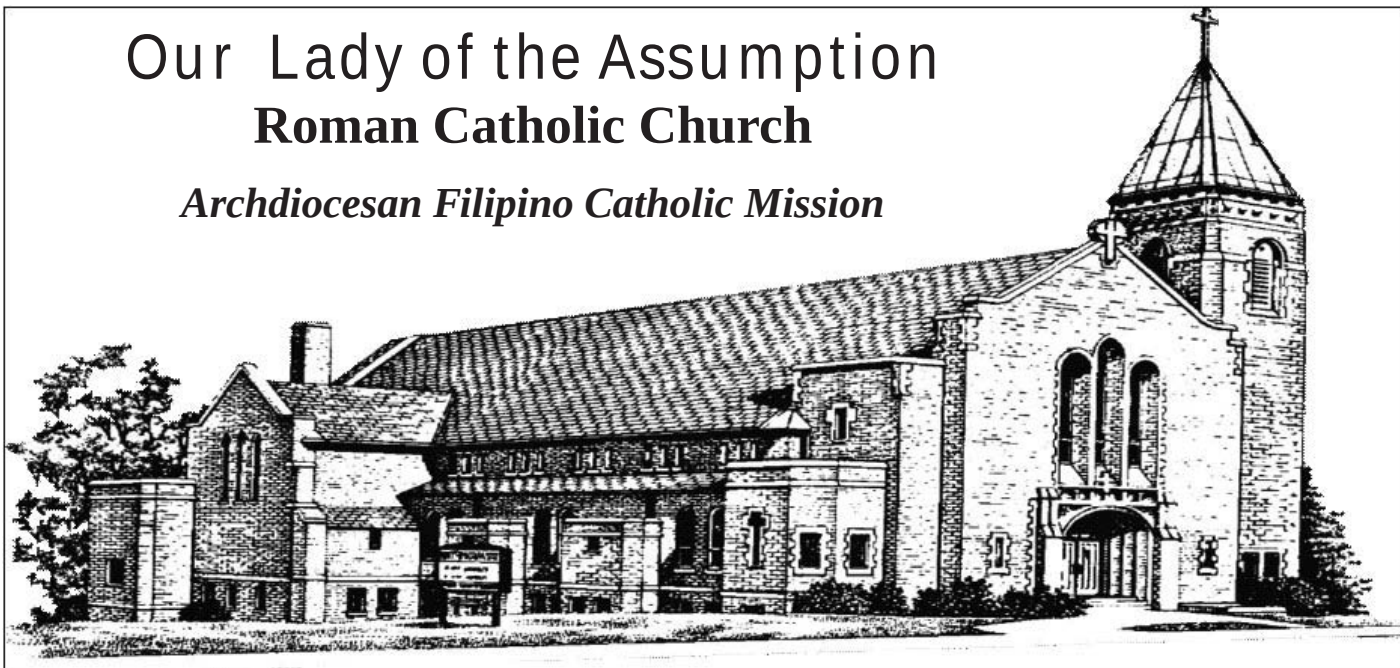


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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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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October 20th-26th, 2025

Monday, October 20th

No Mass

Tuesday, October 21st

7:00pm—

Wednesday, October 22nd

(Multiple Intentions)

7:00pm— Lucille Sicut

Thursday, October 23rd

7:00pm—Mark Fama

Friday, October 24th

7:00pm—

Saturday, October 25th

5:00pm—

Sunday, October 26th

10:00am—Renee Rosales

12:00Noon— +Amparo Medina

5:00pm (Tagalog Mass) -

7:00pm— Justin Alcantara

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

October 12, 2025

Sunday Offertory Collection \$ 10, 275.00

Building Maintenance \$ 3, 240.00

Thank you for your donations and support!



Daylight Saving Time
Ends

Nov 2, 2025

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Sunday Reflection.....

Gospel Reading (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.

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Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary time

Planned Giving & Personal Gifts

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World Mission Sunday Special Collection

October 19 From: Peter Okonski, Manager of Planned Giving & Personal Gifts Since 1922, 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



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MEMORIAL MASS

REMEMBERING OUR DECEASED LOVED ONES

Eternal Rest Grant unto Them O Lord...



Beginning on All Souls Day (Sunday, 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 26th, where this Basket of Remembrance will remain throughout November.

Death Notice: Francesco Leo, Father of Frank Cardinal Leo.

It is with profound sadness that we share news of the passing of Francesco Leo, father of Frank Cardinal Leo. Francesco passed away on October 11, 2025 in Montreal at the age of 84. Funeral arrangements are still being determined. We will share additional information once details are finalized.

Please pray for His Eminence and all those who mourn the passing of Francesco. May he rest in peace.



PILGRIMAGE TO AUSTRIA, CZECHIA, GERMANY, POLAND AND HUNGARY Visiting: Vienna, Prague, Dresden, Poznan, Our Lady of Lichen Sanctuary, Black Madonna of Czestochowa, Divine Mercy

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COFFEE SUNDAY IS BACK!!!!

October 19th, 2025 after the 10am Mass



We're excited to announce that Coffee Sunday has returned! Join us after Mass for coffee, tea, and light refreshments. It's a wonderful opportunity to connect, share stories, and strengthen our parish community.

Bring a friend and stay for fellowship—we look forward to seeing you there!

The Month of Holy Rosary



October is dedicated to the **Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary**. We are invited to deepen our devotion to Christ through Mary by praying the Rosary daily.

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.**

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