
Church of The Holy Family

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SUNDAY MASSES:

8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. (Family Mass with Hymns)
11:00 a.m. (Latin)
12:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Saturday Mass: 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Liturgy)
Sunday Vespers & Benediction: 5:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Before every Mass on Sundays
Daily for 15 Minutes before all Masses.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Friday: 7:45 a.m.,
11:30 a.m. (Latin) and 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 8:30 a.m. (Latin) & 10:00 a.m.

PARISH CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Dr. Aaron James - hfmusic@oratory-toronto.org

BOOKSTALL: Sunday, 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

MARRIAGES:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest well in advance of the wedding date. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage.

If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

It should be noted that Catholics, in order to marry validly, must marry before the parish priest or his delegate and two witnesses. A civil marriage or a marriage before a non-Catholic minister is not a valid marriage. Couples in such "marriages" should contact a priest to have the situation rectified.

Parish School: Holy Family Elementary - 416-393-5212

To reach your local school board trustee, contact the Toronto Catholic District School Board at 416-222-8282 or www.tcdsb.org

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

(Archdiocese of Toronto): 416-733-8544.

ORATORY WEB PAGE: www.oratory-toronto.org

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 23

- 7:45 a.m. Special Intention,
req. by Daphrose Mukankiko & Beata Umuhire
11:30 a.m. [**Monday of Passion Week**]
(+) Cho Cai Jinh How, req. by Hong Mai
5:30 p.m. (+) Anton, Augustine & Theresa Edward,
req. by Joyce & Rex Edward

Tuesday, March 24

- 7:45 a.m. (+) Eapem Joseph,
req. by Joseph & Anna Mathai
11:30 a.m. [**Tuesday of Passion Week; Comm. St. Gabriel**]
(+) Genevieve & Raphael O'Neil,
req. by Patricia Cachia
5:30 p.m. (+) Marijoan Egan,
req. by Chas & Anne Muggeridge

Wednesday, March 25

Annunciation of the Lord

- 7:45 a.m. Alice Gomes, req. by the Gomes Family
11:30 a.m. [**Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Comm. Feria**] Fe San Pablo
6:00 p.m. In Honour of the Annunciation [Sung Latin]

Thursday, March 26

- 7:45 a.m. Mara Lombardi
11:30 a.m. [**Thursday of Passion Week**] Nhu Tong,
req. by Annaliza Fragale
5:30 p.m. (+) Fr. Eugene Tramble, req. by Mauro Conte

Friday, March 27

- 7:45 a.m. (t) Ana Miranda, req. by Amelia Miranda
11:30 a.m. [**Friday of Passion Week; Comm. Seven Sorrows of the BVM; St John Damascene**]
(+) Yvonne Mascarenas,
req. by Valerie Steven & Matthew Hoffman
5:30 p.m. Lourdes Requina, req. by Michelle Baylosis
7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross & Benediction

Saturday, March 28

- 8:30 a.m. [**Saturday of Passion Week; Comm. St. John Capistran**] (+) Cirila Calumpiano,
req. by Norma Calumpiano
10:00 a.m. (+) Relatives & Friends of Parishioners

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You're invited to visit HelpNotHarmCanada.ca where you can e-mail your Member of Parliament (MP), asking for their support of Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act), which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition. **Without this change, MAiD will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027.**

Chances are you know someone struggling with mental illness — a family member, friend, or colleague. As Catholics & Canadians, we are called to offer care, hope, & protection — not death — to those who are suffering & most vulnerable.

Visit HelpNotHarmCanada.ca today
and ask your MP to support Bill C-218.

AT THE BOOKSTALL

The Road to Calvary: *Journey through the passion of Our Lord with rich daily meditations from St. Alphonso Liguori sharing in the Lord's sufferings while aiming for paradise.*

Carry the Cross with Padre Pio: *Another Lenten daily reflection with spiritual insights from St. Padre Pio ending with prayers for each day for a spiritually enriching Lent.*

All about Lent & Holy Week by Katherine Bogner:
A children's guide to the biblical roots of the Lenten season and the meaning behind various traditions surrounding Lent & Holy Week.

Also Available:

Statues, Icons, Veils, Toys, Miraculous Medals,
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The Bookstall is open

on Sundays 8:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

DEBIT/CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED

SHARELIFE CELEBRATES 50 YEARS

SHARELIFE SUNDAY IS THIS WEEKEND

Today is ShareLife Sunday. *Special collections will be taking place this weekend.* 2026 marks 50 years since Archbishop Philip Pocock made a bold and compassionate decision that would shape our community for generations: the founding of **ShareLife**.

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Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

**LET US PRAY FOR PEACE IN THE WORLD.
PRAY THE ROSARY**

Music for the Liturgy

9:30 Sung English Mass

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Introit: Judge me, O God, and distinguish my cause from the nation that is not holy: deliver me from the unjust and deceitful man: for thou art God my strength. Send forth thy light, and thy truth: they have conducted me, and brought me unto thy holy hill, and into thy tabernacle.

