



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
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The International Food Festival

When : Friday November 18, 2016 at 6 pm
 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

Contact: Yasmin Tissa at sjbdoi.1430@gmail.com

Wanted: Volunteers from Portugal, China, Latin America, and any other country to make and sell food from their respective regions. For more information, please contact any of the Daughters of Isabella or call Yasmin. at 416-756-1414

Share your blessings with those who have
 none
 on the weekend of October 9/10
 All the food collected will go to support the Eden
 Food Bank



October is the month of Our Blessed Mother

Come and join the Legion of Mary
 on Monday, October 10, 2016 (Thanksgiving Day)
 with Holy Mass at 9 AM and the Recitation of the four Mysteries of the Rosary at 10 AM.
 at St. Peter's Mission Church on the Ninth Line
 Please bring your own flowers for the Floral offering



Women's Fall Retreat Weekend

October 21 to 22
 Queen of Apostles
 1617 Blythe Rd., Mississauga
 Conference-style weekends based on scripture. Time is scheduled for personal reflection and prayer.
 For further information or to register PHONE: 905-278-5229

Mass Intention

Saturday (October 1)

5:00PM +Maria Espiritu, Thanksgiving of Bertrand Family

Sunday (October 2)

7:30 AM For the Parish community
 9:00 AM + Virginia Ciufu, +Theresa Fernandez
 11:00 AM +Caridad Cabonce, +Lauro & Emilia Lobentino, Special Intention of Eleanor Fedee
 12:30 PM +Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, +Felizardo Bucal

Monday (October 3)

7:00 PM Special Intention of Michele Mascarenhas

Tuesday (October 4)

7:30 AM +Feliza Singson

Wednesday (October 5)

7:00 PM +Rufina Manuel

Thursday, (October 6)

7:30 AM +Socorro Singson

Friday (October 7)

9:00 AM Open

Saturday (October 8)

9:00 AM For our Parish Benefactors

5:00 PM +Susan Poole, +Olinda Teixeira

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.

Would you like to do ministry at Viva Retirement Living and/or at Credit Valley Hospital?
 Please contact Fr. Mark or Rebecca Guillermo for more information

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We invite all the children in our parish to participate in the Children's Liturgy at any of our Sunday Eucharist



The Children's Liturgy Ministry is also looking for catechists and volunteers. Adults 18 and over are invited to become catechists and will receive training. It is a great ministry working with young people and commitment is half an hour every 4-5 weeks during the Saturday/Sunday Mass that you attend. Students in Grade 7 and above who are looking for volunteer hours can sign up as a student volunteer with this ministry. For more information, please call or text Maria at 647-542-8132 or email at maria_amalsad@gmail.com

Workshop on the Liturgy of the Word with Children

This two hour workshop will provide volunteers with hands-on skills and an overview of this wonderful ministry with children. During Sunday Mass, we send the children out to hear the Gospel proclaimed in words they can understand. This is not a time for crafts - the children are still in worship and need the opportunity to hear and discuss the Gospel message.

Monday, October 3, 2016 at St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish, 11 Peter Street South, Mississauga, ON L5H 2G1

Organized by the Office of Formation for Discipleship.



As a gift of Lydia de Castro to our parish community before she died, we were able to acquire a statue of Our Lady of Fatima. The statue came from an old church in the United States that was closed down. It was restored thanks to Lydia's generosity. The statue will be enshrined at St. Peter's until our new church is built.

OFFERING	
Offertory	\$ 2,900.85
Building fund	\$ 863.10
St. Peter's Church	\$ 358.93
Liturgical Fund	\$ 132.00
Stipend	\$ 220.00
Religious Frames	\$ 100.00
Social Concern	\$ 20.00
Bishops' Collection	\$ 927.05
Annual Pilgrimage	\$ 1,500.00
From the box	\$ 13.07
Total Offerings	\$ 7,035.00

CHURCH PEWS

We are now in the process of raising funds for the purchase of pews for our church.



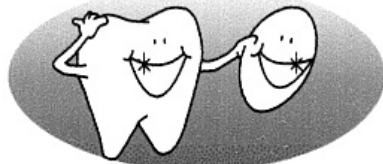
Pews have to be ordered one year in advance.

Since we are expecting our new church to be opened by Christmas of 2017, it is now time for us to have these pews ordered. If you are interested in sponsoring a pew as a memorial for your Loved Ones or as Thanksgiving Offering of your whole family, please contact Fr. Mark or Choy and Cris Sia. Thank you for your generosity!

The Farmer's Almanac predicts that we may have a very cold winter, pray that God may give us great weather so that our building project will continue as scheduled. Prayers works mountains.

We encourage everyone to financially support our Building Project. Make a pledge. Whatever amount you can offer will be gratefully appreciated.

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for organizing the Life Chain this Sunday October 2 at the corner of Thomas and Winston Churchill



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