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 Eric Rodrigues In Residence: Rev. Yaw Acheampong Deacon: John Doomernik Parish Secretary: Mrs. Pamela Cobham Director of Music: 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 the parish office 416-466-8281.



Dear parishioners,

The month of August has some interesting and important feasts that can help us to maintain our spiritual lives while still enjoying the summertime. On August 10th we celebrate the Feast of St. Lawrence, one of the most influential saints of the early centuries. He lived in Rome, did great work for the poor, and was martyred for professing his steadfast faith in Jesus Christ. I find it very intriguing that one of the great landmarks of Toronto, St. Lawrence Market, seems to be named after the great saint. In fact, the Market Neighbourhood's annual feast – a celebration of food, performances, and activities - falls right around the Saint's feast day. This year it will take place on August 9th-10th. Perhaps many people will be totally unaware of the religious meaning of those days, but we can be assured that St. Lawrence will be watching and praying for us from his special place in heaven! Soon after that, on August 15th, we celebrate the great Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This year, the Feast falls on a Thursday. Here at Holy Name Parish, we will have our daily Mass at 12:05pm, celebrated with some solemnity to honour Our Lady. There is also a longstanding tradition in the Church to extend great feasts for several days, sometimes as long as eight days. These are known as "octaves". In the old days, there was actually an Octave of the Assumption, in order to extend Our Lady's feast for several days.

It concluded on August 22nd. Nowadays, August 22nd is the Feast of the Queenship of Our Lady, which we will also celebrate at Holy Name that day with our daily Mass. May Our Lady and St. Lawrence watch over us

this month, both our parish and our city.

Fr. Eric Rodrigues



Tues. August 6th 12:05 pm: Connor J. Walton + Wed. August 7th 12:05 pm: Esther Ryan & Family + Thurs. August 8th 12:05 pm: Mary & Harry Keane + Fri. August 9th 12:05 pm: Emma Katigbak Alcazar + Sat. August 10th 5:00 pm: Loretta Collins +

Readings for Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, August 11th, 2024 1st Reading: 1 Kings 19.4-8 Responsorial Psalm: Ps 34.1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 Second Reading: Ephesians 4.30 – 5.2 Gospel: John 6.41-51



Living the Gospel through ShareLife

Thus far we have raised **\$36,751.50** toward our goal of **\$46,000**.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

https://sharelife.org/impact/



Installation of Fr. Eric Rodrigues as Pastor at Holy Name Parish

On Sunday, August 11th, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. The Holy Name and African Catholic Communities will celebrate together the installation of our Pastor, Fr. Eric by Bishop Kasun. This will be followed by refreshments in the parish hall downstairs.

Please note there will be a Saturday evening Mass at 5 pm but **no 10 a.m. or 12 noon Mass on Sunday, August 11th**.

Join us for this very special celebration to welcome our new pastor, Father Eric!

THANK YOU

To the Knights of Columbus Monsignor Ingoldsby Council 9079 For their donation of \$1,500.00 to the parish.

Volunteer Sacristans Needed

Holy Name is looking for volunteer sacristans, one or two people, to take over from Nora and Ann Gilbride. This ministry includes preparation and decoration of sanctuary for Sunday liturgies, particularly the major feasts, (Easter, Pentecost, Christmas, Lent) and changing colors at the end of each Season, etc. If you are interested, or need more information, please contact the parish office at HolyNameTO@archtoronto.org

Canadian Missions Collection – August 10th & 11th

The Canadian Missions Collection supports remote dioceses in NWT and in northern Alberta as well as Catholic Missions in Canada. CMIC fosters and extends blessings of the Catholic faith by supporting many missions in many regions of our country where the population is too small, or the economic situation of the community is too fragile for the people themselves to support their local Church and its ministry. **Envelopes are available at the entrances of the church.**

2024 Mission Appeal August 17th & 18th

On **August 17 and 18**, Sr. Felicia Matola, a Franciscan Missionary Sister for Africa will make Mission Cooperative Appeals in Holy Name Parish. She has spent 35 years in Africa doing teaching, emergency relief work, youth work, women's development and helping the desperately poor in Uganda, Kenya and South Sudan. Her sisters also are in Zambia and Zimbabwe and have stayed with the people through several wars, civil unrest, drought, floods, and other disasters, bringing the hope and peace of Christ and the enlightenment of the Holy Spirit into their lives. Please be generous!

EWTN Family Celebration in Toronto, Canada

EWTN, the world's largest Catholic TV Network, invites everyone to the *EWTN Family Celebration on Saturday, September 7, 2024* at the Delta Hotels Toronto Airport & Conference Centre. Admission is FREE! This year's theme is "Stand Firm in the Faith!" *Further information on parish bulletin boards.* REGISTER NOW at

www.ewtn.com/familycelebration, or maketingreply@ewtn.com or (437) 986-3986, You are encouraged to register beforehand. Please invite your family and friends. It will be a great celebration of our faith! **Liturgical Publications** 3171 LENWORTH DR. #12 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 905-624-4422

