

# 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  
Julia Coffa, Youth Minister  
Catherine Ecker, Catechist

## 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

Altar Servers	Deacon Robert Suthers	905-729-3974
Choirs:		
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
Eucharistic Ministers	Denyse Hinca	905-857-2134
Justice Committee	Carmel Hili	905-857-4328
Lectors	Michele Steko	647-222-9702
Pastoral Care Group	Rosemary Shoemaker	905-857-6951
Property Committee	John Florian & Vince Limina	
R.C.I.A.	Catherine Ecker	905-857-1938
Share Life Co-Chairs:	Diana Ciarlandini	905-857-3287
	Frank D'Ettore	905-951-9665

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

### PRAYER GROUPS

Charismatic Prayer Group	Betty-Anne Folkard	905-951-7273
Rosary Group	Margaret Mazza	905-857-3475

### ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Women's League		
Knights of Columbus	John Ranieri	416-473-2852



# TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2016

*"Praise the Lord  
who lifts up the poor."*

*Psalter Week I*



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.

### 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 contact Catherine Ecker, 905-857-1938, or email: [catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca).

### STEWARDSHIP

The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell?

### PRAYER GROUP

The prayer group will resume meeting following the 7:00 pm mass, on Monday September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016. All are welcome to join us for prayer, praise and fellowship.

### MUSICIANS NEEDED!



Do you enjoy singing and praising God with song? If so, you are invited to join the 12:00 noon choir. We practice every Wednesday at 6:00 pm and would welcome new members! For further information, please speak with Joe after mass, or email: [jwoje@rogers.com](mailto:jwoje@rogers.com).

### YEAR OF MERCY



One of the spiritual works of mercy is to forgive others who have harmed us. Each time we pray the Lord's Prayer, we say, "forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us." As disciples, we are called to reflect God's mercy through our words and actions. One way to practice reflecting God's mercy is to experience God's mercy ourselves in the sacrament of Reconciliation. When we have experienced God's mercy we will be able to reflect it to our family and strangers.

### CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Wedding Anniversaries in September

We know that the wedding day for a couple is filled with joy, anticipation and hope. The sacrament of marriage begins on the wedding day and then for the rest of their lives, the couple learns how to live the sacrament. The married couples in our parish are a sign to us of God's faithfulness and through their witness we are strengthened. If you have celebrated a wedding anniversary in September, we shall pray with you and share in your joy on Saturday September 24<sup>th</sup>, at 5:00 pm, or on Sunday September 25<sup>th</sup>, at 8:30 am, 10:00 am and 12:00 noon. We thank God for the gift of the married couples in our midst.

### CELEBRATING LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

We will celebrate Liturgy of the Word with Children on September 24<sup>th</sup> and October 1<sup>st</sup>, during the 5:00pm Mass and September 25<sup>th</sup> and October 2<sup>nd</sup> during the 12 noon Mass. All children between the ages of 4 and 8 are invited 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 questions, please contact Catherine, at [catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca)



### Final Parish Total

**\$83,149.28**

**Thank you all  
for your generosity!**

### PREPARING YOUNG PEOPLE TO SHARE IN HOLY COMMUNION 2017

All parents of children born in 2009 (currently grade 2 or earlier, who are baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and wish to be prepared to share in Holy Communion, are asked to attend an important information meeting on Sunday September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 - 3:30 pm, **OR** Tuesday September 27<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 - 9:00 pm. Participation in one of the meetings is essential. To assist with full participation, we encourage you to arrange for child care. Any questions, can be directed to Catherine Ecker, parish catechist, at [catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca](mailto:catechist@hollyfamilybolton.ca)



### PREPARING TO CELEBRATE CONFIRMATION IN 2017

All parents of young people, born in 2004 (currently in grade 7) or later, who are baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and are interested in preparing to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation, are invited to attend an important information meeting on **Sunday September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 - 3:30 pm**. Participation in this meeting is essential and is **for the candidates and parent(s)**



