HOLY FAMILY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

60 Allan Drive, Bolton, Ontario L7E 1P7 Office: 905-857-1938 email: churchbolton@gmail.com https://holyfamilybo.archtoronto.org

PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Andrew Cyruk, Pastor Rev. Joseph Nguyen, Associate Pastor Robert Suthers, Deacon Lydia Rogers, Secretary Eric Luscombe, Youth Minister Catherine Baldassare, Office Assistant Aisling, Danielle, Diego, Maria, Student Staff

MASS TIMES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. First Saturday of the month

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.

Monday & Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 10:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:15 p.m.

DAY TIME OFFICE HOURS:

BAPTISM:

Please contact the parish office. Parents of children to be baptised are expected to be registered parishioners. If you are not registered here, please provide a permission letter from your pastor.

MARRIAGE:

Couples, wishing to be married, must themselves contact the Pastor at least one full year in advance. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.

VISITATION OF THE SICK:

Anyone who cannot attend Mass with us in the Church, because of illness, handicap or age, or anyone who wishes to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick), please call the Parish Office. Please notify us of any hospitalizations so that we may visit.

PARISH SCHOOLS:

Holy Family Elementary S. 905-857-1300 St. Pope John Paul II Elementary S. 905-857-4241 St. John the Baptist Elementary S. 905-951-8788 St. Nicholas Elementary S. 905-857-7582 St. Michael Secondary S. 905-951-8935

NEW PARISHIONERS AND REGISTRATION:

If you are new to the Parish, or have not yet completed a Registration Form, please email the parish office. Completed forms may be emailed or placed in the colletion basket.

WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH MINISTRIES

PARISH MINISTRIES and COMMITTEES			RCIA		Denyse Hinca	905-857-1938
Altar Servers	Fr. Joseph Nguyen		RCIC		Maureen Cicinell	i 905-857-1938
Choirs:			Share Life	Co-Chairs:	Diana Ciarlandin	i 905-857-3287
5:00 Saturday Music	Jolène Sunseri	905-859-2719			Frank D'Ettore	905-951-9665
8:30 Organist	Anatoly Ivchenko	416-669-5274	Shepherds' Trust			1-877-875-0771 Ext.652
10:00 Organist	Anatoly Ivchenko	416-725-7202	•	Committee	•	905-857-1938
12:00 Pianist	Joe, Chris	416-201-2487	You Tube Chanel		David	303 037 1330
Eucharistic Ministers	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134	Tou Tube Ci	ilalici	David	
Finance Council	Gina Conte, Chair				PRAYER GRO	DUPS
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Pastoral Care Group	Rosemary Shoemaker	905-857-6951			ORGANIZATIONS	
Property Committee	John Florian, Vince Limina & Steve Onisto		Knights of (Columbus	George Viteri	416-433-0892

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SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

December 5th, 2021

"The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy."

Psalter II



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SUNDAY MASS

Sunday is a Day of Thanksgiving. Eucharist means thanks. It is right and just to give thanks to the Lord our God, and the Mass is the best prayer to offer thanks. God graciously blesses us with everything that we have: life and health, food and shelter, family and friends, intellect and talents, opportunity and resources - and faith.

These gifts are so awesome that we ought to be overflowing with gratitude and eager to give our thanks and praise. The ideal is to give thanks every day. Weekly thanksgiving is an awesome way to start the new week!

COMMUNION AT MASS

Communion procedures are unchanged despite the lessening of restrictions in other areas. Both the person distributing communion and the communicant must be fully masked.

Once the communicant receives the Eucharist, they are to move two meters (six feet) away, safely remove their mask, consume the Eucharist, replace their mask, and then proceed back to their pew.

COVID 19 PROTOCOLS

All Covid 19 protocols remain in place. Masks remain mandatory, as does 2 metre distancing. Please follow all our staff instructions for seating and the receiving of Holy Communion.





OFFICE HOURS

The office and church will now be open Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. Telephone messages and emails will continue to be monitored regularly.

THE ONGOING JOURNEY



To Healing and Reconciliation

We continue to pray with and for our indigenous peoples as we journey with them. We pray for the proposed visit by Pope Francis to Canada. Please visit the Archdiocese of Toronto website for further details.

