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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.

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Mass Intentions for the Week

MON, NOV 24 9:15 am	Honorato Bettencourt †; In thanksgiving for the birthday of Maria Raposo
TUES, NOV 25 7:00 pm	Clara D'Mello †; Virginia Sinajon †
WED, NOV 26 9:15 am	Stan & Mary Burns †; In thanksgiving for the birthday of Maria Raposo
THUR, NOV 27 7:00 pm	
FRI, NOV 28 9:15 am	Francis Pinto †
SAT, NOV 29 9:15 am	For the health and intentions of Ozzy & Hazel Colaco
5:00 pm	William & Josephine Lambe and all deceased members of the Lamb family †; Mr. & Mrs. Charles †; Maria Raposo †; Anthony & Rose Putman †; Ian & Helen Dutton †
SUN, NOV 30 9:00 am	For the People of the Parish
10:30 am	Annamma John †; In thanksgiving - Sheila & Alex; In thanksgiving - Segundo & Marlene Gavilema & family
12:30 pm	Angelito Olindan †; Sixto Viduya †; Juanito & John Elmer Go †; For the living and deceased members of the Alpha group; In thanksgiving for the 20th Anniversary of the Alpha group
8:00 pm	Maria Laura Becerra †; Abuelita Silvia Oltarola †; Antonio Silva †; Rodrigo & Tania Orlando †; Victor Rene Oyaneder †; Mauricio Enrique Oyaneder Rivera †; Henry & Victorio del Toro Guzman †

THIS WEEK AT SMDY

Monday, November 24th
10:00 am - Stitches from the heart
10:00 am - Rosary Apostolate
7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus General meeting
7:00 pm - CWL General meeting
Tuesday, November 25th
1:00 pm - 55 Plus Club
5:30 pm - Legion of Mary - English
7:00 pm - RCIA
7:00 pm - TMIY
Wednesday, November 26th
7:00 pm - Confirmation Class
7:30 pm - 9am Choir practice
Thursday, November 27th
7:30 pm - Alpha
7:30 pm - 10:30am Choir practice
Friday, November 28th
7:00 pm - Youth Ministry
Saturday, November 29th
10:00 am - Confirmation Class
10:00 am - SGFM
12:00 pm - Christmas Carnival
3:30 pm - Children's Choir practice
Sunday, November 30th
8:00 am - Legion of Mary - Vietnamese

I mean, I'm nothing without Jesus. I'm a sinner. I fall incredibly short of the glory of God. We all do. I gave my life to the Lord in fifth grade, and it's the most important decision I've ever made, and everything I do incorporates Jesus Christ.

- Charlie Kirk, (1993-2025), in a 2024 interview with Russell Brand

The intention of Pope Pius XI in instituting the Solemnity of Christ the King was to affirm that Our Lord's sovereign reign was not merely a final destination point at the end of time but as an essential mission of all the baptized. Christ the King reigns in heaven already now; on this earth, the battle unfolds where the valiant strive to cooperate with his divine plan to usher all under the banner of his universal dominion.

The events that unfolded on September 10 of this year continue to cause shock and profound disturbance. Numerous are the speculations on the cause of his public death. Forensic experts vouch that the official public record as initially accepted are not possible according to the law of physics/ballistics. While there are bold journalists and social commentators who persist resolutely to ask probing questions, inevitable alternative theories surface when plausible explanations to such inquiries are deliberately stifled. Without wading too deeply into the turbulent waters of conspiracies, honest, faithful Christians ought not to be surprised that there are hidden and sinister forces focused sharply on silencing and eliminating the impact of the Gospel in the public square. That there are behind-the-scene usurpers who enforce such pervasive influence so as to compel high ranking government officials to adhere to a dubious, suspect narrative should also not come as a big surprise: it was November 22, 1963 when President J.F.K was assassinated and the world is still confounded as to the true plot to kill him. Charlie Kirk was competent, responsible, gentle and loving as a Christian apologist. His "prove me wrong" college tours were every bit of what we would want our bishops, priests and chaplains to be offering in their ministry to students' minds and hearts. The spiritual and cultural challenge to integrate the truth of Jesus Christ into the public life, especially for those who still as of yet do not know him or for those who intentionally reject him marches on, as dangerous as such a mission may be. In a prophetic podcast interview, June of 2025, Charlie was asked what he would most want to be remembered for: his pondered, "you mean if I die?"; Charlie's response, "I wanna be remembered for courage for my faith That would be the most important. The most important thing is my faith."

