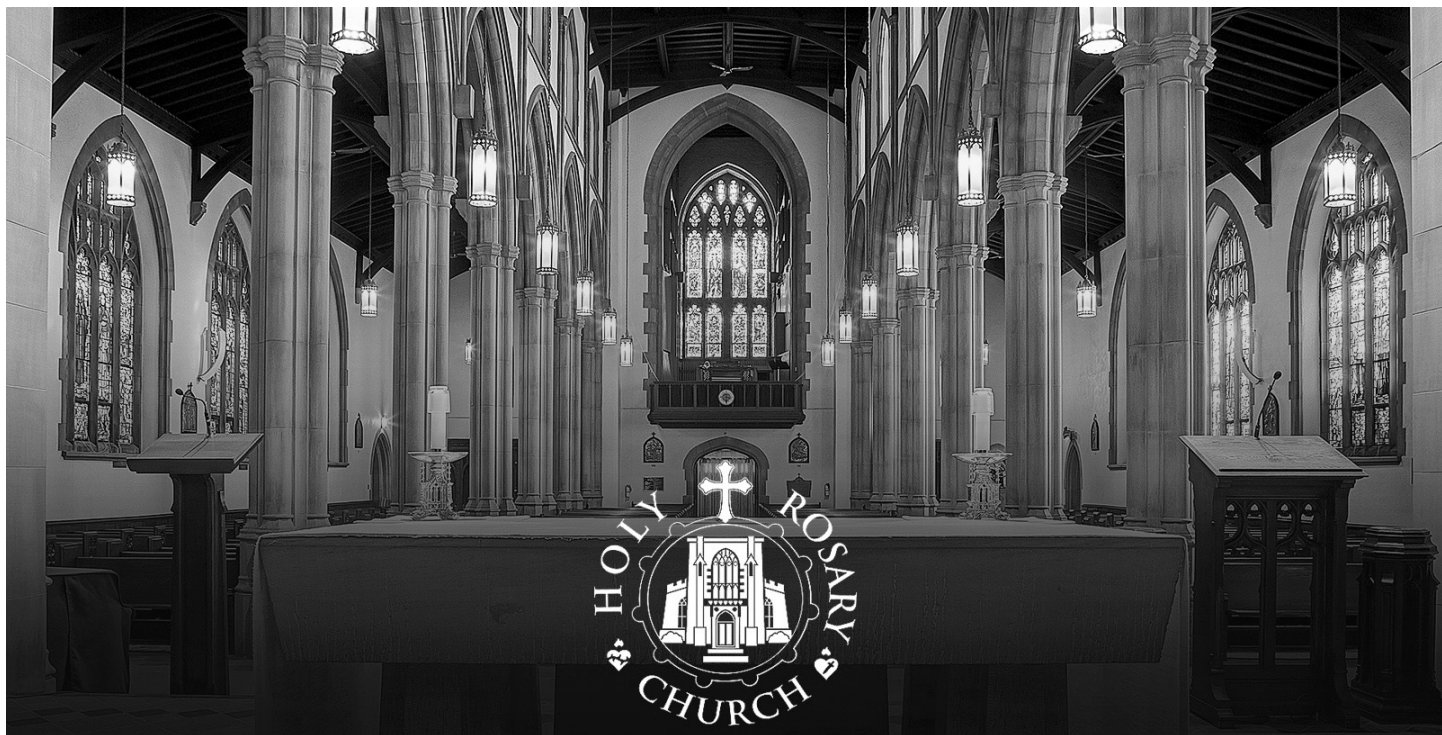


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## PASTORAL TEAM

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## PARISH STAFF

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## CHURCH HOURS

Monday to Friday 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. & 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Sunday 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Fri 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sat CLOSED Sun 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

## MUSIC DIRECTORS

Edwin Chiu: Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Geoff Butler: Sunday 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

## T.C.D.S.B. SCHOOL CONNECTED TO THE PARISH

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## WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

We ask new parishioners to register with the Parish. Forms and Donation Envelopes are available at Church entrances, the Parish Office and [www.holyrosary.ca](http://www.holyrosary.ca)

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 12:10 p.m.

