



Our Lady of Grace *Roman Catholic Church*

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OUR SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Sunday Masses

Saturday vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 noon, 7:00 pm

Weekday Masses

Monday – Friday 8:00 am

Saturday & Holidays 9:00 am

First Friday Adoration

5:00 pm - 6:45 pm followed by Mass at 7:00 pm

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 pm or by appointment

Baptism

Families must be registered and regularly attending Mass. Parents and godparents must also attend a baptism preparation session before the baptism date. Please contact the office for Baptism registration forms.

Marriage

12 months advanced notice required before a date can be confirmed. Preparation course is a prerequisite.

Do you feel called to Holy Orders or Religious Life?

Contact 416-968-0997 or vocationstoronto.ca.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

Weekends & Statutory Holidays: Closed

WELCOME AND REGISTRATION

If you are making Our Lady of Grace your parish, please register by completing a registration form found near both entrances of the church or on the shelves by the parish office. If you require further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the parish office at 905-727-4594. Also, kindly contact the office if you move or have added new members to your family that have not been registered.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG)

Have you considered an easier way of supporting the parish?

PAG is a convenient way: you decide how much and we will charge your account the amount you are comfortable with on the 20th of each month. You can change the amount at any time by contacting the parish office. How much? For example, if you currently give \$12/week that would be around \$52/month; and if you give \$25/week that would be around \$108/month. Kindly consider this convenient way of supporting our parish. The PAG form (blue) may be found near both entrances of the church or on the shelves by the parish office.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Holy Spirit 905-713-6813

Light of Christ 905-727-5400

Our Lady of Grace 905-727-5631

St. Jerome 905-727-6593

St. Joseph 905-727-5782

St. Maximilian Kolbe H.S. 905-727-5652

Cardinal Carter H.S. 905-727-2455

York Catholic District School Board 905-727-1211

PASTORAL REFERENCES

To receive a pastoral reference, you must be a registered parishioner, attending Sunday Mass regularly, and participating in the sacramental and pastoral life of the Church community, be serving in a parish ministry (e.g. lector, catechist) on an ongoing basis, and be in good canonical standing within the Church.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

www.catholic-cemeteries.com

SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

MASS INTENTIONS		
Mon., Apr. 8 th	8am	(SI) Olejnik family
Tue., Apr. 9 th	8am	+ Cecile & Hubert Thauvette
Wed., Apr. 10 th	8am	+ Bernadette Boissonneault
Thu., Apr. 11 th	8am	+ Deceased Priests & Bishops
Fri., Apr. 12 th	8am	+ Giuseppe & Maria Giannotti
Sat., Apr. 13 th	9am	+ Grace Orsino, + Loretta Mae Bethel, + Erna Randl
	5pm	+ El Lanthier
Sun. Apr. 14 th	8am	+ Joan Coulter
	10am	+ Leonardo Triolo
	7pm	+ Osvaldo Teixeira

NEW ** Sanctuary Candle Sponsorship Program **



Please note: at present,
the sponsorship is full
until Dec. 12, 2025. ** No
more dates are currently
available. Thank you for
your support. **



Mar. 8 th to Apr. 12 th , 2024	(SI) Lee Wilson & family
Apr. 13 th to May. 12 th , 2024	+ Souls of deceased Bishops & Priests
May. 13 th to Jun. 12 th , 2024	(SI) Da Silva family
Jun. 13 th to Jul. 12 th , 2024	+ Piedad Moreno
Jul. 13 th to Aug. 12 th , 2024	+ Mark Sadowski
Aug. 13 th to Sep. 12 th , 2024	+ Mary James Dawson
Sep. 13 th to Oct. 12 th , 2024	(SI) Bialkowski family
Oct. 13 th to Nov. 12 th , 2024	+ Lennart Lundberg
Nov. 13 th to Dec. 12 th , 2024	(SI) Dave Tate & family
Dec. 13 th , 2024 to Jan. 12 th , 2025	(SI) Sayaman family
Jan. 13 th to Feb. 12 th , 2025	+ Deceased members of the Letassey & Yap families
Feb. 13 th to Mar. 12 th , 2025	(SI) Peter Yiu
Mar. 13 th to Apr. 12 th , 2025	+ Aldo Cristofoli

Martyrs' Shrine 2024 Spring Gala (Vaughan, ON)

When: Jun. 12, 2024

Time: 5:30pm – 9:30pm

**Featured Keynote:
His Grace, Archbishop Leo**

**Special Performance:
St. Michael's Choir School**

For tickets, go to: martyrs-shrine.com/spring-gala.



