

ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA PARISH

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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Friday 9 AM to 6:00 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" (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.

All new parishioners are welcome to register. Registration forms are available at the entrance to our worship space on Sundays. You can also register online at:

www.stjosephinebakhita.org

Please do not forget to request for your box of Sunday Envelopes after you register. You may also wish to use the Pre-Authorized Form of Giving. Forms are available.

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) 821-2606

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

PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Mark Achilles Villanueva	Pastor
Rev. Michael Ho	Deacon
Rev. Gerry Steyn	Deacon
Sr. Necy Guan, Fdccc	Pastoral Assistant
Sr. Linda Carandang, Fdccc	Pastoral Assistant
Mrs. Fatima Chan	Secretary

MINISTRIES

Volunteer Coordinator	Anusha De Silva	Financial Council	
Children's Liturgy	Wilma Menezes	Chairperson	Tel de la Cruz
Eucharistic Ministers	Max de la Cruz	Fundraising Committee	
Lectors	Conrad Rodrigues	Chairperson	Roman Lim
Ushers	Miguel Basurto	Building Committee	
Altar Servers	Hartoni Ashali	Chairperson	Rita Borg
Choirs	Jamie Marr	St. Peter's Mission Church	
	Suzanne Pereira	Chairperson	JC Cadieux
	Raul Manzanares		
	Ronald Pasajol	Women at the Well	Anne-Marie Caister
Arts & Environment	Cora & Boyer del Rosario	Hospitality	Frank Amegah
Youth Ministry	Elisha Pinto		
	Ryan Mascarenhas	Knights of Columbus	Tony Ciuffo
Social Concerns	Patricia Scire		905-542-9883
Sacristans	James Amores	Daughters of Isabella	Rita Venantius
Home Visitation	Rebecca Poirier		905-824-7223
Sacramental Preparation		Couples for Christ	Toti Quijano
RCIC	Liza Capule		905-567-3236
RCIA	Roman Lim	Legion of Mary	Cristina Manzanares
First Reconciliation/Eucharist	Chanel D'Mello		905-812-0891
Confirmation	Clara Fernandes		

We celebrate Holy Mass at

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

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	9:00 AM
	11:00 AM
	12:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday, Thursday	7:30 AM
Wednesday, Friday	7:00 PM

St. Peter's Mission Church
Ninth Line, north of Britannia Road

SUNDAY MASSES

Sunday	7:30 AM
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WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday	7:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM

DEVOTIONS

- Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena every Wednesday after the 7 PM Holy Mass
- Chaplet of the Divine Mercy every Friday after the 7 PM Holy Mass
- Solemn Vespers and Benediction every First Friday at 7:30 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 PM or any time by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents who wish to have their children baptized must fill out a baptismal form to be submitted to the parish office. The baptism form is available on our parish website, at the parish office, or at the desk at the entrance to our worship space. We celebrate baptism during our Sunday Eucharists or anytime by agreement with the pastor.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest one year in advance. A marriage course is required. The wedding will either be held at Merciful Redeemer Church or at St. Peter's Mission Church.

Funerals

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

A BIG THANK YOU!!!

On behalf of the Parish Community and the Daughters of Isabella, thank you to all who supported our Annual International Food Festival Dance. Thank you to all who donated Food, Time, and Talent to make this event successful. Although it is part of our effort to raise money for our Building Fund, it is ultimately the building of camaraderie and friendship that we hope to achieve. Again, from the bottom of our hearts, we are very grateful for your generous support.

SHEPHERDS' TRUST

As parishioners, we have reaped the benefits of our priests' unselfish service to ourselves and our families for generations. Called by God and consecrated to the priesthood to care for His people, they have faithfully served and continue to serve our families, in our churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on our streets.

The collection for the Shepherds' Trust will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese on November 17 & 18. Envelopes will be distributed this weekend.

The Shepherds' Trust does more than just bridge the gap in our priests' retirement years; it says thank you in a very tangible way for the blessings we have received. Your generosity on November 17 and 18 is deeply appreciated.



