



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.

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Light of Christ	905-727-5400
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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.


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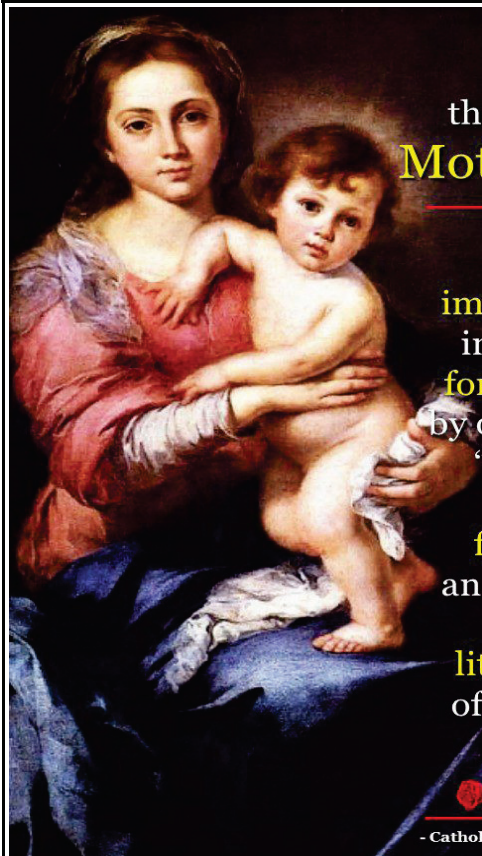
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MASS INTENTIONS		
Mon., May 13 th	8am	+ Bertao family & Vocations to the Priesthood
Tue., May 14 th	8am	+ Maria Monaco
Wed., May 15 th	8am	+ Giuseppe & Maria Giannotti
Thu., May 16 th	8am	+ Bernadette Boissonneault
Fri., May 17 th	8am	+ Cecile & Hubert Thauvette
Sat., May 18 th	9am	+ Mary Murphy, + Irene O'Rouke, + Alfred Richard, + Joseph Leo, + Catherine Ann Monpetit, + Patrick Markle, + Walter Motyka
	5pm	+ Tom & Lilly Pingyin
Sun., May 19 th	8am	+ Robert & Pearl Robinson
	10am	+ Edilberto de la Cruz
	7pm	(SI) McKenna Family

Sanctuary Candles sponsored Apr. 13 th to May 12 th , 2024 for: 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
Apr. 13 th to May 12 th , 2025	(SI) Vinluan family
May 13 th to Jun. 12 th , 2025	(SI) Donkers & Blanco family
Jun. 13 th to Jul. 12 th , 2025	(SI) Jack & Ruth Doris
Jul. 13 th to Aug. 12 th , 2025	(SI) Alberto & Louro families
Aug. 13 th to Sep. 12 th , 2025	(SI) Chen family




