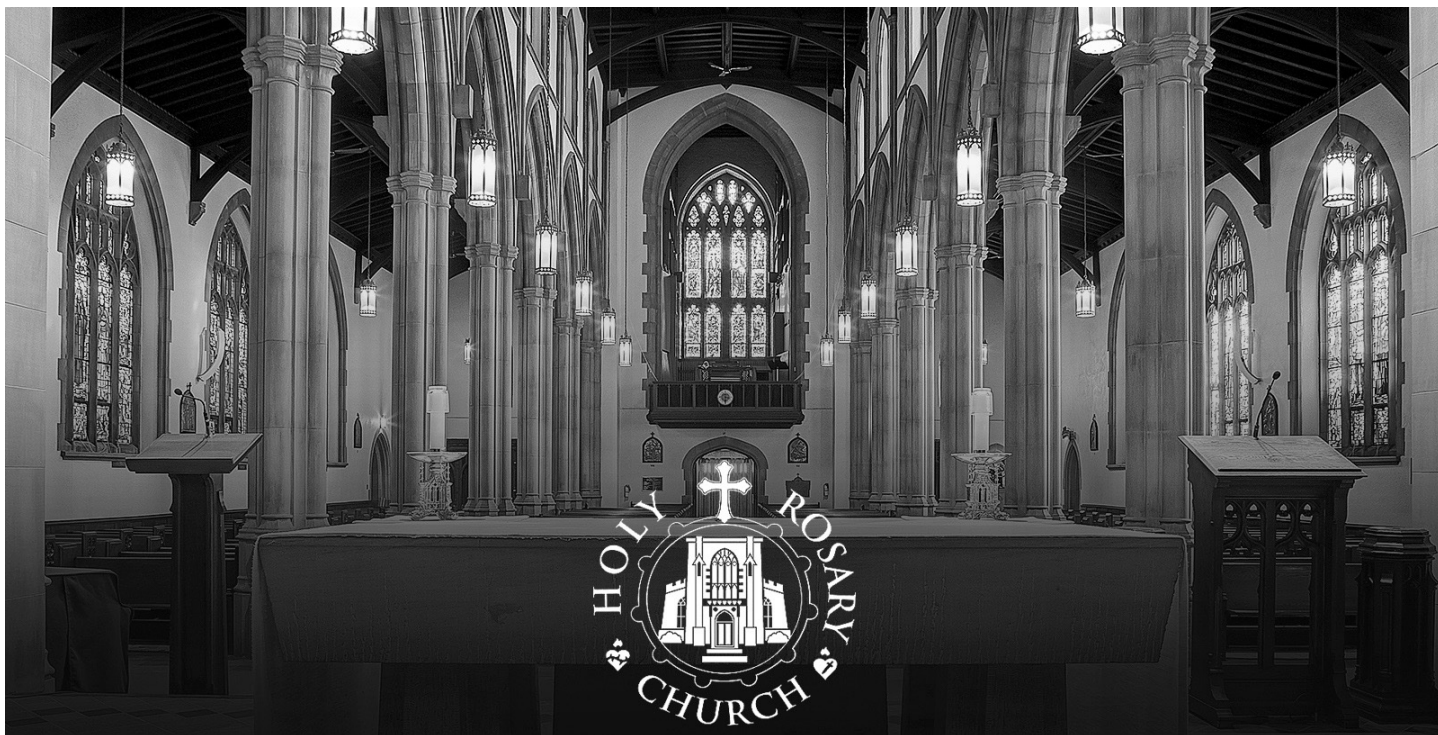


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## CHURCH HOURS

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.

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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.

# ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; be my help. Do not abandon or forsake me, O God, my Saviour."  
(Cf. Psalm 26.7, 9)



## The Pastor's Reflection

*"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade." (Mk 4:30-2)*

Dear brothers and sisters in the Lord:

This Sunday, Jesus teaches us an important parable about the Kingdom of God. According to Edward Sri, the mustard seed is a weed. Nobody would ever want to sow weeds in their fields. Moreover, it can only grow about 10 feet tall. Why would Our Lord compare a weed to his glorious kingdom? Jesus is telling us that his Kingdom starts off very small but ends up great. However, it grows in a way you do not expect. It might even look unsightly. Yet, if you let it continue to grow, it will end up everywhere, with very deep roots.

Jesus came from heaven and chose 12 simple men to begin his church. Little by little, they worked with the Holy Spirit to spread the faith throughout the world. From a small village in Galilee, the Catholic faith has spread throughout the entire world. Whether visible or hidden, the Gospel has been sown and parishes have been erected in every country. Moreover, the Catholic Church is the oldest institution in the world! It may not always look good due to the sins of some of her members, however, her holiness is ultimately found in the presence of the Holy Spirit who resides deep within.

