

# HOLY NAME PARISH

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Welcome to Holy Name. We encourage all parishioners to become actively involved in your parish through its many groups and ministries. We also need and appreciate your financial support from regular offertory envelope contributions. Please ensure that you are registered with the office. Parishioners who are changing their address are asked to inform the parish office.

**Pastor:** Reverend Jinto Mathew Puthiyidathuchalil, C.S.C.

**Parish Secretary:** Mrs. Pamela Cobham

**In Residence:** Reverend Austin Francis, O.F.M.

**Choir Director:** Ms. Sarah Matte

**Parish Office Hours:** Mon-Fri 9 am - 12 pm  
1 pm - 5 pm

## CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

**Saturday:** 5:00 pm (in the church)

**Sunday:** 10:00 am (children's program only at 10 am service)  
12:00 pm (African Catholic Community)

**Weekday:** Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri at 12:05 pm in the chapel

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays: 4:30 to 5:00 pm and on request

## BAPTISM

By appointment and after instruction.

## MARRIAGE

**Archdiocesan Marriage Policy:** Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage.

**Catholic Cemeteries:** 416-733-8544

Archdiocese of Toronto: [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org)

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Holy Name School:  
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The Parish Hall is available for rent - please contact Jocelyn the hall manager at 647-292-9146 (cell).



**Lent - An invitation to Listen**

“Listen to him,” declares the Father on the mount of the transfiguration. Listen is the only thing the disciples are told throughout this whole event. As I shared in my Ash Wednesday homily, a part of Lent is the call to quiet and reflection. A call to soften our hearts and listen for the voice of God, calling us to return, calling us to faithfulness. Calling us to be more loving, more generous. Calling us to pay more attention to the care of the environment, to be more concerned about the poor and issues of justice. Listening is our spiritual practice. May this Lent be a time for us to listen to His voice who gently guides us in our daily lives.

Fr. Jinto Mathew CSC



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT  
BEGINNING AT 7:00 P.M.  
MASS INTENTIONS**

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Rosary at 11:50 a.m.

- Tues. March 10th  
12:05 pm: **Maria & Francisco Ferreira +**
- Wed. March 11th  
12:05 pm:
- Thurs. March 12th  
12:05 pm: **Bert Squires +**
- Fri. March 13th  
12:05 pm: **Miles Jackson +**
- Sat. March 14th  
5:00 pm: **Maria Izaura Cezarina & Constancio Gonsalves +**  
**Leo & Victoria Stang +**  
**Marsha Fernandes**

**Readings for  
Third Sunday of Lent  
Sunday, March 15th, 2020**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Exodus 17.3-7
- Responsorial Psalms:** Ps. 95.1-2, 6-7ab, 7c-9
- Second Reading:** Romans 5.1-2, 5-8
- Gospel:** John 4.5-42

***INCOME TAX RECEIPTS***

We had the income tax receipts out for two weekends to be picked up. The rest were mailed this past week. Thank you.

*Lenten*  
Day of Confessions

MARCH  
22-27  
2020

**LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSIONS**

From **March 22 to March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020** each parish in the Archdiocese of Toronto will be holding a **Day of Confessions**. Let us make the journey into the heart of our relationship with God. Take a long, loving look at the ways God calls us to grow. Take this challenge and hold it in readiness for the rich blessing that is manifest in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In our parish, the schedule for confessions is as follows:

**Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**11:30 am – 12 noon**  
**5:30 pm – 7 pm**

## **RCIA: The Scrutinies**

For the next three Sundays, we will celebrate the Scrutinies for those in our RCIA program. According to the Church's Rites, "the Scrutinies are meant to uncover, then heal all that is weak or sinful in the hearts of the elect; to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good." Please keep all the Elect and candidates in your prayers as they make their final journey to the Easter Sacraments.



## **236<sup>th</sup> SCOUT PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Last week the Scout Group put on a pancake breakfast, an event to bring the parish family and friends together to enjoy a great meal, play some games and enjoy some wonderful music brought to you by the scouts: First Light Scout Band. We hope that everyone had a good time and enjoyed the festivity. Funds of **\$ 568.00** were realized and this is being given to Holy Name Church for their weekly operating expenses.

We would like to advise that **boys and girls aged 11 and older** may join Scouts on **Tuesday at the school gym** and also may receive free lessons on **Wednesday** at Holy Name Church lower hall to play a guitar and be part of the band. Register new scouts at [scouts.ca/join](https://scouts.ca/join) and become a member of the 236<sup>th</sup> Toronto Scout Group

Scouter Bob Taylor

236<sup>th</sup> Toronto Scout Group

## **SANCTUARY LAMP**

is lit this week

**For the Repose of the Soul  
of Denise Carswell**

**at the request of Ann & Nora Gilbride and  
Jocelyn Phillips**



## **CHILDREN'S PROGRAM PRETZELS FOR LENT**

The children participating in the Children's Liturgy Program on (**March 22nd**) are baking pretzels to share at the hospitality time after Mass. The baking of pretzels is a Lenten tradition in the Church, dating back to the Middle Ages, when monks in Germany, Austria and Poland would bake pretzels as a form of Lenten treat for the people. The shape of the pretzels is the shape of human arms crossed in prayer. Pretzels remind us that Lent is a time for prayer.

## **PARISH LENTEN RETREAT**

On **Saturday, March 28, 1:30 - 4 pm**, in the **Parish Hall**, there will be a Lenten reflective retreat with the theme **What Trees Teach Us About Gospel Love**. Meditating on various qualities of trees we all know, we will recognize the wisdom and modelling they have for us to grow in self-giving Love. **Please register at the sign-up sheet at the back of the Church.**

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