A new addition to our church building: with the co-operation of Felix Santiago of Heavenscraft Church Supplies and a generous donation from a parish family, the statue of the Risen Lord has arrived and is now in place. We thank Bishop John Boissonneau for blessing our statue at the 12 noon Mass on Easter Sunday.

Divine Mercy Novena

(starts Good Friday and goes through the eve of Divine Mercy Sunday)

“By this Novena, I will grant every possible grace to souls.” - the words of Jesus to St. Faustina

Using the Rosary beads, begin with:

**Our Father...Hail Mary...
The Apostles' Creed**

On the large bead before each decade, pray:
“Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.”



On the ten small beads, then pray:

“For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.”

Conclude with:

“Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One,
have mercy on us and on the whole world.”

A Spiritual Pilgrimage to Greece & Turkey: in the Footsteps of St. Paul & the 7 Churches of Revelation



Led by: Fr. Ravi Kakumanu,
Spiritual Director
When: Sep. 25 – Oct. 4, 2024
Cost: \$4,875 – includes:

- ◆ Return airfare from Toronto (including taxes)
- ◆ Double occupancy 3 - 4 star accommodation with daily breakfast and dinner
- ◆ All tours by Deluxe Motor Coach as per itinerary
- ◆ Cable car in Pergamum
- ◆ Cruise to the 3 Saronic islands of Greece
- ◆ Bosphorus cruise in Istanbul
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- ◆ All entrance fees to places of interest

A deposit of \$700 guarantees you a spot! A rebate of \$150 is offered for payment by e-transfer or cheque.

For more information or to register,
Call: 905-279-8000 / 1-888-463-3637
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Young Adult Adoration Nights

When: Apr. 18th, May 9th,
and Jun. 13th

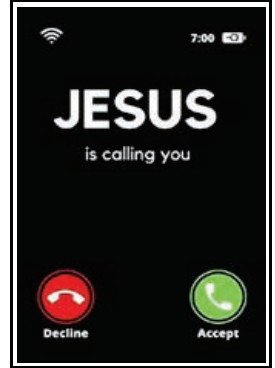
Time: 6:30pm

Where: Our Lady of Grace
Parish

Duration: 45 Minutes

We will be hosting Adoration
nights catered to young adults
18 years and older (although
all are welcome).

These nights will consist of a time for guided
reflection, praise & worship, and silence during
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. So come spend
some much-needed time with Jesus in the company
of other young adults in your community.



CWL Monthly Meeting for April

Our upcoming CWL meeting
will be on Tue., Apr. 16th at
7:30pm in the Lounge.

If you are not yet a CWL member, please come and
check us out. We have exciting sub-committees and
are planning our fundraising events for the
upcoming seasons. There is sure to be something to
pique your interest.

Please note: our original meeting date has been
moved this month from Apr. 9th to Apr. 16th.

Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord – Apr. 8th

A consecration prayer to our Blessed Mother is
available at the following link (copy and paste):

<https://www.archtoronto.org/contentassets/415f85fc71064cf7a3810483bccb187d/marian-consecration-ritual-2024.pdf>.



Welcoming Arms would like to thank you all for
your continued and generous support of our
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difference in our community.

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\$3 – Small.

“Have a medal made according to
this model. Everyone who wears it
around their neck will receive great
graces.”

- Our Blessed Mother Mary
to St. Catherine Labouré



Vocation Seeds

“As the Father has sent Me,
so I send you.”

Will you respond to God's
call to be sent as priest,
deacon, sister, or brother?



If you feel God is calling you to minister in His
Church as a priest, religious, or deacon, contact
Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations,
Archdiocese of Toronto by phone at 416-968-0997
or by email at vocations@archtoronto.org.

For more information, go to
www.vocationstoronto.ca.

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