STEWARDSHIP

"Be on guard," Jesus warns in today's Gospel, "lest your spirits become bloated with indulgence." Let us heed his warning and follow the advise of St. Paul, conducting ourselves in a way pleasing to God, overflowing with love for one another.

2022 "LIVING WITH CHRIST" MISSALS

Available in the office \$7.00 each

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE



Christmas Eve

Friday December 24th 4:00pm, 6:00pm, 10:00pm, Midnight (No 10:00am Mass)

Christmas Day

Saturday December 25th
10:00am and 12:00noon
(No 5:00pm mass)

Seating at the Christmas Eve and Christmas Day masses by reservation.

Please email: hfmassreservation@amail.com

Feast of the Holy Family

Sunday December 26th 8:30am, 10:00am and 12:00 noon

Seating on Sunday December 26th first come, first seated.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES

The 2022 collection envelopes are available following Sunday masses and during weekday office hours. Many thanks for your ongoing support of the parish!

PASTORAL CARE TO THE HOMEBOUND/SHUT IN

At this time, we are still unable to take communion to the homebound and shut in. However, a visit by a priest can be arranged. Please call the parish office, 905-857-1938.

WHY PARTNER WITH CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN OUTREACH



Catholic Christian Outreach is a university student movement dedicated to evangelization. We challenge students to live in the fullness of the Catholic faith, while placing a strong emphasis on becoming leaders for the renewal of the world.

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To donate online visit: cco.ca/greta

AN ADVENT DAY OF RECOLLECTION ST. Francis Centre 208501 Highway 9 Caledon, Ontario.

Saturday, December 11th 2021 9:30am - 2:30pm Eucharist

Registration begins at 9:30 am. The conference is limited to 24 participants, please call ahead to register. The cost is \$40.00pp and includes a hot lunch. Contact Lina at 519-941-1747. The facilitator is Fr. Frank Carpinelli.



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New parish email: holyfamilybo@archtoronto.org

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY TRAINING

New and seasoned parish bereavement ministers and volunteers are invited to join us for an interactive, faith-based educational and spiritual learning opportunity. Tuesdays January 18, 25, February 1, 8, 15 & 22, 2022. No cost.

Registrants are required to participate in all online sessions and complete prehomework to complete and receive full training. Register online at: http://bit.ly/BT-RegisterJanFeb2022 by January 14th, 2022. For further information, please call Sally Amaral, 416-934-3400, ext. 518 or email: samaral@archtoronto.org.



New EDGE Night! Mondays @ 7:00pm



Saturdays
Following 5:00 pm Mass

PARENT LIFE

Keeping Christ in Christmas

Please join us on Wednesday December 8th following the 7:00pm mass for parental community, discussions, and tips on keeping our families Catholic!

VOCATIONS

Could God be calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother, or sister to help our world of today to truly prepare the way of the Lord"?

Contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto, at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

SICK LIST

We pray for those who are isolated, lonely or marginalized, or impacted by COVID 19 and their families.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions can be arranged through the parish office.

Please call 905-857-1938.



†Claire Charette Requested by Denyse Hinca Tuesday December 7th, 10:00 am For students & staff at St. Michael's CSS Requested by SMCS Chaplaincy Wednesday December 8th, 7:00 pm For health & family reconciliation Requested by a parishioner Thursday December 9th, 10:00 am †Olivo Pevato Requested by Jean Pevato Friday December 10th, 10:00 am †Mary Sheardown Requested by Denyse Hinca Saturday December 11th 5:00 pm †Maria Ricciuto Requested by Lillian Ricciuto Sunday December 12th, 5:00 pm 8:30 am †Elena Bongiorno Requested by Lina & Gabriel Aiello 10:00 am †Gladys & Alex Perch Requested by Olivia Perch **12:00 pm** For all parishioners

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(December 1st - December 7th) Special Intention Infusino Family & Morone Family In thanksgiving to the Madonna Alda Scapone

I am taught to treat my neighbour as myself. Not to lie or steal. To honour my parents. Straight forward, yet I look for loopholes. Just who are my neighbours.? Do white lies count? What if my parents don't honour me? Help me simplify my obedience instead of complicating it. Remind me that I don't always have to find a better way. Your way, dear God. is the only way.



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