

# ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA PARISH

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



We celebrate Holy Mass at

**St. Joan of Arc Secondary School**

3801 Thomas Street,  
Mississauga, ON L5M 7G2

**SUNDAY MASSES**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
12:30 p.m.

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Tuesday, Thursday 7:45 a.m.  
Wednesday, Friday 7:00 p.m.

**St. Peter's Mission Church**

Ninth Line, north of Britannia Road

**SUNDAY MASSES**

Sunday 7:30 a.m.

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday 9:00 a.m.

**DEVOTIONS**

- Our Lady of Perpetual Help every Wednesday after the 7:00 p.m. Holy Mass
- Chaplet of the Divine Mercy every Friday after the 7:00 p.m. Holy Mass
- Solemn Vespers and Benediction every First Friday 7:30 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" (Pope John Paul II) and "Model of Hope for the twenty-first century" (Pope 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.

**PASTORAL TEAM**

Fr. Mark Achilles Villanueva  
Sr. Cristina Ovejera, Fdccc  
Sr. Nedy, Guan, Fdccc  
Fatima Chan  
Rev. Mr. Michael Ho

**Pastor**  
**Pastoral Assistant for Adult Formation**  
**Pastoral Assistant for Children & Youth**  
**Parish Secretary**  
**Deacon**

**MINISTRIES**

**Volunteer Coordinator**  
**Children's Liturgy**  
**Children Religious Education**  
**Eucharistic Ministers**  
**Lectors**  
**Ushers**  
**Altar Servers**  
**Social Concerns**  
**Choirs**

Anusha De Silva  
Rory Agellon  
Chanel D'Mello  
Max de la Cruz  
Tim Marchand  
Miguel Basurto  
Joanna Aguilar  
Patricia Scire  
Jamie Marr  
Raul Manzanares  
Suzanna Pereira  
Ronald Pasajol  
Cora and Boyer del Rosario

**Church's Environment**

**PARISH FINANCIAL COUNCIL**

Chairperson Tel de la Cruz

**PARISH FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE**

Chairperson Roman Lim

**ST. PETER'S MISSION**

Chairperson JC Cadieux

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**Legion of Mary**

Tony Ciuffo - Tel. 905-542-9883  
Rita Venantius - Tel. 905-824-7223  
Toti Quijano - Tel. 905-567-3236  
Cristina Manzanares - Tel. (905) 812-0891

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)**

Saturday 4:00 p.m. or any time by appointment

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Parents who wish to have their children baptized must fill out a baptismal form and submitted to the parish office. The baptismal form is available at the parish office, after all our weekend Masses at the school, or from our website. Once the parish office receives the form, the pastor will set up the appointment to process your application.

**Sacrament of Marriage**

Couples planning to be married must contact the parish priest one year in advance. A marriage course is required. The pastor will arrange the wedding ceremony with Merciful Redeemer Church or St. Peter's Mission Church. For additional information, please contact the parish office.

**Funerals**

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

**Elementary Schools**

St. Bernard of Clairvaux  
Tel. (905) 542-9203  
St. Edith Stein  
Tel. (905) 824-5777  
St. Simon Stock  
Tel. (905) 785-7434  
St. Faustina  
Tel. (905) 821-2607

**Secondary School**

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

All new parishioners are welcome. Registration forms are available at the entrance to our worship space on the Weekends. 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.

