

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

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

Bulletin notices must be submitted in writing to the office by noon Monday.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society (to help neighbours in need) 416-469-0842

Holy Name School:
Phone 416-393-5215
Fax 416-393-5934
690 Carlaw Ave
Principal: Matthew Tonks

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



When we consider Care for the Earth, Our Common Home, it is very important for us to think of the Indigenous Peoples, the First Peoples of Canada and the world. Their long history of living in intimate relationship with Creation has given them a wisdom and experience which is greatly needed today. And yet deep-rooted Colonial attitudes of superiority and privilege, as well as a desire for control and power, continue an injustice towards Indigenous Peoples, and a destruction of the land for which they have lovingly cared for thousands of years. It is finally time for us to LISTEN TO THEIR VOICES, and to show respect for their knowledge and wisdom.

It is time to learn from their spirituality, their sacred values towards all of Creation, their capacity for recognizing what Creation has to teach us, their relationships with every kind of animal, insect and plant, and with the rhythms of the Earth.

2021 Confirmation Program

Our 2021 **on-line** Confirmation Preparation Program will begin **Sunday, October 17th** and run for 5 weeks. Each session will begin at 1.00 pm and run until 2.15 pm. Confirmation is scheduled for **Saturday, November 20, 2021 at 11A.M.** All children entering Grade 7 or Grade 8 this September are invited to partake in this preparation program for the Sacrament of Confirmation. The registration forms are available on the website www.holynameto@archtoronto.org. Completed forms must be submitted to the parish office by **September 30th**.

First Reconciliation and Communion for public school children

Children attending public school in grade 2 to grade 6. Please register your children by **September 30th**. You can find the registration form on the parish website www.holynameto@archtoronto.org. This year we will distribute the workbook and ask the parents to journey through the program with their children. There will be a family day gathering on **Saturday December 4th from 10.00 to 11.30 am** in the church. Children will make their First Reconciliation on **Tuesday December 7th at 7.00 pm**. Details regarding First Communion will be announced later.



Tues. September 28th
12:05 pm: **Maria Da Silva +**
Wed. September 29th
12:05 pm: **Benefactors of Holy Name St. Vincent de Paul and the Neighbours in Need We Serve**
Thurs. September 30th
12:05 pm: **Beda Romano +**
Fri. October 1st
12:05 pm: **Harry Keane Senior +**
Sat. October 2nd
5:00 pm: **Manuel De Lima +**
Corazon & Teodoro Flores +

Readings for
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, October 3rd, 2021

1st Reading: Genesis 2.7ab, 15, 18-24
Responsorial Psalms: Ps. 128.1-2, 3, 4-5
Second Reading: Hebrews 2.9-11
Gospel: Mark 10.2-16

We keep in our prayers the sick, elderly, the homebound, the "forgotten members" in our community, and their families and caregivers. "Lord surround them with your healing and steadfast love." especially
Verna Bachan, Mae Bradley, Maureen O'Neill, Jaden Babcock, Valrie Lashley, Stephanie Winkler, Jackie Marksman, Maria Jose Bouey.

Eucharistic Ministers

October 16th – 5 pm – Joan Howard
October 17th – 10 am – Myrna Anacta
October 23rd – 5 pm – Cynthia Chu
October 24th – 10 am – Mercedes Delgado

Ministers of the Word

October 16th – 5 pm – Laurence & Flavia Mussio
October 17th – 10 am – Dawn Patterson Tam, Paul Connelly
October 23rd – 5 pm – Megan Lashley, Bernadette Kelly
October 24th – 10 am – Luvina Lobo, Antonio Mongilio



Will you help us reach our ShareLife campaign goal?

We have currently raised **\$17,811.00** toward our parish goal of **\$25,400.00**.

ShareLife Sunday is next weekend

Your gift to ShareLife facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto last year. They are among the 150,000 people helped by generous donors like you.

As we emerge from the pandemic, let's not forget the plight of those facing hardship and persecution, and continue our efforts to welcome them to Canada.

Next Sunday, October 3 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously during the special collection or anytime at sharelife.org

LIFE CHAIN

You are invited to be a part of an important pro-life witness on **Sunday, October 3rd 2-3 pm at the intersection of Pape Ave. and Danforth Ave.** Hundreds of others across North America, we will form a "Life Chain," bearing signs with messages like "Abortion kills children" and "Adoption, the loving option" and praying silently for the hour. Everyone is welcome to peacefully, publicly, and safely call upon our community to protect human life from conception to natural death. Simply show up and follow the directives of the local organizer, including relevant health measures. Let's advocate for the innocent; as Christ Himself reminds us, "Whatever you do to the least of these, you do to me" (Mt 25:40).

NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH & RECONCILIATION

On **Thursday, September 30, 2021**, across the country, Canadians will be observing the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The ongoing journey to healing and reconciliation has a particular relevance for Catholics throughout Canada given the church's involvement in operating many residential schools and recognizing the suffering and intergenerational trauma that remains for many survivors to this day. This day provides an opportunity for all Canadians to recognize and commemorate the legacy of residential schools, and commit to working for truth and reconciliation in the relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada.

All are welcome to join Cardinal Thomas Collins for a virtual prayer service on September 30, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. – you can access the prayer service through the St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica livestream

at: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>. In addition, spiritual and educational resources relating to Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation can be accessed by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation.

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