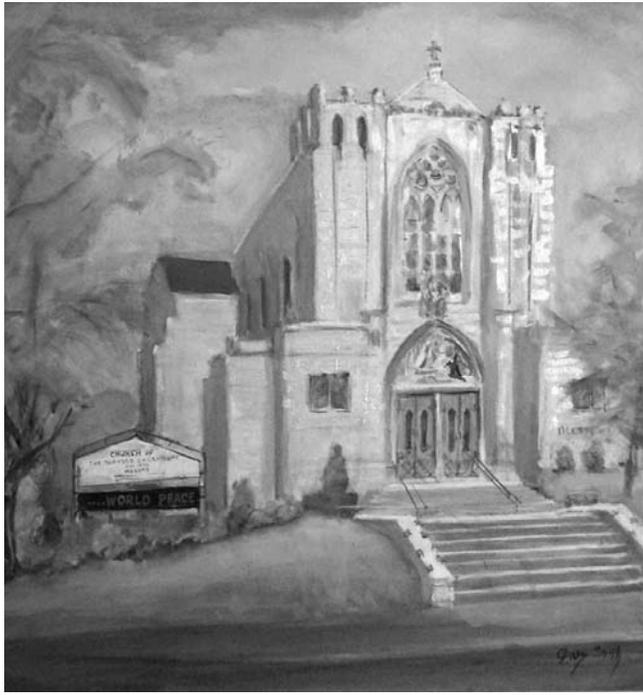


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Parish established in 1926, Church erected 1929
Original painting by Gary Smith

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:30 am, 10:00 am & 11:30 am
(Children's Liturgy October – May 10:00 am Mass)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 8:30 am

Public Holiday Mass: 10:00 am

First Friday Adoration: 9:00 am Mass: 12 Noon

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm (Loretto Room)

Sunday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm (Loretto Room)

Registration forms for the parish and all sacraments,
as well as mass cards and religious items, are available
in the Loretto Room after all weekend Masses. We
also have a DVD lending library.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

All Parishioners are encouraged to register in our
community. Registration forms are available in the
Loretto Room on the weekends.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Larry Marcille - Pastor

Fr. Joseph Nguyen – Associate Pastor

Paul McDonald - Deacon

Sr. Johanna D'Agostino, IBVM

Sr. Mary DiGirolamo, IBVM

Joanna Manturowicz – Youth Minister/Sacramental Prep.

Rafal Bartosinski – Seminarian Intern

PASTORAL STAFF

Julie Brett - Office Administrator

Paul Honeyford - Property Manager

Agnes Ahn - Bookkeeper

Lumen Fernandes - Part-Time Reception

Juliet Lobo - Part-Time Reception

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday—3:45 pm—4:25 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism Request Forms are available in the Loretto Room.
Baptisms are on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Marriage Request Forms are available in the Loretto
Room after Mass. The form must be completed one
year in advance of the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If you need a priest to visit someone who is ill at home
please call the office to notify the Parish Priests.

PARISH MINISTRIES

* Lectors

* Eucharistic Ministers

* Ministers of Hospitality

* Parish Women's Group

* Development & Peace

* Director of Music- Paul Jenkins 416-920-3341

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* Heart & Soul Choir (10am) Sarah Martin &
Joan McGivney

* R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

* R.C.I.C. - Rite of Christian Initiation for Children

* Catechetical Program for Public & Private School Children

* Outreach Programs (Out of the Cold, Good Shepherd)

* Knights of Columbus (1388 Council)

* Eucharistic Marian Prayer Group - Mondays 5:30 pm

* Children's Liturgy (10 am - must register)

* Altar Servers

* Sacristans

* Marriage Preparation

* BSC Youth Group

* St. Vincent de Paul

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Communion Reflection

Water into wine...



Jesus brought the wine of God's love into the world.
Everywhere He went the old was made new.
For the couple at Cana He changed water into wine.
For the widow at Nain He changed tears into joy.
For Zacchaeus He changed selfishness into love.
For the thief on Calvary He changed despair into hope.
And on Easter morning He changed death into life.
Lord, be present with us today and throughout our lives.
And when through human weakness the wine of love is found wanting, touch our hearts and strengthen our wills, so that we may taste the wine of unselfish love.
Touch our hearts so that we may bring your love to our brothers and sisters, to the praise and glory of God.
Amen

St. Joseph Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Paul French

St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Patricia Mallinger

Masses of Intentions

Monday – Joan Wren + / Deborah McKeown +
Tuesday – Allan Smart + / Henry Kitts +
Wednesday – Cosimo Puseteri + / Celine McGinley +
Thursday – Martha McKay (INT) / Ana Francisca & John Xavier D'Costa +
Friday – Kathryn Aim (INT) / Gilbert Tellis + / Maxima Titular + /
Badong Titular + / Ildefonso Katigbak + / Special Intention.

Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Rosemarie Chapeskie, Michael Chiarotto, George Hallan, Vince Pelletier

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Sacrament Dates

First Communion will be on Sunday, April 28, 2019 at 2:30 pm
Confirmation will be on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at 7:00 pm

First Reconciliation, First Communion Classes

Sunday's 11:00-12:00 pm or Tuesday's 4:30-5:30 pm. Classes are held in the Parish Hall. Sunday Class dates are: ~~Oct. 14, Nov. 4, Dec. 2, Jan. 13~~, Feb. 3, Mar. 3, Apr. 7 & May 5. Tuesday Class dates are: ~~Oct. 16, Nov. 6, Dec. 4, Jan. 15~~, Feb. 5, Mar. 5, Apr. 9 & May 7.

