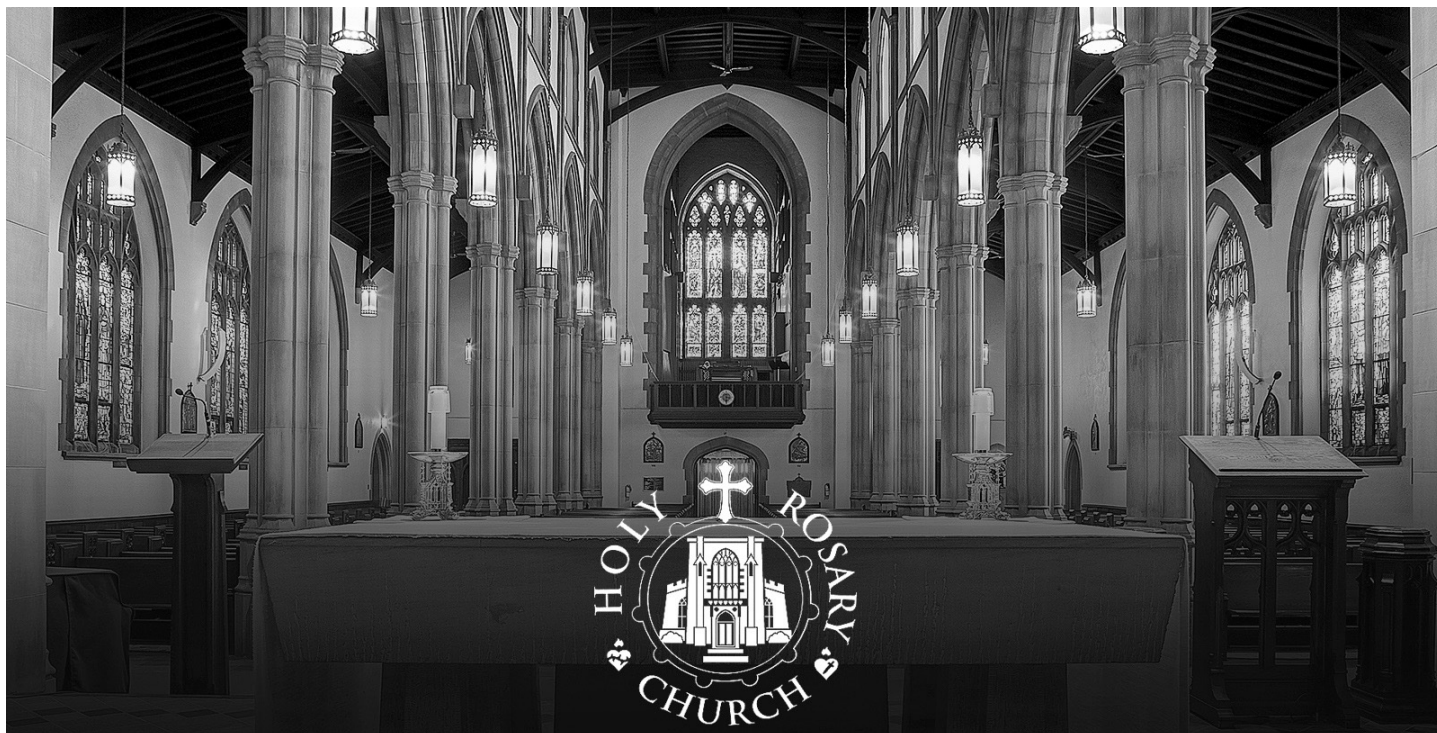


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CHURCH HOURS

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 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sun 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

MUSIC DIRECTORS

Edwin Chiu: Saturday 5:00 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

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.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"O God, come to my assistance; O Lord, make haste to help me! You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay."

(Psalm 69.2, 6)



The Pastor's Reflection

"...put away the old self of your former way of life, corrupted by deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new

self..." (Eph 4:22-23)

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

When we were baptized, the following words were spoken to us: "...you have become a new creation, and have clothed yourself in Christ. See in this white garment the outward sign of your Christian dignity. With your family and friends to help you by word and example, bring that dignity unstained into the everlasting life of heaven."

After baptism, each Catholic is called to inform one's beliefs and decisions based on divine revelation and authentic Church teaching as presented in the Bible, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and ongoing Magisterial texts. Why? Because Jesus is "the way, the truth and the life." (Jn 14:6) Jesus reveals what actually IS, unlike the secular world which is full of opinions. God is incapable of being deceived or of deceiving. His desire is for us to flourish in this life, and to be saved in eternity. Many Catholics refuse to listen to the Lord and his Church; they claim that it is important to be open-minded and prefer to fit in and be accepted into the rest of society. As the great G. K. Chesterton used to say, "be careful about being too open-minded lest your brain fall out!" I would add, and your heart too!

