

Our Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church

15347 Yonge St. Aurora, Ontario L4G 1N7
905-727-4594 Fax: 905-727-9114

Email Address: olgraceau@archtoronto.org
Website Address: olgraceau.archtoronto.org
Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

EUCCHARIST: Weekends: Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8:15am, 10am, 12 noon, 7pm
Weekdays: Monday - Friday 8am, Saturday & Holidays 9am
First Friday: Adoration 12pm until Mass at 7pm
RECONCILIATION: Saturday 4-4:30pm or by request

SACRAMENTS: Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation & Marriage: Please contact the office.

PARISH MINISTRIES:

Altar Guild	Parish Office	Liturgical Ministries	Elizabeth Marriott
Altar Servers	George Martin	Marriage Preparation	416-921-1163
Becoming Catholic	Brenda Chang	Music Ministry	Dan Smith
Capital Campaign Committee	Grace Volkening	Pastoral Council	Jason Gennaro
Catholic Cemeteries	416-733-8544	Pastoral Visitors	Sandra Fortini
Catholic Family Services	905-770-7040	Prayer Group	Anita & Edwin Andrade
Catholic Women's League	Lori Thompson	Renovation Committee	Elizabeth Steele
Children's Liturgy	Jane Cobbold	Retrouvaille	416-281-6007
Collection Counters	Parish Office	Rosary	After weekday Mass
Community Life	Wendy Frappier	St. Vincent de Paul Society	Lisa DiSera
Euchre	Agnes Carrey	Volunteer Screening	Joan Brooker
Family Playgroup	Sandra Fortini	Welcome Table	Annette Crisson
Finance Council	Dave Tate	Welcoming Arms	Doug Steele
Funeral Choir	Madeleine Swain		
Knights of Columbus	John Lyn		

PARISH SCHOOLS:

Our Lady of Grace	905-727-5631	St. Maximillian Kolbe H.S.	905-727-5652
Holy Spirit	905-713-6813	Cardinal Carter H.S.	905-727-2455
Light of Christ	905-727-5400	York Catholic District	905-713-2711
St. Jerome	905-727-6593	School Board	
St. Joseph	905-727-5782		

PASTORAL TEAM

Father Francis V McDevitt, Pastor
Father Arthur Lee, Associate Pastor
Sandra Fortini, Pastoral Associate
Deacon Doug McManaman
Deacon Pat Colangelo

STAFF

Pamela Tsang, Office Administrator
J.R. Lagman, Custodian

WELCOME

If you are making Our Lady of Grace your parish, please register by contacting parish office 905-727-4594 or complete a registration form found in the foyer of the church.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon. April 25 th	8am	+ Dorothy Chang
Tues. April 26 th	8am	Angelina & Michael Mugizi - Sp. Int.
Wed. April 27 th	8am	+ Don Lavin
Thurs. April 28 th	8am	+ Antonio Barone
Fri. April 29 th	8am	+ Ron Martin
Sat. April 30 th	9am	+ El & Lucille Lanthier

LAST CALL FOR OUR PHOTO DIRECTORY

April 28th, 29th and 30th are the last photo session dates for parishioners who would like to be a part of our 75th Anniversary PhotoBook Directory. The PhotoBook will be sent to print on May 2nd. If you have not had a chance to take your photo yet, please visit our website today as there are limited spots available.

BIBLE STUDY IS BACK!

Join us for "A Biblical Walk Through the Mass". Beginning May 11th and continuing for 6 weeks on Wednesday's from 7:00-9:00 pm in the parish hall. Those who are interested in helping to organize these classes are asked to please email sandra@ourladyofgrace.com. Sign up after Mass at the back of the church, or visit our website and register online!



READINGS FOR THE SCHOOLS

On our parish visits to the classrooms during the month of April we are reading from the Gospel of John chapter 11, the story of the raising of Lazarus. As in other months, this miracle story is discussed in all of the 56 classrooms of grade one to eight over our five schools.

ShareLife

ShareLife Sunday is next weekend

When you support ShareLife, you support agencies like Mary Centre:

"Thank you to all who donate to ShareLife. With each donation we receive, we are able to attain our goals of assisting people in their efforts in building a good life and also providing a safe place for people with a developmental disability to stay so that their families/caregivers and themselves can get some needed respite."

Thus far we have raised \$16,627 toward our goal of \$150,000. Please give generously.

DONATE ONLINE TO SHARELIFE

For donations online: Please visit <https://sharelife.org/donate/> to make a one-time or monthly gift and designate it to our parish's campaign. Contact ShareLife at slife@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3411 if you have any questions.

CWL ROSARY ONLINE

The CWL Zoom Rosary is praying for Peace in the Ukraine every Tuesday from 7:30 - 8:00 pm. All parishioners are welcome to join. The link can be found on the parish website, by calling Lori at 905-713-5340, or by clicking [HERE](#).



