

# ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

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**PASTOR:** Rev. Keith Callaghan

## **IN RESIDENCE:**

Sr. Christina, Sr. Gloria, Sr. Virginia

**Religious Community:** CMSSTCJ

## **Mass Times**

### **WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday: 6:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

### **WEEK DAY MASSES**

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

**Confessions:** By appointment

## **Baptism**

Infants and young children of registered parents are eligible to have their child baptized. Baptisms are celebrated by appointment only and require a meeting with the priest and/or the Sisters.

## **Marriage**

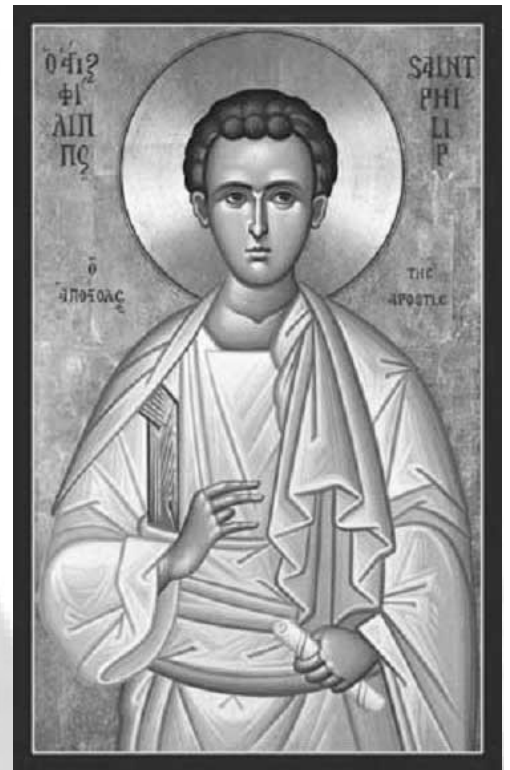
Weddings for registered parishioners are generally celebrated on Saturdays. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. Please contact the pastor a minimum of one year before the planned marriage date.

## **Ministry to the Sick**

Please call the Parish Office to arrange for visits, Communion, or Sacrament of the Sick. If you are admitted to the Hospital, kindly identify yourself as "Catholic" at the time of admission.

## **Parish Organizations**

St. Vincent de Paul -905-728-3937



## **Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services**

Resurrection Catholic Cemetery,  
355 Taunton Rd. E., Whitby, ON 905-668-8912

## **Schools**

Msgr. Philip Coffey - 905-723-4241

Msgr. John Pereyma - 905-432-8470

For more information on Catholic education in our community or to reach your local school board trustee, contact the Durham catholic District School Board at 905-576-6150 or [www.dcsdb.ca](http://www.dcsdb.ca)

We welcome new parishioners. Please register in the vestibule or call the parish office.

## **St. Joseph Syro-Malabar Catholic Church Community**

**PASTOR:** Rev. Jacob Edakalathur

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## **Weekly Mass Time**

**Sundays:**

3:00 p.m. - Catechism class for children

4:00 p.m. - Mass

SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



**Mass Intentions**

A reminder that we are taking bookings for Mass Intentions for 2019. Please come to the office or call the office during office hours and book a Mass to be said for your own particular intentions.



*Mass Intentions*

**Sunday January 20**

**10:00am**

†Fr. Marshall Beriault

**Tuesday January 22**

**7:00pm**

†Bella Gibbons

**Wednesday January 23**

**7:00pm**

Holy Souls

**Saturday January 19**

**6:00pm**

†Jean Ferron

**Sunday January 27**

**6:00pm**

†Claracion Daclos

**ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS**

***PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THURSDAY EVENING MASSES AT HOLY CROSS WILL START UP AGAIN FEBRUARY 7TH AT 7:00 P.M.***



**Reminder!!!!**

Please remember to date offertory cheques with the year 2019 and please do not use envelopes from past years. Thank you in advance!

**2019 Envelopes**

Thank you to those people who have picked up their envelopes. For those of you who have not, please come to the office to pick them up. If you are recently new to our parish please pick up a blank box and write your name, address and phone number on the first few envelopes. Thank you in advance!

**Offering Envelopes**



**IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!!!!**

Thank you to all who have registered their child for Reconciliation, 1<sup>st</sup> Communion here at St. Philip's. If you have not done so already, please drop off a copy of their Baptismal Certificate at the office.

