

## THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA

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#### We celebrate Holy Mass at

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

#### **SUNDAY MASSES**

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

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Tuesday, Thursday 7:30 AM Wednesday, Friday 7 PM St. Peter's Mission Church Ninth Line, north of Britannia Rd.

#### **SUNDAY MASS**

Sunday 7:30 AM

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday 7 PM Saturday 9 AM

#### **DEVOTIONS**

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

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

Solemn Vespers and Benediction every First Friday 7:30 PM

#### **Pastoral Team**

Rev. Mark Achilles Villanueva Pastor Rev. Michael Ho Deacon Rev. Gerry Steyn Deacon

Cecilia Vaz Administrative Assistant

Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 9 AM to 6 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 for the Twenty-first Century" (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 man and woman, 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 parishioner are welcome.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday 4 PM or any time by appointment.

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Parents who wish to have their children baptized must fill out a Baptismal Request Form available in our parish website.

#### 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.

#### **Funerals**

Losing someone through death is very difficult for anyone. To help you plan for the funeral, please contact the pastor.

#### **Schools**

St. Bernard of Clairvaux

St. Edith Stein

St. Faustina

St. Simon Stock

St . Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary School

#### The International Food Festival

When: Friday November 17, 2017, 6 pm onwards Where: St. Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary School

Cost: \$5 to enter - Children 12 and under enter free Food will be sold at a

nominal rate - Come savour the delicious foods from around the world!

All proceeds for our Church Building Fund, God loves the cheerful Giver! Contact: Yasmin Tissa at sjbdoi.1430@gmail.com Tickets will be on sale after all the masses.

# FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR Saturday, Nov. 18th, 2017 at 2:00 PM

Catholic Cemeteries and the Archdiocese estate planning team will share:- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will- How to ensure your wishes are legally protected- About Powers of Attorney

- Estate Trustee selection- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors- Our Catholic traditions around wills, burial and funeralsAn estate planning kit will be provided at no cost. Refreshments will be provided.

Location: Assumption Cemetery (6933 Tomken Road, Mississauga)RSVP: Frank Jannetta, Catholic Cemeteries416.733-8544 ext. 2023 or fiannetta@cc-fs.ca

#### **Volunteer Screening**

Agnes Lim is our volunteer coordinator and will be assisted by Rita Venantius and Susan Javier. We thank Anusha for her service to the parish and for ensuring that we are in full compliance with our volunteer screening process. Since many improvements have been made in the screening process, Agnes will be contacting all our volunteers starting with those in high risk ministries to update their police clearances. Thank you for your cooperation.

#### Shepherds' Trust

As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. As we celebrate the 175th anniversary of our Archdiocese, we honour the men who have been instruments of the "Foundations of our Faith". Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds' Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 18/19. Envelopes will be distributed the weekend of November 11/12.

This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it is a tangible way to care for those who always cared for us and give thanks for the blessings we have received through them. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

#### **Mass Intention**

#### Saturday (November 11)

5:00 PM +Manuel Fonte, +Joseph D'Souza, Thanksgiving of Avelino Lara

#### Sunday (November 12)

7:30 AM For the Parish Community 9:00 AM Open 11:00 AM Thanksgiving of RJ D'Souza and Family, +Willie & Andrew Culaba, +Emil Sampaga 12:30 PM +Lolita, Francisco, Cogo Susie

#### Monday (November 13)

7:00 PM Thanksgiving of Chicklette Masangkay

#### Tuesday (November 14)

7:30 AM +Surjanti Angriawan

#### Wednesday (November 15)

7:00 PM +Teresita Naluz

#### Thursday, (November 16)

7:30 AM +Romeo Mesina and family

#### Friday (November 17)

7:00 PM Thanksgiving of Troy & Judy De Souza

#### Saturday (November 18)

9:00 AM Deceased members of the Masangkay Family 5:00 PM +Christopher Colaco, +Inacin Pereira

If you want to offer Holy Mass for yourself or your Loved One, you can use the form on our parish website or contact Cecilia at the desk or at the parish office. Our Parish also accepts Mission Masses (also commonly known as unannounced masses). These Masses are offered by priests anywhere in the world. Please inquire at the desk.

Please continue to pray for our church building project, for the safety of all our construction workers.

#### **Parish Donation Envelopes**

We encourage everyone in the parish including those who are contributing via Credit Card or Pre-Authorized Giving to avail of the Donation Box of Envelopes. Please do not hesitate to approach Cecilia at the desk for your own box. Included in your Donation Envelope Box are the Sunday envelopes and other envelopes for special occasions such as Good Friday, Easter, and Christmas. For those who are contributing through the Donate Now or Pre-Authorized Giving, you can put an empty envelope into the collection basket and write PAG on it. It will address that feeling that as if you are not supporting the church when in fact you do via Credit Card or PAG. It will also create a teachable moment that encourage good stewardship for your child. You child enjoy putting the envelope into the basket. Thank you for your generosity!

#### How to calculate your Credit Card or PAG Donation

(Please note that Credit Card or PAG donation is charged to your account once a month. Credit card donation is processed every first day of the month. PAG is processed usually processed on the 22nd of each month. Suppose you intend to give a weekly donation of \$20 for the Offertory, your monthly donation should be \$87. If you add another \$20 as a monthly offering for the Building Fund, your total donation will be \$87 + \$20 = \$107)

Weekly Amount	Monthly Amount	Weekly Amount	Monthly Amount
\$5	\$22	\$35	\$152
\$10	\$43	\$40	\$173
\$20	\$87	\$50	\$217
\$25	\$108	\$75	\$325
\$30	\$130	\$100	\$433

#### ACTS Canada - Men's Retreat

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, 1617 Blythe Rd., Mississauga

The purpose of the weekend is for men to develop a new or deeper relationship with our Lord and with fellow retreatants through adoration, community, theology and service.

Sponsoring Parish: St. Martin of Tours, 1290 McBride Ave., Mississauga. CONTACT: Willy Klaudusz PHONE: 647-281-5990 EMAIL: wdlaudusz@gmail.com

Sunday Collection			
Offertory		3,280.15	
Building Fund		8,684.80	
St. Peter's Church		418.10	
Liturgical Fund		169.00	
Stipend	\$	220.00	
Confirmation	\$	105.00	
Missal	\$	8.00	
All Souls		1,434.25	
Religious Frames		80.00	
From the box		3.70	
Total	\$	14,403.00	

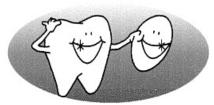
#### Regarding St. Peter's Mission Church

As you all know by now, we are returning St. Peter's Mission Church to the Diocese of Hamilton at the end of this month. Our last Mass will be on Monday, November 27, 2017 at 7 PM. We will miss this church as it has been part of our journey.

We ask all those who are holding a key to St. Peter's to return it to the parish by November 24. Thank you for your cooperation.

We were hoping for a smooth transition into the new church with regards to the Mass schedule, but it ain't going to be.

- The 9 AM Saturday morning Mass and the 7:30 Sunday Mass will be temporarily suspended until we move into the new church.
- Monday evening Masses will be held at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary School Chapel starting on December 4.
- There will be no Novena Masses (Simbang Gabi) for Christmas this year.



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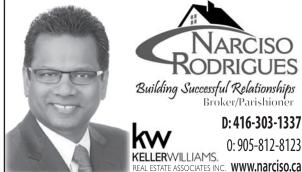
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