ONE LAST GIFT

Dan Smith, the music director at Our Lady of Grace Church has released "The Dan Smith Collection" album which is now available. Visit our parish website to have a listen.

POP UP VACCINE CLINIC

The last Vaccine clinic was such a great success with over 100 vaccines administered that we are offering another Pop-Up Vaccine Clinic April 27th, 2022 from 12:00 noon until 7:00 pm. This clinic will be offering Moderna, Pfizer, and Paediatric Pfizer Covid 19 Vaccines for ages 5+. Walk Ins are welcome and you may get your 4th dose there.

IMAGES OF MARY

You may remember that we informed people that we had ordered a number of images of Mary to be put in the front of our church. Over the last many months, we have had our Lady of Perpetual Help in place. The problem has been, with our project, as with so much in this day and age things get held up. We have placed the image of Our Lady of Czestochowa up. It will be there for a while and then we will put up the image of Our Lady of Guadeloupe, an indigenous image of Mary, and a Chinese image of Mary. We will cycle the five images through on a regular basis. Thank you to those who have donated the images. Mary, Our Lady of Grace transcends cultural ideas and historical time. As we move through the seasons, we are invited to meditate on Mary present to us in all of our cultures and in all times.

EASTER THANK YOU

If you embrace the Easter liturgies you recognize participating fully is quite a work out. It is a workout for the clergy of the parish as well. We would like to thank each and every person who provided us as a parish with a richer Easter journey because of your commitment to music, reading, or assisting with communion. A thank you too to all of those folks who work quietly behind the scenes to help us get ready for the many celebrations. A thank you to our staff too who do such excellent work in every season.

THE 3RD ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY GIFT RAFFLE - SPONSORED BY THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Starting this weekend, you can purchase tickets to win one of 5 amazing prizes to gift to your mom, your wife, or any special woman in your life!

Proceeds to our post-secondary scholarship for a mother from Rose of Sharon. **2 Grand Prizes:** "Mother's Day Brunch in a Box" from Farm Boy - Delivered to you directly Mother's Day morning, **2 Second Prizes:** Edible Mother's Day Watering Can Bouquet by kristas_cakes (includes a large decorative watering can, 5 meringue spikes, 5 "roses" (chocolate gourmet cupcakes with rose-patterned icing) 8 giant strawberries (chocolate-dipped, etc.) wrapped in cello, and **1 Third Prize:** Two Gorgeous Planter Inserts/Hanging Baskets for your front or backyard.

Visit our CWL website for pictures, details and to buy tickets (**new this year buy tickets direct if you wish**) at:

<https://olgauroacwl.org/> .

Tickets are \$2 each, 3 for \$5, 6 for \$10, 12 for \$20, 15 for \$25, 30 for \$50. Draw will be live on our FACEBOOK Saturday, May 7th at 5 pm & all prizes delivered (except the brunches) Sat. evening or Sunday morning. You can also send an etransfer to: olgcwl@gmail.com with name & phone number in message for tickets or call 905-713-5340.

ALTER SERVERS FOR SUNDAY AND FUNERALS

We are slowly moving towards reestablishing our altar server ministries. Anyone interested in helping, young people on the weekends and adults at funerals, should contact the parish.


Thank you to all who are committed to this important ministry.

FAMILY LAWYER
Susan Duggan
647-923-8062
dugganlaw.ca

Summers and Smith
COOLING & HEATING LIMITED
905-727-2323
www.summersandsmith.com

Alcalde & Tomory
Chartered Accountants, LLP
Sophia Tomory, CPA, CA
Accounting & Tax Services
416-456-0089 www.at-ca.ca

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
FUNERAL SERVICES
In keeping with your Catholic faith
www.catholic-cemeteries.com
Holy Cross Cemetery & Funeral Home 905-889-7467

 **Dr. Paul J. Steiner, D.D.S.**
Family Dentist • Parishioner
New Expanded Office
258 Earl Stewart Dr. 905-841-3842

RE/MAX Hallmark York Group
Realty Ltd. Brokerage
Bruce Spragg, F.R.I.
Broker
Bruce@BruceSpragg.com Children's
Direct Line 416-565-8889 Miracle Network

K+ Heating, Cooling & Plumbing Co.
905-715-5449, 647-868-1896

THE LIGHT SPOT LTD.
Lighting Centre
15570 Yonge St 905-727-7347
thelightspot.ca

AURORA
DENTURE CLINIC
CUSTOM DENTURE SERVICES
CARLO SOSCIA, D.D.
9 Wellington St. E. 905-727-2251

14800 Yonge Street, Aurora
NOFRILLS
Joe & Val's

CANADA-WIDE
Reinforcing Steel
Welded Wire Mesh
Estimating & Detailing
Cash & Carry Sales & Delivery
Fax 416-291-4507
Tel 905-888-1777

