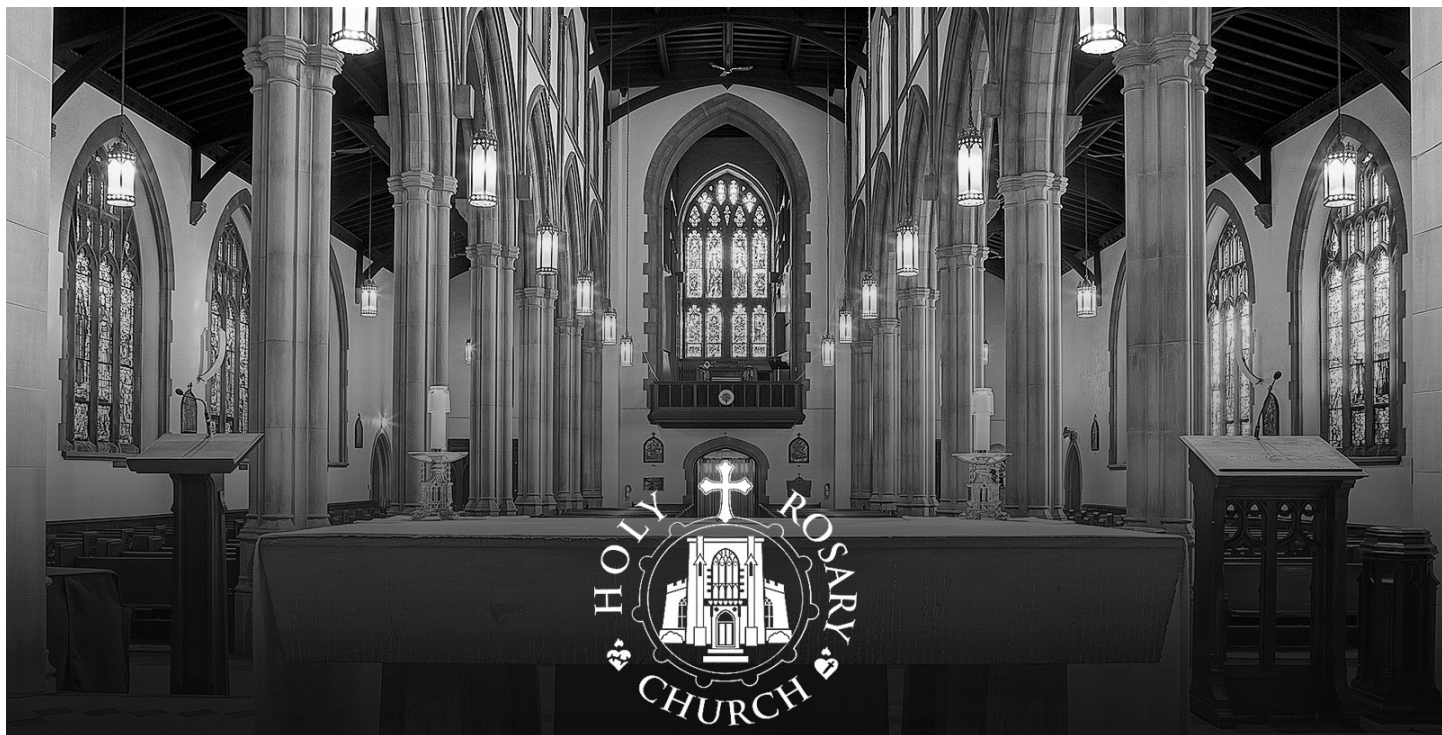


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## PASTORAL TEAM

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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.

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.

# TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You are just, O Lord, and your judgement is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love." (Psalm 118.137, 124)



## The Pastor's Reflection

"Ephphatha!" that is, "Be opened"- And immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly." (Mk

7:33-4)

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

Towards the end of the baptismal liturgy, the priest makes the sign of the cross over the ears and mouth of the child while pronouncing the following prayer: "The Lord Jesus made the deaf hear and the dumb speak. May he soon touch your ears to receive his word, and your mouth to proclaim his faith, to the praise and glory of God the Father."

This beautiful prayer was inspired by today's Gospel. Before his healing, the man was deaf and had a speech impediment. Since he was unable to hear, he was unable to understand what people were saying to him. Worse, he could not hear the words of the Old Testament being proclaimed in the synagogue. This impediment also affected his ability to speak to others. He must have suffered terribly.

Jesus senses the man's pain and heals him. He does it by placing spittle in the ears of the man. In the ancient world, spittle was believed to contain healing properties. While it is Jesus who heals the man, he must offer treatment that is understandable to the man and to others. Now, the man hears and listens to what Jesus has to say, and he can speak about what he hears to others. And boy does he ever! He went to tell everyone he could find.

We are called to do the same. Baptism makes us missionaries. We are called to listen attentively to God each day in the reading of the Sacred Scriptures and to speak about him with others. There is so much fear mongering in our world today due to some duplicitous politicians and other public figures. We have reason for hope: God's word tells us. "be strong, fear not!...God comes to save you!" (Is 35: 4). Let us spend time each day reading the bible. Living With Christ publishes the daily Mass readings and it is a free app you can download on your phone. You and your family and friends will all benefit from sharing words of encouragement spoken by God's own mouth.

