

Our Lady Queen of the World

Roman Catholic Church

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Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

We wish all members of Our Lady Queen of the World parish family a blessed, joyful, safe and healthy 2023. We are very grateful to you for sharing your time, talents and treasure in supporting our parish community.

- The Pastoral Team at OLQW



Thank You!

to our parishioners, the Knights of Columbus, Our Lady Help of Christians School, St. Joseph's School and Christ the King School, whose combined efforts and incredible generosity raised over \$14,000 and enabled us to help over 100 families for our St. Vincent De Paul Christmas Angels campaign.



We pray for our sick

We pray for all who are sick and are suffering, 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.

OFFICE HOURS

Our Office is currently closed and will re-open on Tuesday, January 3, 2023.

We wish you a blessed, joyous, safe and healthy New Year.



Mass Intentions

Tues. Jan. 3 7:00 pm	Mass
Wed. Jan. 4 7:00 pm	+Marie Corkery req. Carol McCormick
Thur. Jan. 5 8:30 am	Mass
Fri. Jan. 6 7:00 pm	+Frank Falcone req. Giovanna Falcone
Sat. Jan. 7 5:00 pm	+Jose Fontes and Manuel Correia
Sun. Jan. 8 9:00 am	Special Intention for Greg Shearer
Sun. Jan. 8 10:45 am	Mass for all parishioners
Sun. Jan. 8 12:30 pm	+Gloria Harley



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Thank you for your dedicated support.



Thank You!

On behalf of the entire parish community, we thank all those in ministry who gave generously of their talent and time to make our Christmas Liturgical Celebrations so beautiful and meaningful. Your service blesses us all!



The year opens in the name of the Mother. "Mother of God" is the most important title of Our Lady. But we might ask why we say Mother of God, and not Mother of Jesus. In the past some wanted to be content simply with the latter, but the Church has declared that Mary is the Mother of God. We should be grateful, because these words contain a magnificent truth about God and about ourselves. From the moment that our Lord became incarnate in Mary, and for all time, he took on our humanity. There is no longer God without man; the flesh Jesus took from his Mother is our own, now and for all eternity. To call Mary the Mother of God reminds us of this: God is close to humanity, even as children are close to the mother who bears them in her womb. — Pope Francis

2023 Offertory Envelopes are here!

Please pick up your 2023 parish envelopes in the Narthex. Kindly write your name, address and phone number on the first envelope.

Please contact the office for any changes. **Do not use before 2023.**

If you are not registered or are a new parishioner, pick up a blank box of envelopes from the Narthex and fill in a registration form. Put your name, address and phone number on the first few envelopes you use.

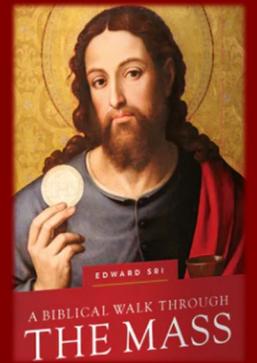


Marriage Sunday 2023

The Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate **Marriage Sunday** on the weekend of **February 11/12 2023**. As part of the **Marriage Sunday 2023** celebrations, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, especially those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2023. The Mass will take place at **2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 12** at **St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica** (65 Bond Street, Toronto). All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and milestone anniversary celebrants will be honoured with a special blessing. Due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to **register online** at www.archtoronto.org/marriage. Milestone anniversary celebrants will be assured of reserved seating. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass at: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>

We need youth volunteers and catechists for our Confirmation preparation program. Please share your gifts by serving our parish family. Thank You!

Thank you to all who have registered for our new Bible Study:



"A Biblical Walk through the Mass".

We will have a special guided Mass on Tuesday January 10, 2023 at 7 pm to open the study. The study officially begins online on Mon. Jan. 16 (10:00 to 11:30 am) and Tues. Jan. 17 (7:30 to 9:00 pm).

The Food Bank needs our help!

The Richmond Hill Food Bank is in desperate need of donations especially in this Christmas season. The Knights of Columbus encourage you to support our efforts to collect donations for the food bank. Please drop off non-perishable food items in the marked bins in the narthex or donate online at:

<https://richmondhillcommunityfoodbank.ca>

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