

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

Holy Rosary Catholic School: 416-393-5225

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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.

SAINTS PETER & PAUL

"These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the Church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became the friends of God."



"I believe in God, the Father almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord."

During the tumultuous year of 1968, the world and the Church were experiencing profound upheaval. St. Paul

VI wrote a long and always relevant Apostolic Letter addressed to all members of the Church. This long-forgotten Letter is entitled Solemni Hac Liturgia, Credo of the People of God, where the Holy Father reflects on the meaning of the martyrdom of St Peter and St Paul.

St. Paul VI wrote, "On...this feast of the blessed apostles Peter and Paul, we have wished to offer to the living God the homage of a profession of faith. And as once at Caesarea Philippi the apostle Peter spoke on behalf of the twelve to make a true confession, beyond human opinions, of Christ as Son of the living God, so today his humble successor, pastor of the Universal Church, raises his voice to give, on behalf of all the People of God, a firm witness to the divine Truth entrusted to the Church to be announced to all nations."

St Peter's profession of faith is also our profession of faith. Today, our world is going through a great cultural upheaval in a way that could not have been anticipated back in the 60's. The advent of Artificial Intelligence (Pope Leo XVI), a "piece-meal" war (Pope Francis), and the spread of the culture of death (St. John Paul II) have left many people, including members of the household of faith, weak and disoriented (Benedict XVI).

We remember that Truth is found in a Person, Jesus Christ. Like St Peter and St Paul, we are called to profess with our lips and lives the one universal saviour of humankind. The bark of Peter will always experience various storms, but it is our faith in God which provides unwavering trust in His goodness and love for each one of us.

Before his martyrdom, St Paul wrote to his spiritual son, Timothy. "Beloved: I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." (2 Tim 4:6) It is without a doubt that these

words are equally applied to St Peter. Even though they both died at separate times, they died for one reason: Jesus Christ.

May their example of shared faith nourish and encourage our faith journey, too.

Announcements

1. **Bible Study:** The Gospel of Luke takes you on a journey that begins with the foretelling of John the Baptist's birth and culminates in Jesus' ascension into heaven. Along the way, you will witness key moments in salvation history, including the Annunciation, the Nativity, Jesus' baptism, his public ministry, the Last Supper, and Jesus' suffering, death, and glorious Resurrection. The Gospel's powerful prose and beautiful details will deepen your desire to draw closer to Jesus and be transformed by his teachings. Join us for this Bible study beginning Thursday, July 3rd, from 7 PM to 8:30 PM, and continuing every Thursday for 4 consecutive weeks. For more information or to register for the study, please email Fr. Peter.

2. Holy Rosary Parish invites you to our **Marriage Prep Course**. The course will take place on Tuesdays (7 PM - 8:30 PM) from September 9 to October 14, in Room 2 of the Parish Hall. To register, please email office@holyroary.ca. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 416-923-8471.

3. Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):

The program starts on Thursday, September 18. This program is for adults seeking baptism, confirmation, or full communion with the Catholic Church. Registration is required.

Request a form by emailing LPA@holyroary.ca or scanning the QR code:



JUNE 29th, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 30, 2025

12:10 pm. Aicha Kaid Raha (+)
Requested By: Holy Rosary School Staff

Tuesday, July 1, 2025

Canada Day

12:10 pm. Joseph Ratchford (+)

Wednesday, July 2, 2025

12:10 pm. David McGraw (+)
Requested By: Mary McGraw

Thursday, July 3, 2025

Saint Thomas

12:10 pm. Pat Costello (+)
Requested By: Michael & Eithne

Friday, July 4, 2025

12:10 pm. Thomas Tynan (+)
Requested By: Carole & Monica Tynan

7:00 pm. Holy Rosary Parishioners

Multiple Intentions:

Marcia Maguire (Personal Intentions) & the Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, July 5, 2025

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

5:00 pm Dr. & Mrs. J. Harper (+) & Ann Harper (+)
Requested By: The Family

Sunday, July 6, 2025

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

10:00 am. Holy Souls in Purgatory & Isabel Martinez Quintero (+) (4th Year Death Anniversary)
Requested By: Maria Cristina Castro & Melania Martinez

12:00 pm. Radovan Bazzul (+) (Death Anniversary)
Requested By: Mira Bazzul



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

Jamie.

Please remember in your prayers those who have recently died, especially, Joseph Ratchford (+)

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

Baby Bottle Returns Reminder – Please return your filled baby bottle with your donation for the pro-Life organization, Aid to Women, at any of the Masses **next weekend, July 12th/13th**. A representative from Aid to Women will be attending all Masses to collect your kind donations. Thank you.



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like Mary today,
but can
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