**MASS INTENTION****July 16 (Saturday)**

5:00 PM For the Parish Community

**July 17 (Sunday)**

7:30 AM +Jose Ayson

9:00 AM +Ritta &amp; Antonio Fernandes

11:00 AM +Richard Valere, +Francis De Souza &amp; deceased family members,

Thanksgiving of Eleuteria Quinsay,

+Dionesia La Bercasio, +Emerita Tadeo

12:30 PM +Consolacion Sarroca,

Thanksgiving of Laurencia Flores

**July 18 (Monday)**

7:00 +Emerita Tadeo

**July 19 (Tuesday)**

7:45 AM Open

**July 20 (Wednesday)**

7:00 PM Open

**July 21 (Thursday)**

7:45 AM +Socorro Singson

**July 22 (Friday)**

7:00 PM Open

**July 23 (Saturday)**

9:00 AM Open

5:00 PM Open

**July 24 (Sunday)**

7:30 AM For the Parish Community

9:00 AM +Maria &amp; John Fernandes

11:00 AM +Edmundo Balancio,

+Richard Valere, +Isidro &amp; Maria San

Diego + Emerita Tadeo, Thansgiving of

Sia Family

12:30 PM Open

**July 25 (Monday)**

7:00 PM +Margarita de la Cruz

**July 26 (Tuesday)**

7:45 AM +Joe Furtado

**July 27 (Wednesday)**

7:00 PM Open

**July 28 (Thursday)**

7:45 AM +Joselito Feril

**July 29 (Friday)**

7:00 PM Open

**July 30 Saturday)**

9:00 AM Open

**Pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine in Midland**

A special event will be held at the Martyrs' Shrine this year that will honour our Patron saint, St. Josephine Bakhita. On August 27, 2011, Bishop William McGrattan will preside at the dedication ceremony of the statue of St. Josephine Bakhita and First Annual Pilgrimage organized by "The Josephine Bakhita Black Heritage", a movement that has its roots in Prince of Peace Parish in Scarborough. We invite parishioners to make this pilgrimage. If you are interested, please have your name included in the list at the desk. Thank you.



*Have you visited where Jesus lived, worked,  
and died for us?*

Join Fr. Mark for a pilgrimage to the Holy Land (Israel and Jordan) including France (Lisieux, Paris, Mont St. Michel, Chartres) for fifteen days starting November 7. The cost of the trip is \$3249 which includes air transportation, hotel accommodation first class or superior tourist class based on double occupancy, two meals daily (breakfast and dinner), all sightseeing as per itinerary with English speaking guide - all tips in restaurants and hotels. Contact Halina at 647-294-4116 or 1-877-999-8868 for more details.

**UPDATE ON OUR BUILDING FUND**

On July 3, we have collected \$4,028.78

On July 10, we have collected \$2,265

Our Total Building Fund collection since we started the Donation matching campaign with the Walkathon of Hope on June 11 amounts to **\$39,667.**

**Our Total Building Fund to date including the matching donation is**

**\$641,607.74**

Every donation, regardless of the amount but done regularly, will bring us closer to the \$5 Million target to start the construction of our new church. Thank you for your generosity.

**ALTAR SERVERS' MEETING & PRACTICE**

We invite all current altar servers and prospective candidates to St. Peter's Mission Church on Saturday, July 23, 2011 starting at 11 AM for meeting and practice with Fr. Mark. Pizza lunch will be served, so please RSVP Fr. Mark by email at [frmark@stjosephinebakhita.org](mailto:frmark@stjosephinebakhita.org) or by phone at 289-997-2015.

**Public Lecture**

What Does Bernard Lonergan mean by "Conversion"?

Friday, July 15, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Room 101, Faculty of Theology, University of St. Michael's College.

Prof. Robert M. Doran, S.J., Emmet Doer Chair in Systematic Theology, Marquette University and General Editor of the Collected Works of Bernard Lonergan will be giving a free public lecture at the University of St. Michael's College. All are welcome! For further information call Darren Dias: 416-926-1300 ext. 3395 or [darren.dias@utoronto.ca](mailto:darren.dias@utoronto.ca).



### Vacation Bible School

Our parish conducted the first Vacation Bible School at St. Edith Stein Catholic Elementary School from July 4, 2011 for fifty-two children. We thank Sister Neco, Sr. Marilou, and the volunteers. The children had a wonderful time learning about the Word of God through song, dance, drama, art, games, and even food.



Suffer not the children to come to me...

if you wish to see more pictures of the Vacation Bible School, please visit our parish website:

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





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