

# HOLY FAMILY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Andrew Cyruk, Pastor  
Rev. Joseph Antoniappa, Associate Pastor  
Robert Suthers, Deacon  
Lydia Rogers, Secretary  
Eric Luscombe, Youth Minister  
Catherine Baldassare, Office Assistant

## MASS TIMES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
10:00 a.m. First Saturday of the month  
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.  
Monday & Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 10:00 a.m.  
Thursday Rosary: 2:00 p.m.

## RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:15 p.m.

## DAY TIME OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Monday to Thursday: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

## BAPTISM:

Please approach one of the parish priests, after Sunday mass only, for a Baptism Preparation Package. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized are expected to be members of our Parish Community.

## MARRIAGE:

Couples, wishing to be married, must themselves contact the Pastor at least one full year in advance. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.

## VISITATION OF THE SICK:

Anyone who cannot attend Mass with us in the Church, because of illness, handicap or age, or anyone who wishes to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick), please call the Parish Office. Please notify us of any hospitalizations so that we may visit.

## PARISH SCHOOLS:

Holy Family	Elementary S.	905-857-1300
St. Pope John Paul II	Elementary S.	905-857-4241
St. John the Baptist	Elementary S.	905-951-8788
St. Nicholas	Elementary S.	905-857-7582
St. Michael	Secondary S.	905-951-8935

## NEW PARISHIONERS AND REGISTRATION:

If you are new to the Parish, or have not yet completed a Registration Form, do take one from the rack in front of the office window. Completed forms may be handed into the office or put into the collection basket.

## WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH MINISTRIES

### PARISH MINISTRIES and COMMITTEES

<b>Altar Servers</b>	Deacon Robert Suthers	905-729-3974
<b>Choirs:</b>		
5:00 Saturday Choir	Jolène Sunseri	905-859-2719
8:30 Choir	Anatoly Ivchenko	416-669-5274
10:00 Choir	Anatoly Ivchenko	416-725-7202
12:00 Choir	Joe Wojewoda	416-201-2487
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134
<b>Finance Council</b>	Gina Conte, Chair	
<b>Justice Committee</b>	Carmel Hili	905-857-4328
<b>Lectors</b>	Michele Steko	647-222-9702
<b>Pastoral Care Group</b>	Rosemary Shoemaker	905-857-6951
<b>Property Committee</b>	John Florian & Vince Limina	

<b>RCIA</b>	Denyse Hinca	905-857-1938
<b>RCIC</b>	Maureen Cicinelli	905-857-1938
<b>Share Life</b> Co-Chairs:	Diana Ciarlandini	905-857-3287
	Frank D'Ettore	905-951-9665
<b>Shepherds' Trust</b>	Mike Stapleton	1-877-875-0771 Ext.652
<b>Stewardship Committee</b>	Lydia Rogers	905-857-1938
<b>Ushers</b>	Gabrielle Suthers	905-729-3974

### PRAYER GROUPS

<b>Rosary Group</b>	Julie Mifsud	905-857-6144
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### ORGANIZATIONS

<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	George Viteri	416-433-0892
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**SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT**  
**December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
*“Justice will flourish in his time,  
and fullness of peace forever.”*

*Psalter Week II*



Parents wishing to baptize their children at Holy Family are invited to approach either Fr. Andrew, Fr. Joseph, or Deacon Robert after any of the Sunday masses to obtain a Baptism package.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASSES**

Couples who are registered to be married at Holy Family in 2020, are invited to register for marriage classes. The classes will begin **Thursday January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020, at 7:15 pm** and will continue for eight weeks.

The cost is \$150.00/couple. For additional information, please call Lydia, or Catherine in the parish office, 905-857-1938.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION First Holy Communion**

Parents are reminded of the second First Holy Communion preparation meeting, on Sunday December 15<sup>th</sup>, following the 12:00 pm mass.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION Confirmation**

Parents are reminded of the second Confirmation preparation meeting, Sunday December 22<sup>nd</sup>, following the 12:00 pm mass.

**STEWARDSHIP**

We must be good stewards of God’s gifts to us, receiving them gratefully and cultivating them with care, lest we be the ones about whom John the Baptist speaks today, cautioning us, “Every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire.”



*Dear Parishioners:*

*Thank you also to all our volunteers who are assisting with sacramental preparation and all the volunteers who donate their time and expertise behind the scenes.*

*Have a blessed Advent season!*

*Fr. Andrew*

**FROM THE PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL**

The work of our parish is made possible through the giving hearts of our parishioners. In response to changing lifestyles and demands on time and energy, the Archdiocese of Toronto, through pre-authorized giving, can assist you in your giving.

Please consider pre-authorized giving as a convenient means to donate to the parish and help us to maintain a regular, dependable flow of contributions to the parish.

