

# HOLY FAMILY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor  
Rev. David Gikonyo IMC, Associate Pastor  
Robert Suthers, Deacon  
Lydia Rogers, Secretary  
Stephanie Benedetti, Youth Minister  
Catherine Ecker, Catechist  
Neil Pereira, Seminarian

## 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
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	Jolene Sunseri	905-859-2719
10:00 Choir	Angela Hay	905-951-2920
12:00 Choir	Nicholas Cifelli	
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134
<b>Justice Committee</b>	Carmel Hilli	905-857-4328
<b>Lectors</b>	Michele Steko	416-587-3665
<b>Pastoral Care Group</b>	Molly Jakeman	905-857-1053
<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'Etto	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>	Margaret Mazza	905-857-3475

### ORGANIZATIONS

<b>Catholic Women's League</b>		
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	Dennis Busca	905-857-3865



# THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015

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

*Psalter Week II*



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

## CELEBRATING THE LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN New Leaders are Welcome!

We will celebrate a separate Liturgy of the Word with children on **October 24<sup>th</sup> during the 5:00 pm mass and October 25<sup>th</sup> during the 12:00 noon mass.** All children between the ages of 4 and 8 are welcome to participate. The children and leaders are sent after the Opening Prayer to celebrate a separate Liturgy of the Word. They return during the Preparation of the Gifts.

If you are interested in becoming a leader, or have any questions, please contact Catherine, parish catechist at: [Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca)

## STEWARDSHIP

Today's psalm says, "the Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy." Good stewards demonstrate by their living and giving that they understand God as the Source of all they are and have.

**No peace?  
No God.  
Know God.  
Know peace!**

## PREPARING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2016 Parent Catechetical Meeting #1 Reminder!

All parents who have formally registered their child to prepare for first sharing in Holy Communion are reminded to attend the parent catechetical meeting on **Thursday November 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 pm, OR Sunday November 15<sup>th</sup>, at 2:00 pm.** This meeting is for parents only. The first family book will be distributed at this meeting.

## VITAMIN 'F' Faith Nourishment Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2015

During November we celebrate the feast of All Saints on November 1<sup>st</sup> and All Souls on November 2<sup>nd</sup>. On Tuesday November 3<sup>rd</sup>, the topic for vitamin 'F' will be Purgatory. We will gather at 7:15 pm for refreshments and conclude by 9:00 pm.

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Celebrate Your Marriage

Married couples: you deserve a weekend to cherish being together, to rediscover each other and focus on ways to make your relationship even better. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend offers this opportunity. Consider giving each other, or another couple you know, the gift of a weekend away from daily pressures, a time to be with each other and with God. The next weekend encounter is November 20<sup>th</sup> -22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015. For further details, please go to [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org), or contact Gerard and/or Marge McCauley at [Gerard.marge@rogers.com](mailto:Gerard.marge@rogers.com), or call, 905-792-1925.



## A PRAYER FOR HALLOWE'EN

*God, we are excited about dressing up for Hallowe'en. Bless our trick or treating and keep us safe. Bless the homes we visit and the people who give us treats. We pray in Jesus' name, the friend of children. Amen*  
*(Adapted from Let's Pray, Prayers for the Elementary Classroom, by Heather Reid, Novalis 2007)*

## ALL SAINTS DAY Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup>

At your family meal, light a candle and remember your family members who have died. Thank God for the gifts they shared with you and together ask them to pray for you.  
For example: St. Elizabeth, *pray for us.*

## ALL SOULS DAY Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>

Throughout November, we pray for those who have died. Although the falling leaves and shorter days can create pictures of death, we know that Jesus, in his resurrection, has destroyed death for all time. During this month, you are invited to light a candle when you gather for a meal or family prayer and to include a prayer for those who have died, including those who have no one to pray for them. A traditional prayer for those who have died is:

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May their souls and the souls of all the  
faithful departed, through the mercy of  
God, rest in peace. Amen.*



## PROJECT HOPE REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP

In response to the global refugee crisis, Cardinal Thomas Collins has launched "Project Hope", a special emergency appeal. This 100-day campaign aims to raise \$3 million in order to settle 100 refugee families in the Archdiocese of Toronto, as soon as possible. The effort will also require 100 volunteer committees to assist with settlement services. To make a donation to support the appeal, visit [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org), or call, 416-934-3411. You can also donate through our parish with a cheque made payable to: **Holy Family Parish-Project Hope-Refugee Sponsorship**. We continue to pray for all those suffering, mindful of our call to welcome the stranger in our midst. Those interested in assisting with volunteer committees should contact the Office For Refugees at 647-780-0827.

## MOMS & TOTS

Moms, Dads and caregivers with babies and toddlers are invited every Wednesday morning, from 9:30 am - 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!



## SAVE THE DATE!

### Defending the Faith Conference

July 29<sup>th</sup> - 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016  
Franciscan University  
Steubenville, Ohio  
Registration is now open.

Talking about God  
isn't about  
imposing beliefs,  
but rather,  
about sharing  
the joy of faith.

*Pope Francis*



## Fridays at 7:00pm

The Edge is open to all students  
in grades 5, 6 and 7.

We are looking for dedicated adults  
with guitar and vocal experience  
to augment our core team.  
Please speak with Stephanie.



## Saturdays 5:00pm Mass

Life Teen is open to all  
high school students.

All high school teens  
are invited to join in  
our Life Teen retreat,  
December 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>.  
Registration forms available  
in the parish office.

## WORLD YOUTH DAY Krakow, Poland July 2016



Updated information packages, with new  
pricing are available in the parish office.

## VOCATIONS

"You shall love the Lord your God  
with all your heart, and with all your  
soul, and with all your mind." Live in  
that love in consecrated life or  
priesthood. Is God calling you to  
service as a sister, brother, deacon  
or priest? If so, contact 416-968-  
0997, or email:  
[vocations@vocations.ca](mailto:vocations@vocations.ca).

## WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT WEEKEND

A women's Fall retreat Weekend is  
being offered at Queen of Apostles  
Renewal Centre in Mississauga,  
November 20<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>. The theme is:  
**Become an Icon of Jesus**. The retreat  
will be facilitated by the Centre team.  
For further information, or to register,  
please call 905-278-5229.



## Mass Intentions

### Monday October 26<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm

†Lidio Mazzotta

Requested by his family

### Tuesday October 27<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am

†Sharon McLean

Requested by Karen & Julio DiCresce

### Wednesday October 28<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm

†John & Annette O'Toole

Requested by Marie Sommers

†William Southon

Requested by Guy Léger

In Thanksgiving to St. Jude

Requested Anna

### Thursday October 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am

In thanksgiving for Gino's Birthday

Requested by Anna

### Friday October 30<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am

†Maria & Francesco Infusino

Requested by Vittoria Moretto

### Saturday October 31<sup>st</sup>

5:00 pm

### Sunday November 1<sup>st</sup>

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

## SANCTUARY LAMPS

(October 21<sup>st</sup> - October 27<sup>th</sup>)

Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic  
Shirley Wakeman  
Letitia Grant  
Ezio Ravenna

It is easy to say:

"I love God."

It is easy to say,

"I am a Christian."

But Jesus challenges us  
to prove it.

Our love of neighbour  
is the proof  
that we love God.

*Matthew Kelly*  
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