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Week by week the Liturgy has been preparing us for this. The revelation to be made on this the last Sunday of the church year.



Jesus is indeed the chosen one, the king of the Jews, the messiah. By the blood of the cross Jesus reveals his kingship, not by saving himself, but by saving us. His kingdom is the church, the New Jerusalem, and house of David, as we sing in today's psalm.

By the covenant Israel's tribes are made one with their king, as the first reading tells us. With each mass that we celebrate we renew this covenant, giving thanks for our redemption, hoping for the day when we too will be with him in paradise.

Lets us prepare ourselves to celebrate the kingship of Christ both now and forevermore. Amen.

Fr. Roger

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD, 2025

MONTH OF ALL SOULS REMEMBERING THE DEAD

During the month of November, we are called to pray in a particular way for those who have died. There will be a special Memorial Prayer Box placed in front of the Sanctuary during the month of November. The names of the deceased may be written on the Envelopes provided and placed in the Memorial Prayer Box. During the month of November, the deceased will be remembered at all Masses.



IMPORTANT!!

As we approach the end of the year, we kindly ask that anyone who has moved or had any changes to their personal information please inform the parish office as soon as possible. We will be updating our records in preparation for the 2026 parish envelopes. Thank you for helping us keep our information accurate.

CONFIRMATION - RITE OF ENROLMENT CEREMONY



This weekend we welcome Candidates and their families to celebrate the Sunday Eucharist this weekend. In front of our parish community, our Confirmation Candidates will make a formal commitment to receiving the Sacrament and present Fr. Roger with a letter about their favourite story of Jesus.

Come, Holy Spirit, guide these young hearts as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Fill them with Your wisdom, courage, and joy. Strengthen their faith, deepen their love for God, and help them recognize Your presence in their lives. May they grow as faithful disciples, shining Your light in all they do. Amen.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/COMMUNION

ADVENT PROMISE WEEKEND - 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Advent promise weekend is next weekend November 30th & December 1st. On this day bring in your Advent Promise activity and attend ONE of the following weekend Masses.

- Saturday, November 29th at 5:00pm
 - Sunday, November 30th 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:30pm or 8pm
- The activities have been sent to the school and given to students registered for the Sacrament; students in public or private school will receive the activity by email. If you have not received the activity or if you would like a hard copy please contact the parish office.

PILGRIMAGE

The CWL of our parish is inviting you to join them on a 12 day trip to Prague, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Paris and Lourdes from March 15, 2026 to March 26, 2026. You will visit Infant Jesus of Prague, Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Cruise on the Rhine river, Diamond and Chocolate factories, Eiffel Tower, boat ride along the River Seine, and Windmills, Canals and Markets. For more info contact Flo at: richflo83@hotmail.com



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

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary, a world-wide apostolic organization of Catholics, meets every Tuesday: Adults: 6pm and Sundays at 8am 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.

Volunteers Needed!



If you are interested in volunteering at the parish, please email Linda at 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.

DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS!!!

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.



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 LYeh@archtoronto.org.

THE 55+ CLUB

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all who participated in the Fundraiser Raffle this past weekend. Congratulations to all the winners!

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: sandyrobin22@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

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

STITCHES FROM THE HEART

Stitches from the heart group will resume on Monday September 8th, 2025. 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. For more information leave a message for Paula at the office.



Next night:

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST FROM 7-830PM

Meet new friends, get connected, and discover what's ahead in our bi-weekly Friday sessions.

Registration forms are available in the Narthex and Parish office for Grades 6-8.

For more information email
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