In today's Second Reading, St Paul is encouraging Christians in Ephesus to stop living like they did before their baptism. He tells them to stop being futile in their thinking. What exactly does this mean? To begin, futile is an adjective which means "incapable of producing a result or pointless" (MW, 2005). The Gentiles way of thinking was futile as they lacked a true understanding of the truth of Christ. Their beliefs were shaped by the different pagan cultures in which they lived. Rather than follow God's commandments, as transmitted to them through Moses, they began to think like those who did not know the truth. Thinking precedes acting. Consequently, they began to worship a golden calf. They demanded a human king rather than God himself. They even went so far as to sacrifice their own children to false gods!

If we want to live in peace, we need to change our thinking. We need to discern every relationship, every investment, even every political vote according to the truth

revealed in the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As we flourish in the truth of Christ, so will many others.



1. The Parish Office is CLOSED on Monday, August 5th for the Civic Holiday. There is no 12:10 PM Mass. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM.

2. We no longer have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass each Monday.

3. Coffee Sunday will resume on October 6th.

4. Collection for Canadian Missions

On Sunday, August 11, 2024, the Archdiocese of Toronto holds its annual collection for Canadian Missions. Proceeds go to the Dioceses of Mackenzie-Fort Smith and Grouard-McLennan and Catholic Missions In Canada, which do not receive support from October's World Mission Sunday collection. Canadian home missions face unique challenges in demanding cultural and physical environments. Your contributions to this collection provide crucial support to fellow Catholics in remote areas of our nation. Thank you for your generosity.

5. The **AUGUST** Food of the Month donation is **CANS OF FRUIT**. With rising food costs the Foodbank is serving record numbers of clients (approximately 1200 people per week). Visit us at our website



www.cothfoodbank.ca for more information or to donate. On behalf of the clients, volunteers at the COTH Foodbank, thank you for your support. Please drop off donations at the main entrance of the Church or at the Parish Office.



6. "When you fast..."

There will be a talk on Wednesday, August 7th at 7 PM on "The Importance of Fasting in the Spiritual Life" in the Parish Hall (Room 2). Please bring a non-perishable food item.

7. Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Classes begin Thursday, September 19th at 7 PM in the Parish Hall. Please email pturrone@archtoronto.org to register.



AUGUST 4th, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 5, 2024

9:00 am. Lina Cavallini (+)
Requested By: Matthew Cavallini

Tuesday, August 6, 2024

The Transfiguration of the Lord

12:10 pm. Celerina Daylusan (+) & Sixto Daylusan (+)

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

12:10 pm. Josefina F. Domingo (+)
Requested By: Hermy & Isabel Villasenor

Thursday, August 8, 2024

St. Dominic

12:10 pm. Gary Mamud (+) & Family (+)
Requested By: The Family

Friday, August 9, 2024

Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

12:10 pm. Marko Ivanovic (+)(3rd Year Death Anniversary)
Requested By: Klara & Family

Multiple Intentions:

Maurizio Cugliari (+) & Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, August 10, 2024

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

5:00 pm. Janine Arthur (+)
Requested By: The Reilly-Radovan Family

Sunday, August 11, 2024

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners & Zosima Enriquez (+)
Requested By: Laura Enriquez

10:00 am. Agnes (+) & Bruno Borowski (+)
Requested By: Daughters

12:00 pm. Holy Souls in Purgatory
Requested By: Maria Zelia



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially:

Peter Verwoerd, Mimi Allemand, Paul Morisset, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey, Anthony Verombeek, Mario, Edward Haggarty, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

Mysteries of the Rosary | Paradisus Dei

The Mysteries of the Rosary is a four-part film series hosted by Mark Hartfiel, Vice President of Paradisus Dei and current developer of



That Man is You! men's program The series began out of Mark Hartfiel's desire to deepen his spiritual life as a father and husband, which included taking steps to protect his family from evil. Saint Padre Pio said, "The Rosary is the 'weapon' for these times," and Hartfiel took that to heart, ultimately becoming convicted to pray the ancient prayers of the Rosary daily. To watch, please visit FORMED. To register for FORMED, go to www.formed.org and enter the Parish Code: FVT2H9



August 15, 2024



11:30am Rosary

12:10pm Solemn Mass followed by Act of Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary
1-3pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

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