THE HURST BAKERY Inc.
"A TASTE OF QUALITY"
15543 Yonge St.
Units 2 & 3
905-841-0278

St. John Cemetery
Serving Parishes
in the local area
250 Old Main St North
905-898-4137 Ext 207

Tree Valley
Garden Centre Ltd.
4431 Stouffville Rd. (W. of McCowan)
treevalley.ca 905-640-2020

Eric McCartney
Real Estate Broker
905-727-0075 eric@mccartney.me
21 Century 21 Heritage Group Ltd., Brokerage

GLOBAL PET FOODS
10% off
with coupon
14800 Yonge St.
Aurora Shopping Centre
905-727-3448

AURORA DENTAL STUDIO
Dr. Sanjay Agrawal and Associates
Family Dentistry • Full Dental Services
Orthodontics • State of the Art Facility
Accepting New Patients
905.503.8999 | auroradentalstudio.ca
1 Henderson Dr Aurora (Next to Metro)

Kingsway Place
*previously Kingsway Arms
by **FIELDGATE**
Retirement Living
At Its Best
145 Murray Dr, Aurora
905.841.2777 • KingswayAurora.com

Home hardware
building centre
Windows & Doors
Kitchen & Bath
Installed Sales
Lumber, Paint, Housewares
& All Your Hardware Needs
289 Wellington St. E. 905-727-4751

PEACEFUL TRANSITION
Fully Licensed Funeral Home
Family owned and operated.
2-15236 Yonge Street Aurora 905-841-1900
peacefultransition.ca

BERKLEY
PROPERTY MANAGEMENT INC.
Paul Chisholm, MBA, CPA, CA
416-230-5900
pchisholm@berkleypm.ca

VILLANOVA COLLEGE
An Independent Catholic School
in the Augustinian Tradition
Grades 4 through 12
Contact Admissions
www.villanovacollege.org
2480 15th Sideroad ~ King City

William Reid, Barrister & Solicitor
Criminal and Regulatory Law
25 years of defending
416.949.2694 ReidLaw.net

Water Depot
WATER AT ITS BEST
Your Local Water Treatment Experts
Visit us today for your
FREE WATER TEST
AND
50L U-FILL WATER
15483 Yonge St., Aurora 905-751-0845

Taylor Funeral Home
Newmarket Chapel
Jason C. Ladd, Managing Funeral Director
Jamie Prichard, Pre-Planning Director
10% Discount to all Parishioners
524 Davis Drive, Newmarket
www.taylorfh.ca 905-898-2100

Bob's Plumbing Service
EST. 1972
Residential • Commercial • Industrial
905-727-3210
www.bobsplumbing.ca

FINANCIAL PLANNER
Monica Ly, CFP, CLU, CHS
416-953-8877
cmfinancialgroup.com

now open
DELMANOR
Aurora
Inspired Retirement Living™
25 BUTTERNUT RIDGE TRAIL, AURORA
905-503-9505 | DELMANOR.COM

DR. NORMAN ORSCHEL
DR. LYNDA HYSKA
All Aspects of General Dentistry
Surgical Placement of Dental Implants
Our Family Caring for Yours
Let Us Make You Smile
We Cater To Cowards!
Suite 211, 126 Wellington St. W, Wellington Square Plaza
905-727-0193 reception@AuroraDentists.ca

Four Seasons Tree Care
"The Tree Doctors"
Pruning • Removals
Plant Health Care • Planting
Fertilization • Soil Amendments
Arborist Reports • Consultations
Anti-desiccant • Skoot
416-410-8770
Science, Service and Satisfaction Since 1983
www.FourSeasonsTreeCare.com

THOMPSON Funeral Home
Cremation, Burial & Memorial Services
Pre-arranged Funeral
530 Industrial Parkway S.
905 727 5421
www.thompsonfh-aurora.com
10% off on all new pre-arranged funeral contracts
Proud to be part of Service Corporation International (Canada) Limited

Roadhouse & Rose FUNERAL HOME
Playter Chapel | Family Owned & Operated
Traditional Funerals & Simple Cremation Services
Proud to offer a 10% discount to all parish members
157 Main St., Newmarket | 905-895-6631
www.roadhouseandrose.com

VandenBosche JEWELLERS
15263 Yonge St. 905-841-3760
VandenboscheJewellers.com

Vienna Furniture Refinishing
o/b Morra Custom Upholstery Ltd.
17 Mary Street, Aurora
905 841-8444

NICOLE A. BRIDGES
Property Manager
905-727-1102
www.ryisproperties.ca
RYIS PROPERTIES INC.

AURORA OVERHEAD DOOR INC.
Garage Doors / Electric Openers
40 Industrial Pkwy. S. 905-727-1382

Luesby Memorial Company Ltd.
(since 1865)
Newmarket 905-895-4931

Two policies. One place.
Bundle your car and home insurance.
Call me today.
Desjardins Insurance
Richard Gong, Agent | 905-727-6333