

# 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](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-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*"All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy."*

(Daniel 3.31, 29, 30, 43, 42)

## Weekly Biblical Reflection

*"He...saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side."*

*"There was a rich man who was dressed in fine linens who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table."*

Dear friends in Christ:

As deacons, we are called to a ministry outside of the church. My ministry is an organization called Dismas, named after St. Dismas, the good thief. As you can probably surmise, I work with prisoners and former prisoners through fellowship, sharing a meal, or just helping them get back on track.

Today's readings reminded me of the people I work with, because it is all about indifference. We have a tendency to be blind to what is going on around us. All Lazarus longed for was some table scraps that may have fallen on the floor, yet this rich man appears not to even see him lying there.

It would have been so easy for him to just toss a piece of bread or some other small morsel, yet he chooses not to. How often do we find ourselves in this same predicament? How often are we walking down the street and see someone sleeping on a grate, trying to stay warm, or with a hand out looking for something to eat? More often than what we may even notice.

All Jesus ever asked of us was to be like Him, Christ-like. Feed the hungry, clothe the naked, visit the infirmed and imprisoned. All Jesus ever wanted was for us to live a life caring for others, using His own life as an example for all of us to follow. Are we actually doing that, or are we indifferent?

When we walk by a puppy or kitten shivering in the cold, hungry, and wet, most people stop and help. Yet when we walk by our fellow man in the same circumstances, we do not always see them, even being there.

Today, we see the results of being indifferent. The rich man is begging Abraham, but it is too late. You had your chance. You had your whole life to help someone like Lazarus, yet you chose not to. So, in essence, yes, sometimes it is too late.

Therefore, next time you see someone, maybe hand them a bottle of water, buy them a sandwich, or give them a warm blanket. Maybe this winter, volunteer for the Out of the Cold program we run in our church hall. On the other hand,

maybe you can do the most difficult thing possible: smile, say hello, and just ask, "How are you?" striking up a conversation with a total stranger who may be down on their luck. It doesn't need to be difficult or intrusive.

All God ever asked us was to do good, so "Do Good"

- Deacon Kevin Daudlin

## Announcements

1. On Wednesday, October 1st, from 7:00 PM to 8:15 PM, the Archdiocese of Toronto will be hosting an event for Young Adults (ages 19-39) here at Holy Rosary Parish, in the Church. This event is open to everyone 19 to 39 years old. Fr. Peter will be giving a talk on Faith and Reason. Please email [LPA@holyroary.ca](mailto:LPA@holyroary.ca) for more info.

2. Please join us next Sunday, October 5, for our Community Coffee Sunday at 1 PM in the Parish Hall. All are welcome!



3. *The Practice: The Presence of God at All Times and Place*

The talk will take place on October 8th, 2025, at 7 PM in Room 2 of the Parish Hall.

4. On the weekend of October 18-19, we will welcome our special guest, Paul, from

Sebastien Cardinal's team, representing "Handcraft Holy Land Christians", who after all the masses, will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land. They ask for your support through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand-carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase after every mass. Proceeds of the sales generate much-needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. Cash, debit, credit cards, and cheque will be accepted. You can visit and support us at [www.HolylandChristians.ca](http://www.HolylandChristians.ca)



5. Fall Reading Club: Giants in the Earth by O.E. Rolvaag - Begins at 7 PM on Tuesday, October 28th, in Room 2 of the Parish Hall. To register, please email [lpa@holyroary.ca](mailto:lpa@holyroary.ca)

# SEPTEMBER 28th, 2025

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, September 29, 2025

*Saints Michael, Gabriel & Raphael*

12:10 pm. Victoria (+) & Barbara  
Da Sousa (+)

Requested By: Mom

### Tuesday, September 30, 2025

*Saint Jerome*

12:10 pm. Antoine Wong (+)

Requested By: The Family

### Wednesday, October 1, 2025

*Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus*

12:10 pm. Erlinda & Peter Pelaez (Birthday  
Blessings)

### Thursday, October 2, 2025

*Guardian Angels*

12:10 pm. Nancy Infiorati (+)

Requested By: Lillian Nasello

### Friday, October 3, 2025

12:10 pm. Danielle Feghali (Special  
Intentions)

Multiple Intentions:

Joseph Messina (+), Dhoksie (+), Ngozi Ezendiokwere (+),  
Hudson, Ramsay, Melody, & Blayne Badge (for Health &  
Wellness)

### Saturday, October 4, 2025

*Saint Francis of Assisi*

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

5:00 pm. Petronia Gica (+) (In memory of  
his 102nd birthday)

Requested By: Delia Gica

### Sunday, October 5, 2025

*Patronal Feast of Holy Rosary*

8:00 am. Doris Dalton (+)

Requested By: Bill Dalton

10:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

12:00 pm. Alés Bazzul (+) (Death  
Anniversary)

Requested By: Mira Bazzul



Please remember in your prayers those  
who are sick, especially: Peter Robinson,  
Dominic Curran, Gerard Gonsalves, Mary  
Castillo de Vega, Mary Agnes Ludwick,  
Madeleine Mendoza, Peter Verwoerd, Paul  
Morisset, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey,

Anthony Verombeek, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.



The SEPTEMBER Food of the Month donation  
is CANNED FRUIT.

The OCTOBER Food of the  
Month donation is  
FAMILY-SIZED PEANUT  
BUTTER.



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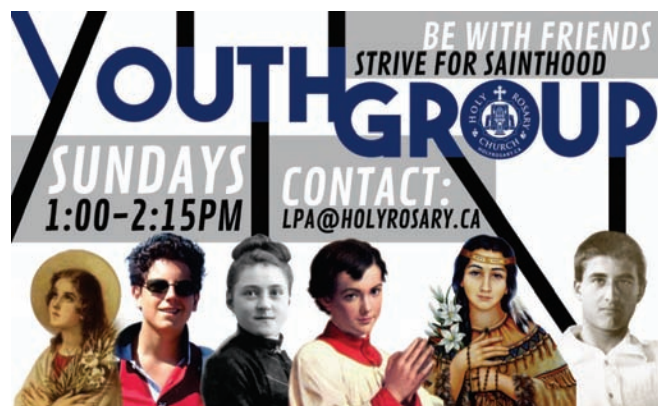
On behalf of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul here at Holy  
Rosary, we would like to thank the Parishioners for their  
constant support. It enables us to visit 60+ households in our  
vicinity. We visit People who are working but unable to  
make ends meet because of the high cost of living, plus  
disabled persons who receive government funding that is  
below the poverty level assistance. Also, pensioners not  
only need financial support but a friendly visit from



someone who cares. The increasing  
number of families calling for help is  
very distressing. We help, on average,  
25 children each month. The need is  
not going away, and we need constant  
financial support. If you can help us  
with our ministry, it is greatly  
appreciated, and any amount goes a  
long way. **We are also looking for**

**volunteers to be a part of this conference.** The  
commitment is 4 hours a month. This includes a monthly  
meeting and home visits. We are a Conference of Charity,  
gathering together, motivated to serve Christ by serving the  
poor. If you have any questions, contact Jackie Jensen at  
[jjandthegirls@gmail.com](mailto:jjandthegirls@gmail.com).

The Out Of The Cold Program is looking for individuals  
who like to cook and want to provide entrees for our soup  
kitchen. Menu and recipes are supplied. For more  
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