

# St. Marguerite D'Youville Parish

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## PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Roger Pascall  
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## WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 8:00 pm

## WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 9:15 am  
Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm

Liturgy of the Hours/Divine Mercy: 1 hour before Masses

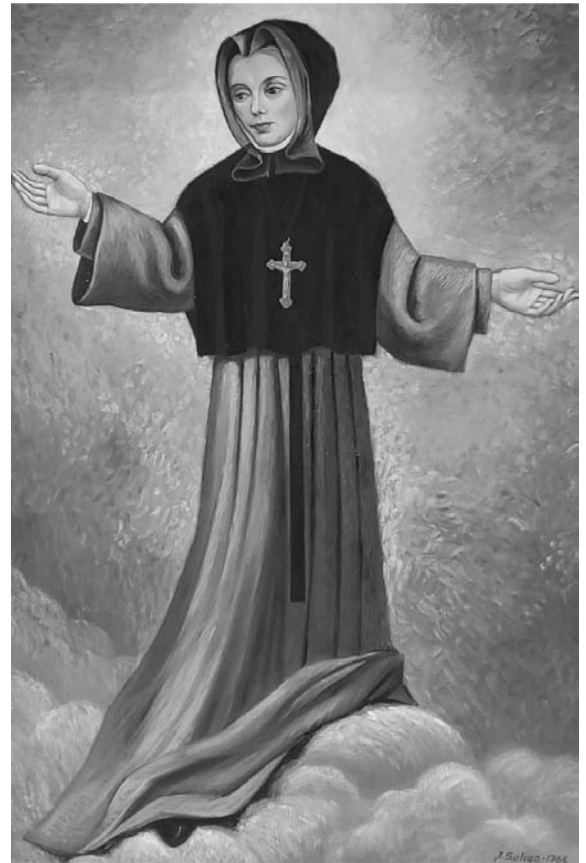
Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 9:15 am

First Friday of the Month: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
9:15 am Mass till 7:30 pm; Devotions at 6:30 pm; evening prayer  
with Benediction 7:00 pm, Mass at 7:30 pm

Reconciliation: Tuesday & Thursday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 pm and by appointment.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

Fr. Clair Tipping, 25 Mountainberry Rd.	905-789-1741
Good Shepherd, 28 Red River Dr.	905-791-1039
Our Lady of Providence, 35 Black Oak Dr.	905-458-7080
St. Isaac Jogues, 300 Great Lakes Dr.	905-799-2558
St. John Bosco, 1025 North Park Dr.	905-792-0890
Ven. Michael J. McGivney, 450 Fernforest Dr.	905-792-0630
St. Marguerite d'Youville Secondary School	905-789-5560



*"Providence is wonderful, it has means  
we cannot understand to relieve  
those who put their trust in it,  
it provides for everything, in it is my trust."*

## PARISH MISSION

*Marguerite d'Youville's belief in the guidance and loving involvement of God in her life has enabled her to become God's helping hands in the lives of others. In this same spirit, the parishioners of St. Marguerite d'Youville, nourished by the Word and Sacrament are called by God to foster a community of welcome and service. In union with Christ, we reach out through prayer and active participation within our parish, our schools, our community and beyond. We offer our gifts and talents to everyone in need and respond in faith to the challenges of our ever-changing world.*

## THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

### Mass for the Week

<b>MON, JUN 2</b> 9:15 am	Lito Olindan †
<b>TUES, JUN 3</b> 7:00 pm	Leonardo Munisteri †
<b>WED, JUN 4</b> 9:15 am	Lito Olindan †
<b>THUR, JUN 5</b> 7:00 pm	
<b>FRI, JUN 6</b> 9:15 am	Lito Olindan †
7:00 PM	Joseph & Maria Pham †; Mr. & Mrs. Fred & Aze Pinto †
<b>SAT, JUN 7</b> 9:15 am	Mike Stefura †; Deceased members of the Zammit & Borg families †; All souls in Purgatory
5:00 pm	Mr. & Mrs. Charles †; Joson & June Moraado & deceased family members †; Carryl Jayawardene †
<b>SUN, JUNE 8</b> 9:00 am	For the People of the Parish
10:30 am	
12:30 pm	Juanito & John Elmer Go †; Concita Ferry †
8:00 pm	

