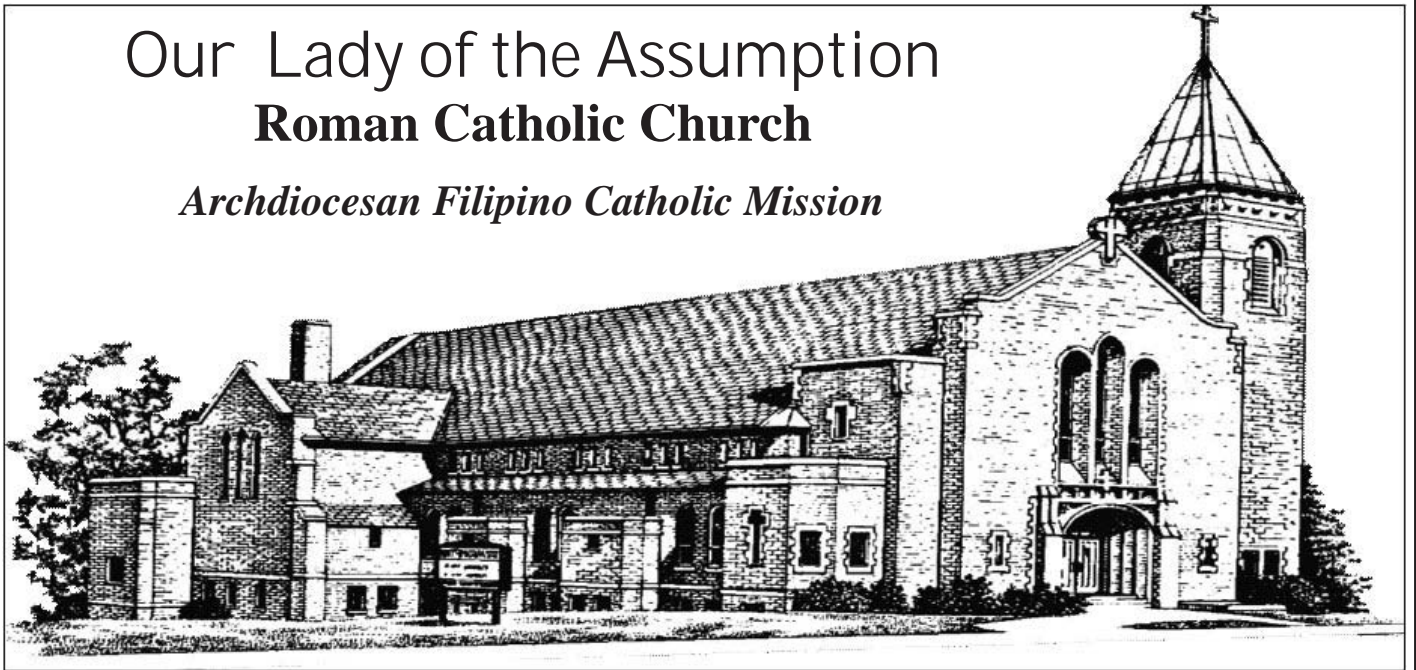


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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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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www.catholic-cemeteries.ca

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Our Lady of the Assumption School
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September 29-October 5, 2025

Monday, September 29th

No Mass

Tuesday, September 30th

7:00pm—

Wednesday, October 1st

(Multiple Intentions)

7:00pm—

Thursday, October 2nd

7:00pm— NO HOLY HOUR

Friday, October 3rd

7:00pm— +Juan Apinado Jr.

Saturday, October 4th

5:00pm—

Sunday, October 5th

10:00am— Sherwyne Silva

12:00Noon—

5:00pm (Tagalog Mass) -

7:00pm—

Sunday Reflection.....

Jesus tells the parable of the reversal of fortunes between the rich man and the poor man, Lazarus (Luke 16:19-31)



A major theme in the Gospel of Luke is the importance of the care of the poor in the life of discipleship. In the parable found in today's Gospel, Jesus contrasts the life of a rich man and the poor man, Lazarus, who lives in the shadow of the rich man and his wealth. Both die. Lazarus finds himself in heaven; the rich man in the netherworld. The rich man asks for assistance from Lazarus in his torment. But Abraham reminds the rich man of the good things he had in his life and describes the current situation as a reversal of fortunes. The rich man then asks that Lazarus be sent to warn his family, but this is denied with the reminder that

Moses and the prophets have warned of judgment for those who neglect the care of the poor.

In the context of Luke's Gospel, this parable, delivered in the presence of a crowd of listeners, is part of Jesus' response to some Pharisees. These Pharisees are described in Luke's Gospel as "loving money." (Note: The Pharisees were followers of a sect of Judaism active before, during, and after Jesus' lifetime. They taught an oral interpretation of the Law of Moses as the basis for popular Jewish piety. They put less emphasis on Temple worship and more on applying the law to everyday life. Though they are often portrayed negatively in the Gospels, they shared many of Jesus' and the early Church's concerns about the law.) Jesus observed that the actions of some Pharisees betrayed misplaced priorities: they spoke one way, but acted in another. The story of the rich man and Lazarus demonstrates the importance of the care of the poor and is a reminder to those who would follow Jesus of the unimportance of wealth in the eyes of God.



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.

Offertory Collection

September 21, 2025

Offertory Collection \$ 10,968.00

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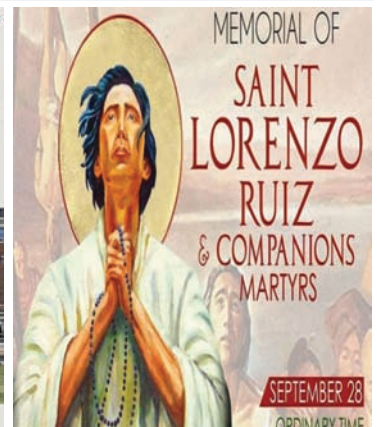
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Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary time

Planned Giving & Personal Gifts

A bequest in your Will to our church is an acknowledgment of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can have a favourable impact on your overall estate plan. Bequests are NOT just for the wealthy! Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities or departments in your Will. Let your Will reflect your Catholic values. We have a free estate planning guide to help you make your plan. The Archdiocese of Toronto also maintains a list of advisors across the GTA who are available to assist in your estate planning and the preparation of a Will. Please contact us at Development@archtoronto.org for a list of Catholic estate advisors in your area. Remember about the importance of using the correct legal names when arranging bequests or other planned gifts.

Sacramental Preparation Registration/ Parents Meeting

First Communion—Tuesday, October 14th, 2025 at 7:30pm

Confirmation—Wednesday, October 15, 2025 at 7:30pm

Registration Forms for the Sacraments of **First Holy Communion** (grade 2 & 3) and **Confirmation** (7 & 8) are available for pick-up at the **back of the church** after all Sunday Masses until October 12th, 2025.

For more information, please contact the parish office. Let us support our children and youth as they prepare for these important steps in their faith journey.

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home will be hosting a **Planning Ahead Information Session** on **Tuesday, October 7, 2025 at 7:00 PM**. This evening event will provide valuable information on the benefits of planning ahead for funeral and cemetery needs, including:

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🍷 Refreshments will be served

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PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to Our Lady of the Assumption Parish and AFCM and you will be staying to worship with us, please fill out a registration form located at the foyer or on the parish website. If your children attend OLA School, you are not automatically registered in the parish. Also, if you are recently married or an adult no longer living with your parents, we kindly ask that you also register as member of the parish.



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📅 Wednesday, October 8, 2025

🕒 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

📍 1107 Avenue Road

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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

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