

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:

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| 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:

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| 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 |
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| St. Joseph | 905-727-5782 | | |

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.



Mass Intentions for the Week

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| Mon. Feb. 20 th | 9am | + Margaret Edwards |
| Tues. Feb. 21 st | 8am | (SI) Jovita Taiwo |
| Wed. Feb. 22 nd | 8am | Ash Wednesday |
| | 7pm | Ash Wednesday |
| Thurs. Feb. 23 rd | 8am | + Rosario Bongiovanni |
| Fri. Feb. 24 th | 8am | + Cecile & Hubert Thauvette |
| Sat. Feb. 25 th | 9am | + Vittoria & Francesco D'Urzo, + Rosa Amore, + Anna Maria Pompilio, + Vivian Teodori |
| | 5pm | + Frank Coniglio |
| Sun. Feb. 26 th | 8:15am | + Ed Gravell |
| | 10am | + Margaret MacKrell |
| | 7pm | + Antonietta Colangelo |



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



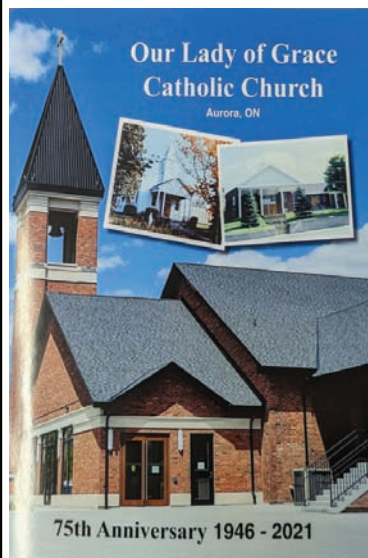
RECONCILIATION for both *First Communion* and *Confirmation* candidates and their families will take place on: **Feb 28th and Mar 1st: 6pm - 7pm**



We thank his Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins for his 26 years of episcopal service to the Church and almost 50 years as priest, since his ordination on May 5, 1973. We pray that the Lord will bless his time of retirement and continue to help him grow in the beauty and goodness of Christ.

THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY PHOTO DIRECTORY

THE PHOTO DIRECTORY HAS ARRIVED!



IF YOU HAD YOUR PORTRAIT TAKEN IN ONE OF THE SESSIONS HERE AT THE PARISH, YOU MAY FIND YOUR COPY IN THE CHURCH NARTHEX. THEY ARE IN INDIVIDUAL ENVELOPES, LISTED ALPHABETICALLY BY LAST NAME. IF YOU DID NOT GET YOUR PHOTO TAKEN BY THE PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER, WE WILL HAVE ADDITIONAL COPIES AVAILABLE FOR A DONATION TO THE PARISH.



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

On Friday, Feb. 24th
(and every Friday during Lent)

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



WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY



Please join us for a study on **Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother.** Our Bible study will begin on Wednesday, April 26th and continue for 8 weeks from 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm in the parish hall. There are sign-up sheets at the back of the church for those interested in registering. This will indicate to us the level of interest.



This weekend's second collection will go towards our parish dept. Thank you for your generous support in reducing our dept.

Friday March 3 - Sunday March 5
Father Ron Rolheiser

Theme:
Wrestling with God and with Love - Resistance and Surrender Within Our Spiritual Journey



For more information, contact: Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre 905-278-5229, or, office@gqa.ca

14th Annual - Dynamic Women of Faith Catholic Women's Conference

Saturday, March 25, 2023 - 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Location: Old Mill Toronto Event Venue
21 Old Mill Road, Toronto, ON M8X 1G5
Register at dynamicwomenfaith.com

You are Invited to Register!

If you have just moved into the area, or are perhaps a Sunday regular, we invite you to register as a member of Our Lady of Grace parish family. In registering, our parish community can get to know you better, and to better serve you and your family's needs. For example, by registering we can help you in the receiving of sacraments such as Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, or in planning of a wedding. We can also help with the anointing of the sick, or planning a funeral for your loved one.

Registration forms are located in the lower foyer, or by the parish office, and while there, be sure to pick up a box of donation envelopes.

We are happy that you are here!

Prayer for suffering

(a prayer of intercession for those who are in pain and suffering)



O Jesus,

Please be in the hearts and lives
of all those who are suffering

Bring healing to those who are enduring pain.
Bring value to those who are disregarded.
Bring joy to those in great sorrow.
Bring hope to those that have nothing to live for.
Bring provision to those who are hungry.
Bring shelter to those without a home.
Bring community to those who are lonely.

Please use and prompt me to be your hands of love across a hurting world. Amen.



As we continue to pray for the people of Turkey & Syria, especially those who have been affected by the devastating earthquake. The Archdiocese of Toronto will accept donations and channel funds through Catholic partners (including Caritas Canada, Aid to the Church in Need, CNEWA, and Jesuits International) to support relief efforts underway. Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:


- Online through the Archdiocese website - <https://www.archtoronto.org/en/contactus/donations/donate-pages/donate-to-turkiye-and-syria-relief/>
- By phone through the Development Office - **416-934-3411**
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: Name of Parish - Turkey and Syria Earthquake - Humanitarian Relief

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