

# 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:** Tuesday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.)  
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

### PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:	Rev. Steven Kwon
Permanent Deacon:	Deacon Michael E. Minkowski
Lay Pastoral Associate:	Hilda De Medicis
Parish Secretary:	Teresa Palomar
Youth Minister & Sacramental Preparation:	Levy Anne Revita
Accounting:	Arnold Rego



### 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](mailto:jen@catholicmomsgroup.com)

### HOLY HOUR

Holy hour is now every Friday following morning mass.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. (J.C. Room)

**YOUTH MINISTRY:** EDGE - Grades 3 - 8  
Lifeteen - Grades 9 - 12  
Contact Levy Anne for dates and times.

### SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (also livestreamed) & 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.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

4th Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m.

### SENIORS COFFEE TOGETHER

Tuesday mornings after 9:00 a.m. Mass - (Parish Hall)

**BIBLE SHARING:** Wednesday mornings 10-11 a.m. (J.C. Room)

### FOCOLARE - WORD OF LIFE/PALABRA DE VIDA

Every second Saturday of the month at Msgr. Hickey Lounge (Spanish Group) & JC room (English Group) from 2:30pm to 4:00pm.

### PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Christopher Isabel Sauve, Princ. 905-822-0721  
St. Helen Ruben Furtado, Princ. 905-822-4564  
St. Louis Velia Scorziella, Princ. 905-822-8251  
St. Luke Mark Gibson, Princ. 905-274-2760  
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9AM MON - SAT | 10AM SUN

## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY)



### John 20: 26-29

26 A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them.

Although

the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." 27 Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." 28 Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" 29 Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

**Prayer Requests:** If you or a family member is sick or deceased and would like to be prayed for, please contact the office.

**Sick Intentions:** Vivian Youkhanna, Rev. Joseph Rodrigues, Aristeo Ramos, Cornelio Revita



### Mass Intentions

Mon. April 13<sup>th</sup>: NO MASS

Tues. April 14<sup>th</sup>:

9am - Donna Raczka  
Michael Micallef†

Wed. April 15<sup>th</sup>:

9am - Cesar David

Thurs. April 16<sup>th</sup>:

9am - Ronald D'Sa †

Fri. April 17<sup>th</sup>:

9am - Lyra de Souza†

Sat. April 18<sup>th</sup>:

9am - People of the Parish  
5pm - George Routliffe†

Sun. April 19<sup>th</sup>:

8am - People of the Parish  
10am - People of the Parish  
12 pm - Arsenia & Ronaldo Tizon†  
Ignacio & Ellen Morandarte †

REMINDER: THE NEXT MEETING FOR THE CATHOLIC MOM'S GROUP WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup> IN THE MSGR. HICKEY LOUNGE AT 7:30PM. FOR MORE INFORMATION, EMAIL JEN AT

[JEN@CATHOLICMOMSGROUP.COM](mailto:JEN@CATHOLICMOMSGROUP.COM)



"The Spring food drive for the Compass will be on April 25th and 26th. Please bring your donations of non-perishable food e.g. pasta and pasta sauce, canned fish or meat. You might also consider making a financial donation. Representatives from The Compass

will be available before and after mass to accept any financial donations and answer all questions you may have. Monetary donations allow The Compass to purchase needed items at the wholesale/bulk prices."



After Senior Coffee Tuesday, the 6-week Adult Mobility program will be taking place at 10am in the parish hall.

Come and join Joe, your Knights of Columbus member and Certified Group Fitness Instructor and move to the music of your generation. Fun for all. All levels of fitness are welcome.

Our parish is inviting all who are interested in joining us for WORLD YOUTH DAY IN SOEUL, SOUTH KOREA on July 29 to August 11, 2027. The theme comes from John 16:33 - Take courage! I have overcome the world!



We have 15 spots available. The cost is \$5000; however, the parish will be able to help subsidize a portion of the trip. The fee includes airfare, accommodation and World Youth Day kits. To secure your spot, a deposit of \$500 will be due by May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026.



Scan the QR to sign up today!

