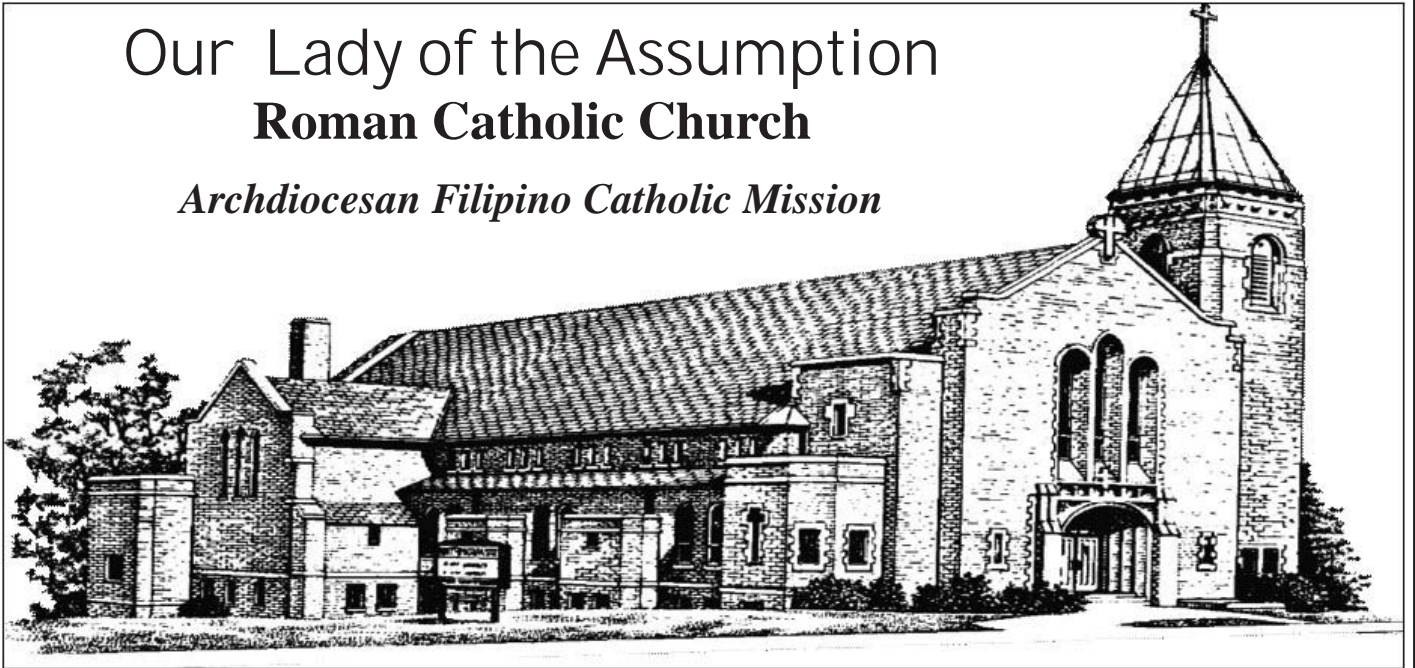


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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday is **CLOSED**

Tuesday-Friday: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(closed for lunch: 12-1 p.m.)

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Welcome, new parishioners!

We invite new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms, pre-authorized giving 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.

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday – 5:00pm

Sunday – 10:00am; 12:00 Noon

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

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WEEKEDAY MASSES

Tuesday – Friday – 7:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday – 6:30pm – 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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The Presentation of our Lord

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February 3rd-9th, 2025

Monday, February 3rd

No Mass

Tuesday, February 4th

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Wednesday, February 5th

(Multiple Intentions)

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Thursday, February 6th

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Friday, February 7th

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Saturday, February 8th

5:00pm— Pro Populo

Sunday, February 9th

10:00am— Dyna Rose Fernadez

12:00Noon— Pro Populo

5:00pm (Tagalog Mass) - Pro Populo

7:00pm— Pro Populo



Sunday Reflection.....

**Simeon recognizes the infant Jesus as the promised Messiah
(Luke 2:22-40)**

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the temple. The Presentation, which is celebrated 40 days after Christmas, is not mentioned in the other Gospels. Only Luke tells the story, most likely because he writes for Gentile Christians who are not familiar with the Jewish rite of presentation and purification. In addition, the intent of Luke's Gospel is to show that God's promise to Israel, fulfilled in Jesus, extends to Gentiles.

