

HOLY NAME PARISH

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Parish office hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:15 pm (in the church)

Sunday: 10:00 am
(children's program only at 10 am service)
12:00 pm (African Catholic Community)

Weekday: Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri. at 12:05 pm in the chapel

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.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays: 4:30 to 5:00 pm and on request.

Catholic Cemeteries: 416-733-8544

Archdiocese of Toronto: www.archtoronto.org

Welcome to Holy Name Parish. 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.

MINISTRIES:

Altar Servers
Baptismal Ministry
Children's Liturgy of the Word (ages 3-12)
Ministers of the Eucharist
Ministers of Hospitality
Ministers of Music: Choir, Cantors, Instrumentalists
Ministers of the Word
RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
(for those wishing to become Catholic)

COMMITTEES:

Finance Council
Liturgy Committee
Pastoral Council

GROUPS AND ACTIVITIES:

Altar Society
Alcoholics Anonymous
Beavers, Cubs, Scouts
St. Vincent de Paul Society 416-469-0842
All these groups may be contacted through the rectory office.

Bulletin notices must be submitted in writing to the office by noon Monday.

Holy Name School:
Phone 416-393-5215
Fax 416-393-5934
690 Carlaw Ave.
Principal: A. Totten

The Parish Hall is available for rent - please call Jocelyn the hall manager at 647-347-7637.

REFLECTION

The ideal expressed in today's gospel passage reminds us that external religious observance, though certainly important, will not be sufficient to make us authentic followers of Christ. It is relatively easy to observe rituals and to affirm doctrines but, unfortunately, such observance can easily co-exist with an interior attitude that is judgmental and unforgiving. As the gospel reminds us, reconciliation with the alienated people in our lives (and often families) is more important than meticulous, or even scrupulous, religious observance. What is required then is an interior conversion that recognizes one's own shortcomings and is thus prepared to allow others to be imperfect also. What is most important, however, is an attitude of loving kindness that enables us to notice how others are hurting and which gladly reaches out to them, not because they deserve our help, but simply because they are in need and our hearts are sensitive to the fact. To love in this way is to be a child of that God who certainly loves us more than we deserve. As such, we will also be true followers of Jesus as we make his love present in our world.

Demetrius R. Dumm, O.S.B.

World Day of the Sick

The 25th **World Day of the Sick** will be celebrated in 2017, as it is every year, on February 11, the memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes. This year, the Holy Father's Message is entitled *Amazement at what God has accomplished: "The Almighty has done great things for me..."* (Luke 1.49). In his Message, Pope Francis said "This Day is an opportunity to reflect in particular on the needs of the sick and, more generally, of all those who suffer. It is also an occasion for those who generously assist the sick, beginning with family members, health workers and volunteers, to give thanks for their God-given vocation of accompanying our infirm brothers and sisters. This celebration likewise gives the Church renewed spiritual energy for carrying out ever more fully that fundamental part of her mission which includes serving the poor, the infirm, the suffering, the outcast and the marginalized.



and Daily Readings

Rosary at 11:50 a.m.

Tues. February 14th: St. Cyril & St.

Methodius

12:05 pm: Maria Izaura Cezarina & Constancio Gonsalves +

Genesis 6.5-8; 7.1-5, 10, Ps. 29.1a+2, 2ac+4, 3b+9b-10, Mark 8.14-21

Wed. February 15th: ferial

12:05 pm:

Genesis 8.6-13, 20-22, Ps. 116.12-13, 14-15, 18-19, Mark 8.22-26

Thurs. February 16th: ferial

12:05 pm: Miles Jackson +

Genesis 9.1-13, Ps. 102, 15-17, 18-20, 28, 21-22

Fri. February 17th: ferial

12:05 pm: Leo & Victoria Stang +

Genesis 11.1-9, Ps. 33.10-11, 12-13, 14-15, Mark 8.34-38-9.1

Sat. February 18th: ferial

5:15 pm: Constancio Gonsalves +

Hebrews 11.1-7, Ps. 145.2-3, 4-5, 10-11, Mark 9.2-13

Readings for

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, February 19th, 2017

1st Reading: Leviticus 19.1-2, 17-18

Responsorial Psalm: Ps. 103.1-2, 3-4, 8+10, 12-13

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3.15-23

Gospel: Matthew 5.38-48

Visit to the Sick and Home Bound

Ministry to the sick and homebound is a fundamental mission of the church. Our parish now has a team of volunteers who will visit and bring communion to the sick and homebound. I take this opportunity to thank the Extra Ordinary Ministers of Communion to the sick and homebound. Your ministry is a sign of support and concern shown by the community for its members.

For next weekend – February 18 & 19

Eucharistic Ministers

5:15 pm – Manuel Mairena, Kathleen Wilkinson, Joy Akien-Prohaska

10:00 am – Dena Hamid, Joan Melanson, Wyley Powell, Myrna Anacta

Ministers of the Word

5:15 pm – Sheila Spencer, Heidi Tripp

10:00 am – Sheila Brown-Vitullo, Megan Lashley, David Royle

Please note: Ministers of the Word & Eucharistic Ministers. If you cannot be present, please get a replacement to cover your ministry.



236th SCOUT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

***Sunday, February 26th, 2016 – after the
10 a.m. Mass in the large hall***

It's an opportunity to bring parishioners together to build community

Pancake Breakfast Cost:

\$6 for Adult

Youth 12 and under \$4.00

Includes pancakes, sausage and juice

Coffee and tea will be available as usual.

Special fun for the kids: The scouts will put on free carnival type games for the children to have some fun. Special fun for the adults: The First Light Scout Band will singing and performing acoustical guitar. Come and join us.

All proceeds to help with the operating expenses of Holy Name Church.



***To the Knights of Columbus,
Monsignor Ingolesby Council 9079***
for their donation of \$1,000.00 to the parish.

Letter from Cardinal Thomas Collins for Marriage Sunday 2017

To Married Couples throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto,

On the occasion of Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto, be assured of my prayers and gratitude for all those who have nurtured and strengthened the sacramental bond of matrimony. In my travels throughout the archdiocese, I continue to be inspired by loving couples who faithfully support one another and share their abundant talents with the church in diverse and creative ways.

It is important that the church affirm married couples throughout their journey. It is my prayer that your local parish provides both a spiritual home and welcoming community where you may find other couples and a loving community to both support and nourish you through the joyful and challenging moments of your relationship.

We also pray and extend loving support to those who have lost a spouse or experienced the anguish of a broken relationship. Our archdiocese is blessed with many programs and resources to assist with marriage enrichment, counselling and pastoral care. I encourage you to visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage or speak with your own parish on how to best access these services.

Once again, as we celebrate Marriage Sunday, thank you for your incredible witness and fidelity. May God continue to bless you now and always!

Sincerely in Christ,

Thomas Cardinal Collins
Archbishop of Toronto

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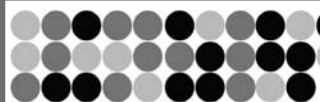
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