#### THIS WEEK AT SMDY

##### **Monday, June 2nd**

10:00 am - Stitches from the heart  
7:00 pm - CWL Executive Meeting

##### **Tuesday, June 3rd**

1:00 pm - 55 Plus Club  
5:30 pm - Legion of Mary - English

##### **Wednesday, June 4th**

7:00 pm - Confirmation  
7:30 pm - 9am Choir practice

##### **Thursday, June 5th**

7:30 pm - Alpha  
7:30 pm - 10:30am Choir practice

##### **Friday, June 6th**

##### **Saturday, June 7th**

12:00 pm - Marriage Prep  
3:30 pm - Children's Choir practice  
6:15 pm - Bible Study  
6:30 pm - Afro Caribbean event

##### **Sunday, June 1st**

8:00 am - Legion of Mary - Vietnamese

*Does ecumenism consist in confessing or in hiding the truth? Ought the Council to explain Catholic doctrine, or the doctrine of our separated brethren?... Hiding the truth hurts both us and those separated from us. It hurts us, because we appear as hypocrites. It hurts those who are separated from us because it makes them appear weak and capable of being offended by the truth. Let the schemas be separated. Let us profess our faith openly. Let us be the teachers we are in the Church by teaching with clarity, and not hiding what is true."*

*His Excellency, Giocondo Grotti, Bishop of the Diocese of Acre and Purus, Brazil (1928-1971)*

The timeline and events of Bishop Grotti, in his short-lived life, give him all the credibility to utter the bold statement that was recorded in one of his interventions during the Second Vatican Council. Born in a small town outside of Bologna, his evangelical zeal inspired him to join the Marian Servite order, and after formation in Padua, he was sent as a priest to serve in the missionary region of western Brazil. His earnest effort to provide sacramental care and catechetical teaching to the peoples living in remote rain forest canopied villages of the Amazon basin provided him a solid platform to speak authoritatively during key conciliar theological debates. Whereas there were strong proponents within the Church to seek a more conciliatory and congruous tone with heretical factions, Bishop Grotti new first hand that compromise on matters of dogma and worship threatened the very Christ given mandate, "that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations." Shortly upon his return to his diocese, Bishop Giocondo Grotti was involved in an airplane crash that killed all 32 passengers on board.

As the Church celebrates Our Lord's Ascension into heaven, the average Catholic can not help but feel ambiguity and hesitation in the command to "make disciples of all nations." While it is understood that coercion and force can never be part of any genuine missionary effort, the heightened deference shown to the various Christian denominations and other world religions is such that it would seem insulting and demeaning to insist on the command that all are to be baptized and enter into the safety of the Churches' embrace. We pray that we are given leaders with firm faith to guide us and illustrate as to how to win converts to Christ through words of compelling conviction and irresistible sweetness.

#### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

In today's first reading, St. Luke gives the surprising news that there is more of the story to be told. The story did not end with the empty tomb, or with Jesus' appearances to the Apostles over the course of forty days. Jesus' saving work will have a liturgical consummation. He is the great high priest, and he has still to ascend to the heavenly Jerusalem, there to celebrate the feast in the true Holy of Holies.

The truth of this feast shines forth from the Letter to the Hebrews, where we read of the great high priest's passing through the heavens, the sinless intercessor's sacrifice on our behalf (see Hebrews 4:14-15).

Indeed, his intercession will lead to the Holy Spirit's descent in fire upon the Church. Luke spells out that promise in the first reading for the feast of the Ascension: "in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit" (Acts 1:5). Ascension is the preliminary feast that directs the Church's attention forward to Pentecost. On that day, salvation will be complete; for salvation is not simply expiation for sins (that would be wonder enough), but it is something even greater than that. Expiation is itself a necessary precondition of our adoption as God's children. To live that divine life we must receive the Holy Spirit. To receive the Holy Spirit we must be purified through baptism.

This is the "good news" the Apostles are commissioned to spread—to the whole world, to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem—at the first Ascension. It's the good news we must spread today.



*F. Roger*

SUNDAY, JUNE 1ST, 2025

### FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

First Friday Adoration, is a Eucharistic adoration held the first Friday of every month in the church. It begins with 9:15 AM Mass and is followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for the remainder of the day. Adoration concludes at 7:00pm followed by Mass.

**WHAT FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION PARTICIPANTS DO:** *Come any time during the adoration hours (approximately 10:00 AM to 6:30 PM) to spend some quiet, prayerful time with Jesus. Adoration participants commit to specific time (There will be a sign-up sheet in the office). These "Guardians of the Eucharist" ensure that the Blessed Sacrament is never left alone.*



### FIRST FRIDAY - HOLY HOUR

Please join us in this holy hour of prayers during the Eucharistic adoration on First Fridays of every month. We start with the 3 O'clock Prayer and the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00pm. Then, we continue with Prayers of Adoration, Thanksgiving, Reparation, and Intercession. We also pray the Eucharistic Rosary and the Litany of the Blessed Sacrament. We end the hour with a hymn of praise and adoration at 4:00pm. All are welcome.

