

# ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA PARISH

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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Friday 9 AM to 6:00 PM



The **Mission of the Parish** is to be a Catholic, multicultural community of faith, called to witness and proclaim, to celebrate and share the Hope and Charity we have in Jesus Christ as exemplified by St. Josephine Bakhita, our "Universal Sister" (John Paul II) and "Model of Hope" (Benedict XVI).

We are a people who weave together this neighbourhood as:

- a community of faith, committed to live the Greatest Love of Jesus Christ Crucified, and Mary, Mother of Charity at the foot of the Cross.
- a community of prayer, nourished by the Word of God, the Eucharist, and the traditions of the Church, reflected in the way we live and celebrate.
- a community that welcomes every woman and man, child and youth, of all cultures, to equal discipleship in Jesus Christ.
- a community that is missionary, open to the needs of the world, committed to the promotion of justice, peace, and the stewardship of creation.
- a community that is not afraid to face its pain and yet deeply trust "in the hope that saves."

We believe that each one [of us] is called to be the strand that God will use to weave a tapestry in this place; a tapestry that will be intricate and exquisite.

All new parishioners are welcome to register. Registration forms are available at the entrance to our worship space on Sundays. You can also register online at:

[www.stjosephinebakhita.org](http://www.stjosephinebakhita.org)

Please do not forget to request for your box of Sunday Envelopes after you register. You may also wish to use the Pre-Authorized Form of Giving. Forms are available.

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St. Joan of Arc Secondary School Tel. (905) 285-0050

## PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Mark Achilles Villanueva	Pastor
Rev. Michael Ho	Deacon
Sr. Necy Guan, Fdccc	Pastoral Assistant
Sr. Linda Carandang, Fdccc	Pastoral Assistant
Mrs. Fatima Chan	Secretary

## MINISTRIES

Volunteer Coordinator	Anusha De Silva	<b>Financial Council</b>	
Children's Liturgy	Rory Agellon	Chairperson	Tel de la Cruz
Eucharistic Ministers	Max de la Cruz		
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RCIA	Roman Lim	<b>Legion of Mary</b>	Cristina Manzanares 905-812-0891
First Reconciliation/Eucharist	Chanel D'Mello		
Confirmation	Clara Fernandes		

We celebrate Holy Mass at

St. Joan of Arc Secondary School  
3801 Thomas Street  
Mississauga, ON L5M 7G2

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	9:00 AM
	11:00 AM
	12:30 PM

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday, Thursday	7:45 AM
Wednesday, Friday	7:00 PM

St. Peter's Mission Church  
Ninth Line, north of Britannia Road

## SUNDAY MASSES

Sunday	7:30 AM
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## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday	7:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM

## DEVOTIONS

- Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena every Wednesday after the 7 PM Holy Mass
- Chaplet of the Divine Mercy every Friday after the 7 PM Holy Mass
- Solemn Vespers and Benediction every First Friday at 7:30 PM

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 PM or any time by appointment

## Sacrament of Baptism

Parents who wish to have their children baptized must fill out a baptismal form to be submitted to the parish office. The baptism form is available on our parish website, at the parish office, or at the desk at the entrance to our worship space. We celebrate baptism during our Sunday Eucharists or anytime by agreement with the pastor.

## Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest one year in advance. A marriage course is required. The wedding will either be held at Merciful Redeemer Church or at St. Peter's Mission Church.

## Funerals

Losing someone through death is very difficult for anyone. To help you plan the funeral, please contact the parish office. We will hold the Liturgy at Merciful Redeemer or at St. Peter's Mission Church.

**Children’s Liturgy**



Children from JK to Grade 5 are invited to participate in the Children’s Liturgy of the Word during our Sunday Eucharist.

**Ministry to the Sick and Homebound**

Our parish has started a ministry to the residents of Viva Retirement Living on Thomas. The Holy Mass is offered to the residents once a month and a weekly reception of the Eucharist to those who request is. This ministry is also extended to any sick or homebound person in the parish who wish to be visited and received Holy Communion at home.

If you are interested serving in this ministry, please contact Sister Linda.

