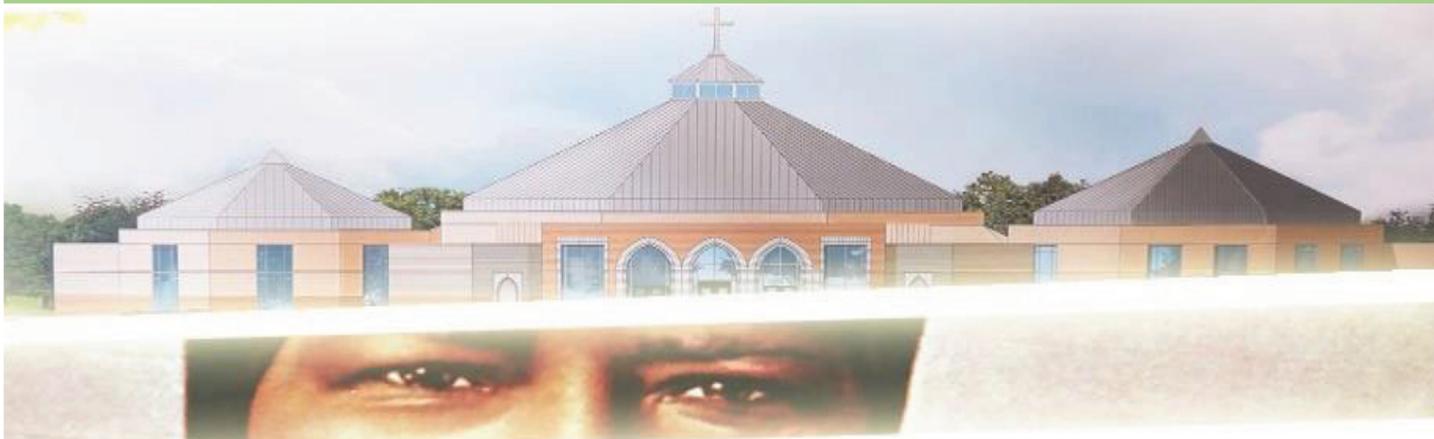


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SUNDAY MASS

Saturday
5 PM
Sunday Mass
7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, and
12:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
7:00 PM
Tuesday, Thursday
7:30 AM
Saturday
9:00 AM

DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
Every Wednesday following the 7 PM
Mass

Daily Rosary before every Mass

Chaplet of the Divine Mercy every
Friday after the 7 PM Mass

Solemn Vespers and Benediction
Every First Saturday at 4 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents who wish to have their children
baptized must fill out the online
baptismal request form available in our
parish website

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4 PM or any time by
appointment

OUR MISSION

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" and "Model of Hope for the Twenty-first century". 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 man and woman, child and youth, to equal discipleship.
- 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 is called to be the strand that God will use to weave a tapestry that is intricate and exquisite in this place.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor

Rev. Mark Achilles Villanueva

Deacons

Deacon Gerry Steyn
Deacon Michael Ho
Deacon Roman Lim

Administrative Assistant

Cecilia Vaz

Assistants

Daniel Mathew
Clifford Jumapit

Office Hour

Monday 5 PM to 9 PM
Tuesday to Friday at 9 AM to 9 PM
Saturday 9 AM to 7 PM
Sunday 9 AM to 3 PM

Schools

St. Bernard of Clairvaux
St. Faustina
St. Edith Stein
St. Simon Stock
St. Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary
School

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact the pastor one year in advance. A Marriage course is required. For additional information, please contact the pastor.

Our Sanctuary Light

June 2 Thanksgiving for Celeste White
 June 6 + Charles & Adeline Gomes
 June 10 Anne, Bernard and Victor Montuba
 June 14 Thanksgiving for Eleuteria Quinsay
 June 18 Thanksgiving for Arlette Koo
 June 22 Thanksgiving for Chow Family
 June 26 Healing & Thanksgiving for Milagros Umali
 June 30 Thanksgiving for Diana & Mark Pinto
 July 4 Special Intention for Flavia Chutino
 July 8 Thanksgiving for Alincastre Family
 July 12 Thanksgiving for De Leon Family & Special Intention of Ilyn De Leon
 July 16 Thanksgiving for Kam & Shirley Lam
 July 20 Thanksgiving for Inacio & Paula Lee- Len
 July 24 Thanksgiving for Carl, Agnes Rajack & Family
 July 28 +Siu Chan
 August 1 +Kin Chan
 August 5 Thanksgiving for Prollamante Family
 August 9 Thanksgiving for Dias & Family
If you would like to offer a candle to signify the presence of Jesus in the Tabernacle, the suggested donation is \$20. Please see the Reception Desk. Thank you.



The Feast of the Ascension is a celebration of the day when Jesus stopped appearing to his disciples and was not with them anymore in a physical sense. Now, we take on his body. Now, we need to become Christ for others. This feast of the Ascension, then, is a reminder for all of us, not just of what awaits us when we die, but what we need to do while still alive; how we can become the body of Christ, and how we be helped, protected and loved by the Spirit – God’s gift to us. From this day of Ascension onward the physical presence of Christ becomes sacramental, so that Christ’s can always be with us in the signs, which we call sacrament – baptism, Eucharist, Reconciliation, Confirmation, Matrimony, Holy Orders and the Anointing of the Sick. In these sacraments, we are allowed to experience the presence of Christ while we are still on earth.

