HOLY NAME PARISH

GOUGH AND DANFORTH (at Pape Subway)

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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 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: 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

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 and Rooms are available for rent - please email holynameto@archtoronto.org.

Dear parishioners,

In a recent letter for All Souls' Day, Archbishop Leo wrote that one of the best ways to assist our deceased relatives and friends is to "have holy Mass offered for them". The remembrance of the dead during Mass is an ancient tradition. We believe that at Mass, the Body and Blood of Jesus, offered to the heavenly Father, bring for us powerful graces and blessings. Those who have died benefit greatly from those graces as they await their entry into heaven. When we offer a Mass for a specific intention, we believe that person is able to benefit in a particular way. We can also offer Mass intentions for specific needs of those who are still living – for healing, for guidance, or in thanksgiving. Of course, at every Mass we are always praying for so many people, so many needs. All of those intentions are indeed lifted up to God. Nevertheless, offering Mass intentions is a beautiful way to focus our hearts on particular needs.

It is also a common practice to give an offering for a Mass intention, as an act of charity and to assist with church expenses. Such a gift is very much an offering and not a payment. The grace of God is available to all and does not have a price; we do not need to pay for the sacraments. Regular expenses do occur, though, and so such offerings are given out of charity. Given the large number of Catholics in the world, the Church has issued guidelines in order to keep things organized and fair. In general, only one offering is accepted per Mass, for the intentions of the donor. However, it is permitted to have up to two Masses per week with multiple intentions. Therefore, please note the following practice here at Holy Name Parish, in accordance with the guidelines of the Archdiocese of Toronto:

- 12:05 PM Mass on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and the 5PM Mass on Saturday – these will each have <u>one offering</u> for a single intention.
- Sunday 10 AM Mass always offered for the people of Holy Name Parish.
- The 12:05 PM Mass on Monday and the 12 PM Mass on Sunday are reserved for multiple intentions. Several people may give Mass offerings for intentions to be included in these Masses.

Fr. Eric



Mon. November 18th

12:05 pm: Alex Robertson +

Frances Hunt +

Tues. November 19th

12:05 pm: Mary Wilkinson +

Wed. November 20th

12:05 pm: Mary Wilkinson +

Thurs. November 21st

12:05 pm: Mary & Harry Keane +

Fri. November 22nd

12:05 pm: Mary Wilkinson +

Sat. November 23rd

5:00 pm: **Domingos De Lima +**

Mary Lynne McKenney +

Michael Gilbride +

Sun. November 24th

12:00 pm: Adelchi Odorico +

Thanksgiving to God for the gift of life for

Irene Kinkela Sassa's Birthday

Readings for OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Sunday, November 24th, 2024

1st Reading: Daniel 12.1-3

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 16.5+8, 9-10, 11 **Second Reading:** Hebrews 10.11-14, 18

Gospel: Mark 13.24-32

Offertory Envelope Boxes for 2025 are available at the entrance of the church

Please call or email Pamela at the Parish Office holynameto@archtoronto.org during office hours

- You have a change in your name and address
- If you would like a box of envelopes please fill in registration card and place in the collection basket at offertory – please print clearly envelopes will be provided for you the following weekend
- Please always use the proper year envelopes, write your name and address on the envelope and importantly seal your envelopes.



Welcome to Our Parish Family Baptized Sunday, November 17th, 2024

Blair Charlotte Nancy & Hudson Michael Collins children of Sean & Jessica

Lucas Paul Rodrigues son of Dwayne & Jennifer

2025
SUNDAY MISSALS
are available to be purchased at all the
Masses. The cost is \$5.00.



Bake Sale Saturday, November 30. We are needing baking donations for the Holy Name Christmas Market. Please drop your baking off at the parish on **Friday, November 29** during the day, or at the sale on the 30th.

Setup, Clean up and sale day Volunteers are needed for the Christmas Market: please sign up for a *2 hour shift* and help make this a successful sale. Sign up sheets are at the back of the church or please call *Sheila at 416-877-5132* if you can spare 2 hours to help out.

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

Carl Wilcox, G. Pitrolo, Ann Gilbride, Paul Ryan, Sherry MacEachern, Daniel Giles, Mae Bradley, Jaden Babcock, Valrie Lashley and Maria Jose Bouey.



SANCTUARY LAMP is lit this week In Memory of Constance MacDonald

requested by Elisabeth Squires



NEW: Your gift will double in value! From November 1 until year end, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$500,000.

Through your support for ShareLife and the Food Security Grants, your unwavering love is not just a source of hope but a tangible lifeline, ensuring that food finds its way to the tables of those who need it most.

"We have seen firsthand the profound impact of food insecurity on families. Last year's Food Security Grants were a lifeline, yet the need continues to grow. We are dedicated to supporting the efforts of ShareLife, ensuring that every dollar contributes to meaningful relief for those who are struggling." - Louise Coutu, Executive Director of the SSVP Greater Toronto Central Council.

Our goal this year is \$46,000. To date we have achieved \$39,386.50. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

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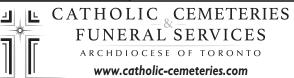
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