

SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

ST. BASIL'S



CATHOLIC PARISH

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE

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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: 7:30am; 12:10pm

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.

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.

We respect your decision to remain masked or unmasked.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor:	Fr. Morgan V. Rice, CSB
Associate Pastor:	Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB
Office Manager:	Margaret D'Elia
Director of Faith Formation:	JoAnn M. Lopez
Director of Music & Principal Organist:	Dr. John Paul Farahat
Associate Organist:	Stefani Bedin
Musician-in-Residence:	Dr. Lindsay McIntyre
Coordinator of Outreach & Hospitality:	Hilda O'Connor
Director of Community Engagement:	Michael Pirri



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ST. BASIL'S MINISTRY FAIR

Sunday, September 17, 2023

10:00am-4:30pm

Our Ministry Fair is next Sunday! Explore the many opportunities for connection, prayer, growth, leadership, and service at St. Basil's on **Sunday, September 17 from 10:00am to 4:30pm**. There will be games, prizes, and refreshments will be provided throughout the day:

- 10:00am to 11:30am: Coffee Hour
- 11:45am to 2:00pm: BBQ Lunch
- 2:30pm to 4:30pm: Light Refreshments

Join us to connect with our wonderful parish ministries, and explore ways you can share your gifts at St. Basil's. Check out the full list of our ministries on our website to start your discernment: <https://www.stbasiltoronto.org/ministries>

SEASON OF CREATION

The Season of Creation begins September 1 and runs through October 4, the feast of St. Francis of Assisi. This year's theme is: "Let Justice and Peace Flow." In the words of Pope Francis, this time offers "individual believers and communities a fitting opportunity to reaffirm their personal vocation to be stewards of creation, to thank God for the wonderful handiwork which he has entrusted to our care, and to implore his help for the protection of creation as well as his pardon for the sins committed against the world in which we live." For more information, visit <https://seasonofcreation.org>

WINDOWS ON THEOLOGY

The Regis College Windows on Theology series resumes at 11:00 am on Wednesday, September 20, online and in-person in St Joseph Chapel. A team of colleagues drawn from across the University of Toronto and beyond will reflect on the relationships among art, justice, theology, and the sacred in Theology and the Arts. For more information on the sessions, visit www.regiscollege.ca

CONFERRAL OF THE PALLIUM

The Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael, on Friday, September 29, 2023. All are welcome to join in a special celebration on that day at 5:30pm at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.). Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass, with music from the world-renowned St. Michael's Choir School. As part of the celebration, the Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurković will confer the pallium on our archbishop, a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful. Following Mass, there will be an informal reception with light refreshments in the St. Michael's Cathedral atrium and courtyard. Seating will be first come, first served. All are welcome to join in this special celebration for our archdiocese and archbishop!

USMC BOOK SALE

Mark your calendars! From September 27-30 the University of St. Michael's College used book sale is being held at Kelly Café. The Book Sale supports key initiatives to improve the experience of students and the community at the Kelly and beyond. For more information, please visit stmikes.utoronto.ca

ADDRESSING FOOD INSECURITY

Monday, September 25, 2023

7:00pm-8:30pm, online

The 5th Moira Ste. Marie Memorial Lecture Series will be on Addressing Food Insecurity. Guest speakers from the Yonge Street Mission (YSM), a Christian development agency specializing in poverty-related challenges will present on this timely social justice issue. This Lecture Series is opened to members, non-members, clergy, parishioners, parish ministry groups, schools, family and friends. A \$10 suggested donation benefits the Yonge Street Mission and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Toronto

Register by contacting Shaila D'Souza via email at shailaflavy@gmail.com

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

Are you or someone you know interested in joining the Catholic faith? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, or R.C.I.A., is the process by which:

- A person who is not a baptized Christian can become Roman Catholic;
- A person who is baptized in another Christian denomination can be received into the Roman Catholic Church; or
- A person who was baptized in the Roman Catholic Church can complete their initiation through the sacrament of Confirmation.

If you are interested in learning more, please contact JoAnn Lopez, Director of Faith Formation, at joann.lopez@utoronto.ca

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)** is a Montessori-based approach to the religious education of children, which offers children the most essential aspects of our faith, trusting this will nurture their capacity to enjoy God's loving presence in their life. St. Basil's will be hosting a CGS Level 1 program (for children aged 3-6), on Sunday mornings beginning in late October. More details and registration information coming soon! If you are interested in enrolling your child in the program, or curious about serving as a volunteer in this ministry, contact Director of Faith Formation, JoAnn Lopez (joann.lopez@utoronto.ca).

BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

Tuesdays at 7:00pm

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/StBasilFaithSharing>

Join us for an hour of reflection and faith sharing on Zoom every Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. We pray with the Sunday scriptures as we grow in relationship with the Word and community. Come to one, some, or all sessions: no preparation required other than a willingness to reflect and share. All are welcome! Questions? Contact JoAnn Lopez: joann.lopez@utoronto.ca

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

September 9/10: Building Fund
September 23/24: Need of the Canadian Church

MASS INTENTIONS



SEPTEMBER 10 - 16

SUNDAY 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00am Vivian Kwok (liv)
10:30am *Pro Populo*
12:00pm Martina S. Bumanglag (✱)
4:30pm Lola, Joseph, and Lindsay MacNeil (✱, ✱, ✱, ✱)

MONDAY

7:30am
12:10pm Frankie Leung (✱)

TUESDAY

7:30am
12:10pm Myriam and Paolo Scoppio (✱, ✱)

WEDNESDAY ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

7:30am Marilyn Guest (✱)
12:10pm Mary Gardner (✱)

THURSDAY EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

7:30am
12:10pm Jessabelle Delen Ramos (✱), Sr. Rosalie Kane (liv), John Krpan (liv)
Our Lady of Sorrows

FRIDAY

7:30am
12:10pm Luigi, Lina, Len, and Michael Ciavarella (✱, ✱, ✱, ✱)

SATURDAY (ST. CORNELIUS AND ST. CYPRIAN)

5:00pm Arden Broadhurst (✱)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, Sue Banfield, Rebecca Beaton, Marion Bernard, Desmond Brownlee, Dora Carbone, Lori Celik, Steve Chandeller, Mary Jane Cowan, Josephine D'amico, Jasper David-Fuchs, Clare DeMello, Bill Elliott, Maisie Henry, Maryanne Hodges, Elaine Landrie, Margaret LaRose, Margaret-Mary McKenzie, David Martin, Rosy Menezes, Dr. Peter Moran, Januz Niemczyk, Paul O'Brien, Robert Rodbourne, Delaila Salvador, Girolamo Scoppio, Todd Snow, Berney Sytsma, Betty Veit, Kate Villazor, Eileen Vyphius, and Alexander Wu.

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED.

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