



OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday: 9 am to 4 pm
Saturday: 10 am to 5 pm
Sunday & Monday: Closed

PARISH TEAM

Fr. Jojo George	Pastor
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Mr. Robert Tunney	Permanent Deacon
Mr. Domenic Rinaldi	Permanent Deacon
Donata Di Rezze	Administrative Assistant
Tony Nazareth	Lay Pastoral Associate
Lori Canlas	Pastoral Care & Counseling
Michelle Morello-Hayes	Music Director

SCHOOLS in Parish boundaries

Christ the King	905-771-6036
Our Lady Help of Christians	905-884-4023
St. John Paul II	905-709-3134
St. Joseph, Richmond Hill	905-884-5077
OLQW Catholic Academy	905-770-8656



Please visit our website olqw.com for our weekly bulletin, a complete description of our ministries and a calendar of our upcoming events.

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday: 7:00 pm
Wednesday: 7:00 pm
Thursday: 8:30 am
Friday: 7:00 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am
10:45 am
12:30 pm

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

The sacrament of reconciliation is available every Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 pm or by appointment.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Available upon request, please call the parish office.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If you are unable to attend Sunday Mass and would like communion brought to you please call the parish office.

BAPTISM

If you want to baptize your child, please speak to the priest after Mass.

MARRIAGE

If you wish to get married, please contact the priest one year in advance, as this is the requirement.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

If you would like to join our Catholic Community, please speak to the priest after Mass.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION

To inquire about the program for Gr. 2 candidates, please email olqwsacraments@archtoronto.org.

CONFIRMATION

To inquire about the program for Gr. 7, please email olqwsacraments@archtoronto.org.



Our Lady Queen of the World Parish is wheel-chair accessible and a scent-free environment.
Listening devices are available for weekend Masses.



World Day of the Sick 2023

to be observed at OLQW Parish on Friday February 10 at 7:00 pm Mass



At Our Lady Queen of the World parish we will observe the **World Day of the Sick** by celebrating a special Mass on **Friday February 10 at 7:00 pm**. This Mass will include special prayers and a special anointing for all the sick in attendance and anyone else who wants it.

The Universal Church will celebrate the 31st World Day of the Sick on Saturday, February 11. This day is traditionally celebrated each year on the Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes. It was started in 1992 by St. Pope John Paul II, at Lourdes, France. This year's theme, chosen by Pope Francis is: **"Take care of him" – Compassion as a synodal exercise of healing**. Pope Francis tells us in his Encyclical Letter Fratelli Tutti (68) that "we cannot be indifferent to suffering", and he proposes that we read anew the parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37). The condition of loneliness and abandonment of the sick in today's world only "takes a moment of our attention, of being moved to compassion within us, in order to eliminate it." In seeking the help of another to care for the sick man, the Samaritan asks the innkeeper to "take care of him." Only with the help, courage, and innovation of others in a "face-to-face encounter" can we organize care for the sick in a spirit of fraternity and resilience. Many healthcare workers, family members, and community volunteers are daily witnesses of this accompaniment and caring compassion. Let us pray for all who are sick, and for their caregivers.

Pope Francis's message for the 31st World Day of the Sick (Visit vatican.va click Messages—World Day of the Sick)



We pray for our sick

We pray for all who are sick and are suffering, and all who are homebound, especially those in our parish family. May God ease their pain and give them peace and strength.



We pray for all our departed

We pray for all who have died, especially those from our parish family. May they find rest and peace in their eternal home. We pray especially for Rosabelle Chin Sang and Anne Zalec.



Mass Intentions

Tues. Feb. 7 7:00 pm	Mass
Wed. Feb. 8 7:00 pm	Mass
Thur. Feb. 9 8:30 am	Mass
Fri. Feb. 10 7:00 pm	+Chow Chung Chong See Kit req. Janine
Sat. Feb. 11 5:00 pm	Marriage Sunday
Sun. Feb. 12 9:00 am	Marriage Sunday
Sun. Feb. 12 10:45 am	Marriage Sunday
Sun. Feb. 12 12:30 pm	Marriage Sunday

Weekly Collection

This past week's collection was **\$7,636.60** including PAG amount of **\$3,675.45**. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

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Lenten Retreat

Save the Dates:
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
March 13, 14, 15, 7:00 pm

Young at Heart

We invite our seniors to join us for various weekly activities:

- **Tuesdays at 1:00 pm** in person in our parish hall for a 1 hour **Exercise Class**.
- **Wednesdays from 10:15 am to 12:30 pm** for our **line dancing and fitness program** led by **Susan Lao** on ZOOM.
- **Thursdays at 10:00 am** for 1 hour of **Chair Yoga** on Zoom.

Please call the **Parish Office** at **905-884-7006** to register. All classes are led by qualified instructors.

OLQW Parish celebrates Marriage Sunday

We celebrate **Marriage Sunday** at OLQW Parish the weekend of **February 11/12**. If you are celebrating a milestone anniversary: **10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, or 50+ years**, please call us (**905-884-7006**) or email us at **olqueenoftheworld@archtoronto.org**, so we can arrange a special blessing for you during the Mass you attend.

Liturgy of The Word with CHILDREN

Please encourage your children to attend our **Liturgy of the Word with Children** at the **Saturday 5 pm** and **Sunday 9 am Masses**. This ministry is open to children from **JK to Grade 4**. Parents may accompany the children if necessary.

Tax receipts will be mailed in mid-February

We are currently working with the Archdiocese to process your 2022 tax receipts. We expect that the tax receipts will be mailed out to you in mid-February.

Confirmation program has begun!

Our Confirmation preparation program has now begun. We pray for our candidates, and their families, as they embark on this exciting spiritual journey, and prepare to receive the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit.

JK Registrations Open at York Catholic DSB

The York Catholic District School Board is now accepting registrations for Junior Kindergarten for children born in 2019. York Catholic provides a Christ-centred, innovative Catholic Education in its 102 schools across York Region. The York Catholic DSB is consistently ranked one of the top performing school boards in the province. Visit their website: www.ycdsb.ca to register for classes starting in September.

First Communion

Our next session will be on: **Saturday February 11 from 10 am to 12 noon.**

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