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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
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Michelle Morello-Hayes Music Director

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 Christ the King
 905-771-6036

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 905-884-5077

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 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 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.









# Christmas

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at OLQW Parish is again

having the Christmas Angels campaign to support families in our community who are in need. Last year, we helped about 100 families with gift cards during Advent, thanks to your generous donations. Please support us again this year. Our preference is that you donate a Walmart or grocery gift card. Please place the gift card in a special Christmas Angels envelope which you can pick from the Angels tree in the Narthex, and place it in the regular weekly Mass collection with your name, and address. You may also donate by cash or cheque (payable to "Society of St. Vincent de Paul"). Please make your donation by Sunday December 10. Thank You and God Bless!



# We pray for our sick

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



# We pray for our departed

We pray for all who have died. May they find rest, peace, and joy in their eternal home. We pray especially for Bill Vent. In this month of November, we also pray in a special way for all the dearly departed members of our families and parish family.

	Mass Intentions
Tues. Nov. 28 - 7:00 pm	+Departed Members of Lau Family
Wed. Nov. 29 - 7:00 pm	+Filice Caschera req. Maria Caschera +Nicola and Enrico Rea req. Maria Caschera +Isabelo Dimapilis req. Ethel De Veyra Milan Marukic req. Ivana Marukic +Tang Chan Big Wah req. Helen Lee
Thurs. Nov. 30 - 8:30 am	Special Intention for Elsie Lin
Fri. Dec. 1 - 7:00 pm	+Teresa Cheung req. Millie Wan +Joseph Yeh req. Family +Barbara Bakowicz req. Ilona Mikurenda
Sat. Dec. 2 - 5:00 pm	+Stephen Y. L. Chua req. Nancy Yap
Sun. Dec. 3 - 9:00 am	+Matteo Giuliano req. Maria Giuliano
Sun. Dec. 3 - 10:45 am	Mass for All Parishioners
Sun. Dec. 3 - 12:30 pm	+Eulogio and Norma Lamis req. Salvacion Sardito



2024 Envelopes are now available in the Narthex. Please pick up your box.



# **RCIA** Rite of Acceptance

Please pray for all our adults and children in our RCIA program, who will participate in the Rite of Acceptance at the Sunday 9 am Mass next weekend (Dec. 3). This is the first significant step for them in this faith journey, after which we will welcome them as catechumens.

# **Adult Bible Study - 2024**

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Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John January to March 2024

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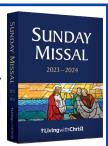
https://www.olgw.com/john-revelation-bible-study (password: olgw)

# **Weekly Collection**

This past week's collection was \$8,665.95 including PAG amount of \$3,479.30 Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

# **New Sunday Missal** on sale for \$5.00

You may purchase a copy of the new Sunday Missal in the Narthex for \$5.00.





# Keep Christ in Christmas Creative Contest for Youth of the

The Knights of Columbus invite the youth of our parish to participate in our Keep Christ in Christmas Creative Contest, which runs until December 31. Our youth are encouraged to submit an original work of theirs (i.e. a picture, short story, poem, song or video, or download a colouring page) which portrays Jesus as being the true meaning of Christmas. All youth are asked to email a digital version of their entry including their name, age and grade to olqwkeepchristinchristmas@gmail.com by December 31. We will award prizes for the following categories: Primary (JK to 3), Junior (4 to 6), Intermediate (7 to 8) and Senior (9 to 12).



The **Knights of Columbus** are delighted to invite you to our **Advent Lunch**, one of our most popular events, on **Sunday December 10 at 1:30 pm**. Enjoy a delicious meal and a fun afternoon with family and friends.

Get your tickets NOW! We are almost sold out! Adults: \$30 and Children (4 to 12 years of age): \$15

# Prayer Shawls available Weekend of December 2/3

Our Prayer Shawl Ministry has been busy knitting prayer shawls for you to give to a loved one this Christmas. The prayer shawls will be blessed at the 5 pm Mass on Saturday December 2<sup>nd</sup> and will be available at all Masses that weekend. Donations are welcome and will go to support our Prayer Shawl Ministry and our parish.



Please join us for our Advent Retreat and Mass on Wednesday December 20 at 7:00 pm, led by Fr. Philip Chircop.



# Advent Day of Confessions

Friday
December 15
6:00 to 7:00 pm



Register for free at St. Monica Institute: https://bit.ly/3PkIWVK







# Young at Heart Weekly Activities

- Tuesdays at 1:00 pm: 1 hour Exercise Class in person in our parish hall.
- Tuesdays at 3:30 pm: 1 hour of Chair Yoga on Zoom.
- Wednesdays from 10:15 am 12:30 pm: Line dancing and fitness program led by Susan Lao on Zoom, and in person in the hall.

Call the **Office (905-884-7006)** to register. Classes are led by qualified instructors.

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