

# HOLY FAMILY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor  
Rev. Joseph Antoniappa (Lazar), Associate Pastor  
Robert Suthers, Deacon  
Lydia Rogers, Secretary  
Eric Luscombe, Youth Minister  
Catherine Ecker, Catechist  
Catherine Baldassare, Parish Outreach

## MASS TIMES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
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.  
Thursday Rosary: 2:00 p.m.

## RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:15 p.m.

## DAY TIME OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Monday to Thursday: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

## BAPTISM:

Please approach one of the parish priests, after Sunday mass only, for a Baptism Preparation Package. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized are expected to be members of our Parish Community.

## 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
RF Hall	Secondary S.	905-584-1670

## NEW PARISHIONERS AND REGISTRATION:

If you are new to the Parish, or have not yet completed a Registration Form, do take one from the rack in front of the office window. Completed forms may be handed into the office or put into the collection basket.

## WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH MINISTRIES

### PARISH MINISTRIES and COMMITTEES

<b>Altar Servers</b>	Deacon Robert Suthers	905-729-3974
<b>Choirs:</b>		
5:00 Saturday Choir	Jolène Sunseri	905-859-2719
8:30 Choir	Anatoly Ivchenko	416-669-5274
10:00 Choir	Nicholas Cifelli	416-725-7202
12:00 Choir	Joe Wojewoda	416-201-2487
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134
<b>Justice Committee</b>	Carmel Hili	905-857-4328
<b>Lectors</b>	Michele Steko	647-222-9702
<b>Pastoral Care Group</b>	Rosemary Shoemaker	905-857-6951
<b>Property Committee</b>	John Florian & Vince Limina	
<b>R.C.I.A.</b>	Catherine Ecker	905-857-1938
<b>Share Life</b> Co-Chairs:	Diana Ciarlandini	905-857-3287
	Frank D'Ettore	905-951-9665

<b>Shepherds' Trust</b>	Mike Stapleton	1-877-875-0771 Ext.652
<b>Stewardship Committee</b>	Lydia Rogers	905-857-1938
<b>Ushers</b>	Gabrielle Suthers	905-729-3974

### PRAYER GROUPS

<b>Charismatic Prayer Group</b>	Betty-Anne Folkard	905-951-7273
<b>Rosary Group</b>	Rick Arnold	908-880-0326

### ORGANIZATIONS

<b>Catholic Women's League</b>		
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	John Ranieri	416-219-9898



# ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018

*"God mounts the throne to shouts of joy:  
a blare of trumpets for the Lord."*

*Psalter Week III*



## FEAST OF PENTECOST

May 19<sup>th</sup> /20<sup>th</sup>

**Wear Red!!**

Pentecost Sunday marks the end of the Easter season. We celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles and the beginning of the Church. This day is often described as the 'birthday of the church'.

All parishioners are invited to add to our celebration of Pentecost by wearing red to church. There are many different shades of red – this vibrant colour and its different shades will be a visual reminder to us of the diversity of our God given gifts and talents.

### Make Us Witnesses

As we prepare to celebrate Pentecost you are invited to pray this prayer:

*Good and gracious God, you who promised us the power of the Holy Spirit to make us witnesses throughout the world, renew that power in us. Make us eloquent when we speak of your kingdom, and convincing in our deeds. Trusting in you to fulfill your promises and looking forward to your reign, we ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, your son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen*

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### CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

The advertising for our church bulletin will begin in June 2018 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Please call Liturgical Publications, at 1-800-268-2637.

### NO SCENTS

**MAKES GOOD SENSE!**

Thank you for not wearing perfume and scented products to the church.



**To all mothers  
and those who love us  
with a mother's love!**

### BECOMING ONE BODY IN CHRIST

**Third Annual St. John 23<sup>rd</sup> Lecture**

**Sunday May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**St. Elizabeth Seton Parish**

**17955 Leslie Street, Newmarket**

You are invited to gather for Evening Prayer followed by a Keynote presentation on **Resurrection and Life: A Mystagogy on the Sacraments of Initiation**. Our speaker, Rita Ferrone, is a recognized leader in the ministries of Christian Initiation in the U.S. She is the author of several books - practical guidelines and resources for parishes, including **Foundations in Faith**, and **Living the Eucharist**, and is a frequent speaker at conferences and workshops. She also comments regularly on international church affairs in **Commonwealth** magazine, and blogs at Pray Tell.

Rita will lead us in reflecting on how we understand what God has done for us in the sacraments of new life. What are their lasting effects and enduring promises? How do they call us to live as one in Christ? Come and explore the Christian mysteries "so deep, we cannot see the end of them."

We begin at 6:45 pm and conclude with light refreshments at 9:00 pm. There is no registration fee, however, a free will offering is appreciated. To assist with preparations, please contact St. Elizabeth Seton Parish, 905-835-5009 to register, or email: [st.elizabethseton@rogers.com](mailto:st.elizabethseton@rogers.com). Any Questions may be directed to Catherine Ecker, parish catechist at [catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca).

Parents wishing to baptize their children at Holy Family are invited to approach either Fr. Larry, Fr. Joseph, or Deacon Robert after any of the Sunday masses to obtain a Baptism package.