We might feel like we don't have much to offer God. Perhaps we may even doubt our ability to do good because we are keenly aware of our own sinfulness and weakness. Today's Gospel is a great consolation to us all! Even the smallest effort made to manifest the presence of God in our daily lives will bear fruit. God looks beneath the surface of our actions to determine whether they are rooted in his divine love. Even if our attempts don't always look great, at least we are trying! What matters is that we "aspire to please him." (2 Cor 5:9)

## Announcements

1. CWL celebrates Fathers' Day TODAY, Sunday, June 16th following the 12 PM Mass. Families are invited to bring their Grandpas, Papas, and Dads to spend a little time in the Parish Hall and enjoy some light refreshments and a special blessing.
3. The **JUNE** Food of the Month donation is **FAMILY SIZE JARS OF PEANUT BUTTER (1 LITRE)**. With rising food costs the Foodbank is serving record numbers of clients (approximately 1200 people per week). Please drop off donations at the main entrance of the Church or at the Parish Office.
4. Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: Classes begin Thursday, September 19th at 7 PM in the Parish Hall. Please email [pturrone@archtoronto.org](mailto:pturrone@archtoronto.org) to register.





# JUNE 16th, 2024

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, June 17, 2024

12:10 pm. Jose Nunes De Medeiros (+) &  
Maria Jose Medeiros (+)  
Requested By: Children, Patricia & Tony

### Tuesday, June 18, 2024

12:10 pm. Philip Wong (+)  
Requested By: Terese

### Wednesday, June 19, 2024

12:10 pm. Eduardo (+)& Humberto  
Rego (+)  
Requested By: Maria Zelia

### Thursday, June 20, 2024

12:10 pm. Hilda Marquez (Blessings &  
Healing)  
Requested By: Helen Duhaime

### Friday, June 21, 2024

12:10 pm. Margaret Cole (+)  
Requested By: Nick Czernkovich

Multiple Intentions:

Florentina Macatuno (+), Rev. Manfred Schmid (+), Maria  
Nguyen Xvan Hoa (+), Ronald Glen Torres (In  
Thanksgiving), Holy Souls in Purgatory

### Saturday, June 22, 2024

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

5:00 pm. Msgr. Anthony Robert Nusca  
(Special Blessings)  
Requested By: Hermý & Isabel Villasenor

### Sunday, June 23, 2024

*Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

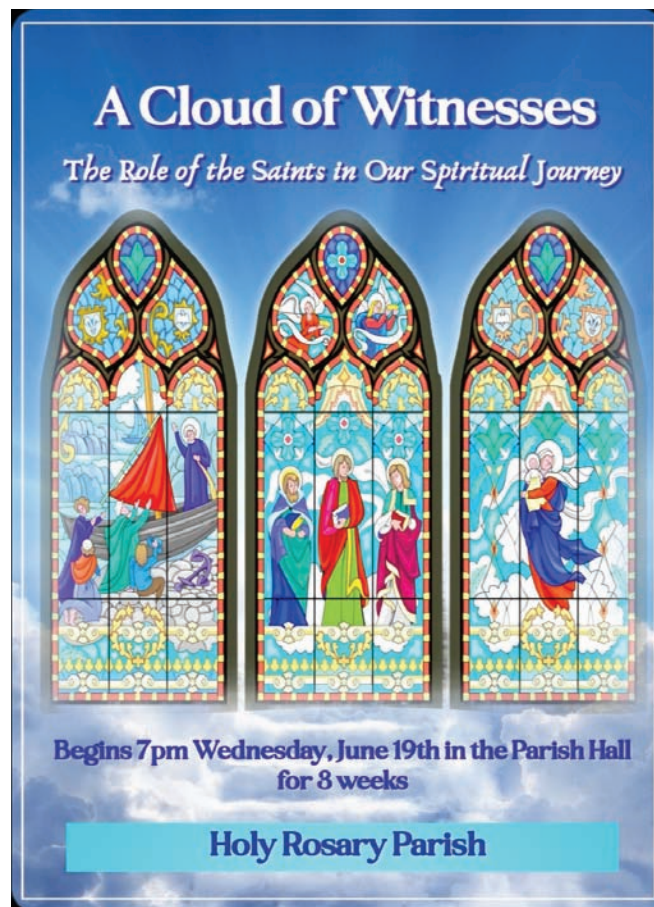
8:00 am. Lucia Monardo (+)  
Requested By: Anna & John Rossetti

10:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

12:00 pm. Purwadaria (+) (Death  
Anniversary)  
Requested By: Liang K. Tan

**Please remember in your prayers those  
who are sick, especially:** Paul Morisset,  
Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey, Anthony  
Verombeek, Mario, Edward Haggarty,  
M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

**Please remember in your prayers those who have  
recently died, especially:** Kathleen Dunphy (+)



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The next Learn & Lunch event for Seniors will take place on Wednesday, June 19, 2024 at 1 PM. Kate Cattell-Daniells from the Wychwood Library will speak about "YOUR LIBRARY IN THEORY AND PRACTICE". Please sign up with a member of the Seniors' Committee following all the Masses this weekend, June 15/16.

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