First Reconciliation to be held at 10:00 am on Saturday, February 9, 2019
First Communion on Sunday, May 26, 2019 at 2:00 pm for the Sunday Class & 4:00 pm for the Tuesday Class

Confirmation Classes

Classes are Wednesday's 4:30 – 5:30 pm. Classes are held in the parish hall. Classes are: ~~Sept. 26, Oct. 24, Nov. 28, Dec. 12, Jan. 30, Feb. 27 & Mar. 27~~. A mandatory teaching Mass will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2018 at 11:00 am.

Parents, along with their child, must attend a prayer and information night on ~~Wednesday, October 17, 2018~~ at 7:00 pm in the church.

Confirmation Retreat date is Saturday, April 27, 2019 from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm.

Confirmation date is Wednesday, May 1, 2019 at 7:00 pm.
Students are required to attend all classes and the Confirmation Retreat.

The **Out of the Cold** dinner program serving a hot dinner to those in need in our community is sponsored by Glenview Presbyterian, St. Leonard's Anglican and Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. The program runs every Sunday from the first Sunday in November to last Sunday in March at the Glenview Presbyterian Church at 1 Glenview Avenue. The Blessed Sacrament Church is responsible for the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of each month. Volunteers are needed to prepare NUT FREE desserts that are easy to carry away like muffins, cookies, brownies, squares, etc. Desserts can be dropped off at Glenview Presbyterian Church on Sundays at 4pm during this period. In addition, donations for NEW socks, mittens, gloves, and undergarments are always welcome as well. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to this year's Out of the Cold leaders. 2nd Sunday: Sandra Girard and Nina Spinosa at ootc.secondsunday@gmail.com. 3rd Sunday: Ann Marie and Bill Rosenitsch annmarieroz@gmail.com.

Blessed Sacrament Card Group - Meet the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month in the Parish Hall from 1:00 pm – 3:30 pm. Our next gathering will be on Thursday, February 7th. All are welcome; there is an elevator to assist you to the parish hall.

Scripture : Isaiah 62.1-5, 1 Corinthians 12.4-11, John 2.1-12

January 20, 2019

Strive first for the kingdom of heaven and all that you need will be given to you. (Matthew 6.33)

Jeff Cavins "Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible"

Contact Elisa Wever at elisa.wever@gmail.com or the parish office at 416-481-2256.

This exciting 8 week series began on Thursday, January 17th at 7:30 to 9:00 pm and runs until March 14th, 2019 (no class February 21) in the Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome.

2019 ENVELOPES - Please pick up your 2019 envelopes at the back of the church. **PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE IF THERE IS AN ERROR WITH YOUR BOX NUMBER. Please DO NOT use any leftover envelopes from 2018 or any other year!**

Recycle your outdated envelopes. If you did not pick up your 2018 envelopes, your name was removed from the envelope list so please pick a new box up in the Loretto Room. If you would like to be an envelope user, please pick up a new box in the Loretto Room as well. Please write your name and address on the first few envelopes used so we can update the parish data for 2019. Thank you for your generosity to our parish.

They will be moved to the Loretto Room for next weekend.

Women's Group – General meeting – Thursday, January 24 at 2:00 pm in the Loretto Room. All are welcome.

– The Book club is meeting on Thursday, January 31 at 2:00 pm in the Loretto Room.

All are welcome. The current book is "My Antonia" by Willa Cather

-The Knitting Group will be meeting on Monday, January 21 at 1:30 pm in the Loretto Room. All are welcome.

COME AND HEAR Sr. Eva Solomon, CSJ, on Indigenous Culture and Spirituality! Wednesday, Feb. 6, 7-9 pm, in the Parish Hall. Sr. Eva is an Ojibwa from Northern Ontario and a member of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Sault Ste. Marie. Sr. Eva has a doctorate in cross-cultural ministry. Bring your questions and we'll bring the treats!

REVIVAL – *Everyone is welcome to attend "A Day of Faith" on Saturday, February 9th, Blessed Sacrament Parish at 3:00 pm. Cost is \$10 or \$15 at the door. Guest Speaker – Patrick Sullivan. Contact our Youth Minister Joanna Manturowicz at 416-770-2971 or come to the parish office for tickets.*

Many thanks to Ida Pusateri for her donation of Poinsettias. We would like to thank Indra and all her volunteers - Juliet Lobo, June Rom-Roginski, Esther Pillia, Margaret McKay and Flordeliz for their time and assistance in decorating inside the church for Christmas. Great team work!

Elementary School Ministry Volunteers Needed! – "Edge" has been successfully implemented and thriving in parishes across North America. This brand new Youth Program will be held bi-weekly on Friday's from 7-9 pm. The program is designed for youth from Grades 6-8. We are looking to equip an Edge Crew, Grade 10 students to adults, to participate in engaging with the youth through meals, games, skits, small group discussions and much more. If you are interested in volunteering, and think God is calling you to be part of this new mission, please contact our Youth Minister, Joanna Manturowicz at bsccyouthministry@gmail.com or (416) 481 – 2256 (ext. 234). Community hours will be given.



Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood or religious life? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon,

contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997

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SAVE THE DATE – Saturday, March 2nd – Pasta Dinner





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