
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 High Mass – Usus Antiquior)
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, More Ancient Usage) and 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 8:30 a.m. (Latin, More Ancient Usage) & 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

Music for the Liturgy

9:30 Sung English Mass

Fourth Sunday of Lent (Lætare)

Introit: Rejoice, O Jerusalem: and come together, all you that love her; rejoice with joy, you that have been in sorrow, that you may exult, and be filled from the breasts of your consolation. I rejoiced at the things that were said to me: we shall go into the house of the Lord.

Ordinary: PBC 107-109 – Mass XVII

Psalm 23: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Gospel Acclamation: The Lord says, I am the world's light: anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

Credo: PBC 117 – Credo I

Offertory: O praise the Lord, for the Lord is gracious; O sing praises unto his Name, for it is lovely; whatsoever the Lord pleased, that did he in heaven and earth.

Motet: *Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*
(Calvin Hampton)

Communion: The Lord spat on the ground and made clay of the spittle: and he anointed mine eyes, and I went and washed, and I received sight and believed in God.

Motet: *I Will Worship* (George Dyson)

Recessional: AH 364 - *Lord Jesus, Think On Me*

11:00 a.m. Latin Mass

Lent IV "Lætare"

Asperges me, Domine

Introit: *Læare Jerusalem*

Kyrie: *Missa Canonica* (Johannes Brahms)

Gradual: *Laetatus sum*

Tract: *Qui confidunt*

Credo: I

Offertory: *Laudate Dominum*

Ave Regina Cælorum (Samuel Wesley)

Sanctus & Agnus: *Missa Canonica* (Johannes Brahms)

Communion: *Jerusalem, quæ ædificatur*

Ego Autem in Domino Sperabo (Giaches de Wert)

Translation: *But I will hope in the Lord, and will rejoice and exult in your mercy, for you have regarded my lowliness. In you, Lord, have I trusted; let me never be confounded: in your justice deliver me and rescue me.* (Introit for Wednesday of Lent III)

Organ: *Toccata in B flat minor* (Louis Vierne)

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

see Vespers booklet

Magnificat: Tone II (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina)

Benediction Motet: *Geistliches Lied, op. 30*

(Johannes Brahms)

Translation: *Do not be sorrowful or regretful; Be calm, as God has ordained, and thus shall my will be content. What do you worry about from day to day? There is One who stands above all who gives you, too, what is yours. Be steadfast in all you do, stand firm: what God has decreed, that is and must be the best. Amen.*
(Paul Flemming)

Final antiphon: *Ave Regina Cælorum*
(Cecilia McDowall)

Organ: *Évocation IV* (Thierry Escaich)

TODAY IS CALLED LÆTARE SUNDAY, after the first words of the Introit or Entrance Antiphon, which are (in Latin) "LÆTARE IERUSALEM" – Rejoice, O Jerusalem! By long tradition, and in accordance with the General Instruction on the Roman Missal, the organ may be played as a solo instrument on this day, even though it is still Lent.



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?

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, 2026**. Be sure that your small change can lead to a BIG change in our land & does help to save countless innocent lives now & in the future. God's preborn children in the womb have no voice but ours.

For information call Jenny at 416-267-7126.



YOU CAN HELP MEN ANSWER GOD'S CALL TO PRIESTHOOD BY SUPPORTING SHARELIFE

God planted the seed of a priestly vocation in Rev. Mr. Moonjun Alphonse Choi's heart as a child. He later entered St. Augustine's Seminary, where God led him through moments of joy, deep reflection, and a faith that continues to grow. His path has been one of both grace and challenge, yet he has walked forward without fear—because of you.

Your generous heart lifted the burden of financial worry, allowing Rev. Mr. Moonjun Alphonse Choi to embrace his calling fully and prepare for a life of service to the Church. God-willing, he will be ordained into priesthood this May. Because of your faithful generosity to ShareLife, many more young men will have the opportunity to answer God's call.

The first ShareLife Sunday collection is on March 22. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

BIBLE STUDY TUESDAY EVENINGS

- Parish Hall, 7:30 p.m. or on line p.m. If you wish to register for the ON-LINE class, please e-mail Fr. Roche at davidrocheco@gmail.com

ADULT CATECHISM (RCIA)

– Mondays, 7:30 – 9 p.m., Holy Family Parish Hall or via Zoom. Email Fr. Alexander at 6paulg@gmail.com

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 16

- 7:45 a.m. Thanksgiving for Lino
 11:30 a.m. [**Feria of Lent**] (+) Lorenza Tejada Thomson,
 req. by José Bona
 5:30 p.m. The Christ Life Apostolate in Toronto,
 req. by Fr. Michael Eades

Tuesday, March 17

St. Patrick, Bishop

- 7:45 a.m. (+) Andrew Varghese,
 req. by Joseph & Anna Mathai
 11:30 a.m. [**Feria of Lent; Comm. St. Patrick**]
 (+) Angelo Iafrati, req. by Peter & Marie Bonfield
 5:30 p.m. (+) Mrs. Dorothy Murphy,
 req. by Chas & Anne Muggeridge

Wednesday, March 18

- 7:45 a.m. (+) Special Intention, req. by Beata Umuhire &
 Daphrose Mukankiko
 11:30 a.m. [**Feria of Lent; St. Cyril**] (+) Maria Angelus Dulfo,
 req. by Lloyd Dulfo
 5:30 p.m. (+) Guerino Romano, req. by Mauro Conte

Thursday, March 19

St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 7:45 a.m. Fr. Michael Eades, req. by The Seven Sisters
 11:30 a.m. [**St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
 Confessor & Patron of the Universal Church;
 Feria of Lent**] (+) Holy Souls,
 req. by Maria Geogina José
 5:30 p.m. In Honour of St. Joseph [Sung English]

Friday, March 20

- 7:45 a.m. (+) Armand Marchand, req. by Leo Marchand
 11:30 a.m. [**Feria of Lent**] John Eades,
 req. by Fr. Michael Eades
 5:30 p.m. Anita & Oscar Madarang.,
 req. by Annabelle Orjana
 7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross & Benediction

Saturday, March 21

- 8:30 a.m. [**Feria of Lent**] (+) Christian Martyrs in Middle
 East & Africa, req. by Sara Vajay Cserhati
 10:00 a.m. (+) Relatives & Friends of Parishioners

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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Marriage Course, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. Parish Hall

This course runs every Wednesday from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Register when you arrive. **Cost:** \$150/ couple. Includes a copy of the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

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 participated in the Rite of Election on February 22nd at St Michael’s Cathedral Basilica. They will be going through the Scrutinies on the Third, Fourth and Fifth Sundays of Lent, March 8, 15 and 22 at the 9:30 a.m. Mass.

THE BOOKSTALL

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17TH ANNUAL DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE
 Saturday March 21, 2026 - Le Treport Banquet Hall,
 Mississauga

Keynote Speaker – Johnnette Benkovic Williams from EWTN -
What does it Mean to be a Woman?

Sister John Mary SV - *Learning to Listen in a Distracted World*
April Smith from North Pole Alaska

- Live Adventurously, Live Virtuously

Dorothy Pilarski - *One Mother's Heart - One Mother's Fiat*

Natalie Regnier - *Brick by Brick: Building a Strong Family*

Bishop Ivan Camilleri will be celebrating the closing Mass

REGISTER HERE: dwf2026.eventbrite.ca

Any questions? Dorothy Pilarski (647) 527-8131; MiddayMomsCatholicMomsGroup.com; DynamicWomenFaith.com

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