### FIRST SATURDAY MEMORIAL MASS

There will be a special Mass every First Saturday of the month at 9:15am in the Chapel for all those who's names are on the Memorial Wall. Join us in remembering our faithfully departed. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

### MEMORIAL GARDEN

Memorial Garden Blessing is on Sunday June 1 at the 12:30 pm mass. If you are interested in ordering a plaque, please pick up a Memorial Garden pamphlet available in the narthex or you can order online by scanning this QR code.



### CONFIRMATIONS



We will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation for the Grade 7 students who attend one of our six parish schools and who attend local public schools. Please pray for these young men and women as they celebrate this very special moment in their lives of faith. Congratulations also to the children who have received their First Holy Communion this past May.

*May God the Father fill them with his Love, may Jesus Christ bring them Hope, and may the Spirit strengthen their faith all the days of their life.*

### MEDICATION SAFETY PRESENTATION

This insightful session will be conducted by a highly experienced and friendly pharmacist, who will share essential knowledge and practical tips to help you navigate the world of medications with greater confidence and safety. This presentation is open to anyone who wants to attend, whether you manage multiple prescriptions, care for a family member, or want to be more informed about safe medication practices. Join us on Saturday, June 14th, from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM. We encourage you to join us for this invaluable session.



### BIRTHRIGHT BRAMPTON

Birthright Brampton has compassionate volunteers who give generously of their time and energy so that others will feel God's Love. We are always looking for new volunteers to journey with our moms or help in various other ways, such as sorting donations. Training is provided. For more information call 905-874-0607. Please remember to return your baby bottle next weekend. Thank you for your support!

### **Volunteers Needed!**



If you are interested in volunteering at the parish, please email Linda at [LYeh@archtoronto.org](mailto:LYeh@archtoronto.org) with the following information:

1. Your first and last name, phone number and email address.
2. Are you an Adult (18+) or Minor (under 18)
3. Which ministry you are interested in.

### OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

**DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS!!!**

**If you have envelopes from previous years throw them out! If you use envelopes from a previous years your donation will NOT be attributed to your name!**

If you wish to make a donation to the church please use the pink visitors envelopes and make sure you write clearly your full name and address so your donation can be assigned to your name or pick up a set for this year at the parish office during office hours.



### THE 55+ CLUB

The club meets weekly on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm - 4:00pm. All are welcome! For more information contact Sandy at 905-791-7315 or email: [sandyrob-in22@gmail.com](mailto:sandyrob-in22@gmail.com)

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a charitable Catholic organization, active throughout Canada. The work of the society is to assist those in need who live within our parish boundary. If you are in need of assistance please contact the St. Marguerite d'Youville Conference directly at 647-642-4906 or email: [vincentdepaulsmdy@gmail.com](mailto:vincentdepaulsmdy@gmail.com)

### BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one and require support, please contact the Bereavement Ministry by email at [Bereavement.smdy@gmail.com](mailto:Bereavement.smdy@gmail.com)

### STITCHES FROM THE HEART

Stitches from the Heart group meet Mondays after the 915am Mass. Everyone is welcome to join us whether you knit or would like to learn. For further information contact Mary at 905-915-8765. Any donation of yarn would be greatly appreciated.

### ROSARY APOSTOLATE

Would you like to pray, Mother Mary's most favourable prayer, the Holy Rosary with the children at our schools? The Rosary Apostolate is going back to in person. JOIN US! Training and supplies will be provided. **Recruitment weekend: February 15 & 16th after all Masses. Please see Paula in the Narthex to sign-up.** For more information leave a message for Paula at the office.

### PARISH BOOK STORE

The Parish bookstore is open on the first and third weekend of every month after all Masses. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Linda at [L.Yeh@archtoronto.org](mailto:L.Yeh@archtoronto.org).

### LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary, a world-wide apostolic organization of Catholics, meets every Tuesday: Adults: 6pm and Saturdays at 5pm for the Vietnamese Legion. Our Lady of Fatima statue will visit your home. For more information, please leave message for Lina Go or Annette Fernando at the parish office.

### SMALL GROUP FAITH MINISTRY

*"Where two or three come together in my name, I am there with them." (Matthew 18:20)* If you would like to apply what you have learned from Scripture, teachings, and practical personal reflection questions, join the SGM meetings on Wednesdays and Saturdays. For more information, email Olivia Saqui at [SGFM.smdy@gmail.com](mailto:SGFM.smdy@gmail.com)



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