## WEEKEND MASSES

**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Vigil)

**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

**ROSARY** Monday to Friday: 11:40 a.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday: 12:40 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Saturday evening 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Sunday 6:00 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.

## FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS TO SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament until 3pm with devotions at 2:45 p.m.

## First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Rosary with Veneration of Relics of St. Jacinta and Francisco Marto at 8:30 a.m.

Confessions at 8:30 a.m. Mass at 9:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration with Fatima Prayers 9:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Monday to Sunday 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** Please contact the parish office.

**ARRANGING A WEDDING** Please contact the Parish Office for information at least 1 year in advance.

## SACRAMENT OF THE SICK AND CARE FOR THE ELDERLY & SHUT-INS

Those confined to their homes by illness, infirmity or age, may arrange to receive communion by contacting the Parish Office.

# SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

*"Of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I Seek; hide not your face from me."*  
(Cf. Psalm 26. 8-9)



## Prayer for Lent

There are traditionally 40 days in Lent; these are marked by fasting, both from foods and festivities, and by

other acts of penance. The three traditional practices to be taken up with renewed vigor during Lent are prayer (justice towards God), fasting (justice towards self), and almsgiving (justice towards neighbors). Lent, which comes from the Teutonic (Germanic) word for springtime, can be viewed as a spiritual spring cleaning: a time for taking spiritual inventory and then cleaning out those things which hinder our corporate and personal relationships with Jesus Christ and our service to him. To watch, please visit FORMED. To register for FORMED, for FREE, go to: [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) and enter the Parish Code: FVT2H9.

## Announcements



1. Dear brothers and sisters in the Lord:

After 21 years of dedicated service as a Permanent Deacon, Deacon Daniel Gana has officially retired from active ministry at Holy Rosary Parish as of Dec 31st, 2023. We are grateful for his service and

many friendships he formed over the past two decades. In thanksgiving for his ministry, we will offer a light reception after the 12pm Mass **next weekend, on Sunday, March 3rd**. Please join us in saying thank you to him!

2. Please join us **NEXT WEEKEND, on Sunday, March 3rd, following the 12 PM Mass**, for the First Sunday Family Ministry and Community Coffee. All are welcome!

3. Stations of the Cross – Every Friday through Lent (March 1, 8, 15, & 22) at 6:20 PM followed by Mass at 7:00 PM. Scan the QR code to access the Stations of the Cross on your mobile.



4. Lenten Evening of Confessions will be held on Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM.

5. **FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR**  
Saturday, February 24, 2024, 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

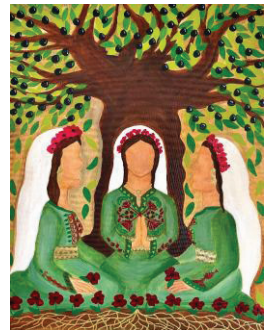
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1. Follow this QR link: <https://ORCO.de/WebFeb24>  
2. send an email to: [Development@ArchToronto.org](mailto:Development@ArchToronto.org) and write “webinar February 24” in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

6. The FEBRUARY Food of the Month donation is **CANS OF BOOST OR ENSURE (meal replacement)**. With rising food costs, the Foodbank is serving record numbers of clients (approximately 1200 people per week). In order to ensure that the Foodbank can continue in future years we need the financial support of the community. On behalf of the clients, volunteers at the COTH Foodbank, thank you for your support.

7. All are invited to attend the St. Augustine’s Seminary Divina Eloquia presented by Rev. Hubertus Drobner taking place on Tuesday, February 27, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. in Charbonnel Lounge, University of St. Michael’s College, Elmsley Hall, 81 St. Mary St., Toronto. For more information and to register please visit <https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/patristic-talk-feb2024>. Please register early, as space is limited for in-person events.

