### 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**

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Dear parishioners,

Next weekend (June 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>) we will celebrate Corpus Christi, the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. This is a beautiful feast that began in the 13<sup>th</sup> century, in order to emphasize the great gift that we have in the Holy Eucharist. At the time, there were some who felt that there was no need for such a feast. After all, every Mass is a celebration of the Holy Eucharist, they argued, so why come up with another extra feast? The problem was that many people were taking the gift of the Holy Eucharist for granted. The belief in the Real Presence had grown weak. People were not acting as though they believe that Jesus himself is really, truly present in Holy Communion.

The creation of a new feast was therefore welcomed by many, as it would strengthen faith in the Holy Eucharist as well as honour Our Lord in the most holy sacrament.

Special traditions then developed around the feast of Corpus Christi. Some of the major ones include Eucharistic processions (even in the city streets!), 40-hour devotions, and perpetual adoration chapels.

On Corpus Christi weekend here at Holy Name, we will begin in a beautiful way—on Saturday, June 21st, our young boys and girls will be making their First Holy Communion at an 11am Mass. What a great way to celebrate by receiving Jesus for the first (of many!) times in their young lives. And then at our regular weekend celebrations, we will conclude each Mass by having a time of silent adoration of the Eucharist. After the final blessing, instead of the usual closing procession, the monstrance and candles will be brought to the altar for the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. We will sing a short hymn, and then Jesus will remain on the altar for about an hour after Mass. I encourage everyone to spend a few moments in silent prayer after the weekend Masses. It could just be for a few minutes, or you might want to leave for a bit and then return. Of course, many will want to stay for the entire hour, adoring Jesus, praying to Jesus, bringing to Jesus our various needs.

#### Saturday, June 21st

5PM – Mass

6PM – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7PM – Benediction

### Sunday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>

10AM - Mass

11AM – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

12PM – Benediction and Mass (African

Catholic Community)



Mon. June 16th

12:05 pm: Bernadette & Hugh O'Connor + Special Intention

Theodor & Emilia Perejmybida +

Tues. June 17th

12:05 pm: "In Memoriam – parents of Fr. Eric"
Wed. June 18th

12:05 pm: **For the Intentions of Kateri Ryan**Thurs. June 19<sup>th</sup>

12:05 pm: Mary & Harry Keane +

Fri. June 20th

12:05 pm: **Deceased Members of Holy Name Parish** 

Sat. June 21st

5:00 pm: Filomena De Lima +

Sun. June 22<sup>nd</sup>

12 noon: Constancio Gonsalves +

Thanksgiving to God for the gift of life for Kaeden Avery Marshall Sassa's Birthday

Readings for
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Sunday, June 22nd, 2025

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 14.18-20

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 110.1, 2, 3, 4 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11.23-26

Gospel: Luke 9.11b-17



## Wednesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, at 12:05 pm.

Seniors lunch is back! During the summer months we will only meet once a month and this month we are planning a BBQ in the hall right after the noon Mass.

Note the change in days, for the summer we'll meet on Wednesdays.

Welcome back!

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His Eminence Cardinal Leo and the Auxiliary Bishops Invite you to the Archdiocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine in Midland on Sunday August 24, 2025. Further information (and registration) will follow in the weeks to come. Please mark the date on your calendar and plan to attend as we also celebrate the 400th Anniversary of the first mass in Huronia and the 100th Anniversary of the Martyrs' Shrine



## CHILDREN'S LITURGY of the WORD

# **Ending for the Summer Our Final Sunday is June 22**

The Children's Liturgy of the Word at the Sunday 10 am Mass will be ending for the summer next Sunday, June 22, 2025.

On behalf of the Parish, we thank all our volunteers -- the adult teachers and helpers, and the student helpers, who served the parish with dedication this year in our Children's Liturgy of the Word for both age groups (ages 3-6 and 7-11).

We are hoping that Children's Liturgy of the Word will be able to resume near the end of September 2025.



### Corpus Christi Mass & Procession

Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica **Sunday**, **June 22**, **2025** (following Noon Mass) All are welcome to join Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto, for the annual Corpus Christi Mass & Procession at Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.) on Sunday, June 22, 2025 following the Noon Mass. A procession (45 minutes) will take place in the vicinity surrounding the cathedral followed by Solemn Benediction and some time for fellowship. Join us as "Pilgrims of Hope" during this special Year of Jubilee.

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