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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 Vijai Amirtharaj, C.S.C. In Residence: Rev. Yaw Acheampong Deacon: John Doomernik Parish Secretary: Mrs. Pamela Cobham

Choir Director: Peter Smith peter.smith1@hotmail.ca 416-989-3542 **Parish Office Hours:** Mon, Tues, Wed and Fri 9 am - 12 noon 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: Ms. Maren Askin

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



Celebration of Marriage Mass with Archbishop Francis Leo February 11, 2024 at 3 p.m.

As part of Marriage Sunday 2024 celebrations, Archbishop Francis Leo will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+wedding anniversaries in 2024. The Mass will take place at 3 p.m. on Sunday, February 11, 2024 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.

All are welcome to attend. **Reserved seating** is available for couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversary in 2024. Reserved seating is limited, 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.



Tues. February 6th

12:05 pm: In Thanksgiving for a Special

Intention

Wed. February 7th

12:05 pm: Esther Ryan & Family +

Thurs. February 8th

12:05 pm: Mary & Harry Keane +

Fri. February 9th

12:05 pm:

Sat. February 10th

5:00 pm: Benita Angeles +

Readings for Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, February 11th, 2024

1st Reading: Leviticus 13.1-2, 45-46 Responsorial Psalm: Ps 32.1-2, 5, 11 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10.31-

11.1

Gospel: Mark 1.40-45



Masses on Ash Wednesday, February 14th will be at 12:05 p.m. and 7 p.m. in the church. Ashes will be distributed at both Masses.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT BEGINNING February 16th AT 7:00 P.M.

Baptismal Preparation for School Aged Children

If you have missed the opportunity to have your child baptized prior to entering the school system, we are offering a special baptismal preparation class for older children (4 years and older).

This class will be held on **Saturday April 20th from 9:30 am -11.30 am** at Holy Name Church. All school age children needing this Sacrament and a parent must attend.

If you are interested or wish to register your child, please contact the parish office 416-466-8281 or email HolyNameTO@archtoronto.org.



236th SCOUT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, Feb 11, 2024 – after the 10 a.m. Mass in the large hall It's an opportunity to bring parishioners together to build community.

Pancake Breakfast Cost: \$8.00 for Adult Youth 12 and under \$6.00

Includes pancakes, sausage and juice Coffee and tea will be available as usual. Special fun for the kids: The scouts will put on free carnival type games for the children to have some fun. The First Light Scout Band will entertain you. Come and join us. All proceeds to help with the operating expenses of Holy Name Church.

Thank you Bob Taylor 236th Toronto Scout Group

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

Monday, February 5th at 7 pm – Pastoral Council Meeting

<u>Wednesday, February 7th at 3 pm</u> – Finance Council Meeting

<u>Saturday, February 10th at 9:30 am – 11 am</u> – Confirmation Class (parish hall)

First Communion Preparation

First Communion preparation classes for the parish and Holy Name School will begin on April 6th & 7th and there will be 4 classes offered during the Saturday 5 pm or Sunday 10 am Masses. The other two lessons must be completed at home by the parents.

Family Day and Rehearsal will be on Saturday, May 11th at 9:45 am to 11:45 am. Sacrament of First Communion Saturday, May 25th at 11 am

Annual Parish Statistical for 2023

Baptisms	
Up to 1 year old	10
1 to 7 year old	19
Over 7 year old	6
First Communions	42
Confirmations	17
R.C.I.A.	10
Weddings	-
Funerals	10

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