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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

cpauljenkins@mac.com

* 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

Archdiocese of Toronto - 416-934-0606

www.archtoronto.org

Blessed Sacrament School - 416-393-5226

Principal - Richard Walo

Catholic Cemeteries 416-733-8544

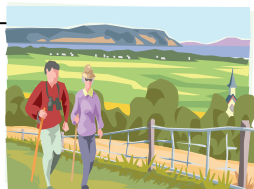
Catholic Family Services - www.cfstoronto.com

Vocations - www.vocationstoronto.ca

Vatican - www.vatican.va

6th Sunday of Easter

Communion Reflection



Signposts on the footpath of peace... ..

To be glad of life, because it gives you a chance to love, to work, to play and to look up at the stars.
To despise nothing in the world except what is false and mean.
To Fear nothing except what is cowardly.
To be guided by what you admire and love, rather than by what you hate.
To envy nothing that is your neighbours
Except his kindness of heart and gentleness of manner.
To think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends, and everyday of Christ.
And to spend as much time as you can, with body and with spirit, in God's out-of-doors.
These are little signposts on the footpath of peace.
(Henry van Dyke)

*St. Joseph Vigil Lamp
Burns in memory of
Stanko Druzina*

*St John the Evangelist Vigil Lamp
Burns for the intentions of
Fr. Don Hawkins*

Masses of Intentions

Monday – Stanko Druzina + / Mano La Landia
Tuesday –SK Suem + / Linda Gorganio +
Wednesday –Private Intention / Frances Iacono +
Thursday – Christopher Aim (INT) / Maria Franchi +
Friday - Jeffrey Parker + / Ted Ophleders + / John Ophelders +

Please keep in your prayers the sick:

Edith Alves, Rosemarie Chapeskie, Michael Chiarotto,
Matteo Di Folco, Mare Olito, Vince Pelletier

Blessed Sacrament Card Group - Meet the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month in the Parish Hall from 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm. **Next date is Thursday, June 6th** . All are welcome; there is an elevator to assist you to the parish hall.

WOMENS Group – Knitting Group will meet on Monday, June 17, at 1:30 pm in the Loretto Room. Date has changed this month due to the Victoria Day holiday. All are welcome. General Meeting and Tea on Friday May 31st at 1:00 p.m. in the Loretto Room. All women in the parish are welcome. Please advise Pat Tomev at 416 487-1295 if you plan to attend. Book club will meet on Thursday, June 6th at 1:30 pm in the Loretto Room – book is “When Breath Becomes Air” by Paul Kalanithi. Everyone is welcome.

Living the Gospel by supporting isolated seniors

In the span of three months, Debbie felt she had lost everything. Her partner of 33 years died, her leg was amputated, and she could no longer care for her beloved pets. She turned to the Society of Sharing, a ShareLife funded agency, who partnered her with a volunteer named Geoff. Not only did Geoff provide friendship, he used his teaching background to help Debbie fulfill a lifelong goal: learning how to properly read. Though it will be impossible for Debbie to regain all she has lost, her life is feeling full again.

**June 2 is the next ShareLife Sunday.
Please give generously.**



Please join Fr. Larry on Monday, June 10th at 4:00 pm for the taping of the Mass for our Feast Day. Fr. Larry will be taping the Sunday Mass that will be shown on Sunday, June 23. The taping takes place at 4:00 pm sharp at Loretto Abbey in the Chapel, 101 Mason Blvd. (note: the parish office will be closed at 3:30 pm on Monday, June 10th)

EDGE— contact the parish office for more info. For grades 5 to 8. **NEXT MEETING FRIDAY, May 24 AT 7:00 PM IN THE PARISH HALL**

Scripture : Acts 15.1-2, 22-29, Revelation 21.10-14, 22-23, John 14.23-29

May 26, 2019

I declare that your steadfast love is established forever. (Psalm 89.2)

DONUTS to support our Youth Ministry

On Saturday, June 1st and Sunday, June 2nd the youth at Blessed Sacrament will be selling traditional Polish donuts to raise money for the Youth Ministry, including the EDGE program. This will help support future trips and activities. Please contact Joanna at the parish office for further information.



Childrens Liturgy has finished up for this year. It will begin after thanksgiving.

Family at the Heart of Prayer – Archdiocesan gathering of families

Cardinal Thomas Collins is pleased to invite families from across the diocese to our second annual Archdiocesan gathering of families! Our family-friendly day will include inspirational talks from Cardinal Collins and families, prayer, praise and worship, Saturday morning Mass, and hands-on activities. Grandparents, parents and children of all ages are welcome. **The event will be held on Saturday, June 22, 2019, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.** at St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish, 4260 Cawthra Road, Mississauga, ON L4Z 1V8. The cost to attend is \$35 per family (any size) and includes lunch and snacks. **Registration opens on May 1** and tickets are limited. To register, please visit: www.archtoronto.org/family This event is being hosted by the Office of Formation for Discipleship at Archdiocese of Toronto in collaboration with the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, BLD Toronto, Couples for Christ, Faith Connections, Focolare and Teams of Our Lady. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call (416) 934-3400 ext. 523 or at formation@archtoronto.org

Do you understand the meaning behind the parts of the Mass? In his video-based study *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*, Dr. Edward Sri explores the roots of the words and gestures we experience at Mass and explains their profound significance. In this study, you will come to know and understand the Mass as never before, leading you to a richer, more fruitful worship experience. Join us for *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass* at **Blessed Sacrament** in the Parish Hall began **May 23rd** from **7:00PM until 9:00PM** and will continue every **Thursday** for **5** weeks to **June 20th**. For more information or to register for the study, call the parish office at **(416) 481-2256** or via email: elisa.wever@gmail.com.

Bundle Weekend – June 8 & 9

Please let those gently used items you can do without benefit our neighbours in need. We collect clothing, shoes, linens and small household goods. There will be a truck in the church parking area all weekend.

The CWL of Blessed Trinity Parish present “Mental Health First Aid Basic” Saturday, July 13 and Saturday, July 20 – 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Blessed Trinity Parish Hall, 3220 Bayview Ave., Toronto

Featuring Adrienne Sequeira, RN, RP, MDiv, DMin (candidate), Registered Psychotherapist, Certified Psychoanalyst, Family and Addiction Counsellor. Four major mental health/psychiatric modules in Substance Related Disorders, Mood Disorders, Anxiety and Trauma Related Disorders and Psychotic Disorders are covered. Individuals will learn to recognize symptoms of mental illnesses and will develop skills to deal with emergencies in each of the above four categories. The course material is presented in various modalities, using PowerPoint presentations, video clips and small group case studies. Participants will receive a comprehensive manual from the Mental Health Commission of Canada, handouts and an official certificate on completion of the course. \$50, includes manual. Bring your own lunch. Coffee and tea provided. To register: kaymax@sympatico.ca by May 31. Maximum participants for this session is 25 participants. More information can be found at: <http://www.mhfa.ca>. All are welcome.



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