8. The World Day of Prayer Ecumenical Worship Service for 2024 will be held at Grace Church on-the-Hill located on 300 Lonsdale Road on Friday March 1<sup>st</sup> at 1 PM, followed by a reception. For more information, please leave any messages/questions at the Church office for Lily Kobayashi.



9. Dear Parishioners,

We are Humber College Nursing Students, and in our continued collaboration with the Out of the Cold Program, we will be presenting on medication management and valuable local pharmacy services. We are seeking donations of Pill boxes, Hygiene products, Sunscreen, and common pre-engraved Medical ID bracelets, available at various pharmacies. Boxes will be set up at the Church entrance for the donations. We welcome you to join us on Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at 11 AM in the Holy Rosary Parish Hall. Thank you for helping to make a positive impact on accessible health!



# FEBRUARY 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 26, 2024

12:10 pm. For the Deceased children of Marion, Diana (+), Robert (+), Samantha (+), Jessie (+), Dolores (+), & Priscilla (+)

Tuesday, February 27, 2024

12:10 pm. Vito Carnovale (Personal Intentions)  
Requested By: The Family

Wednesday, February 28, 2024

12:10 pm. Rev. Jon Bromley (+)

Thursday, February 29, 2024

12:10 pm Elizabeth Vitek (+)  
Requested By: Her daughter, Elizabeth

Friday, March 1, 2024

*World Day of Prayer*

12:10 pm. In Thanksgiving  
Requested By: The Pineros Sanchez Family

Multiple Intentions:  
Holy Souls in Purgatory

6:20 PM Stations of the Cross  
7:00 pm. Joseph Ratchford (Special Intentions)

Saturday, March 2, 2024

9:00 am. Intentions of the Blessed Virgin Mary and in reparation for all sins committed against her Immaculate Heart

5:00 pm. Joan Hibberd (+)  
Requested By: Patricia Gawen

Sunday, March 3, 2024

*Third Sunday of Lent*

8:00 am. George Kyte (+)  
Requested By: The Fleming Family

10:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

12:00 pm. Liana Tedjokusumo (In Thanksgiving)



**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially:** Anthony Verombeck, Mario, Edward Haggarty, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

### Project Anna & Simeon

Are you grieving the loss of someone through Medical Assistance in Dying?

A retreat day for hospitality, support, reflection and sharing for those who have lost loved ones to Medical Assistance in Dying.

Location: 155 Broadview Toronto  
Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup> from 12 PM - 8 PM

Meals will be provided. Suggested Donation: \$100  
Registration deadline: Monday, February 26. For more information and to register, email us at [outreach@stmarysrefuge.org](mailto:outreach@stmarysrefuge.org)

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Come & See — Discernment Weekend Retreat — March 15–17, 2024 at St. Augustine's Seminary  
From: Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Director, Office of Vocations  
The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, March 15 at 6:30 p.m. until Sunday, March 17 at 2 p.m. This Retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. Please note that registration must be done online at [www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee). For more information, please contact us at: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).



ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

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### Parish Vitality & Stewardship

A steward is someone who receives God's gifts gratefully, develops those gifts responsibly, shares those gifts lovingly in justice with others, and makes a return with interest to the Lord. As such, the goal of parish vitality and stewardship is to help increase the engagement of everyone in the life of their parish as stewards.

We Offer the Following Resources on Parish Vitality and Stewardship:

1. [The Spirituality of Stewardship](#). Housing resources for parishes, groups and individuals.
2. [Stewardship Sunday](#). Celebrated annually across the entire Archdiocese of Toronto on the 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Stewardship Sunday normally occurs on the third Sunday in September.
3. [Parish Vitality](#). This section features practical resources to help a parish community deepen parishioner engagement.
4. [Parish Vitality Additional Resources](#). This section has a multitude of interesting resources, including downloadable promotional videos for parishes.

If you have any questions, please contact Quentin Schesnuik, Associate Director - Parish Vitality & Stewardship in the Office of Formation for Discipleship at [quentins@archtoronto.org](mailto:quentins@archtoronto.org) or call 416-934-3400, ext. 568.

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