**MASS INTENTION**

**January 21 (Saturday)**

5:00 PM Thanksgiving of Remilyn Paguicanan, +Henry Lucas

**January 22 (Sunday)**

7:30 PM For all Parishioners  
 9:00 AM +Teresa & Louis Sousa, +Antonio Correia & Yaniero family  
 11:00 AM +Richard Valere, +Lina de Montburn, +Steve Bennett, +Josefina Poliarco,  
 12:30 PM Open

**January 23 (Monday)**

7:00 PM Open

**January 24 (Tuesday)**

7:45 AM Open

**January 25 (Wednesday)**

7:00 PM +Paul Delicata, +Xavier D’Souza

**January 26 (Thursday)**

7:45 AM +Jovito Lobo

**January 27 (Friday)**

7:00 PM Thanksgiving of Francheska Carolasan

**January 28 (Saturday)**

9:00 AM Open

5:00 PM +Maria Inez Fernandez

**Bible Study**

Fr. Mark will offer a Bible Study at the Rectory every Thursday evening beginning at 7:30 PM. The Bible Study will commence on February 23, 2012. Because of limited space, we will limit the class to twenty (20) people. If there are more people interested, we will organize another session. Please send your request via email to Fr. Mark if you are interested in participating.



**KARAOKE NIGHT**



The Knights of Columbus are organizing a Karaoke Night for the parish on the Twenty-first of January. It will be held at St. Joan of Arc Secondary School following the 5 PM Mass. Tickets are \$5 per person.

**Feast of St. Josephine Bakhita**

February 11, 2012 at 5 PM

Celebrant and Homilist: Bishop John Boissonneau, D.D.

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**

At least once a year, many Christians become aware of the great diversity of ways of adoring God. Hearts are touched, and people realize that their neighbour’s ways are not so strange.

The event that touches off this special experience is something called the “Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Traditionally celebrated between 18-25 January (in the Northern Hemisphere) or at Pentecost (in the Southern Hemisphere), the Week of Prayer enters into congregations and parishes all over the world.

The theme for this year is taken from 1 Corinthians 15:51-58 “We will all be changed by the victory of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

**Update**

Thank you for supporting our Building Fund

\$939,750.85

Please pray that one day we will have our own church building.

**L:** United in Christ who gives us the victory, let us pray to God:

For the Church, the Body of Christ, that we might truly live the unity we receive through the Holy Spirit. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For the leaders of our churches that they may be faithful to the unity to which all Christians are called. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For the nations of the world, that they may live in peace with one another and promote justice for all. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For all people, that we may be good stewards of the earth. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For the people of our society, that we may be transformed to live as caring neighbours to each other. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For the sick and suffering, that they may be transformed by your healing presence. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For all families and households, that their struggles and joys may find their fulfilment in your love. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** For the dying, that they may be comforted by your presence. God our strength:

**C:** *Change us by your grace.*

**L:** Lord, stand in our midst and grant us unity and peace.

**C:** *Amen*

### Serra's 2012 Ordinandi Dinner

Come to meet, talk to and encourage the graduating Seminarians, who, with God's grace, will be Ordained to the Priesthood soon. Enjoy Serra's Celebration of Priesthood and Religious Vocations. Come and show your appreciation for all Priests and Religious. Date: Tuesday, March 6th. Reception - 5:00 PM. Dinner - 6:45 PM. Place: Pearson Convention Centre, 2638 Steeles Avenue. E. Brampton. Cost: \$65 per person. Reserved tables available for groups of 10. For tickets or information call Mario Biscardi at 416-242-5951.

### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2012 Ecumenical Prayer Service

Sunday, January 22, 2012 - 3:00 p.m.

St. Michael's Cathedral, 200 Church Street, Toronto.

Come and join us in prayer with His Grace Archbishop Thomas Collins, joined by His Grace Anglican Archbishop Colin Johnson, Lutheran Bishop Michael Pryse, Slovak Catholic Bishop John Pазak, Assyrian Bishop Emmanuel Mar Emmanuel and other city-wide religious leaders for an Ecumenical Prayer Service. Refreshments to follow in parish hall. For further information, please contact the Office of Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs at 416-934-3400 ext. 344.

### JUST FOR LAUGHS!!!

A woman takes her 16-year-old daughter to the doctor. The doctor says,

"Okay, Mrs. Jones, what's the problem?"

The mother says, "It's my daughter, Debbie. She keeps getting these cravings, she's putting on weight, and is sick most mornings."

The doctor gives Debbie a good examination, then turns to the mother and says,

"Well, I don't know how to tell you this, but your Debbie is pregnant - about 4 months, would be my guess."

The mother says, "Pregnant?! She can't be, she has never ever been left alone with a man! Have you, Debbie?"

Debbie says, "No mother! I've never even kissed a man!"

The doctor walked over to the window and just stares out it. About five minutes pass and finally the mother says,

"Is there something wrong out there doctor?"

The doctor replies, "No, not really, it's just that the last time anything like this happened, a star appeared in the east and three wise men came over the hill. I'll be darned if I'm going to miss it this time!"





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