

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

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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 10:00 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

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.

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

"Men of Galilee, why gaze in wonder at the heavens? This Jesus whom you saw ascending into heaven will return as you saw him go, alleluia." (Acts 1:11)



Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

Today, we celebrate Christ's ascension into heaven. Luke tells us that "while they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight." (Acts 1:11). Jesus' departure comes with a promise that he will send the Holy Spirit to rest upon the apostles and all who will work with them in giving testimony and spreading the faith throughout the entire world.

Most of us have yet to understand the importance of the ascension. Isn't it enough that Jesus was resurrected from the dead?

Pope St Leo the Great provides a clear and powerful answer to this question. According to this holy pope, "our poor human nature was carried up, in Christ, above all the hosts of heaven, above all the ranks of angels, beyond the heavenly powers to the very throne of God the Father." Everything that God did on earth gets taken up and glorified in the presence of the Heavenly Father. All that is good, true, and beautiful about our earthly lives will be recalled. At the Second Coming of Christ, all will be remembered and glorified.

Moreover, Jesus' earthly presence passes into the sacraments. Everyone, no matter where you are on earth, or in space, or no matter whether you lived in 33 AD or will live in 15,000 AD, will have a direct encounter with the Risen Lord through them. How can we not rejoice knowing this?

See you at Mass this weekend.

Announcements

1. The Parish will have our annual Pentecost Party **NEXT Sunday, June 8th, from 1 PM to 3 PM**. Join us for family fun! There will be games, food trucks, and music as we celebrate the birthday of the Church. Tickets will be on sale this weekend after all the Sunday Masses and in the office. Adult tickets are \$20, and children (5 years old and younger) are \$10. All are welcome!

2. St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday will be held **this weekend, May 31/June 1**. Please bring your gently used donations to the Bundle-Up collection bin located between the Parish Hall and Office before and after all the Masses.

Items we accept: Bedding, drapery, textiles, clothing coats, boots and shoes, towels, new toys only.

Items we do not accept: Appliances, dishes, books, all baby furnishing and items, large furniture items and beds, used toys, construction material, video or cassettes.

3. The **JUNE Food of the Month** donation is **CANS OF SALMON** (used in our Babies Programme). Please bring the donation to the Parish Office.

4. **FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR** Saturday, June 7, 2025 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**

3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

1. Scan the QR code



2. Follow this QR link: grco.de/WebJune7

3. Send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar June 7" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

5. **What God Does to Us in Prayer series** will take place on Thursday June 5, 19, and 26 at 7 PM in the Parish Hall Room 2. No registration is required by attendance at all classes is necessary.

6. **Next weekend, June 7/8th**, is the Third ShareLife Sunday. Please give at the Parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our Parish website or at sharelife.org/donate.

JUNE 1st, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 2, 2025

Saints Marcellinus and Peter

9:00 am. Inocencia Goncalves
Lopes (+)

Requested By: Kathy

Tuesday, June 3, 2025

Saint Charles Lwanga

12:10 pm. Fr. Giuseppe Castelli (+)
Requested By: Jeremy & Patricia Gawen

Wednesday, June 4, 2025

12:10 pm. Eileen Pilon (+)
Requested By: Susan Pilon

Thursday, June 5, 2025

Saint Boniface

12:10 pm. Estela Malutina Leal (+)
Requested By: Sherlita Di Bratto

Friday, June 6, 2025

Saint Norbert

12:10 pm. Holy Souls in Purgatory
Requested By: Maria Cristina Castro

Multiple Intentions:
Nancy (Birthday Blessings)

Saturday, June 7, 2025

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

5:00 pm Emilio Filice (+)
Requested By: Lillian Nasello

Sunday, June 8, 2025

Pentecost

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

10:00 am. Claudio Leal (+)

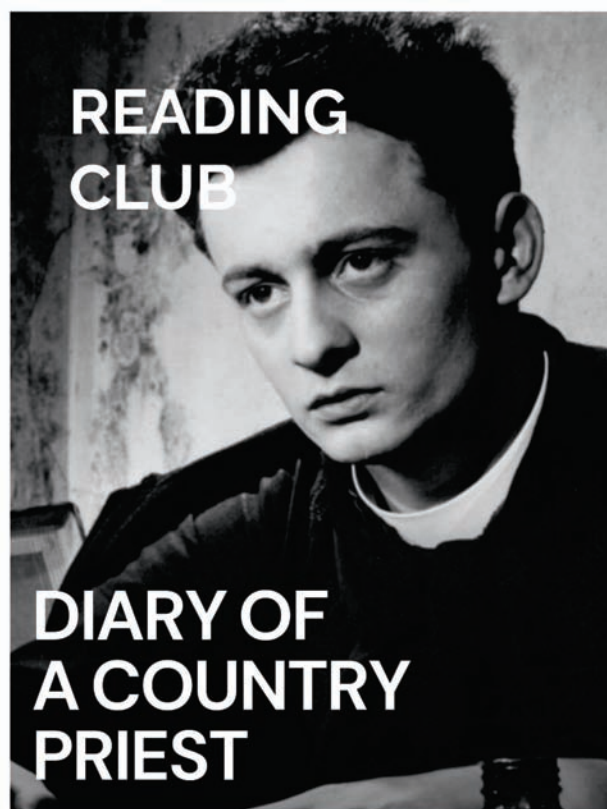
Requested By: Sherlita Di Bratto

12:00 pm. Roy Joseph Lawless (+)
Requested By: Carmel, Cristina, Jean,
Rosalie, & Kathy



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Mary Agnes Ludwick, Madeleine Mendoza, Fr. Daniel Callam, Peter Verwoerd, Paul Morisset, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey, Anthony Verombeek, Edward Haggarty, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

Please remember in your prayers those who have recently died, especially: Mary LePage (+)



We begin our next book at 7pm
on Tuesday, June 10th.

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