Ordinary: PBC 107-109 - Mass XVII

Psalm 130: With the Lord there is steadfast love and great power to redeem.

Gospel Acclamation: The Lord said: I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in me will not die forever.

Creed: PBC 117 - Credo I

Offertory: I will give thanks unto the Lord with my whole heart: O do well unto thy servant, that I may live, and keep thy word: quicken thou me, according to thy word, O Lord.

Motet: *Eripe Me* (George Malcolm)

Communion: When the Lord saw the sister of Lazarus weeping at the tomb, and the Jews also weeping, he cried with a loud voice, Lazarus, come forth: and he that was dead came forth bound hand and foot with grave-clothes.

Motet: *Salvator Mundi* (David Bednall)

Recessional: AH 579 - *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say*

11:00 a.m. Latin Mass

Lent V (Passion Sunday)

Asperges me, Domine

Introit: *Judica me, Deus*

Kyrie: *Missa Pange Lingua* (Josquin des Prez)

Gradual: *Eripe, Domine*

Tract: *Sape expugnauerunt*

Credo: I

Offertory: *Confitebor tibi*

Vere Languores Nostros (Tomás Luis de Victoria)

Translation: *Truly he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows, and with his stripes we are healed. Sweetest wood, sweetest nails that bore this sweet burden, which alone was worthy to bear the king of heaven and its Lord. (cf. Isaiah 53:4-5)*

Sanctus Agnus: *Missa Pange Lingua* (Josquin des Prez)

Communion: *Hoc corpus*

Lamentations à 5 (Robert White)

Translation: *Heth. Jerusalem sinned grievously, therefore she became filthy. All who honoured her despise her, for they have seen her nakedness: she herself groans, and turns her face away. Teth. Her uncleanness was in her feet; she took no thought of her doom. Therefore her fall is terrible; she is without consolation. O Lord, behold my affliction, for the enemy has triumphed. Jod. The enemy has stretched out his hands over all her precious things. for she has seen the nations invade her sanctuary, those whom you had forbidden to enter your congregation. Jerusalem,*

Jerusalem, return to the Lord your God. (Lamentations 1:8-10)

Antiphon: *Ave Regina Colorum*

5:00 p.m. Solemn Vespers and Benediction Fifth Sunday of Lent, Year A

see Vespers booklet

Magnificat: Tone I (Giuseppe Antonio Bernabei)

Benediction Motet: *Videns Dominus* (James MacMillan)

Translation: *The Lord, seeing the sisters of Lazarus eriving at the tomb, wept in the presence of the Jews, and he cried. "Lazarus; come forth!" And he came out, bound hand and foot, who had been dead for four days. (Communion for Lent V, after John 11:33, 35, 43,44,39)*

LENT

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday in Lent at 7:30 p.m.

If any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. Meditating on our Lord's Passion by doing the Stations of the Cross is an excellent way of learning His love and mercy for us. Have you considered making a visit to the Blessed Sacrament and praying the Stations of the Cross on your own during this Lenten season?

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday (March 29)

The 12:30 p.m. will be postponed to 1:30 p.m., due to the length of the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

Wednesday (April 1) Tenebræ at 8:00 p.m.

Confessions: 7:30 to 7:56 p.m.

Holy Thursday (April 2)

(No Masses during the day. Church opens 9:00 a.m.)

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 8:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until midnight.

Confessions: 7:00 - 7:45 p.m., and after the Mass of the Lord's Supper until midnight.

Pabasa begins in the parish hall after the Mass and continues until noon on Good Friday.

Good Friday (April 3)

(This is a day of fast and abstinence.)

The church will open at 9:00 a.m.

Liturgy of the Passion: 3:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross: 7:30 p.m. followed by veneration of a relic of the True Cross.

Confessions: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. & during the Stations

Holy Saturday (April 4)

No morning or afternoon Mass. Church opens 9:00 a.m.

Confessions: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. & 8:00 - 8:45 p.m.

Easter Vigil: 9:00 p.m. (fulfills Sunday obligation)

Easter Sunday (April 5) Masses, Vespers & Confessions - usual Sunday schedule.

PRAY FOR OUR CATECHUMENS

The Lenten Season is, by long tradition, the time when Catechumens make their final preparation for Baptism at the Easter Vigil. Thirteen catechumens from our parish will participate in the Scrutinies which will take place today at the 9:30 a.m. Mass.

COINS FOR LIFE 2026

Help in the struggle to end abortion and to create a Culture of Life in Canada by using the Coins for Life containers, which are available at the back of the church. This project helps us to continue to run the National March for Life in Ottawa on May 14,

BIRTHRIGHT - VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

Birthright, a pro-life crisis pregnancy service, needs your help. Volunteers, men and women, are needed to assist those facing an unplanned pregnancy, to provide support and comfort as well as practical solutions. Training is provided. For more information call 416-469-1111 or email toronto@birthright.org

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