

# St. Paul's Basilica Parish

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*First Parish of the Archdiocese of Toronto*

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*"May the message of Christ, in all its fullness, continue to find  
a home in you."*

Colossians 3:16

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## **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Mass available

At the Good Shepherd Centre

412 Queen St. East

Tuesday to Friday 12:00 noon

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday 3:45 to 4:15 p.m.

## **SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, FIRST COMMUNION, MARRIAGE**

Please contact the parish to begin the  
process of preparation

## **MINISTRY TO THE SICK**

Please call the parish office so that our  
parishioners may receive communion  
regularly.

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## **ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

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## **PARISH MINISTRIES**

Sacramental Preparation

Breakfast Club

Children's Liturgy

**Taize Prayer**

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# CORPUS CHRISTI

## Mass Intentions at St. Paul's Basilica

Saturday June 17, 2017 4:30 p.m.  
+Judy Purcell

Monday June 19 – Ferial

Tuesday June 20 – Ferial

Sunday June 18, 2017 8:30 a.m.  
For the Parishioners of St. Paul's Basilica

Wednesday June 21– St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Thursday June 22 – Ferial

11:00am  
+Jose Fuller  
+Timothy Brosnahan  
Irene Aleobua in thanksgiving for graduation

Friday June 23– Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



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+JOHN BROSNAHAN



### Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

I heard an expert on poetry remark recently that poetry is language that mirrors the soul. Jesus must have understood this, for he almost always turned to the language of poetry to convey to his listeners what was most important for them to understand: he is the gate of the sheepfold; he is the source of living water; he is the vine and they the branches – and in today's gospel, he says that to follow him it is essential to eat his body and drink his blood.

Jesus longs to convey to us just how profoundly we must remain in his love if we are going to understand his ministry and find strength to live out joyfully our own calling to be God's presence of loving compassion in our broken world. In the Eucharist we are invited to grasp the depth of the love of God for us and for our world, and to unite our own joy and pain with those of Christ.

Usually we receive the Eucharist with others. The Eucharist is a call to community. Together we draw strength and offer thanks, trusting in the wisdom of Pope Francis who has reminded us that the Eucharist is not "a prize for the perfect but... nourishment for the weak." (Evangelii Gaudium, 47)

*Beth Porter  
Richmond Hill, ON*

*The Holy Rosary is the storehouse  
of countless blessings  
Blessed Alan de la Roche*

### A Message from our Pastor...

Thank you for a wonderful year! This is the last bulletin until the fall.

As the year together draws to a close I want to thank all of you for your prayers and the extension of your hands in friendship.

Let us all continue to walk together and discover ways "so that the message of Christ in all its fullness will continue to find a home in us" (Colossians 3:16)

### PAPAL MEDAL GIVEN TO ST. PAUL'S BASICLICA SACRISTAN

Pop Francis has given Cathy LeBlanc the Benemer Entl Medal for over thirty one years of faithful service to the church and St. Paul's Basilica. Congratulations Cathy!!!



### OUR PARISH FESTIVAL

On Sunday, **September 17th after the 11:00am mass** from 12:00 to 3:00p.m. we will celebrate as a parish here on our church grounds, the fourth annual parish festival. All are invited to come, there is no cost involved. Feel free to bring any parishioners who we may not be seeing regularly.

**FATHER'S DAY**

June 18, 2017

## PRAYER FOR OUR FATHER'S

God our Father,

You govern and protect your people and shepherd them with a father's love.

You place a father in a family as a sign of your love, care and constant protection.

May fathers everywhere be faithful to the examples shown in the Scriptures: steadfast in love, forgiving transgressions, sustaining the family, caring for those in need.

Give your wisdom to fathers that they may encourage and guide their children.

Keep them healthy so they may support a family.

Guide every father with the Spirit of your love that they may grow in holiness and draw their family ever closer to you. Amen.



Archdiocese  
of Toronto

## EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE

There has been a great deal of interest in the Cardinal's Statement. You are asked to tell Legislators how you feel. You are encouraged to join the coalition for Health Care and Conscience. Visit [CanadianConscience.ca](http://CanadianConscience.ca). A video of Cardinal Colin's statement on federal euthanasia/assisted suicide legislation is now available online at <http://www.archtoronto.org/euthanasia>



**We ask that all children be accompanied by an adult to the restrooms and all public areas of the Church, at all times.**

## Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine Saturday, September 9, 2017 Martyrs' Shrine, Midland

All parishes are most welcome to participate in a special Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine to commemorate the 175th anniversary on Saturday, September 9, 2017. The gathering will include the rosary, Mass (Cardinal Collins to preside) and visit to the shrine grounds. More details to follow.

## SOLEMN HIGH MASS ON FEAST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

A Solemn High Mass according to the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite will be celebrated on Friday June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017 at 7:30p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica, 83 Power Street, Toronto. This Mass is organized by the

St. Patrick's Gregorian Choir. For more information, contact Surinder Mundra at 416-731-4485.

## ANNIVERSARY PRAYER FOR 175<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

Loving Father,

we turn to you with gratitude for the many blessings you have generously bestowed upon the people of the Archdiocese of Toronto,

who from the beginning have arrived here from many nations to find and strengthen a community of faith,

where we have been able to encounter your Son in our joys and sorrows.

As the Archdiocese celebrates its 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary, we ask you to continue to bless your people with gifts of the Holy Spirit,

so that all clergy, religious and faithful may be gathered and strengthened in their mission of constantly proclaiming the wonderful works of salvation to all we meet.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



## CHILDREN'S LITURGY Every Sunday at the 11:00a.m. mass.

## CATHOLIC CEMETERIES & FUNERAL SERVICES

All families within the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday August 16, 2017 7:00pm at the following cemetery locations.

Assumption, Mississauga - Most Rev. John A Boissonneau  
Christ the King, Markham – Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen  
Holy Cross, Thornhill – His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins

Mount Hope, Toronto – Rev. Msg. Robert Nusca  
Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge – Most Rev. Robert Kasun  
Resurrection, Whitby – Rev. Msg. John Pilkauskas  
St. Mary's Barrie – Most Rev. Wayne Kilpatrick

### In the Event of Rain

Mass will be held in the mausoleum of Assumption, Holy Cross, Resurrection and Queen of Heaven Cemeteries. Christ the King Cemetery will celebrate Mass on site in the Reception Centre. Mount Hope Cemetery to St. Monica's Parish, 44 Broadway Avenue, Toronto. St. Mary's Parish, 65 Amelia Street, Barrie.

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