

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
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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.



Children's Liturgy

Please be informed that there will be no Children's Liturgy during the summer.

However, the Children's Bulletin will continue to be provided after all the Masses.

MASS INTENTION

June 25 (Saturday)

5:00 PM Daughters of Isabella

June 26 (Sunday)

7:30 AM For the Parish Community

9:00 AM +Maurice Jules Danis

11:00 AM +Emerita Tadeo, +Richard

Valere, Special Intention of Rico Tingin

12:30 PM +Emilio Sangil, +Federico

Magampon, +Morie Cortez, + Miguelino

de Leon, + Esther Tiongson, + Paulino,

Greg & Nick Evangelista, Special

Intention of Hendrata Susanto,

Thanksgiving of Cora Cruz

June 27 (Monday)

7:00 +Petra Feril

June 28 (Tuesday)

7:45 AM For Pope Benedict XVI

June 29 (Wednesday)

7:00 PM +Clement Cardozo

June 30 (Thursday)

7:45 AM +Petra Feril

July 1 (Friday)

7:00 PM +Ruben Esteron, Thanksgiving of Boyer and Cora del Rosario

July 2 (Saturday)

9:00 AM Open

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

We have been informed through the Office of the Western Pastoral Region, Most Reverend John A. Boissonneau, D.D., that the English Translation of the Revised Roman Missal and General Instruction will take effect in dioceses throughout Canada on the First Sunday of Advent (November 27/28, 2011). Archbishop Collins has authorized that parishes may begin to learn the new, sung mass settings and employ them in the Liturgy as of September 25, 2011.

Since this requires major changes in our musical style, I am inviting all our choir directors for a meeting at the Rectory on Thursday (July 21) starting at 7:30 PM to map out our parish strategy so our community will be prepared for this transition.

I intend to organize a series of Catechesis based on the new Liturgy once we have access to the materials from the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) in September. I will keep you posted throughout the summer for new developments. We are in exciting times and from what I gather the new Liturgical translation will provide us with a richer and deeper understanding and appreciation of our Catholic Faith.

Pope Benedict's 60th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination

Our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI will celebrate his anniversary on June 29, the Solemnity of St. Peter and St. Paul. In honor of his anniversary, we are invited to participate in Eucharistic Adoration with the intention of praying for the sanctification of the clergy and for the gift of new and holy priestly vocations.

Eucharistic Adoration

Our Parish will offer an overnight and all day vigil before our Eucharistic King starting at 6 PM on Thursday (June 30) to 6 PM on Friday (July 1), the Feast of the Sacred Heart at St. Peter's Mission Church.

We will have a sign-up sheet to make sure that there is someone to adore before the Blessed Sacrament every hour.

Holy Mass will be celebrated at St. Peter's Mission Church at 7 PM

There will be no Mass at St. Joan of Arc Chapel on July 1

Prayer for Priests



Lord Jesus we come into your Eucharistic presence to thank you for the life and priestly vocation of Pope Benedict XVI. Bless him and his ministry as your Vicar and the Successor of St. Peter. Sanctify all your priests and configure them to your Sacred and Priestly Heart. Give to your Church new and holy priests, who will imitate your divine love and shepherd your people with care. You live and reign with the father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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 match by a parishioner up to a maximum of \$260,000.

To date we have collected **\$29,692.63**

Update on the Walkathon

The Organizing Committee of our Walkathon 2011 has reported a Net Income of \$22,028.39. Thank you again to the Organizing Committee and thank you also to all who supported the cause.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR
BUILDING FUND

\$600,022.63

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.

**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 Nocy with regards to your sacramental preparation: First Reconciliation, First Communion, and/or Confirmation

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 emailum29@ymail.com.

**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.

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.

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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