

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

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690 Carlaw Ave

Principal: Ms. Maren Askin

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

Dear parishioners,

Included with this week's bulletin is the parish financial report for 2024. I invite all of you to take a copy with you and have a look at the summary and the table of figures, both of which have been prepared by our parish Finance Council.

One of the duties of the Pastor is to administer the "temporal affairs" of the parish. This is an important task, along with the various spiritual and pastoral needs that are part of parish work. It is often the case that parish priests do not have significant experience or expertise in the areas of finance, property, or maintenance. We are so often blessed, though, by the talents of faithful parishioners who generously contribute their time and the expertise in these areas that they do indeed have. This is certainly the case here at Holy Name, and it has been such a blessing for me to be a part of it.

On that note, then, I would like to express my sincere thanks to the members of our Finance Council: Paul Connelly, the Chair of the Council, Grace Chau, and Dina Papadopoulos. A special thanks also goes to the parish bookkeeper Elly Kaas. Their expertise in various financial matters as well as the sincere love that they have for Holy Name Parish has been a great benefit to all of us for many years.

We also have a faithful team of volunteers who take care of the money counting week after week. It is not an easy task, as we often have different types of collections on a single weekend. Their work is very important, and we all appreciate the time that they give.

Finally, I would like to express my sincere thanks and admiration to all of the parishioners of Holy Name for your generosity. It is through your financial contributions that our beautiful parish church can continue to be a beacon of hope on the Danforth as it has been for 100 years. As you can imagine, a beautiful church of this size is neither easy nor cheap to maintain. Yet through your generous help we are able to make it happen. Visitors often remark about how beautiful the church is, both inside and outside. In addition to that, so many of our wonderful programs and activities are able to continue as a result of parishioners' generous giving. May God reward you richly and continue to shower blessings upon us!

Fr. Eric



Mon. May 26th
12:05 pm: **Regina Odorico +**
In Loving Memory of our Beloved
Mother Dolores Veja Arce
Tues. May 27th
12:05 pm: **For the Intentions of Kateri Ryan**
Wed. May 28th
12:05 pm: **William Broadhurst +**
Thurs. May 29th
12:05 pm: **Mary & Harry Keane +**
Fri. May 30th
12:05 pm: **Sandra Gayle Brown +**
Sat. May 31st
5:00 pm: **Special Intention**
Sun. June 1st
12:00 pm: **Maria Izaura Cezarina +**

Readings for
The Ascension of the Lord
Sunday, June 1st, 2025

1st Reading: Acts 1.1-11
Responsorial Psalm: Ps. 47.1-2, 5-6, 7-8
Second Reading: Ephesians 1.17-23
Gospel: Luke 24.46-53

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



Your love can help others thrive

Mental health challenges can impact anyone, whether you're personally navigating them or supporting someone who is. These struggles transcend age and circumstance. Brenda was weighed down by shame, having battled anxiety and depression for decades. Through your support, she found a new perspective at a Catholic Family Services agency funded by ShareLife, where counselling lifted her up and allowed her to see her own worth. Your compassion is instrumental in helping others see themselves as God sees them: loving, important, and enough. Thank you for living the Gospel by helping relieve the pain of those facing silent battles.

Thus far we have raised **\$14,354.00** toward our goal of **\$51,500.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

SANCTUARY LAMP

is lit this week

**In Loving Memory of our Beloved
Mother Dolores Vea Arce**
requested by Dante, Catherine Arce &
Family

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, June 14th 9:30 am – Family Day for First Communion (hall)

Thursday, June 19th 9:15 am – School Mass
6:00 pm – Holy Name School Graduation

Saturday, June 21st 11:00 am – First Communion



**Welcome to Our Parish Family
Baptized
Sunday, May 25th, 2025**

Carl Navera-Slonim
son of Mark & Mercedes

Estelle Simone Wigglesworth
daughter of Blaise & Kimberly

GARDENING SEASON IS BACK! Volunteers Needed.

The Parish Pollinator Garden is already growing and some flowers can be seen on plants. Volunteers are again needed to keep the garden alive and thriving.

Please see a SIGN-UP SHEET on a table at the back of the Church. Thanks in advance for an enthusiastic set of gardeners – all ages welcome! If you have questions, contact **Sr. Mary-Ellen** sistermef@gmail.com Tel. 416-461-7106

Festival of Faith 2025: The Paschal Mystery: The Incarnation, Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus

Join Christians from various traditions to explore how Christ's Resurrection and sacrificial suffering fundamentally transform our perception of death.

Venue: St. John's Presbyterian Church, 415 Broadview Ave. Toronto, ON, M4K 2M9

Date & Time: June 1, 2025, 1:00 p.m. ET

For more information, please email ecumenical@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400 x. 527.

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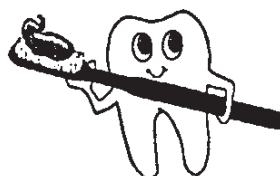
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