Living the Gospel by supporting mental health wellness

Last year, over 3,200 people accessed individual, couple and family counselling at Catholic Family Services of Peel/Dufferin, a ShareLife-funded agency. Given that depression has replaced back injury as the number one reason for absenteeism at work, these services are helping clients maintain employment and stay out of poverty. By supporting ShareLife agencies like CFS Peel-Dufferin, you’re helping people find health and happiness. **Today is ShareLife Sunday. Thank you for your generosity.**



Garage Sale

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a garage sale in the parish on June 8 from 9 to 12 noon. If you have any items to donate to the Garage Sale, the Knights will be at the parish on Friday, June 7, from 5 PM to 9 PM to receive them.

Young Adults Retreat

June 7-9, 2019 at St. Francis Centre in Caledon

Join the Sisters of Life for a weekend retreat "From the Depths to the Heights," for young adults (18-35). Led by Fr. David Bellusci, OP, this retreat focuses on our relationship with the saints. The weekend includes conferences and fellowship with other young adults, opportunities for prayer and Eucharistic Adoration. Confession and Mass will be available. **CONTACT:** The Sisters of Life **PHONE:** 416-463-2722 **EMAIL:** toronto@sistersoflife.org

SUNDAY OFFERING	
Offertory	\$ 5,147.15
Building Fund	\$ 816
Mass Intentions	\$ 480
Blinds	\$ 200
Candle Offering	\$ 161.15
Liturgical Fund	\$ 205
ShareLife	\$ 180
From the box	\$ 11.70
Baptism	\$ 460
Total	\$ 7,661

Mass Intentions

Saturday (May 25)

5:00 PM: +Amader Obidos, +Divinia Aguilin

Sunday (May 26)

7:30 AM: Open

9:00 AM: +Agnelo Fernandes

11:00 AM: +Maria & Isidro San Diego

12:30 PM: +Trinidad Encallado, +Felipe Paculaba

Monday (May 27)

7:00 PM: Open

Tuesday (May 28)

7:30 AM: +Rev. Josef Baginski, +Mieczyslaw Baginski, +Henryk Wichlaur

Wednesday (May 29)

7:00 PM: +Kyesoo Kim & Hee Joo Park

Thursday (May 30)

7:30 AM: +Oscar Anacta

Friday (May 31)

7:00 PM: +Richard Valere, +Lina de Montbrun

Saturday (June 1)

9:00 AM: +Cristina Tolentino

5:00 PM: +Antonio Lobo, +Fabian Francis Otu, +Victoria Mariano, +Yannick Villegas Chevereau

Junior Praesidium of the Legion of Mary

Every Sunday from 2:30 PM to 3:30 PM

For young people age 7 to 17

Thank you for your continued support to our Joint Family of Faith Campaign and to our monthly second offering to retire our Bank Loan.

Update on our Parish Bank Loan to construct the church	
Opening Balance	\$4,883,492.55
Less: Payment	\$ 123,047.87
Total Loan to date	\$4,760,444.68

Upcoming Bereavement Seminar for Those Who Have Suffered a Loss – Grief: The Untold Story

June 9 at 2 PM

Assumption Catholic Cemetery

Seminar will be held in the funeral home

6933 Tomken Rd., Mississauga

For those who mourn, there is a sadness and heaviness that is difficult to lift. Join us for a casual afternoon as we listen to inspiring words to discover ways to put the pieces of our broken hearts and lives back together. We will learn how to explore our grief, experience healing and renew our faith. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome! CONTACT: Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services –Archdiocese of Toronto PHONE: 416-733-8544 x 2047 EMAIL: info@cc-fs.ca

Silent Weekday Retreat for Men & Women at Manresa Pickering

Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre, 2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering

June 17-21

Returning Home with the Prodigal Son. Facilitated by Sr. Sue Mosteller, CSJ. There's something naturally fulfilling about returning home. Let Henri Nouwen's thought guide you to the true home of your loving, sometimes wounded, heart. COST: Suggested offering \$450 per person. This includes four nights of accommodation, meals, program and spiritual direction. PHONE: 905-839-2864 EMAIL: registration@manresa.ca

2019 Cradle of Hope Conference

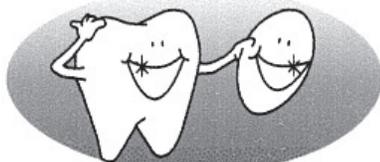
June 29th from 8:30 AM to 6 PM

Toronto Pavilion

190 Railside Rd., North York

Breath of God – Living a life led by the Holy Spirit. Mass, adoration, confession, praise and worship and healing service. Guest speakers: Fr. Dave Pivonka, together with CCRC's Fr. Matthias Yaw Kotoka Amuzu (Spiritual Director) and Fr. Ben St. Croix, CC (Cardinal's liaison). Presented by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council (CCRC) of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Join our annual celebration with unique programs for adults, youth and children. COST: \$25 (adults); \$5 (youth); free for children EMAIL: ccrctorontoinfo@gmail.com

*Please remember our beloved brother **Peter Huang** in your prayers. Peter returned to the Father peacefully last Victoria Day. According to his instructions, Peter wanted his funeral to be very private. Peter played a cello at the 5 PM Saturday Vigil Mass and at the 12:30 Sunday Mass. Our parish community is indebted to Peter. He quietly setup our sound system every weekend during our nine years at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary School. Eternal rest grant unto Peter, O Lord...*



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