

Our Lady of the Assumption Parish

Home of the Filipino Catholic Mission



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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday — 5:00pm

Sunday — 10:00am; 12:00Noon

5:00pm (Filipino); 7:15pm

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WEEKEDAY MASSES

Tuesday — Friday — 7:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday — 6:00pm - 6:45pm

Saturday — 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Or upon request

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DEVOTIONS

(Before each Mass)

Recitation of the Holy Rosary

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

(Wednesday)

St. Jude (Thursday)

Divine Mercy (Friday)

BAPTISM

Contact Parish Office 2 months in advance of anticipated baptismal date.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. Preparation course is a prerequisite.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If one of your loved ones would like to receive this Sacrament of Anointing, please call the Parish Office.

COMMUNION OF THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

The Eucharist is brought regularly to the sick and shut-ins. Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation are also available. Please notify the parish office.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday — CLOSED

Tuesday — Friday

9:00am — 12:00noon

Closed for Lunch

1:00pm — 5:00pm

CATHOLIC CEMETERY

416-733-8544

<https://www.catholic-cemeteries.ca>

PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Our Lady of the Assumption School
125 Glenmount Ave, North York, ON
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416-393-5265

Welcome, new parishioners! We invite new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms, Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) forms and donation envelopes are available at the entrances of the church and at the parish office. Please drop completed forms into the collection basket or at the parish office.

TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



October 17th–23rd, 2022

Monday, October 17th

No Mass

Tuesday, October 18th

7:00pm—Pro Populo

Wednesday, October 19th

(Multiple Intentions)

7:00pm—Pro Populo

Thursday, October 20th

7:00pm—Pro Populo

Friday, October 21st

7:00pm—Pro Populo

Saturday, October 22nd

5:00pm—Geronimo Fulgencio
Asuncion Mercado
Lucille Sicat

Sunday, October 23rd

10:00am—Pro Populo

12:00Noon—Eduardo Arzadon

5:00pm—(Multiple Intentions)

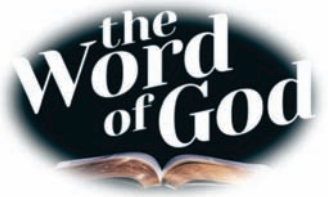
Luis Bustamante
Catherine Pangilinan
Dionicio Taguicana
Angelina Limjoco

7:15pm—Ketih Kimani

Sunday Reflection...

Luke 18:1-8

Jesus urges his disciples to pray and not lose heart, for God hears and answers prayers.



This is the first of two parables that Jesus tells in Luke 18 about prayer. (The second will be read at Mass next Sunday.) This first parable is a lesson in persistence in prayer. (Next Sunday's parable will address attitude in prayer.) While the parable seems to present prayer as nagging God for what we want, such a reading misses the point. God is not like the judge in the parable, worn down by requests and coerced to respond. The key is found in the description of the judge as corrupt and unjust. Since God can be neither, we must understand Jesus to be saying that if even an unjust judge responds to the persistence of the widow, how much more so will God listen to our prayers. God truly wants to hear our needs and respond generously. It is the final lament of Jesus that gets to the point of the parable. The lesson is about the persistence of the one who prays. God wants us to be like the persistent widow, staying in relationship with God, confident that God hears and answers prayers. Then Jesus laments, "Will such faith be found when the Son of Man comes?" In this lament, Jesus notes how easy it can be for us to lose heart..



Let us pray!

For those who are sick members of our parish and those who love and minister to them.

OUR LADY OF THE CAPE PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE



Will be visiting Our Lady of the Assumption Parish on Sunday, morning from 9:00am until 12noon on October 30th, 2022. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 12Noon followed by Procession and Crowning of Our Lady.



Offertory Collection

Sunday Collection—\$8,123.00

Thank you for your generous hearts!



