

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
Parish Secretary: Teresa Palomar
Youth Minister & Sacramental Preparation: Levy Anne Revita



BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is offered every Saturday and Sunday at 2:00 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

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.

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
Iona Catholic S.S. Lorian Feres, Princ. 905-823-0136

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.



SCAN HERE TO WATCH MASS ONLINE!
9AM MON - SAT | 10AM SUN



Matthew 20: 1-16 Parable of the Vineyard Workers

¹¹ And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, ¹² saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the

burden of the day and the scorching heat.' ¹³ But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for a denarius? ¹⁴ Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. ¹⁵ Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' ¹⁶ So the last will be first, and the first will be last."

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION IS NOW AVAILABLE!

Sacrament of First Reconciliation & Holy Communion (FRHC)

Parent Info Night: Tues. Sept. 22nd & Wed. Sept. 23rd at 7pm
FRHC Registration Dates: Oct. 23 & 24 from 5:00-9:00pm

Sacrament of Confirmation (CONF)

Parent Info Night: Tues. Sept. 29th & Wed. Sept. 30th at 7pm
CONF Registration Dates: Oct. 21 & 22 from 5:00-9:00pm

Online Registration is now available! Please read the following reminders:

- All registration information must be submitted online. This includes a copy of your child(s) Baptismal certificate. All Confirmation candidates must also submit a copy of their First Communion certificate. This submission still applies if your child received any of their sacraments at St. Christopher's Parish.
- Registration is not complete until your payment is received on the appropriate registration dates noted above.
- REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE REGISTRATION DATES HAVE PASSED.
- If your child has not been baptized, but would like to received any of these sacraments, please contact the parish office.
- You will only have to attend ONE parent information night.

Please contact Levy Anne at extension 205 or by email at lramos@archtoronto.org.

Visit stchristophersmi.archtoronto.org to register today!

INTENTIONS FOR SEPT. 22ND – 27TH, 2026

Tuesday September 22nd:

People of the Parish

Wednesday September 23rd:

Yvonne and family

Thursday September 24th:

Oliver Raczka & Dina Cabral†

Friday September 25th:

Paul Payne†

Saturday September 26th:

9:00am: Sponga Family† & Linda Morset†

5pm - Elio Sponga† & Miguel and Aurora Saavedra†

Sunday September 27th:

8:30am - 21st Anniversary of Ana & Henry Desouza

10am - Holly Ruth Gardiner† & Aristeo Ramos†

12 pm - Annamaria Carnevale† &
Tomasa and Ignacio Morandarte†

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

YOUTH MINISTRY IS BACK!

10am Mass Children's Liturgy (starts Oct 4th)

NEW! Children's Ministry: Gr. 1-3 (starts Oct. 25th)

JR. Edge: Gr. 4-6 (starts Oct. 4th)

EDGE: Gr. 7-8 (starts Oct. 4th)

Lifteen: Gr. 9-12 (starts Oct. 11th)

Visit our website to register today and view all upcoming dates and events. Contact Levy Anne for more information.

Parish Volunteer Opportunity

Would you be interested in volunteering at our parish? We are always grateful for parishioners who are willing to share their time, talents, and gifts with our parish community.

If you are interested in volunteering, please complete and cut out this section and return it by dropping it off at the Parish Office or placing it in the collection basket.

Thank you for your willingness to serve and help make our parish community stronger!

NAME: _____

TEL. NO: _____

EMAIL: _____

(Please print clearly so we can contact you. Thank you.)



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OPEN HOUSE.

NHL Habs Vs Leafs viewing night on Tues.

Sept 29th. All welcome: friends, children,

wives, partners. Popcorn, hot dogs, and cold drinks. FREE. Hall opens at 6 pm. See you there!

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

(RCIA) is the way adults come to learn about and experience the Christian life, specifically our Roman Catholic tradition, and become initiated into the life of our Church through the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the Catholic faith, please email the parish office! **Classes run every Tuesday from 6-8:30pm starting on October 6th, 2026.**



Please email the parish office to register or for more information.

St. Andre Bessette Fundraising Raffle

Our parish would like to welcome Cathy and St. Andre Bessette Fundraising team will be visiting our parish on Oct. 3rd and 4th as the efforts to build the new parish in Vaughan continues!

For more info, visit standrebessette.ca

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, September 26, 2026. at 9:00 a.m.

- **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**

To register, send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar September 26" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

You are Invited to Join Luce Veritas LAY DOMINICAN FRATERNITY in Mississauga!!

The Dominican Family's spirituality rests on four pillars: Study, Prayer, Community, and Mission. Our focus is the study of Sacred Scripture, sharing prayer and faith together and with others. Do you yearn to share the message of Jesus with others?

If you are interested or have any questions about becoming a Lay Dominican in Mississauga, please Contact: [Konrad Hanz op @ kaphanz@sympatico.ca](mailto:Konrad.Hanz_op@kaphanz@sympatico.ca).

Welcome to Catholic Women and Men over the age of 18.
See the website of the Dominican Order; <https://laici.ca/>

112th World Day of Migrants and Refugees – Sunday, September 27, 2026.

This year's theme, chosen by Pope Leo XIV, is "Even just one of these children." Drawing from the Gospel of Matthew (18:5) — "Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me" — the Holy Father calls the Church to pay special attention to migrants and refugee children. He reminds us that every child matters, and we are called to protect and welcome them with open hearts, offering them safety, dignity, and a hopeful future.

We are invited to reflect on how our parishes and communities can respond with concrete acts of hospitality and compassion to the youngest and most vulnerable among those on the move.

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW ON THE PATH OF INFERTILITY?

Join the monthly virtual meetings with **Springs of Hope**. Couples can contact the site at <https://rhfertilitycare.com> for additional information and to pre-register for this gathering. Their next upcoming meeting is on Thursday, October 8th at 7:30 pm.

Parish Collections as of Sept. 5 & 6, 2026

Building Maintenance	\$30.00
Funeral	\$300.00
Indigenous Healing	\$20.00
Mass Intention	\$80.00
Weekly Collection	\$6,303.50
World Mission	\$10.00
World Youth Day Payment	\$1,000.00
Youth Account Env	\$903.00

A message from the Archdiocese of Toronto:

Archbishop Leo has prepared his annual homily for Stewardship Sunday on September 20. The homily is now available for download in video, audio and written versions, including translations at www.archtoronto.org/stewardship under the "Stewardship Sunday" tab.

Humanitarian Relief – Nepal Mudslides & Colombia Earthquake

The Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting donations to support humanitarian relief efforts following the devastating mudslides in Nepal, and the recent devastating earthquake in Colombia. Both disasters have resulted in significant loss of life, displacement and widespread damage to homes, roads, bridges and other critical infrastructure.

Those wishing to help may donate online through www.archtoronto.org, by phone through the Donations Processing Centre at 437-529-1287, or through the parish. Funds will be channeled through trusted Catholic partners assisting those most affected.

Please pray for those who have died, those who have lost loved ones or homes, and all those providing emergency assistance and support to affected communities.

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