# Church of The Holy Family

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#### **SUNDAY MASSES:**

8:00, 9:00, 10:00 a.m.
11:00 (Sung Latin Mass)
12:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Saturday Mass 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Liturgy)
Sunday Vespers: Canelled until further notice
during Covid-19

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Before every Mass on Sundays Daily for 15 Minutes before all Masses.

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES:**

Monday to Friday: 7:45 a.m., 11:30 a.m. (Latin, More Ancient Usage) and 5:30 p.m. Saturday: 8:30 a.m. (Latin, More Ancient Usage) & 10:00 a.m.

#### PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Dr. Aaron James - hfmusic@oratory-toronto.org

BOOKSTALL: Sunday, 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### **MARRIAGES:**

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest well in advance of the wedding date. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage.

Tel: 416-532-2879

If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

It should be noted that Catholics, in order to marry validly, must marry before the parish priest or his delegate and two witnesses. A civil marriage or a marriage before a non-Catholic minister is not a valid marriage. Couples in such "marriages" should contact a priest to have the situation rectified.

**Parish School:** Holy Family Elementary - 416-393-5212 To reach your local school board trustee, contact the Toronto Catholic District School Board at 416-222-8282 or www.tcdsb.org

**CATHOLIC CEMETERIES** 

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544.

**ORATORY WEB PAGE:** www.oratory-toronto.org

#### **Mass Intentions**

Monday, February 22 Chair of St. Peter, Apostle

7:45 a.m. (+) Dominic BuiVan Kha,

req. by Tuan Dang

11:30 a.m. [Chair of St. Peter; Comm. St. Paul]

Davida Baruk, req. by Renata Baruk

5:30 p.m. Purple Ghost, req. bt Amarjit Ruprai

Tuesday, February 23

7:45 a.m. (+) William & Marion Furlong &

Daughters, req. by the Estate

11:30 a,m, [Feria in Lent; Comm. St. Peter

**Damian]** (+) Sharon Hills,

req. by Joanne Blake

5:30 p.m. (+) Ludmila Hilbert,

req. by Angie Sosa

Wednesday, February 24

7:45 a.m. (+) Ludmila Hilbert,

req. by Joseph & Anna Mathai

11:30 a.m. [St. Matthais, Apostle; Comm.

Ember Wednesday] (+) William &

Marion Furlong & Daughters,

req. by the Estate

5:30 p.m. (+) David A. Mieus

Thursday, February 25

Anniversary of the Dedication of Holy Family Church

7:45 a.m. (+) Barnabas Huynh, req. by Tai Huynh

11:30 a.m. [Feria in Lent] Miles Smit,

req. by Andrew & Joanne Blake

5:30 p.m. In Commemoration of the

**Dedication of Holy Family Church** 

Friday, February 26

7:45 a.m. (+) Mathew Mathai,

reg. by Joseph & Anna Mathai

11:30 a.m. **[Ember Friday]** Fr. Martin Hilbert,

req. by the Correiro Family

5:30 p.m. Little Oratory of St. Philip Neri

Saturday, February 27

8:30 a.m. [Ember Saturday; Comm. St.

Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows]

Ana Miranda,

req. by the Miranda Family

10:00 a.m. (+) Relatives & Friends of Parishioners

The Masses scheduled for 11:30 a.m. weekdays , 8:30 a.m. Saturdays & 11:00 a.m. Sundays, are offered according to

the more ancient usage of the Roman Rite.

#### **BIBLE STUDY & RCIA**

Bible Study is conducted on Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m., and RCIA on Monday evenings at 7:30 p.m. These programs are continuing online. If you would like to take part, please send an email to <a href="mail@oratory-toronto.org">mail@oratory-toronto.org</a>.

#### RCIA: "WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE"

We are pleased to announce the new candidates for reception into the Catholic Church through the RCIA program!

#### Candidates for full communion:

Scott Laing, Darayus Engineer, Karl Kujawa Christopher Jared, Enoch Alexander Sawa.

#### Candidates for baptism (catechumens):

Slavica Radakovic, Dylani Shea, Sami Bonnier, Crystal Soo-jung.

Please pray for our candidates and catechumens as they prepare to be received into the Catholic Church in this challenging time

## PLEASE VISIT THE ORATORY WEBSITE FOR NEWS AND UPDATES:

www.oratory-toronto.org

Kindergarten Registration at Holy Family School Parents are asked to submit applications online and upload documents for review. Please do not come to Holy Family Catholic School, as all applications must be done online due to current COVID safety measures.

https://www.tcdsb.org/programsservices/earlyyears/kinder garten/kindergartenregistration/pages/kindergartenregistrat ion.aspx Or google "Toronto Catholic kindergarten" for the link. Feel free to **call the school office at 416** 393-5212 if you are experiencing any difficulties.

#### INTRODUCING MERRYMAKERS

This is a dynamic afternoon program for 3-5 year olds. Mary, Mother of God School is now registering children for 2½ hours of enriched programming on Monday and Thursday afternoons, 1:00-3:30 p.m. Join us for songs, stories, poems, nursery rhymes, instruments, games, classical music, mime, drama, and lots of play. For information, call the school office: 416-531-7897.

Come and make merry with us!



#### **GIFTED TO GIVE -**

TORONTO 2021: Celebrating 500 years of Christianity in the Philippines

In 2021 the Philippines will mark half a millennium of

Christianity in the country.

