

# 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

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**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:** Monday-Friday at 12:05 pm in the church

**Eucharistic Adoration:** every Friday 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm in the church.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:45 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)

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

Holy Name School:

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Principal: Ms. Maren Askin

The Parish Hall and Rooms are available for rent - please email [holynameto@archtoronto.org](mailto:holynameto@archtoronto.org).

Dear Parishioners,

Each year, the **second last Sunday of October is designated as World Mission Sunday**. It is a day to support the missionary efforts of the Church throughout the world, with both our prayers and our financial support.

The work of the Church in bringing the Gospel message to every part of the world goes back to the very beginnings. Before Our Lord ascended into heaven, he gave the great command to his apostles: "Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 28:19). From that moment onward, the followers of Jesus – for 2000 years – have been trying to live that command.

I so often take for granted the amazing missionary work that so many followers of Jesus have carried out since then. And I often forget how difficult missionary work can be. There are so many heroic men and women who have left everything behind – homes, family, friends, familiar cultures and settings – to travel to far-distant lands in order to spread the message of the Gospel. Quite often, these missionaries go several years without returning home; some of them never return home. One summer during my seminary studies, I spent 3 months in Pakistan. The weather was extremely hot, the culture was quite different, and it was a challenging – though very rewarding – experience. I met a number of missionaries who had come from various countries. Some of them had been there for decades, and they had managed to embrace the new culture and living conditions while carrying out wonderful works of charity. None of the work was easy, though, and they depended very much on the prayers and support of benefactors throughout the world. This year, let us remember the amazing missionary work of the Church that has taken place and that continues to take place. Every one of us has depended on the work of missionaries in some way or another – those who have left their homes and made sacrifices to bring to our ancestors the message of Jesus and our Catholic faith.

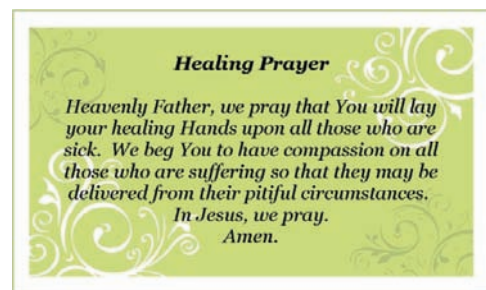
Fr. Eric



- Sun. October 20th  
12:00 pm: **Repose of the Soul of Joseph-Rodolphe Sassa +**
- Mon. October 21st  
12:05 pm: **Rev. Ernest Tyler, SJ +**  
Tues. October 22nd  
12:05 pm: **Rev. Thomas McKillop, CM +**  
Wed. October 23rd  
12:05 pm:  
Thurs. October 24th  
12:05 pm: **Terry O'Connor +**  
**Mary & Harry Keane +**  
Fri. October 25th  
12:05 pm:  
Sat. October 26<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 pm: **Manuel Aguilar & Family +**  
**Bill, Bert, Chris & Michael Squires +**  
**Angelina Conkic +**  
Sun. October 27<sup>th</sup>  
12:00 pm: Thanksgiving to God for the Gift of Life  
– Jaxtyn Joseph Marshall-Sassa's Birthday

*Readings for  
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Sunday, October 27th, 2024*

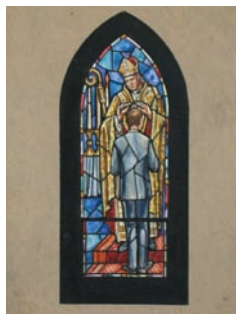
- 1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Jeremiah 31.7-9  
**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 126.1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5, 6  
**Second Reading:** Hebrews 5.1-6  
**Gospel:** Mark 10.46-52



***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***

Fr. Bill Comerford, C.Ss.R., Romeo Lopez, G. Pitrolo, Ann Gilbride, Paul Ryan, Sherry MacEachern, Daniel Giles, Mae Bradley, Jaden Babcock, Valrie Lashley and Maria Jose Bouey.

OCTOBER 20, 2024



## Sacrament of Confirmation 2024/25

Parents/Guardians of **Grade 7 and up students**, who wish for their child to receive the sacrament of **Confirmation in 2025**, can now pick up a Registration Form at the Parish Office, 71 Gough Avenue, or at the church entrance.

Completed Registration Forms along with a copy of the child's Baptismal Certificate must be submitted to the Parish Office before November 9, 2024.

For more information contact the: Parish Office 416-466-8281 or [holyname@archtoronto.org](mailto:holyname@archtoronto.org)

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION TEAMS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our parish is in need of teachers/instructors/facilitators for our various sacramental preparation programs.

If you are interested in joining either our Baptismal, First Reconciliation (Confession), First Holy Communion, Confirmation or The Rite of Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.) teams, we welcome you. No experience necessary. Training will be provided.

Please contact our parish office at 416-466-8281 or Kathleen Wilkinson 437-984-0006 or Sheila Spencer 416-877-5132.

## Parish Attendance Survey

The Archdiocese is requesting our participation in its annual parishioner attendance survey for all parishes on the weekend **October 26/27**.

## ALL SOUL'S

*(The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed)*

*As All Soul's Day is on a Saturday this year we will be having a special Mass at 12 noon on Saturday, November 2nd in the church*

*to Commemorate All the Faithful Departed. We will still have the regular Saturday evening Mass at 5 pm on that day. Thank you.*



## ORGAN AND CHOIR CONCERT OCTOBER 26<sup>TH</sup> AT 7:30 PM

The MOSAIC Canadian Vocal Ensemble will once again perform a concert here at Holy Name in advance of their November tour to Italy. *Conductor Vincent Cheng with Virtuoso Organist David Alexander Simon and the choir will showcase selected music from the Renaissance through to present day. Plan to attend this concert and enjoy a memorable evening. For more information, text or call Gordon Mansell, 416-571-3680. Free-will offering gratefully accepted.*

## HOLY NAME CHRISTMAS MARKET

### VENDOR CALL

Sat. November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024

10 am - 4 pm

606 Danforth Ave.

Email for application and  
information

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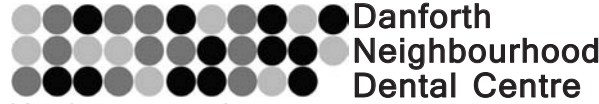
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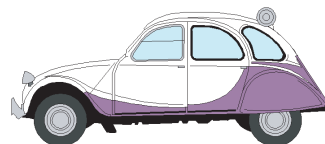
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