### BAPTISM FOR CHILDREN IN SCHOOL

Baptism is the first sacrament of Initiation and it is the sacrament that prepares us to celebrate Confirmation and First Eucharist. If your child is not baptized, or if your child was baptized in another Christian church (Anglican, Lutheran, etc.) and you would like your child to be a member of the Catholic Church, please call the parish, 905-857-1938 and leave a message for Catherine Ecker, parish catechist, or by email: [catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca)

### REMINDER: RETREATS FOR CONFIRMATION

**May 16<sup>th</sup> and May 17<sup>th</sup>**

All young people preparing to celebrate Confirmation are asked to consult the list in the parish hall for retreat dates. All retreats are from 4:00 – 9:00 pm and are for candidates only (no parents or sponsors). Remember that retreats are cell phone (electronic free zones). Please attend the date that has been assigned. For any questions or concerns, please contact Catherine Ecker, parish catechist at: [catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca).

### VOCATIONS

Before the Ascension, Jesus tells his Apostles not to leave Jerusalem - to wait, to pray for the Holy spirit to show them God's will for their future Where is the Holy Spirit leading you?

If you feel that you are being led to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Chris Lemieux, vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-968-0997.



### Living the Gospel by supporting mental health wellness

In 2016, over 2,000 people accessed individual, couple and family counselling at Catholic Family Services of Peel-Dufferin, a ShareLife funded agency. Often, clients sought help to address depression.

Given that depression has replaced back injury as the number one reason for absenteeism at work, these services are helping clients maintain employment and stay out of poverty. By supporting ShareLife agencies like CFA Peel-Dufferin, you are helping people find health and happiness.

**PARISH GOAL = \$80,000.00**  
**Donations to date = \$34,000.00**

**May 27<sup>th</sup> is the next ShareLife Sunday**  
**Please give generously!**

### MOMS & TOTS

Moms, Dads and caregivers with babies and toddlers are invited very Wednesday morning, from 9:30am - 12:00 noon for refreshments and fellowship. Please join Deacon Robert and his wife Gabrielle for fun, frivolity and a "cuppa". Bring the kids. We have a great selection of toys and refreshments.



**Summer is coming and so is Holydays!**

**Registration is open online. Please visit our new website: <https://holyfamilybo@archtoronto.org>**

**SANCTUARY LAMPS**  
(May 9<sup>th</sup> - May 15<sup>th</sup>)  
For All Mothers  
Ima Petrucci

### BIRTHRIGHT BRAMPTON BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN



Birthright Brampton's Annual Baby Bottle Campaign is our main fundraiser. Please take a few moments to sign out a bottle today after mass and take it home so you can fill your bottle with loose change, bills, or a cheque and return it the weekend of June 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup>

Tax receipts will be issued for any cheques over \$15.00 For cash amounts, please request a receipt; in either case, please be sure to provide your mailing address. Contact Birthright Brampton at 905-874-0607. Credit card donations can be made through: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/birthright-brampton/>. Thank You



**The EDGE is open to students in Grades 6, 7, 8.**  
**Fridays at 7:00 pm**



**Saturdays 5:00pm Mass**  
**Life Night follows**  
**Follow us on [instagram@hfyouthministry](https://www.instagram.com/hfyouthministry)**

### ROOTED

**For kids in Grades 3, 4, 5**  
**Wednesdays**  
**4:30 - 6:00 pm**

### DAY OF REFLECTION

**For Catholic Parents of Lesbian Daughters & Gay Sons**

Please join us, Saturday June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm, at Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre, in Pickering. The cost is \$40.00/pp and includes lunch. For brochure and information, call John Montague, 416-523-6449.

### CHURCH PARKING

We welcome all visitors, friends and family to Holy Family Church, especially during Easter season! However, we ask that parking etiquette and safety regulations be observed.



**Please, do not park in the fire access routes, in the handicapped spaces, or on the grass.** Additional parking is available at both Holy Family School and the plaza across the street.



### MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday May 14<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm**

†Francesco Polsinelli  
Requested by the Polsinelli Family

**Tuesday May 15<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

†Joyce Boyd  
Requested by Denyse Hinca

**Wednesday May 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm**

†Robert Morra  
Requested by Mr & Mrs Lodato  
†Sharon Wiley

Requested by Bette-Ann Folkard

†Rosolino & Luigi Lombardi

Requested by Rosaria Lombardi

†Rubin Romero Salvagno

Requested by Adriana Romero  
†Paulina Siminski, Janina & Jerzy Nowicki and Thea Tompkins

Requested by Grace & Dave

†Daniel Dame & Fernand Dame

Requested by the Dixon Family

**Thursday May 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

†Carl & Mary Finlay

Requested by Ann Olejniczak

**Friday May 18<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am**

Rick & Moira Dale, Special Intention

Requested by Trudi & Larry Ryan

**Saturday May 19<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm

**Sunday May 20<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 noon

**Say not only, "God help me".  
But say too, "God, through me, help others."**

*Courtesy of Prayables*

**Smile! God is with you!!**



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