The 2021 celebration will be marked with great thanksgiving to Almighty God for the great gift of the Christian faith. Year 2021 is also a call to mission, with the encompassing theme being: "GRACIOUSLY GIFTED TO GIVE."

Bishop Broderick Pabillo

Schedule of Events (all Virtual): <a href="www.ph500toronto.com">www.ph500toronto.com</a>
March 16, 2021 - Inaugural Mass & Celebration Official launch of the Quincentennial Celebration,
featuring Holy Mass streamed from Our Lady of the
Assumption Parish, with celebratory blessings and
greetings from church and public leaders.

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE - ONLINE BEGAN FEBRUARY 3, 2021 at 8 a.m.

This year's Marriage Preparation Course is being conducted online on ZOOM. To register, send an email to <a href="https://holor.net/holyfamily.toronto@gmail.com">holyfamily.toronto@gmail.com</a>.

#### **Email List for Parish**

Are you receiving emails from <a href="mailto:holyfamily.toronto@gmail.com">holyfamily.toronto@gmail.com</a>? If not, it will be difficult for us to notify you of last minute news about the ever evolving COVID situation. Recipients of these emails do not see one another's addresses, so you do not have to worry about your privacy. If you want to be added to the list, please send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:holyfamily.toronto@gmail.com">holyfamily.toronto@gmail.com</a> with "Add me" in the subject line.

# IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS C O N T A C T T H E R E C T O R Y Remembering Father Robinson: Essays on his Life and Spirituality

Spiritual Direction from Dante: "Avoiding the Inferno". Commentary on Dante's Divine Comedy by Fr. Paul Pearson, superior of the Toronto Oratory.

We also have copies of *Dante's Inferno*, transl. by Anthony Esolen.

#### Spiritual Direction from Dante, continued:

"Ascending Mount Purgatory". The 2nd volume of commentary on Dante's Divine Comedy by Fr. Paul Pearson, is available. We have copies of Dante's Purgatory, transl. by Anthony Esolen.

#### BETTER THAN PAG!

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#### **2021 BOX OF ENVELOPES**

You may pick up your box of envelopes from the parish office. Office hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, Saturday & Sunday included.

#### TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts for Holy Family Parish for 2020 will be mailed by the end of February.

#### Formed.org IS A LENTEN RESOURCE

Fr. Mike Schmitz Reflects on the Meaning of the Cross on Formed.org. Go to <a href="https://formed.org/signup">https://formed.org/signup</a> and find our parish.

#### **DAYS OF RECOLLECTION**

Instead of the usual Lenten Day of Recollection, we will be having **3 Lenten Days of Recollection.** The first was on Saturday, February 20. **The following two will be on February 27, and March 6.** A livestreamed Mass will be followed by a live-streamed talk aimed at adults. We will also be posting links to various materials, hopefully of benefit to primary school children and to teenagers. We hope that many of you will be able to join us. Go to the link at <a href="https://oratory-toronto.org/days-of-recollection/">https://oratory-toronto.org/days-of-recollection/</a> for more information.

#### **Vocation Discernment**

Lent: the springtime of the soul...is a time to make a new covenant with God, develop new signs of our relationship with our Creator. Go into your own desert and discover what God is asking of you. If you think God is offering you the grace of a vocation in His Church, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997, or speak to one of the priests in the parish; email <a href="mailto:vocations@vocation.ca">vocations@vocation.ca</a> Visit the vocations website at <a href="www.vocationstoronto.ca">www.vocationstoronto.ca</a>.

#### Live Your Best Life in Love Friday, March 5 – Sunday, March 7 A VIRTUAL EVENT HOSTED BY WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER EXPERIENCE

In these stressful times, give your marriage a booster shot! Restore your loving communication with your spouse and rekindle the romance. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience is a skill-building enrichment program where together, as husband and wife, you learn how to be the best couple you can be. No group discussion. Based on Catholic values but open to couples of all faiths. Rediscover the love in your relationship! CONTACT: Gerard & Marge. PHONE: 905-792-1925 EMAIL: gerard.marge@rogers.com WEBSITE: www.wwme.org
ONLINE POSTER: http://bit.ly/WWMEposter

A VIRTUAL EVENT HOSTED BY DAUGHTERS OF ST. PAUL - Sunday, February 21 - 3:30 to 7 p.m. *Curious about religious life?* Join the Daughters of St. Paul in Toronto for a virtual "Come and See" on Sunday, February 21 (the First Sunday of Lent) from 3:30 to 7 p.m. via Zoom. Begin your Lenten journey with an evening of reflection, livestreamed Eucharistic Adoration, evening prayer and a casual Q&A about vocational discernment and religious life. Open to single women aged 18-33. For questions or to register, contact Sr. Amanda at: toronto@paulinemedia.com.

The Daughters of St. Paul are an international congregation of women religious founded in 1915 by

congregation of women religious founded in 1915 by Blessed James Alberione with the mission to give Christ to the world in the spirit of St. Paul, through every possible form of communications. For more information about the life and mission of the Daughters of St. Paul,

visit: <a href="www.vocations.daughtersofstpaul.com">www.vocations.daughtersofstpaul.com</a>
Poster: <a href="http://bit.ly/ComeAndSeePoster">http://bit.ly/ComeAndSeeSchedule</a>
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