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

## MEN'S FRATERNITY

### Winning at Work and at Home

For most men, happiness and satisfaction in life are locked up in two words – **work and home**. This year's series will give you a game plan for winning in both arenas. You'll get the tools you need to build (or rebuild) your confidence; expand your vision; develop successful life strategies; and improve your performance in your relationship with your wife or girlfriend, in your relationships with your children, and in your job. **Join Holy Family Men's Group, Saturday mornings, beginning September 17<sup>th</sup>, at 8:00 am.**

## STEUBENVILLE REUNION

**Wednesday September 21<sup>st</sup>**

**7:00 pm**

All those who have traveled to Franciscan University with us, or are interested in future trips are invited to join us for an evening of reflection and discussion. We will begin with mass at 7:00 pm and continue in the hall with light refreshments. All are welcome to join us! Bring a snack to share!!

## MINISTERS OF CARE TRAINING

This training program will help parishioners grow in their understanding of the Gospel's call to lovingly serve those in need and help them in living out the Catholic Social Teaching in their family, workplace and parish community. All are welcome. This training will be held at St. Anthony's Parish, Brampton, beginning on Thursdays, September 22<sup>nd</sup> to December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016, 7:00-9:00pm. There is no cost to attend, however, registration is required. For further information, please visit: [www.archtoronto.org/our-catholic-faith/programs-and-workshops](http://www.archtoronto.org/our-catholic-faith/programs-and-workshops), or call 416-934-3400, ext. 523.

## ST. NICK

### FEAST DAY CELEBRATIONS

#### Committee Meeting

**Saturday September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2:00pm**

Anyone interested in joining the committee is welcome to attend. If you cannot come to the meeting, but want to participate, feel free to leave your name in the parish office.

**Thank you for sharing the air.  
No perfumes & scents, please.**



**Kick off**

**Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup>**



**Saturdays 5:00pm Mass**

**Life Teen resumes**

**Saturday September 24<sup>th</sup>.**

## MOMS & TOTS



Moms, Dads and caregivers with babies and toddlers are invited every 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!

## VOCATIONS

We cannot serve two masters. Which one are you willing to follow? Could it be that you are being called to serve the Master as priest, deacon, sister or brother? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-968-0997.



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**Why should we pray?**

**Well,  
why breathe?**

*Ven. Fulton Sheen*

## ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL REDEDICATION CELEBRATIONS

**September 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

On the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, patron saint of the Archdiocese of Toronto, St. Michael's Cathedral, mother church of the archdiocese, will be rededicated after several years of significant restoration. A series of events is planned to commemorate this milestone. Please refer to the bulletin board in the gathering space for further details.

## ST. FRANCIS CENTRE CALDEDON

### The Saints in Our Lives

**October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

This is a one day retreat offered and directed by the Franciscan Friars. Two reflections on the saints as inspiration and models will be presented, along with holy hour, mediated rosary, reconciliation and mass. Registration begins at 8:30 am. The cost is \$40/pp and includes lunch. Please call 519-941-1747 for further details and to register.



**Monday September 19<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm**

†Mabel Shoemaker

Requested by Denyse Hinca

**Tuesday September 20<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am**

†Stephen Padraig Rigby

Requested by Ingrid & Tony Moore

**Wednesday September 21<sup>st</sup> 7:00pm**

†Mary Funk

Requested by the Gottwald Family

†Maria Perillo

Requested by the Coffa Family

†Gino De Amicis

Requested by Denyse Hinca

†Francesco Molinaro

Requested by Maria Van Noce

†Rosina Massi

Requested by Elaine & Paul Egan

†Vittoria, Carmen & Giovanna Palazzo

Requested by Tony Pallazzo

**Thursday September 22<sup>nd</sup> 10:00 am**

†Stephen Padraig Rigby

Requested by Ingrid & Tony Moore

**Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup> 10:00 am**

†Flavia Mazzalla

Requested by Rita & Family

**Saturday September 24<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm

**Sunday September 25<sup>th</sup>**

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

## SANCTUARY LAMPS

(September 14<sup>th</sup> – September 20<sup>th</sup>)  
Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic  
Shirley Wakeman  
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