

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.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (closed: 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.)

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Steven Kwon
Permanent Deacon: Deacon Terence Da Silva
Permanent Deacon: Deacon Michael E. Minkowski
Lay Pastoral Associate & Ministry with Maturing Adults: Georgina Abrego
Parish Secretary: Perpetua Fernandes
Youth Minister & Sacramental Preparation: Levy Anne Ramos
Accounting: Arnold Rego
Sacristan: Narda Van Dyk



BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is offered every Saturday at 12:45 pm 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 Msgr. Hickey Lounge at 7:30 p.m. Please contact Jen via email: jen@catholicmomsgroup.com

HOLY HOUR

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after morning mass on 1st & last Fridays of the month. Other Fridays at 7:00 p.m.

LEGION OF MARY

Every Sunday at 4:30 p.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

Third Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall at 7:00 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 - (Parish Hall)

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

Iona Catholic S.S. Carl Cini, Princ. 905-823-0136

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

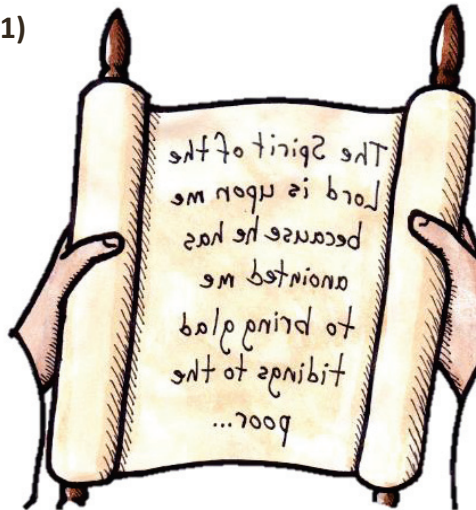
By request through the parish office.

(Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21)



In today's Gospel reading, Jesus stood in the Synagogue and read from the book of the Prophet

Isaiah... What did it say???



(Look at this page in the mirror to find out..)

(With the Psalmist ..we say!) (Ps 19).

Your words, Lord, are spirit and life.

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple.

A Celebration of Marriage
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MASS WITH BISHOP IVAN CAMILLERI

A special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2025.



The Mass will take place at **2:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 9, 2025 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto)**. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass. Registration and other important information can be found at www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

Have you also experienced JESUS' awesome love...but not yet a baptized Catholic...JOIN THE FAMILY that LOVES JESUS!

Would you or a loved one like to become a part of our Roman Catholic Family? If you feel the urge in your spirit... then join *The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)*. Especially for adults who would like to become Roman Catholic and understand the faith in a real way. Contact: Georgina Abrego, Lay Pastoral Associate by email at gabrego@archtoronto.org Or @ 905 822 1171 ext. 2225.



Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, January 27 | NO MASS

Tuesday, January 28 | 9:00 am

† Annamaria Carnevale
Ray Kanoza – Thanksgiving
† Giuseppina Cavasinni

Wednesday, January 29 | 9:00 am

† Christine Palens

Thursday, January 30 | 9:00 am

† Robert Keegan

Friday, January 31 | 9:00 am

Beverly Dywelska (Spec. Int.)

Saturday, February 1 | 9:00 am

† Sanya Hercey
† Blazenska Petra
† Kenny McNeil
† Mary Daoud

Saturday, February 1 | 5:00 pm

Rafael Dziurdzik (Spec. Int.)

Sunday, February 2

8:30 am † Sabina Cwalinska
10:00 am † Fr. Luis D'Araujo
12noon † Shirley Salvador

CHILDREN'S LITURGY- 10AM MASS

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HE deserves all the GLORY!

O come...let us adore HIM

At the HOLY HOUR Adoration

(after morning Mass on the 1st & last Friday of the month, other Fridays it is at 7pm.)



Prayer Corner: Please pray

***For those who are sick:**

Lydia Zeni.

***For those who have died:**

Zosia Kurowski.

May her souls Rest in Peace.



ONLINE DROP-IN



New Beginnings ministers to those who have suffered a loss through separation, divorce or bereavement.

SUPPORT SESSIONS FOR

Bereavement:
29th Jan 2025 @ 7:00 pm

Separated/Divorced:
30th Jan 2025 @ 7:00 pm

Grief Session:
6th Feb 2025 @ 10:00 am

Contact: Mobile: (647) 215-3978, alimanni@cfstoronto.com

Bereavement Ministry Training (Ministry of Consolation)

Thursday Evenings - February 20 & 27th, March 6, 13, 20 & 27
Timings: 7 to 8:30 p.m. Contact: formation@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3400 ext. 523.

Register by February 18: <https://bit.ly/BMT-RegisterFebMar2025>

Jubilee Year 2025 – “Pilgrims of Hope”



The Catholic Church worldwide will be celebrating a special Jubilee Year in 2025. Many celebrations within the city of Rome and also local initiatives in dioceses around the world.

❖ **JOIN THE PILGRIMAGE** .. young adults (ages 19 - 39), join Fr. Paul Magyar and the OCY team for a pilgrimage of a life time! to Venice, Padua, Florence, Assisi and Rome from July 23rd to August 5th, 2025. Please contact youth@archtoronto.org to receive the pilgrim information package and detailed itinerary.

We want your Piggys back!

The Knights of Columbus request you to please return your Piggy banks at any weekend mass.

Thank you ...



We are grateful for your generosity & support.

❖ Parish offerings on Jan 18/Jan19, 2025
\$4,973.35

What’s happening at St. Christopher’s?

Annual Mardi Gras Dinner & Dance PARTY (1st March, 6pm)

Tickets available after weekend masses from Jan 25/26.

Enjoy a great meal, open bar (wine/beer/pop), great music and lots of fun games and prizes. Hosted by your St Christopher’s Knights of Columbus. Adult admission \$25; Youth \$10; age 12 & under free.



March Break Camp: March 10-14th

Registration for Marching with Christ will be on Jan. 30 & 31 from 6pm - 7:30pm in the church vestibule. Camp fee is \$100/child, which includes camp materials and one snack. Forms and camp information is available on our parish website or contact Levy Anne Revita at ramos@archtoronto.org.

Cozy Youth Cafe: Take a break from the cold and enjoy some warm comfort food at our Cozy Youth Cafe on Feb 1st & 2nd, followed by all weekend masses. All proceeds will help send our teens to camp in August.

Bequests to Your Parish:

YOUR FAMILY –... in life and in death.

Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities in your Will. Get in touch with the dioceses a free estate planning guide to help you make your plan. Bonafide advisors across the GTA can guide and assist you wisely, in your estate planning and the preparation of a Will. Please call at 416-934-0606 ext. 561/519 or email Development@archtoronto.org.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING

WEBINAR - Saturday, 1st Feb 2025, at 9:00 a.m.

Learn: · How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection

· How to create your own legacy
· About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals.



WebFeb01

WAYS TO REGISTER:

1. scan this QR code: and follow link qrco.de/WebFeb01 OR send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write “webinar February 1” in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

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