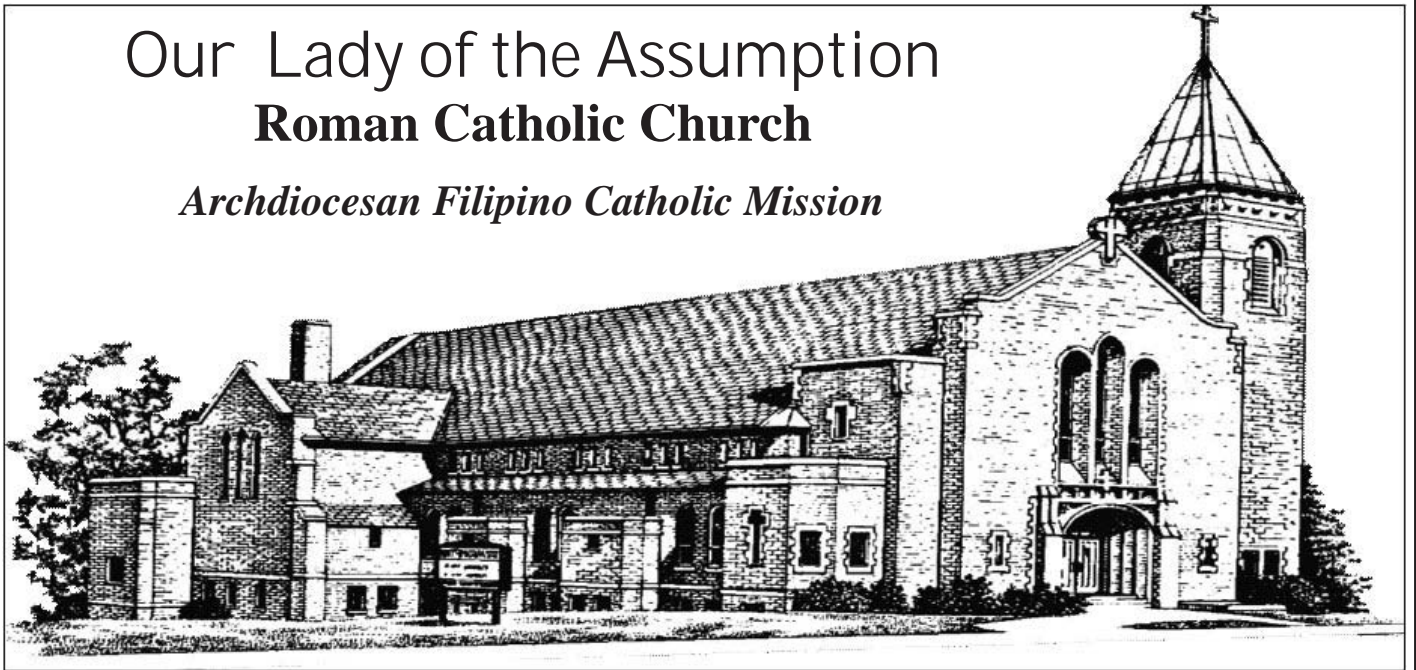


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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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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JANUARY 12-18, 2026

Monday, January 12th

No Mass

Tuesday, January 13th

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Wednesday, January 14th

(Multiple Intentions)

7:00pm— +Martin Calungsod

Thursday, January 15th

7:00pm— Katrina Anna

Friday, January 16th

7:00pm— Rachel P.

Saturday, January 17th

5:00pm—Yanni P.

Sunday, January 18th

10:00am—Pro Populo

12:00Noon— Pro Populo

5:00pm (Tagalog Mass) - Pro Populo

7:00pm— Pro Populo

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.

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.



Offertory Collection

*January 4, 2026
Sunday Offertory \$ 11,412*

Thank you for your donations and support!

Sunday Reflection.....

The Spirit of God comes upon Jesus as he is baptized by John (Matthew 3:13-17)



The baptism of Jesus is attested to in the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, and Luke. The account that appears in Matthew is the only one to include the dialogue between Jesus and John, however. Another difference in Matthew's presentation of this event is the announcement made by the voice from heaven, which says, "This is my beloved son . . ." In Mark and Luke, this voice addresses itself to Jesus: "You are my beloved son . . ."

