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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

Fr. Jim Huth Weekend Assistance
Mr. Malcolm Peake Deacon Emeritus
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

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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 SUNDAY MASSES

 Tuesday:
 7:00 pm
 Saturday:
 5:00 pm

 Wednesday:
 7:00 pm
 Sunday:
 9:00 am

 Thursday:
 8:30 am
 10:45 am

 Friday:
 7:00 pm
 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 olgwsacraments@archtoronto.org.

#### **CONFIRMATION**

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







## **Opening our hearts to God in Lent...**

- Wednesday Prayer and Devotion
- ♦ 6:30 pm Rosary
- ◆ 7:00 pm Mass & Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help
- Friday Prayer and Devotion
- ♦ 6:00 pm Adoration and Reconciliation
- ◆7:00 pm Way of The Cross followed by Mass
  March 17: Knights Way of the Cross March 24: Youth Way of the Cross
- Lenten Donation Calendars
- ◆ Donations go to support the Richmond Hill Food Bank Visit www.olqw.com/lent for our full Lenten program of events.



# Milk Bag ministry returns on Saturday March 18

We invite everyone to join us for our next milk bag weaving session on Saturday March 18 in the parish hall from 10 am to 3:30 pm. We weave sleeping mats using milk bags to help those in need. We regret that we had no choice but to reschedule our March session due to the recent snow storm.



## 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. We pray especially for Manuel De Freitas and Sergio Gallone. May they find rest and peace in their eternal home.

	Mass Intentions
Mon. Mar. 13 7:00 pm	Lenten Retreat
Tues. Mar. 14 7:00 pm	Lenten Retreat
Wed. Mar. 15 7:00 pm	Lenten Retreat
Thur. Mar. 16 8:30 am	+Enrico Carrietta
Fri. Mar. 17 7:00 pm	Mass
Sat. Mar. 18 5:00 pm	+Dino & Rosalie Zentil req. Donata DiRezze
Sun. Mar. 19 9:00 am	RCIA Elect — 2nd Scrutiny
Sun. Mar. 19 10:45 am	Mass for all parishioners
Sun. Mar. 19 12:30 pm	+Nicolas Stasios req. Virginia Lee

## **Pray for our Elect**

During the third, fourth, and fifth Sundays of Lent, we celebrate the scrutinies of our (RCIA elect at the 9 AM Mass



as they continue to make their journey towards the Sacraments of Initiation at Easter. The readings at Mass will focus on Christ being the living water, the light of the word, and the resurrection and the life. These scrutinies are celebrated to strengthen the elect and deepen their resolve to hold fast to Christ and to carry out their decision to love God above all.

## **Lent Day of Confession**

- Thursday March 30 9:00 to 10:00 am
- Friday March 31
   6:00 to 7:00 pm



The Sacrament of Reconciliation is also available every Friday from 6 to 7 pm.

## **Weekly Collection**

This past week's collection was \$8,370.98 including PAG amount of \$3,729.23. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

## **SL** ShareLife

Our 2023 ShareLife campaign has begun. Designated ShareLife collection weekends:

March 25/26 ● April 29/30 ● June 3/4

## Please Support Our Parish

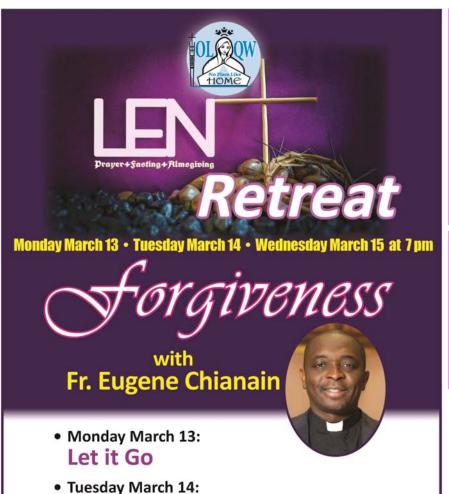


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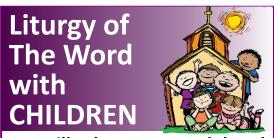
### Saturday, March 25 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

The Old Mill (Old Mill Subway Station),
21 Old Mill Road, Toronto
Registration: 8 a.m. EST

Registration: http://dynamicwomenfaith.com/



We wish all our students, teachers and their families, a safe, happy and blessed March Break.



We will take a two week break for March break and return on the weekend of March 25/26.

## Lenten Inspiration

The Power of I am Sorry

"Pray, hope, and don't worry. Worry is useless,
God is merciful and will hear your prayer." - Padre Pio

Your Heavenly Father is Merciful

"Patience obtains all things." - St. Teresa of Avila

"Prayer is the breath of the soul and of life."

- Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Wednesday March 15:

"True progress quietly and persistently moves along without notice." - St. Francis de Sales

"Just take everything exactly as it is, put it in God's hands and leave it with him.

Then you will be able to rest in him — really rest " - St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

"You do not need to wallow in guilt.
Wallow in the mercy of God." - St. John Vianney

"The proof of love is in the works. Where love exists, it works great things.
But when it ceases to act, it ceases to exist." - Pope St. Gregory the Great

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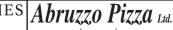
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