

ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA PARISH

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WEBSITE: www.stjosephinebakhita.org

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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Couples for Christ
Legion of Mary

Tony Ciuffo - Tel. 905-542-9883
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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

Please do not forget to request for your box of Sunday Envelopes.

MASS INTENTION**July 2 (Saturday)**

5:00 PM +Joe Furtado

July 3 (Sunday)

7:30 AM For the Parish Community

9:00 AM Special Intention of Paul &

Peter Kita, For the Souls in Purgatory

11:00 AM +Richard Valere, +Emerita

Tadeo, Thanksgiving of Prashanth &

Gamini

12:30 PM +Leticia Saring, Special

Intention of Hendrata Susanto

July 4 (Monday)

7:00 +Antonio Maliwat

July 5 (Tuesday)

7:45 AM Open

July 6 (Wednesday)

7:00 PM +Francis Akong, +Franklin &

Veronica D'Souza, +Lorenzo Moreno,

Thanksgiving of Lucita Orogo

July 7 (Thursday)

7:45 AM Open

July 8 (Friday)

7:00 PM +Isabel Dimaculangan

July 9 (Saturday)

9:00 AM Open

July 10 (Sunday)

7:30 AM For the Parish Community

9:00 AM Open

11:00 AM +Joao & Silvina Antunes,

+Richard Valere

12:30 PM Thanksgiving of Leonora &

Peter

July 11 (Monday)

7:00 PM Open

July 12 (Tuesday)

7:45 AM Open

July 13 (Wednesday)

7:00 PM Open

July 14 (Thursday)

7:45 AM Open

July 15 (Friday)

7:00 PM Open

July 16 Saturday)

9:00 AM +Nicanor Dimaculangan

5:00 PM Open

Please be informed that there is no Children's Liturgy during the summer months. However, we would like to encourage the children to pick up their copy of the Sunday Children's Bulletin. We ask the parents to assist their children in using the Sunday Children's Bulletin for their continuing religious formation.

**PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE**

The Finance Committee Meeting will meet on July 12, 2011 at the Rectory starting at 7:30 PM

ALTAR SERVERS

We invite all Altar Servers for a meeting and practice at St. Peter's Mission Church on Saturday, July 23, starting at 11 AM. A Pizza Lunch will be provided.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
(RCIA)**

If you or anyone you know are interested to prepare for the sacraments to become Catholic, please contact Roman Lim or Fr. Mark to register.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE ENROLLED IN PUBLIC AND
PRIVATE SCHOOLS OTHER THAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS**

Please inquire with Sister Necy with regards to your sacramental preparation: First Reconciliation, First Communion, and/or Confirmation

Are you up to a challenge?

Any new donation to the Building Fund starting with our Walkathon of June 11 to the end of the year 2011 will be matched by a parishioner up to a maximum of \$260,000.

To date we have collected **\$33,373.87**

No Final Tally of the Walkathon yet...

The Organizing Committee of our Walkathon 2011 has reported a Net Income of \$22,543.39. However, the donations are still pouring in. We will update you of the totals once the Organizing Committee is ready. Thank you for your support.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR BUILDING FUND

\$637,077.74

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.

Faith Connections...

Faith Connections' HIKE & PRAYER: The Green Spirit of the City – young adults (18-39) are invited to join us for a refreshing eco-friendly morning of clean air, beautiful spaces and good company at the Evergreen Brick Works. We'll be meeting at the entrance to Broadview Station (Danforth & Broadview) on Saturday, July 9, 2011 - 9:30 a.m. to catch the shuttle bus. For more information please call 416-222-1426 ext. 276 or visit www.faithconnections.ca – a ministry of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Toronto.

A DATE TO REMEMBER: Catholic Speed Dating and Singles Mixer with Faith Connections and the Newman Centre Young Adult Ministries. Registration is open for two groups: ages 20-29, and ages 29-39. Tickets are \$20, refreshments will be provided. Saturday, July 23, 2011 - 7:00 p.m. at the Newman Centre (89 St. George St, Toronto). Space is limited, registration is required by July 13! To register, call 416-222-1426 ext. 276 or email faithconnections@csj-to.ca.

Directed Retreat for Women

Week of July 24 – 31, 2011

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, Mississauga.

A directed retreat for women is offered for a few days or one week during the SISTERS PREACHED RETREAT JULY 24-31. To register or for further information please call 905-278-5229 as there are a limited number of spiritual directors available.

Different Ways to Offer Holy Mass in our Parish

From time to time you intended to offer a Holy Mass when you come for Sunday Eucharist and when you return home, you suddenly remembered. What to do? You can call the parish office directly by phone at (289) 997-2105, leave a message for Fr. Mark if he is not around to answer the call. You may also send him a quick email informing him of your request at frmark@stjosephinebakhita.org or you may use the form available on our parish website at www.stjosephinebakhita.org. Do not worry about the stipend. You can give it when you come for Holy Mass before or on the day that your intention will be celebrated.

**Do You Feel a Call to be a Lay Missionary?
Come and See!**

July 23, 2011 - 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

St. Bernard's Convent, 685 Finch Ave. W., Toronto.

For more information about this program please call Sr. Ursula at 416-630-3298 ext. 124 or email um29@ymail.com

Are you going away for the summer?

Would you like to participate in the Pre-Authorized Form of supporting our Parish while you are on vacation?

It is easy! Your offering will be received automatically every month and it will provide continual support of your parish and/or the Building Fund even when you are away. Forms are available at the desk.

**CALLING ALL LAITY
INSTITUTE OF THEOLOGY OF
ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY**

Applications are now being accepted for the Master of Religious Education, Master of Theological Studies, Diploma in Lay Ministry and Diploma in Theological Studies. Our next courses begin September 12, 2011. Classes are conducted in Aurora, downtown Toronto, and at St. Augustine's Seminary on weeknights, Saturdays, intersession (April to July), during the month of July, and online. There are course reductions available for teachers who have the required qualifications. Degrees are recognized by the OCT and QECO. For further information, go to the website at www.staugustines.on.ca. Click on "Academic". Click on "Institute of Theology." Interested applicants can email toiftsas@rogers.com or call 416-261-7207 ext. 235.

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Notice from the Parish Office

The Parish Office is asking the family that uses the Sunday envelope #867 to please update your information so your donations will be properly recorded.

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.



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