



# Our Lady of Grace Parish

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## PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. John Bertão, Pastor

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 8:30 am – 4 pm

Weekends & Statutory Holidays: Closed

## WELCOME TO OUR HOUSE OF PRAYER.

We are thankful for your visit. Do you plan on returning? Have you considered becoming a member? If so, please take a registration form with you and return it to the parish office. One of our parish staff will contact you, or you may contact us if you wish.

## SACRAMENTAL LIFE

### Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5 pm;

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

### Weekday Masses

Monday – Friday: 8 am

(followed by Adoration & Rosary)

Saturday & Holidays: 9 am

### First Friday Adoration

Starts at 6 pm with Benediction  
at 6:45 pm and Mass at 7 pm

### Reconciliation

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

### Baptism

Families must be registered with envelopes for a minimum of one year and regularly attending Mass. A baptism preparation session is a prerequisite for both parents and godparents. Please contact the office for more information.

### Marriage

12 months advanced notice required before a date can be confirmed.

Preparation course is a prerequisite.



*Our Lady of Grace,  
pray for us!*

## WAYS TO SUPPORT THE PARISH

Pre-authorized giving (PAG) is an easy way of supporting the parish. You decide how much, and we will charge your account the amount you are comfortable with on the 20<sup>th</sup> 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 by the parish office.

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## PASTORAL REFERENCES

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

## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., Jan. 26 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ Marion Biggers
Tue., Jan. 27 <sup>th</sup>	8am	(SI) Laura Winberg
Wed., Jan. 28 <sup>th</sup>	8am	+ Bernadette & Armand Boissonneault
Thu., Jan. 29 <sup>th</sup>	8am	(SI) Michael Harrington
Fri., Jan. 30 <sup>th</sup>	8am	
Sat., Jan. 31 <sup>st</sup>	9am	(SI) Nelson Chico, (SI) Da Silva family, + Dorothy Murphy, + Fr. Jan Sadowski, + Emma De Biasio, + Therese Nhon Nguyen, + Mike McCartney
	5pm	+ Lydia Franchi
Sun., Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup>	8am	+ Ryan Sheridan
	10am	+ Theresa & Louie Marroccoli
	12pm	"Populo" for the intentions of our parish families
	7pm	(SI) Laurie Gaffney

*Reminder*



Kindly pick up your 2026  
Offertory Envelopes.  
Thank you for your co-operation.

### Lighting a Candle 'Gift' Cards

Lighting a candle for someone? Please help yourself to a 'gift' card that you can give/send to the individual you lit the candle for. They are located by the candle stands.

### CWL Weekly Rosary - Tuesdays



The CWL started a weekly Zoom Rosary on Tuesday evenings at the start of Covid and have been praying together ever since!

We pray for world peace, as well as for the personal intentions of those attending (you don't have to be a member to pray with us!)

To register and obtain a Zoom link to attend, please email Annette at [olgowl@gmail.com](mailto:olgowl@gmail.com).

### Candlemas (Blessing of Candles) – Mon., Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>



On the feast of the Presentation of the Lord, which is Mon., Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will have the blessing of candles during the 8am Mass. You are encouraged to bring your own candles;

however, we will also have a limited quantity available in the church for a donation. \*Caution: For fire safety, do not have lit candles unattended at anytime.\* Thank you.



### Mass for Blessing of Throats - Tue., Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>

On the Feast of St. Blaise, which is on Tue., Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will have the blessing of throats during the 8am Mass. All are welcome.

### Blessing of the Throat Prayer

"Through the intercession of St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen."



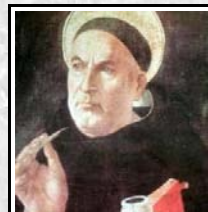
### Bill C-9 - Action Still Required

For more details refer to Cardinal Leo's Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> statement: <https://bit.ly/CardinalLeoBillC9>  
Thank you for your continued co-operation.

### For Your Reflection

"What does it take  
to become a saint?  
Will it."

- St. Thomas Aquinas



### Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

The novena takes place in our church every Wednesday 7 minutes before the 8am Mass and is led by the Mass celebrant.







**Online Drop-In Bereavement  
Support Session**

Wed., Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

Register at:

<https://nbsdd0126.eventbrite.ca>

**Online Drop-In Separated/Divorced  
Support Session**

Thu., Jan. 29<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

Register at: <https://nbsdd0126.eventbrite.ca>

For more information, please contact  
Arcangelo Limanni, MRE, MACP, RP (Qualifying)  
by email at [alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com); or  
by phone at (647) 215-3978.

**Marriage Sunday - Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at 2:30pm**

Bishop John Boissonneau will  
preside at a special Mass to  
honour married couples, with  
special recognition for those  
celebrating 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>



and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2026.

The Mass will take place at 2:30pm on  
Sun., Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica  
(65 Bond St., Toronto). All married couples will  
have an opportunity to renew their marriage  
commitment during the Mass. Limited reserved  
seating is available for couples celebrating a 25<sup>th</sup>,  
40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> or 60+ anniversary in 2026, so please  
register early. All other seating is on a first-come,  
first served basis. Those who are unable to attend  
at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration  
via livestream Mass. Registration and other  
important information can be found at  
[www.archtoronto.org/marriage](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage).

**Miraculous Medals, Rosaries & Scapulars**

The following items are available at  
the parish office for a donation.



\$7 – Large Miraculous Medal

\$5 – Medium Miraculous Medal

\$3 – Small Miraculous Medal



\$7 - Wooden  
Rosary



\$5 -  
Scapular

**2025 Tax Receipts**

The 2025 tax receipts will be mailed out  
mid-February. Thank you for your  
generous support.



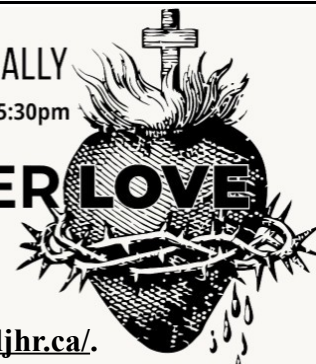
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