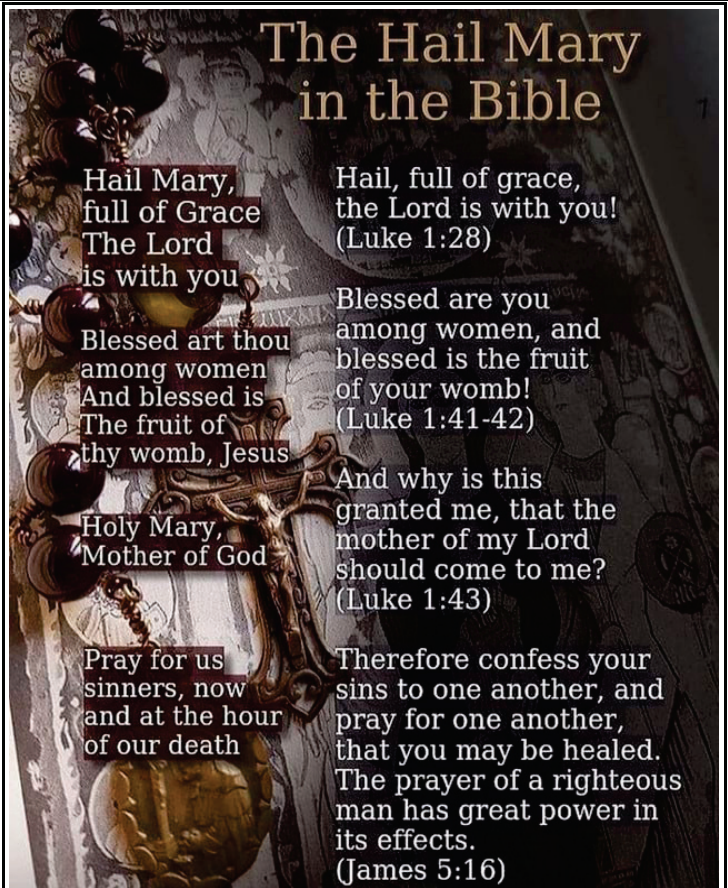
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May,
the month of
Mother Mary

Let's imitate Jesus in His love for Our Lady by offering her “flowers” of our filial love and affection in the little things of each day!


- Catholics striving for Holiness -



The Hail Mary in the Bible

Hail Mary, full of Grace The Lord is with you

Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you! (Luke 1:28)

Blessed art thou among women And blessed is The fruit of thy womb, Jesus

Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb! (Luke 1:41-42)

Holy Mary, Mother of God

And why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? (Luke 1:43)

Pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death

Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man has great power in its effects. (James 5:16)



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!!!

No matter our age, gender, or nationality, we ALL came from a mom. Is your mom still on this earth? Pray for her. Is your mom in Eternity? Pray WITH her that she may be in eternal rest with Jesus, Mary, and Joseph.

A Special Prayer

“SANCTA MARIA”

Holy Mary, comfort the miserable, help the faint-hearted, cheer those who weep.

Pray for the people, be the advocate of the clergy, intercede for all women consecrated to God, bless ALL who say YES to being a mother. Amen.

Debt Reduction

Next weekend, May 18th – 19th, our second collection will go towards reducing our parish debt. Please give generously. Your efforts help to support our parish life and community. Thank you for your kindness.



A Ministry to Catholic Women

Magnificat Breakfast

Treat your mother, sister, or friend to an inspirational morning that includes a hot breakfast, praise & worship led by our spirit-filled music ministry, and a personal testimony of the transforming love of Christ in the life of an invited speaker.

When: Sat., May 25th from 9:30am to 12:30pm
Where: St. Benedict Parish Hall, 2194 Kipling Ave., Etobicoke, ON (doors open at 9am)
Registration: \$35 (credit and debit cards accepted with an added service fee.)

For complete details and to register online, go to: <https://www.stbenedicts.ca/magnificat-breakfast>.

Five Men Ordained to the Priesthood



Left to Right – Fr. Szymon Sorbian, Fr. Jeremy Zou, Fr. Ryan Nigli, Fr. Daniel Lee, Fr. Marko Busic

On Sat., May 11th at 10am, the Most Rev. Archbishop Francis Leo, bestowed upon these five young men the Sacrament of Holy Orders, ordaining them as priests of the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Let us continue to keep them in our prayers, as they begin a new chapter in their lives, as shepherds leading God's people.

A Prayer for Priests

O Lord and our God, Jesus Christ, You have given to Your priests a sacred vocation; purify them, sanctify them. May the gift of Your grace renew them day after day. May Your holy angels guard and protect them.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, our Mother and Mother of the priests, pray for us.

“The Virgin Mary is the only woman in my life.”
- Blessed Carlo Acutis



Spring BBQ
(Sponsored by the Aurora Knights of Columbus)

When: Sun., May 26th after the 12 noon Mass

Serving: Peameal Bacon on a Bun
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