Thank You for Your Financial Support

If you are unable to join us for mass at this time please consider the options of either through our [Pre-Authorized Giving Program](#), or an electronic donation by credit card through the "Donate Now" button at the top right corner of the Archdiocese of Toronto [website](#). For information, Please call the parish office at 416-787-4547.

ROSARY — MONTH OF OCTOBER



The Rosary is such an important tool for prayer in our lives that the entire month of October has been dedicated to the Rosary. The liturgical feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated every year on October 7th.

It was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the Rosary by the faithful. In the month of October, let us consider this beautiful prayer of the Rosary as a means that we too can use in order to draw closer to Jesus and Mary by meditating on the great mysteries of our salvation.



MEMORIAL MASS

REMEMBERING OUR DECEASED LOVED ONES
Eternal Rest Grant unto Them O Lord...

Beginning on All Souls Day (Wednesday, November 2) and each weekend mass throughout the month of November the Church's tradition of praying for our deceased relatives and friends will be observed at OLA Parish. Again, this year you are asked to record the names of those you wish us to remember at Mass in November on the envelopes provided for that purpose (available at the doors of the church) and to place your envelope in the box near the altar of remembrance beginning on the weekend of October 29/30, where this Basket of Remembrance will remain throughout November.



World Mission Sunday Special Collection – October 23:

The Pontifical Missions Societies through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith has supported the temporal needs of missions as well as created awareness of the work of the missions throughout the world. Some examples of projects include: building churches, pastoral centers, cathedrals damaged by tsunamis and earthquakes, religious houses of formation, homes for the clergy, formation programs for lay missionaries, radio and television production, audio-visual materials for remote mission areas as well as support of pastoral work in various rural dioceses. For more information, please visit the Society for the Propagation of the Faith: www.missionsocieties.ca

Municipal Elections 2022 – Cast Your Vote!

A municipal election will be held on Monday, October 24, 2022. All Catholics are strongly encouraged to exercise their democratic right to vote. To help learn more about the candidates for Catholic School Board Trustee, Cardinal Collins has given permission for these candidates to distribute literature to parishioners departing Mass on weekends from October 1/2 through October 22/23. We hope you'll take the time to get to know those seeking elected office for this important role.



To ensure your vote for Catholic School Board Trustee, at the polling booth, verify that you are registered as a separate school supporter. If your support status is incorrect ask for an Application to Amend Voters' List. This form may be completed and submitted at the polling station. Thank you for your interest and involvement in this fall's municipal election!

RENEW Toronto Young Adult Conference 2022

From: Fr. Joshua Roldan, Director of Office of Catholic Youth

We are very excited to be bringing young adults together again for RENEW Toronto. RENEW Toronto is a conference for all young adults aged 19-39 with keynotes, workshops, worship music, Confessions, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and fellowship. This conference will offer unique opportunities for students, young adult professionals, and young couples. We invite young adults to unite with one another to collectively renew their hearts, renew their call and renew their community. Saturday, November 5, 2022 – 10 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Canada Christian College (300 Water St, Whitby, ON) Doors open at 9 a.m. Social ends at 11 p.m.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS PROGRAM 2022-2023

Our parish will celebrate the First Reconciliation and the First Eucharist and Confirmation during Easter season next year. We are letting you know that our parish in co-operation with our school principal are making plans for the special journey with our children who are to celebrate First Communion and Confirmation next year. These preparations include: First Communion—Grade 2 (Catholic and public schools)

Confirmation—Grade 7 (Catholic and public schools)

Registration Forms are available in the lobby of the church after each Mass this weekend or at the parish Office during the office hours.

Registrations and Parents' Meetings

CONFIRMATION

Monday, October 24th, 2022

at 7:00pm



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Monday, October 31st, 2022

at 7:00pm



Please bring the copy of the Baptismal certificate and the registration form and \$40 to cover the course.

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PARISH HEAD COUNT

Will be held at all weekend masses at OLA the weekends of **October 15/16 and October 22/23**. The purpose of this count is to provide an accurate profile of Mass attendance in the archdiocese.

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