## Announcements

### 1. 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.



2. Toonie Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVDP) will be held next weekend, September 14th and 15th. The poor boxes will be located at each of the Church entrances. SSVDP asks for your generosity to help support the most vulnerable in our community. Thank you for your support.

3. The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place on the weekend of September 28th and 29th. This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying, and caring for the Church in Canada. Please support the collection. We thank you in advance for your generosity and continued commitment.

4. The **SEPTEMBER** Food of the Month donation is **CANS OF SALMON** (used for our Babies programme). Visit us at our website



[www.cothfoodbank.ca](http://www.cothfoodbank.ca) for more information or to donate. Please drop off donations at the main entrance of the Church or at the Parish Office.

5. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is looking for volunteers to assist with this outreach program. We are looking for people that can contribute 4 hours a month to this very worthy cause. For further information please contact Jackie Jensen at [jjandthegirls@gmail.com](mailto:jjandthegirls@gmail.com)

6. The Out of the Cold Program will be operating in the Church hall from Saturday November 9, 2024 - Saturday April 5. We are looking for home cooks that can cook and deliver an entree, so we can provide a hot meal to the vulnerable in our community. Menu and recipes provided. For further information please contact Jackie Jensen at [jjantheirls@gmail.com](mailto:jjantheirls@gmail.com).

# SEPTEMBER 8th, 2024

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, September 9, 2024**

12:10 pm. Special Intentions (Fata Family)

**Tuesday, September 10, 2024**

12:10 pm. Vitaliano Marino (+)

Requested By: Antonella Amoroso

**Wednesday, September 11, 2024**

12:10 pm. Placido Amoroso (+)

Requested By: Family

**Thursday, September 12, 2024**

*The Most Holy Name of Mary*

12:10 pm. Edouard Jacques Comeau (+)

Requested By: Gayle Comeau

**Friday, September 13, 2024**

*Saint John Chrysostom*

12:10 pm. Michael Robert Ward (+)

Requested By: Gladys-Lavilla Ward

Multiple Intentions:

Chris Ambre (75th Birthday Blessings),  
Vito Vitro (+), & Holy Souls in Purgatory

**Saturday, September 14, 2024**

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

5:00 pm. John Eugene Flynn (+)

Requested By: Gayle Comeau

**Sunday, September 15, 2024**

*Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00 am. Dorotea Castro (+) & Dionisa  
Castro (+)

Requested By: Clarita Castro

10:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners &  
Deogracias Daus (+)

Requested By: Gloria Medina

12:00 pm. Living & Deceased Members of  
the Loftin, Young & Warle  
Families

Requested By: Shirley Young

2024-2025 Parish Council

Lilian Nasello (Coordinator)

Vanessa McFarquhar (Principal of Holy Rosary School)

Abraham Valencia (Dad and Family Ministry)

Dan Aviado (Parish Rep)

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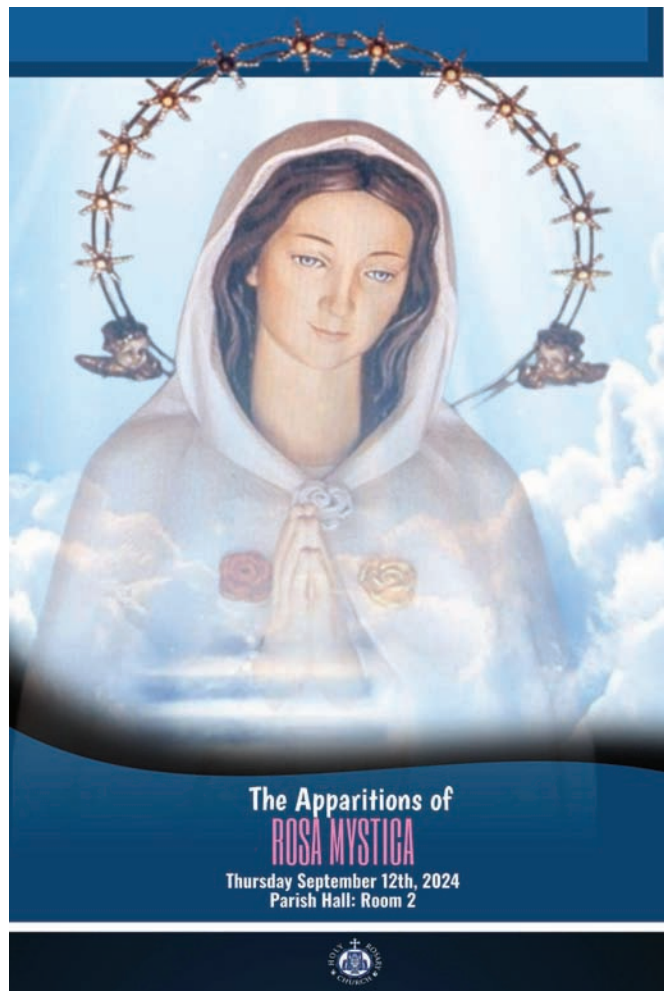
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On Thursday, September 12th, Fr. Peter will present a talk on the newly approved apparitions of Rosa Mystica. The talk begins at 7 PM in Parish Hall Room 2. This devotion will begin at our Parish the following day on Friday, September 13th, and will continue on the 13th of each month.

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