### DISCOVER THE WONDERS OF TURKEY WITH FR STEVEN KWON

13 Days / 11 Nights | September 1<sup>st</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> 2026  
Forms are available on our website. For more information, please contact May Chow: 416.993.6297 | [mchow@expediacruzises.com](mailto:mchow@expediacruzises.com)

REGISTRATION FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS NOW **CLOSED!**

WE ARE EXCITED TO SEE ALL OF OUR CAMPERS IN JULY FOR "RAINFOREST FALLS: EXPLORING THE NATURE OF GOD!" IF YOU NEED COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO DOWNLOAD OUR VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION FORM AND A



APRIL 12, 2026

VOLUNTEER SCREENING FORM! BOTH FORMS ARE DUE BY JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2026  
The Archdiocese of Toronto invites you to A Day With Mary on Saturday, May 30, 2026 at Villanova College in King City.

This family-friendly day will include Holy Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, the Rosary, confessions, a keynote address, and children's catechesis. Enjoy music, fellowship and more. Online registration will be available soon!

CONTACT: [events@archtoronto.org](mailto:events@archtoronto.org)  
WEBSITE: [www.archtoronto.org/mary](http://www.archtoronto.org/mary)

### Women of the Word Toronto - 2026 Forum

Saturday, April 18, 2026 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM  
Bellvue Manor - 8083 Jane St, Concord

Theme: Heart Divided  
Date: Saturday, April 18, 2026  
Time: 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.  
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- Fr. Eric Mah  
- Nikki Kingsley  
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### Weekend Collections: March 28 & 29

Offertory & Other Parish Collections  
\$ 10,045.25  
Easter Sunday  
\$ 448.00  
Baptisms/Funerals/Marriages  
\$ 150.00  
Mass Offerings  
\$ 420.00  
Charity/Outreach Receipts  
\$ 270.00  
Youth Program Receipts  
\$ 258.85  
Article/Candle Sales  
\$ 343.40  
Diocesan Special/Second Collections/Share Life  
\$ 4,367.10  
Share Life - Year to Date: Jan 01 - March 29  
\$ 39,908.00

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS!

- Our next bake sale will be on May 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> following all weekend masses in the back of the church.
- Our Dinner and Karaoke Night will be on Saturday May 30<sup>th</sup> following the 5pm mass. Tickets will go on sale on Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> following all weekend masses. This year, we will be serving classic Filipino cuisine!

All proceed from these events will go toward supporting all pilgrims attending World Youth Day in South Korea in 2027.  
Thank you for all your support!

### Bento Box Fundraiser: Support Our Pilgrims for World Youth Day 2027!

Our young pilgrims are beginning their journey to Seoul, South Korea for World Youth Day in August 2027. You can help them get there while enjoying a delicious meal!

#### **Pre-Order Weekends:**

Stop by our table in the vestibule after all Masses on April 18 & 19 and 25 & 26 to place your order!

#### **What's in the Box?**

Each bento box will include Filipino style BBQ chicken or pork, Steamed white rice and chicken stir fry.

Price: \$12 per box or 2 for \$20.

Pick-Up Date: Saturday May 2 following the 5pm mass and on Sunday May 3 following the 12pm mass.

Location: Church Vestibule

As Pope Francis has reminded us for this upcoming gathering, we are called to "Take courage" as we witness our faith to the world. Your support helps our youth answer this call and experience the "vibrant and energetic culture" of World Youth Day.

Questions? Contact Levy Anne at [lramos@archtoronto.org](mailto:lramos@archtoronto.org) or 905-822-1171 x 2224

### Help Our Parish Bloom!

#### Garage Sale Donations Needed

Do you have "treasures" at home looking for a new mission? We are collecting gently used items for our upcoming Parish-Wide Garage Sale, with 100% of the proceeds going toward landscaping and beautifying our church grounds.

We are looking for:

- Gently used Clothes & accessories
- Books, Games & Puzzles
- Shoes, Vinyl's, DVDs.
- *Please: No torn clothing, furniture, kitchenware, sporting equipment, tools/outdoor tools or older electronics.*

Drop-off Details:

- Where: Parish Office
- When: 9am – 4pm. Last day for drop off will be on Thursday May 7<sup>th</sup>.

Join us on Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> to shop! Every dollar raised helps us plant new life around our spiritual home.

Our parish is looking for volunteers to take part in one of the many different ministries and organizations within St. Christopher! Contact the office if you are interested in:

- Alter Serving
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Ushers and Lectors
- Choirs
- Rosary Apostolate
- Legion of Mary
- Catholic Mom's Group
- Knights of Columbus
- Focolare
- Children's Liturgy

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