**ALL THOSE IN PUBLIC/CATHOLIC SCHOOLS OUTSIDE PARISH BOUNDARIES**

**REGISTRATION CLOSSES JAN. 31<sup>st</sup>!!!**

**Volunteers Needed for Hillsdale Communion Service once a month.**  
**Please contact Walter at 905-725-3275 if interested or for more information.**

**Upcoming Celebrations at St. Philip the Apostle**

***1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation: Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>***  
***(for Monsignor Philip Coffey Students only)***

***1<sup>st</sup> Communion: Sunday May 5th @ 10:00am***

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Ecumenical Prayer Service**

***Theme: "Justice, Only Justice, You Shall Pursue"***  
***(Deuteronomy 16:20)***  
Come and join us in an ecumenical prayer service led by Catholic, Anglican and Orthodox bishops along with Leaders from Christian Churches in GTA.  
Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.  
St. James Anglican Cathedral  
106 King St. E. Toronto (at King and Church Streets)  
Organized by the Greater Toronto Area Christian Council of Churches (GTACCC)

***Refreshments to follow***

**For further information, please contact: The Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs Office at 1-416-934-3400 ext. 344 or ext. 527 or [ecumenical@archtoronto.org](mailto:ecumenical@archtoronto.org)**

JANUARY 20, 2019

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## World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life

On Saturday, February 2, the Church celebrates the World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto, we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 900 consecrated men and women. This World Day for Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these religious sisters, virgins, brothers and priests and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience.

Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will preside at a special Mass on **Sunday, February 3, 2019 at 3 p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica, 83 Power St., Toronto** in celebration of the vocation and witness of these special men and women who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese. All are welcome to attend.

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### “Bundle Up” for Saint Vincent de Paul at St. Philip’s

Saturday, January 26

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Sunday, January 27

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be collecting gently used clothing, shoes and linens to donate, exchange for vouchers or sell in order to support their works of charity. Please bring your donation and help others in your community. Thank you for your continued support.

There will be a truck in the church parking lot at St. Philip’s to accept your donations. It will be open before and after the Saturday 6:00pm, Mass and the Sunday 10:00am Mass.

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### Saints of the Week

#### Saint Fabian – January 20<sup>th</sup>:

Fabian succeeded Saint Anterus as pope in 236. The historian Eusebius describes Fabian’s election as pope: Fabian was a layman and a stranger in Rome at the time of the election. When a dove settled upon his head, those around him were reminded of the descent of the Holy Spirit on Jesus at his baptism. The event was seen as divine intervention. Fabian was chosen pope and reigned for 14 years. He was martyred during a persecution in 250. Saint Cyprian records that Fabian was an “incomparable man.” His tombstone can still be seen in the catacomb of Saint Callixtus in Rome.

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#### Saint Agnes – January 21<sup>st</sup>:

The feast of St. Agnes has been celebrated on this day since the 4<sup>th</sup> century. Little is known about Agnes. She was likely born in the early years of the 4<sup>th</sup> century, and was martyred at the age of 12 during a Roman persecution. She is a symbol of virginal innocence and has been pictured with a lamb as a symbol of this innocence since the Middle Ages.

One of the 6<sup>th</sup> century legends is that Agnes was a beautiful girl with many rivals for marriage. When she rejected the proposals, she was denounced to the governor as a Christian and sent to a house of prostitution. Those who came to visit her were struck with awe. One man lost his sight while looking at her, but later regained it through her prayers. She was eventually brought before a judge, condemned and executed. She stands as a patron saint of many people, including girls, gardeners and engaged couples.

#### Saint Francis de Sales – January 24<sup>th</sup>:

A leader of the Catholic Reformation, Francis was born in France in 1567. His family insisted he study law rather than enter the seminary. After obtaining doctorates in both canon and civil law by the age of 24, Francis chose religious life instead. His family eventually became reconciled to his choice and he was ordained in 1593.

Appointed bishop of Geneva in 1602, Francis reorganized the diocese, reformed religious education, established a seminary and founded schools. He lived a life of austerity and simplicity, sharing with the poor. Wise and intelligent, he emphasized both the loving kindness of God and the human capacity.

Francis was beatified the year he died, 1622 – the first formal beatification to take place in St. Peter’s – and canonized in 1665. He is the patron saint of writers and journalists and of the deaf.

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