**COLLECTION ENVELOPES**

Collection envelopes for 2020 are now prepared and available for pick up from the church hall. If you do not have an envelope number, please take a box from the unassigned.

**WE SHARE THE AIR!**

Please do not wear perfume or scented products to the church.



*You've helped more than you can imagine!*

It's impossible to quantify how you, the parishioners of the Archdiocese of Toronto, are making your communities more caring and compassionate. But there is a number worth celebrating: \$13 million. That is how much was raised by thousands of people in over 200 parishes through the 2019 ShareLife Parish Campaign.

The Holy Spirit inspired you to reach out to those in need, and you responded generously. You have lived the Gospel and on behalf of ShareLife agencies and those they serve, we can never thank you enough.

**Thank you!!**

**PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO AND ECUADOR**

**Guided by Fr. Joseph**

**May 25<sup>th</sup> - June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

Consider joining Fr. Joseph as we journey to Mexico and Ecuador to visit the shrine to Our Lady of Guadalupe and several Marian shrines in Ecuador. For details and cost, please see Fr. Joseph, or call the parish office, 905-857-1938.

**THE "GIVING TREE"**

Please return your gift cards today, as all gift cards must be delivered to CCS for distribution.

**Thank you!**



## THURSDAY ROSARY GROUP



The rosary group meets every Thursday at 2:00 pm. All are welcome to stop in and join us! On Thursday December 12<sup>th</sup>,

we will dedicate the rosary to Our Lady of Guadalupe.

On Saturday December 28<sup>th</sup>, The Fifth Sunday rosary intention will be for healing in mind, body and spirit. We will begin following the 5:00 pm mass.

## OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CELEBRATION

**Saturday December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

All are welcome to join in celebrating Our Lady of Guadalupe's feast day on Saturday December 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am. We will begin with mass, followed by a meditated rosary and personal testimony.

Refreshments and a mariachis band will follow. Organized by the "Jardin de Maria" prayer group and supported by the Knights of Columbus of Holy Family Parish.

## VOCATIONS

"The voice of one crying out in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight." Could God be calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister in order to help our world of today to truly "prepare the way of the Lord"?

If God is calling you, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-968-0997, email; [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).

## CHURCH PARKING

Please, do not park in the fire access routes, in the handicapped spaces, or on the grass.



Additional parking is available at Holy Family School.



The EDGE is open to students in Grades 6, 7, 8. Fridays @ 7:00 pm



Saturdays 5:00pm Mass  
Life Night follows.

Life Teen is open to all high school students

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## ROOTED

For Kids in Grades 3, 4, 5  
Next Rooted is  
Wednesday December 18<sup>th</sup>  
4:30 - 6:00 pm

## MOMS & TOTS

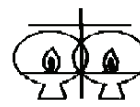
Moms, Dads and caregivers with babies and toddlers are invited every Wednesday morning, from 9:30 am - 12:00 noon for refreshments and fellowship. Please join Deacon Robert and his wife Gabrielle for fun, frivolity and a "cuppa". Bring the kids. We have a great selection of toys and delicious refreshments!!



## PROPERTY COMMITTEE



Our property committee is in need of persons with expertise in plumbing, electrical, HVAC, painting, minor repairs, etc. if you are available and can assist from time to time, please call the parish office, 905-857-1938.



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday December 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm**

In Thanksgiving

Requested by Myrna & Maridin Taguinod

**Tuesday December 10<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

†Christopher Giles

Requested by Lisa Morrone & Shelley

Nicoletta

**Wednesday December 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm**

†Francesco Ruffolo

Requested by Rosa Ruffolo

†Zlata Babic

Requested by Marija Accardo & Family

†Juliana Boem

Requested by Daniele, Alessia, Ariana

Boem & Family

†Mario Scorziello

Requested by St. Nicholas School staff

†Violet Di Florio

Requested by Lisa & Anne Morrone

**Thursday December 12<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

†Doug & Doris Avery & family members

Requested by John Avery

**Friday December 13<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

†All souls in purgatory

and Maria DeLeca & Manuel Rodrigues

Requested by Isabel Vieira

**Saturday December 14<sup>th</sup>**

**5:00 pm** For John McRae on the occasion of his 84<sup>th</sup> birthday

Requested by Anna & Frank

**Sunday December 15<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am** †Paul Flaherty

Requested by Maureen & David Randles

**10:00 am** †All souls & family members

Requested by Susan Zannuti

**12:00 pm** For all parishioners

## SANCTUARY LAMPS

Special Intention

## SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

### An Invitation to Participate

We wish to invite all those who may be interested to join us as we plan and act to address many community issues affecting Holy Family Parish families. We meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month, at 2:00 pm.

**All are welcome!**

**Life with God  
is not immunity  
from difficulties,  
but peace  
within difficulties.**

CS Lewis

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