Congratulations to our Altar Servers' Awardee this year

Orintan Arulnesan, Rainer Hans, Raphael Maliwat, Reshma Mathew, Rianna Mathew

Mass Intention

Saturday (November 10)
5:00 PM +Nelly Pujiardi, +Avelina Buktaw, Thanksgiving of Alfredo & Luz Nieto

Sunday (November 11)
7:30 AM For the Parish Community
9:00 AM +Julia & Jose Cabral, Thanksgiving of Avelino Lara
11:00 AM +Joseph D'Souza, +Martin Fernandes, +Gregorio Quiaot
12:30 PM +Alain Nkenda

Monday (November 12)
7:00 PM For our Beloved Dead

Tuesday (November 13)
7:30 AM Thanksgiving of Chicklette Masangkay

Wednesday (November 14)
7:00 PM For our Beloved Dead

Thursday (November 15)
7:30 For our Beloved dead

Friday (November 16)
7:00 PM For our Beloved Dead

Saturday (November 17)
9:00 AM For our Parish Benefactors

Thank you for supporting our Building Fund
\$1,175,086.10

Voices for Christ

An advent church choir singing competition organized by the Knights of Columbus is taking place Saturday, November 17th, 7 to 10 PM at St. Joseph Secondary School, 5555 Creditview Rd. Tickets are \$5 per person and are available after Mass or at the door that evening. Refreshments are available for purchase before and and at the intermission.

Second Chance Ministry

If you helped someone to have an abortion or have had one yourself and feel depressed and guilty because of it, help is available. Please contact Rev. Vince Heffernan at Second Chance Ministry at 416-261-7135, ext. 279 or email info@secondchanceministry.ca.

**Dominican Seminars for “Vatican II:
Continuing the Conversation”**

November 15, 22, 29, 2012
St. Dominic’s Church, 625 Atwater Avenue,
Mississauga.

You are invited! As the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of Vatican II continues, join Dominican Seminars for “Vatican II: Continuing the Conversation” exploring how the council documents presented a vision of renewal and challenge us to continue that vision today.

Mary Ellen Chown M.Ed., M.Div. will facilitate. Please join us for 3 Thursdays from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Cost is \$20.00. Prepaid registration is required.

Please email to dominicanseminars@gmail.com for a registration form (or find them at St. Dominic’s Church Office, 625 Atwater Avenue, Mississauga). Cheques to be made payable to Dominican Institute of High Park.

**CCBI 2012 Annual Lecture:
High Quality, High Value – Hospice Palliative
Care in Ontario**

December 5, 2012 – 7:00 p.m.

Father Robert Madden Auditorium in Carr Hall, 100 St Joseph Street, University of St. Michael’s College,
Toronto.

Rick Firth, Executive Director, Hospice Palliative Care Ontario, will be speaking on the topic of High Quality, High Value – Hospice Palliative Care in Ontario.

All are welcome to this free event. For more information please call the Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute at 416-926-2335 or email bioethics.usmc@utoronto.ca
www.ccbi-utoronto.ca.

Total Offerings last weekend

Offertory Collection	\$3,023.87
Building Fund	\$3,595.70
St. Peter’s Church	\$555.19
Wednesday Collection	\$78.12
Mass Stipend	\$1,344.50
Confirmation	\$375.00
Beads and Things	\$235.00
Sunday Missals	\$573.00
Baptism	\$75.00
Donation from the Mediterranean Cruise	\$5,000.00
Total	\$14,855.38

**A Come and See Weekend with the Missionary
Oblates**

November 9 -11, 2012
Ottawa, Ontario.

For men between the ages of 18 and 40. Take some time with us to explore the possibility of life as a religious brother or priest.

The Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate are a Roman Catholic religious order of men working across Canada and in over 65 countries. We are brothers and priests, modeling our lives on that of our Founder, St. Eugene de Mazenod. We are dedicated to spreading God's love in the world: Through our life in community. At the service of the poor. In union with the local dioceses where we live. In collaboration with men and women of all faiths.

The weekend will begin on Friday at 7:00 p.m. and finish on Saturday at 7:00 p.m. Accommodation and food are provided. There is no charge for the retreat.

For more information or to register contact Br. David MacPhee OMI at 613-325-8991 or Rev. Ken Thorson OMI at 587-985-3553 or vocations@omilacombe.ca.



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