Luke recognizes Joseph and Mary as faithful Jews who bring Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem. Here they present their firstborn son to the Lord. Jesus is thus consecrated as required by the Law of Moses. Present in the temple at this time are Simeon and Anna. Both are awaiting the restoration of God's rule in Israel.

Simeon had been promised by the Holy Spirit that he would see Christ the Lord, the Messiah, before he died. The holy man immediately recognized the infant Jesus as the promised Savior, a "light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel." Anna also recognized Jesus as the fulfillment of the promise of redemption and spoke about him to all.



Let us pray!

We keep in our prayers the sick, the homebound, and the forgotten members in our community and **those who love and minister to them.**

Give
THANKS
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HEART *1 Thessalonians 5:18*

Offertory Collection

January 19th, 2025

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AND

THE SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

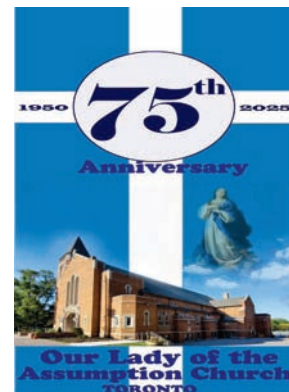


On the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes on Tuesday, February 11th, 2025, the Sacrament of Anointing will be available after the 7:00pm Mass.

Over the centuries the Anointing of the sick was conferred more and more exclusively on those at the point of death. However, this sacrament is not only for those who are at the point of death. It is also appropriate to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick prior to a serious operation. Those who have a chronic condition, or are becoming frail with old age, may receive Anointing of the Sick on more than one occasion.'

ACTIVITIES TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON!!!!

To Reflect On The Past, Embrace The Present, And Shape The Future





PILGRIMAGE CHURCHES

The Archdiocese of Toronto has identified holy places of worship in each of the major regions of the archdiocese to serve as pilgrimage destinations during the Jubilee Year.

These locations are as follows:

Archdiocesan St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica,
Toronto Shrines Martyrs' Shrine, Midland

Central Region

- St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto
- St. Mary's Parish, Toronto
- St. Edward the Confessor Parish, North York

Western Region

- Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Etobicoke
- St. Mary's Parish, Brampton

Eastern Region

- St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough
- St. Gregory the Great Parish, Oshawa

Northern Region

- St. Padre Pio Parish, Kleinburg
- St. Mary's Parish, Barrie

OPENING JUBILEE YEAR MASSES

All Parishioners are invited to celebrate the Opening Jubilee Year Masses in the Central Region of the Archdiocese of Toronto. They include:

St. Paul's Basilica

(83 Power Street)
Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2025
celebrated by Bishop Kasun

St. Mary's Church

(588 Adelaide Street)
Thursday, Feb 20, 2025
celebrated by Bishop Kasun

St. Edward the Confessor Church

(75 Churchill Ave)
Tuesday, Feb 25, 2025
celebrated by Cardinal Francis Leo



All Masses begin at 7:00 pm
Confession time from 5:30pm to 6:45pm
No need to register. Just come!

HOLY HOUR with Jesus

Thursday, February 6th, 2025
after the 7:00pm Mass
"Praying for the sick"



VOCATION CORNER



You are the body of Christ, every one of you is a member of it. As a member of the body, we serve different roles. Are you willing to do your part. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact: **Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997. email: vocations@ archtoronto.org. www.vocationstoronto.ca**

A CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO



MASS WITH BISHOP IVAN CAMILLERI on Sunday, February 9, 2025, 2:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond Street, Toronto. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Special recognition and reserved seating available for couples celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ anniversaries in 2025. For more information and registration visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

COFFE SUNDAY !!!



"The Coffee time Ministry will resume their coffee time after the 10 am mass, next Please come and join us at basement hall after the mass for fellowship. Please bring any baked goods you want to share with our fellow parishioner."



2024 Charitable Income Tax Receipts will be delivered directly in your home through mail by February. Thank you for your continued support to the parish!

HANDICRAFT HOLY LAND CHRISTIANS

On the weekend of February 15-16, we will welcome our special guest Sebastien Cardinal representing "Handicraft Holy Land Christians", who after all the masses will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land.



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