The baptisms that John performs prefigure Christian Baptism. John baptizes for repentance from sin. In accepting this baptism, Jesus unites himself with all sinners even though he is sinless. In Matthew's Gospel, John the Baptist distinguishes his practice of baptism from the Baptism that the Messiah brings: "I am baptizing you with water . . . He will baptize you with the holy Spirit and fire" (Matthew 3:11).

The baptism of Jesus is another manifestation of Christ, another epiphany. Christ's baptism inaugurates his mission. In an analogous way, our Baptism inaugurates our mission as Christians.

This Sunday marks a transition from the Christmas season to Ordinary Time. In a way, today's feast is the high point of the Christmas season. Before Jesus' birth, angels announced to Mary and to Joseph who Jesus would be. At his birth, the shepherds and the Magi recognize Jesus as the Messiah. At his baptism, Jesus accepts that he is God's son and inaugurates that mission.

The devotees of Black Nazarene are inviting everyone to join us as we celebrate

THE FEAST OF BLACK NAZARENE

On Sunday January 11,2026

Solem Mass at 5:00pm followed by a Procession inside the church

Food will be served after the mass



Viva! Pit Senor Sto. Nino



Sunday, January 18th, 2026
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The Baptism of our Lord

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Become Part of Our Church Family

We give a heartfelt welcome to all new parishioners! In order for us to better serve you, especially at the time of baptism, marriage, or funerals, it is most helpful if you are registered and attending mass regularly here with our parish community. This is especially IMPORTANT for marriage and baptism preparation.

All parishioners especially those who live outside of our parish boundaries are expected to complete the Parish Registration and use Sunday Offertory Envelopes. If you are already a registered member, but you need to update your registration information, please email your full name along with the changes to olaparishtoronto@rogers.com. If you're interested in becoming a registered member of the parish, please complete and submit the form available at the foyer or please call the parish office at 416-787-4548..



COFFEE SUNDAY !!!

"The Coffee time Ministry will resume their coffee time after the 10 am mass, on January 11th, 2026 Please come and join us at the basement hall after the mass for fellowship.

Please bring any baked goods you want to share with our fellow parishioner."



2026 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES PICK-UP!

Parishioners please pick up your 2026 Offertory Envelopes at the Entrance of the Church. Is important that you discard all previous 2025 envelopes. If you don't have offertory envelopes and would like a box, please complete the registration form found on the parish website or at the back of the Church and return in the Sunday Collection.



2025 Charitable Income Tax Receipts will be delivered directly in your home through mail by February.

Thank you for your continued support to the parish!



Vocation Reflection ...

Brothers and sisters, the Church needs holy and joyful priests. If you are a young man who feels a stirring in your heart to serve God and His people as a priest, do not be afraid. This may be the Lord calling you. We invite you to pray, to listen, and to speak with our parish priest or the vocations director. Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416 968 0997. Email: vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca

HAS YOUR ADDRESS CHANGED?

Please notify the Parish Office if your mailing address, email address, phone number has changed in the past year. We require current mailing address, so that you will receive your charitable donation tax receipt in the new year on time.

Please contact the office at **416-787-4547** or olassumptionto@archtoronto.org

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL, SPAIN and FRANCE

Celebrating the Jubilee Year of the Holy Chalice in Valencia Under spiritual guidance of Rev. Lorenzo Salandanan, Pastor of Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in Toronto, ON Tour Coordinator: Ms. Patricia Martyn, 416-629-0350, pmartyn132@gmail.com SEP 27 - OCT 10, 2026, 14 DAYS - \$5,990.00, incl. taxes and tips Connaissance Travel and Tours, 3852 Finch Ave East, Suite #306, Toronto ON, M1T 3T9, Tel: 416 291

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Under spiritual guidance of Rev. Lorenzo Salandanan, Pastor of Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in Toronto, ON. Tour Coordinator: Ms. Patricia Martyn, 416-629-0350, pmartyn132@gmail.com.

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