

Our Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church

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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
Catholic Cemeteries	416-733-8544	Prayer Group	Anita & Edwin Andrade
Catholic Family Services	905-770-7040	Retrouvaille	416-281-6007
Catholic Women's League	Lori Thompson	Rosary	After weekday Mass
Collection Counters	Parish Office	St. Vincent de Paul Society	Lisa DiSera
Euchre	Agnes Carrey	Volunteer Screening	Joan Brooker
Funeral Choir	Madeleine Swain	Welcome Table	Annette Crisson
Knights of Columbus	John Lyn	Welcoming Arms	Doug Steele

PARISH SCHOOLS:

Our Lady of Grace	905-727-5631	St. Maximillian Kolbe H.S.	905-727-5652
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PASTORAL TEAM

Father John Bertao, Pastor (jbtao@archtoronto.org)
Father Arthur Lee, Associate Pastor (alee@archtoronto.org)
Deacon Doug McManaman
Deacon Pat Colangelo

STAFF

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.



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon. Jan. 30 th	8am	(S.I.) Bernadette Boissonneault
Tues. Jan. 31 st	8am	+ Benito Nazzaro
Wed. Feb. 1 st	8am	+ Bernadette Riddick
Thurs. Feb. 2 nd	8am	+ Theresa Aguis
Fri. Feb. 3 rd	8am	(S.I.) Hilda Omere
	7pm	+ Giorgio Bonomo & Giovanna Ferla (S.I.) Joan Chittenden & Family
Sat. Feb. 4 th	9am	+ Stefano Savella + Cecile & Hubert Thauvette + Ryan Sheridan + Deceased members of Blanco & Donkers family + Paul DiLosa
	5pm	+ Gerald Landry
Sun. Feb. 5 th	8:15am	+ Claudette Garcia
	10am	+ Betty Jean
	7pm	+ Flores Aelan

Pope Francis's Message for the 31st World Day of the Sick



11 February 2023
"Take care of him"

Compassion as a synodal exercise of healing

For the full message visit:

<https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/sick/documents/20230110-giornata-malato.html>

Pope Francis's Intentions for the Month on January: We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.



RECONCILIATION for both First Communion and Confirmation candidates and their families will take place on: Feb 28th and Mar 1st 6pm - 7pm

From the Pastor's Desk

"Please join me and Fr. Arthur in welcoming two new additions to our office staff: Rachael DaSilva --- full time secretary & Maria Young --- as part time secretary to serve our community. Both are very new to the position and appreciate your patience when contacting the office. Welcome Rachael and Maria"

Office Closed

On Feb. 20th the office will be closed for Family Day. Morning mass will be at 9am.



Wed. Feb. 22nd Masses & Ashes are at 8am & 7pm.

If you have blessed palms from the previous years, please bring them in for us to make ashes. - Thank you.

Feb. 24th (and every Friday during lent)



Mass: 8am
Stations of the Cross: 6:30pm
Mass: 7pm

JANUARY 29, 2023

The Catholic Women's League is having our bi-annual elections on Tuesday, Feb. 7th at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall. To vote you need a 2023 membership. Anyone interested in running or nominating someone for a position can email us at olgcwl@gmail.com for more info. All nominations must be in by **5pm Tues, Jan 31st**. No speech or prior experience required. The structure of the CWL was changed nationally in 2022 so available positions are: President, Vice-President/President-Elect, Treasurer, Membership Coordinator, Secretary (2 positions), & 3 committee chairs who are appointed after the election (Service, Faith & Justice).

FREE WEBINAR!!!

ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

Saturday, February 4, 2023 at 9:00 am

Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation. The Archdiocese of Toronto estate planning team & Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral

To register, send us an email to: development@archtoronto.org

Please include 'webinar February 4th' in the subject line and provide your name in the body of a message. Also, we would be grateful if, for the sake of our statistics, you could let us know whether you are planning to watch this webinar alone or together with a family member.

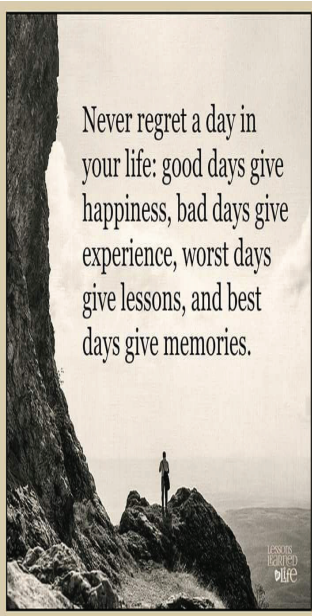
You will receive a link a couple of days before the webinar.

Marriage Sunday Feb 12, 2023

All are welcome to join the celebration via livestream here: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>

The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m. Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at this special Mass to honour married couples.

All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and milestone anniversary celebrants will be honoured with a special blessing. **Registration for attending Mass in person is now closed as the capacity at the Cathedral has been reached.**



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