month, I wish to encourage parishes, homes and schools and all other social & health care institutions throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto to welcome the opportunity to reflect on the profound and consoling meaning of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in our lives and walk of faith. Read more by visiting Archdioceses of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org.



17-June, Monday - NO MASS

18-June, Tuesday - 9:00 am

David Spearns†

Janusz Sudol†

Bernice There†

19-June, Wednesday - 9:00 am

Ariella Fietta†

20-June, Thursday - 9:00 am

Joe Chemello†

21-June, Friday - 9:00 am

Mirosława Moskalewicz†

22- June, Saturday - 9:00 am

Jordan & Melissa Wong (Spec. Int.)

Ping Santos (Spec. Int.)

Jerry Adriano†

22- June, Saturday - 5:00 pm

Betty & Lawrence McNeil†

23- June, Sunday

8:30 am Frank Cote†

10:00 am Helen NG (Spec. Int.)

12:00 noon Melissa LeBlanc†

CHILDREN’S LITURGY –10 am Mass

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Normally on Saturdays at 10 am and by appointment.)

Vacation Bible School (VBS) 2024.

For children ages 4 -11 years old. **July 15-19**

(week 1) July 22–26 (week 2)

Timing: 8:30am to 4pm

* Contact Levy Anne at

ramos@archtoronto.org



CANADA DAY HOLIDAY

July 1st : No Mass



Becoming Catholic (RCIA)

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Program

This program is for adults who would like to become Roman Catholic, it will begin again in the fall. If you or a loved one would like to consider becoming a Roman Catholic, please contact: Georgina Abrego, Lay Pastoral Associate, via email at gabrego@archtoronto.org or phone, 905-822-1171 ext. 2225.

PLEASE NOTE ... The **LAST BULLETIN** to be published before the summer holidays will be by the end of this month. All bulletin announcements must be in the parish office by **MONDAY, JUNE 24th.**

What's happening at St Christopher's



Month of June - Snacks for the Kids!

By **The Compass** - From June 1st to June 30th you can donate in person at 427 Lakeshore Rd East, Mississauga. A food drive for The Compass will be held June 22nd and 23rd. The most needed items at this point are Children's snacks, Canned Tomatoes, Pasta, Sardines, Tuna and Salmon. We are grateful for any and all support.

August 14 - Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services

Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday, August 14, 2024, at 7:00pm at the Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga.

Sept. 8th - INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

Registration deadline! Every four years, the Holy Father invites pilgrims from around the world to join in an International Eucharistic Congress. This year's event will take place in **Quito, Ecuador from September 8 to 15, 2024.** Contact Fr. Chris Cauchi, Archdiocesan Co-Ordinator. Additional information can be found at: www.archtoronto.org/iec or email to: ccauchi@archtoronto.org

Mary, Mother of God School

Still Registering for 2024/2025 (NEW FAMILY RATES!)

Have you heard of Mary, Mother of God School? We are an affordable private school (Grades K- 12) located in the Roncesvalles/Parkdale area. deeply rooted in the Catholic traditions with a special devotion to Our Lady. We have an excellent academic program, a dynamic and joyful student life, and small classes where each student is known and loved. **We are still interviewing for September 2024:** please visit our website at www.marymotherofgodschool.org or call us at 416-531-7897.

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

If you attend St. Christopher's Parish regularly but have not officially registered, we urge you to do so. A record of this information is very important, especially for any future sacramental celebrations. Green registration forms may be found at the entrances of the church. Simply drop completed forms into the offertory basket or bring to the parish office.

ARE YOU MOVING?

During the month of July and August a number of parishioners will be moving out of the parish to other areas. We thank you for your participation as members of St. Christopher's Parish and we wish you all the best in your new home. **BEFORE MOVING,** please leave your change of address with the parish office so that we can adjust our records.

HAS YOUR ADDRESS CHANGED?

Please inform the parish office of any changes as soon as possible.

PARISH SUPPORT - THANK YOU

(June 2 & 9, 2024 - Collection Update)

Candles	\$426.95
Initial offering	\$5.00
Marygrove Camp	\$1,390.00
Poor Box	\$1,452.00
Papal Charities	\$115.00
ShareLife	\$13,710.00
Weekly Collection	\$9350.60



ShareLife Collection

(up to 9th June) - **\$81,286.27**
(Annual Goal: \$156,500).



Knights of Columbus

St. Christopher's Knights of Columbus

Are you a Catholic gentleman over the age of 18 interested in joining the KofC council here at St. Christopher's?



Scan the QR code to join as an e-Member, or speak to a Knight after any mass to find out more about full membership. e-Membership is free until 2025.

LADIES MARATHON BRIDGE



We are looking for New members in September for Bridge. If interested & for more information. please call Linda McNeil at 905 822 1171 ext. 2230 or press 7.



Pilgrimage to Italy



Travel to ITALY with our Pastor, Father Steven Kwon.

From **21 Oct. to Nov. 1st, 2024.**

Please call the parish office.



Prayer Requests:



For those who are sick:

Fr. Joseph Rodrigues, & Margaret Smith.

For those who died. May their souls R.I.P.

HAPPY FATHERS DAY "Dear Dad, may God's wondrous love be yours on Father's Day and always.



My Star!" Don't forget to tell them how awesome they are!!

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