

AUGUST 10 & 17 , 2025

ORDINARY TIME XIX & XX

ST. BASIL'S



CATHOLIC PARISH

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE

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ADMINISTERED BY THE BASILIAN FATHERS

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 1:00pm

Sunday: 8:15am - 1:15pm

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00pm (sat)

9:00am; 10:30am; 12:00pm; 4:30pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 12:10pm

VESPERS (EVENING PRAYER)

Monday - Friday: 5:10pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday - Friday: 11:30am - 12:00pm

Saturday: 4:30pm - 5:00pm

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, AND FUNERALS

Please see the parish website or call the main office for details. Weddings require a one year notice.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor:

Fr. Morgan V. Rice, CSB

Office Manager:

Margaret D'Elia

Lay Pastoral Associate:

JoAnn M. Lopez

Director of Music & Principal Organist:

Dr. John Paul Farahat

Assistant Organist:

Adrian Ross

Musician-in-Residence:

Dr. Lindsay McIntyre

Coordinator of Outreach & Hospitality:

Hilda O'Connor

Director of Community Engagement:

Michael Pirri

HEARING ASSISTANCE: MOBILE CONNECT

The new wifi/bluetooth hearing assistance system is now active in the church. It involves:

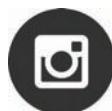
1. Downloading the Sennheiser "MobileConnect" app to your phone.
2. Using your phone to join the "Hearing_Assist" WIFI network; password: LetMeHear1!
3. Open the MobileConnect app, and choose the "St Basil Hearing Assist" channel.
4. You can listen to the channel directly on your phone, or you can connect your phone to a bluetooth device such as hearing aids or earbuds.

Since 1856, St. Basil's Parish has been home to people of all ages and needs. We are blessed because you are all here!

Mothers are welcome to nurse their children in church or provide them snacks as needed. If you need to, feel free to walk with your child in the back of the church or in the hallway off the side aisle.



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FINANCIAL REPORT & GIVING OPTIONS

In July, we provided you with our financial report, which outlined our revenue and expenses for the last two fiscal years. As we shared, we continue to be in a strong financial position but want to ensure that our parish income can continue to keep pace with need and inflation.

Our offertory (weekly Sunday collection) is our main source of funding and has not increased over the last three years. Your offertory funds allow us to plan ahead and be responsive to the Spirit at work in our community and offer creative programs that enrich the life and faith of our parishioners.

We ask all parishioners to prayerfully consider starting to give to the offertory on a regular basis or increasing your weekly giving as you are able. Even a 10% increase, or \$5 more per week will make an enormous difference to our parish and our impact.

There are three tax-deductible ways to give:

- **Weekly Sunday Envelopes**
- **Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)** – automatic monthly debits from your bank account
- **Credit Card Payment** (either online via CanadaHelps, or via machines we will procure this year). Please note: we are charged a processing fee by these platforms for each credit card payment, which is deducted from your donation.

If you are not yet a registered parishioner, please register (online or via our paper form) to be set up with envelopes or PAG. If you are already registered, please contact our office for your envelopes or to sign up for or make changes to your PAG.

We thank you for your generosity in support of our parish's initiatives. Please continue to keep our community in your prayers as we seek to serve the Lord in our neighbourhood.

INTERFAITH PRAYER SERVICE

Tuesday, August 12, 2025

7 pm via Zoom

Register: <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/interfaithcircle/1783550>

Interfaith Circle invites you to an evening of meditation, prayer, and music with religious leaders from many faith traditions, including those with no faith. We will be praying towards the healing of body, mind, soul and the world. In participation of Interfaith Awareness Week, August 10 - 16, 2025. See the full event schedule at: <https://world-interfaith.com/interfaith-awareness-week/>. Interfaith Circle strives to build mutually supportive and long-lasting friendships through dialogue, prayer, and service.

For more information, please contact Vivian at: vivian.kwok@alumni.utoronto.ca

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services in the Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the Archdiocese to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on **Wednesday, August 13, 2025 at 7:00pm.**

Cemetery locations and Celebrants are as follows:

<u>Cemetery</u>	<u>Celebrant</u>
Assumption, Mississauga	Most Rev. Ivan Camilleri
Christ the King, Markham	Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen
Holy Cross, Thornhill	Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau
Mount Hope, Toronto	Most Rev. Robert Kasun
Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge	His Eminence Frank Leo
Resurrection, Whitby	Rev. Msgr. Edgardo Pan
St. Mary's, Barrie	Most Rev. John Corriveau

For more information, please visit the events page on archtoronto.org

BANNS FOR ORDINATION

Mr. Matthew Steven Tuanquin TULIO is to be ordained to the Diaconate for the Archdiocese of Toronto on September 13, 2025, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, Toronto.

Please remember him in your prayers.

Canon Law obliges Catholics to reveal any impediment to sacred orders to the bishop or pastor.

MASS INTENTIONS

AUGUST 10-16



SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME XIX

9:00am Antonietta Ciavarella(✱)
10:30am *Pro Populo*
12:00pm Lorenza Vicente (✱)
4:30pm Anne and Dane MacCarthy (liv)

MONDAY ST. CLARE

12:10pm Mary Gannon (✱)

TUESDAY

12:10am Therese Rashotte (✱), Dr. Peter Moran (liv)

WEDNESDAY

12:10pm Kathleen Angus and John King (✱,✱)

THURSDAY ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

12:10pm Therese Rashotte (✱), Stella and John Dabrowski (✱,✱), Rita Opaczewski (liv)

FRIDAY ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

12:10pm Luigi, Len, Lina, and Michael Ciavarella (✱,✱,✱,✱)

SATURDAY

5:00pm Sotera Cruz (✱)

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

August 9/10: Building Fund
August 16/17: Canadian Missions Collection

MASS INTENTIONS

AUGUST 17-23



SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME XX

9:00am Dr. Peter Moran (liv)
10:30am *Pro Populo*
12:00pm Francis, Monica, and Mary Gannon(✱,✱,✱)
4:30pm

MONDAY

12:10pm Lindsey and Julia Nelson (✱,✱)

TUESDAY

12:10pm Maria Eulalia Cabral (✱)

WEDNESDAY ST. BERNARD

12:10pm *Vocations*

THURSDAY ST. PIUS X

12:10pm Rebecca Synard (liv), Ginger Shuk Fong Chung (✱)

FRIDAY QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

12:10pm James Robert and Valerie Crilly (✱,✱)

SATURDAY


5:00pm Dr. Peter Moran (liv)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, Sue Banfield, Rebecca Beaton, Annabelle Brossard, Desmond Brownlee, Steve Chandeller, Lynden Beiyang Chen, Yvonne Clarke, Josephine D'amico, Jasper David-Fuchs, Clare DeMello, Maryanne Hodges, Bohdanka Kovalska, Elaine Landrie, Anne McFadden, Margaret-Mary McKenzie, David Martin, Rosy Menezes, Dr. Peter Moran, Paul O'Brien, Robert Rodbourne, Delaila Salvador, Todd Snow, Federico Sorianosos Jr., John Sytsma, Betty Veit, Eileen Vyphius, Rosalie Wimbs, and Alexander Wu.

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED, especially, Berney Sytsma.

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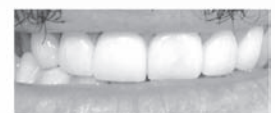
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