

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.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place!"
(Cf. Psalm 95. 1, 6)

Weekly Biblical Reflection

"Come follow me."

Today, we see that John has been arrested. I am sure Jesus would have been bothered by this and thus withdrew to Capernaum, by the Sea of Galilee. Here, He almost takes up where John left off, proclaiming, "Repent for the kingdom of heaven has come near."

Jesus is not doing this in the synagogues but near the shore, almost like John in the wilderness. Along this shoreline, right in the middle of their ordinary, everyday life, fishermen are working, casting nets, doing what they've always done. During that normal, everyday, busy moment, Jesus speaks three simple words: "Come, follow me."

What stands out is not that He calls them, but how quickly they respond. They leave their nets, their routines, even their security. Not because they have all the answers, but because they recognize something deeper: The light has come, just as Isaiah promised. A light that doesn't wait for us to be ready, but meets us where we are.

This reminds us that discipleship isn't about having a perfect plan or even any of the answers. It's about trusting the One who calls. Jesus still walks the shores of our lives, into our work, our family struggles, our doubts, and all of our insecurities. Despite all of this He still says, "Come."

Therefore, the question shouldn't be whether He is calling. The real question is what nets are we holding onto that keep or prevent us from following.

Today, may we have the courage to loosen our grip, take a step forward, and trust that where Jesus leads, there is always light.

-Deacon Kevin

Announcements

1. The banners on display inside and outside of Holy Rosary are to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the laying of our church's foundational stone (1926). We have a beautiful church and are proud and blessed to maintain a strong and vibrant parish community throughout the years.

In the coming months, we will have Marian-themed events to prepare our hearts for the big **celebration** on **May 31st, 2026**. Remember to mark your calendars!!!

This weekend, January 24/25, after each Mass, we will begin to sell lovely Holy Rosary rose-scented candles for \$20 each.

In the coming weeks, listen for announcements at Mass or check the bulletin. 2026 is a year of celebration for Holy Rosary Church!

2. On Tuesday, January 27th, at 7 PM, in the Parish Hall, we will be showing the movie on St. Maximilian Kolbe, titled "Triumph of the Heart." We are only selling a maximum number of 50 tickets at \$10 each, and tickets must be purchased in advance (first-come, first-served) at the Parish Office.

3. Starting on Tuesday, February 3rd, we will be meeting in the Parish Hall every Tuesday with our canvases and paintbrushes to make some art together! This is a great way to add some colour to these cold winter months, and to bring out our creativity in community. To register, please email LPA@holynosary.ca, and we kindly ask that you bring your own materials.

4. On Wednesday, February 4th, at 7 PM in the Parish Hall, we will begin our 4-part Bible Study series on the Gospel according to St. Matthew. Please refer to the posters for the dates, and if you have any questions, please email LPA@holynosary.ca.

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BIBLE STUDY
The Gospel According to St. Matthew
CHRIST:
Fulfillment of
Scriptural Prophecies
On the following Wednesdays:
February 4th, 2026
February 11th, 2026
February 25th, 2026
March 4th, 2026
7:00pm to 8:15pm
In the Parish Hall

JANUARY 25th, 2026

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 26, 2026

Saint Timothy & Saint Titus

12:10 pm. Americo Amaral (+)
Requested By: Dr. Jane Murphy

Tuesday, January 27, 2026

Saint Angela Merici

12:10 pm. Antonio Menniti (+)
Requested By: Radovan & Reilly Families

Wednesday, January 28, 2026

Saint Thomas Aquinas

12:10 pm. Marco Joaquim Tome
Requested By: Santina Fsngetti

Thursday, January 29, 2026

12:10 pm. Jesus Ilagan (+) &
Visitacion Ilagan (+)
Requested By: Tess Avido

Friday, January 30, 2026

12:10 pm. Mary Kelly (+)
Requested By: Michael & Eithne

Multiple Intentions:

Anna Filice (+), Emilio Filice (+), Michael Robert
Ward (+), Yoram, Yosias, Lulia & Daniel Bahta,
Frewaynie Kefla (for Healing),
Sul-a-fiel (for Healing), Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, January 31, 2026

Saint John Bosco

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

5:00 pm. Roger Porretti (+)
Requested By: Lillian Nasello

Sunday, February 1, 2026

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am. Holy Rosary Parishioners

10:00 am. Caterina Cugliari (+)
Requested By: Susan Pilon

12:00 pm. Americo Amaral (+) &
Mariana Prado (+)
Requested By: Cathy Feghali

Monday, February 2, 2026

The Presentation of the Lord

12:10 pm. Eugenia Morawski (+)
& Holy Rosary Parishioners
Requested By: Holy Rosary

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially: Goretti Raposo, Angelo Paolucci, Miranda Thompson, Richard Marshall, Paul Swarney, Kaye Graham, Mary Hopkins, Peter Robinson, Dominic Curran, Gerard Gonsalves, Mary Castillo de Vega, Mary Agnes Ludwick, Madeleine Mendoza, Peter Verwoerd, Paul Morisset, Mark Colbreath, Betty Dempsey, Anthony Verombeck, M.M. Mackenzie, and Jamie.

The Churches-on-the-Hill **JANUARY** Food of the Month donation is **CANNED SOUP**. Please drop off your donation at the Parish Office.

Consecration to Jesus through Mary by St. Louis de Montfort

We will be selling booklets of prayers that will guide us towards our parish-wide Marian Consecration on March 25, 2026 - the feast of the Annunciation of the Angel Gabriel to Mary. You can purchase a booklet from the Parish Office for \$5.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, February 7, 2026, 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 this QR code:

2. Follow this registration link:

<https://qrco.de/WedFeb7>

3. Send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write

"webinar February 7" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



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