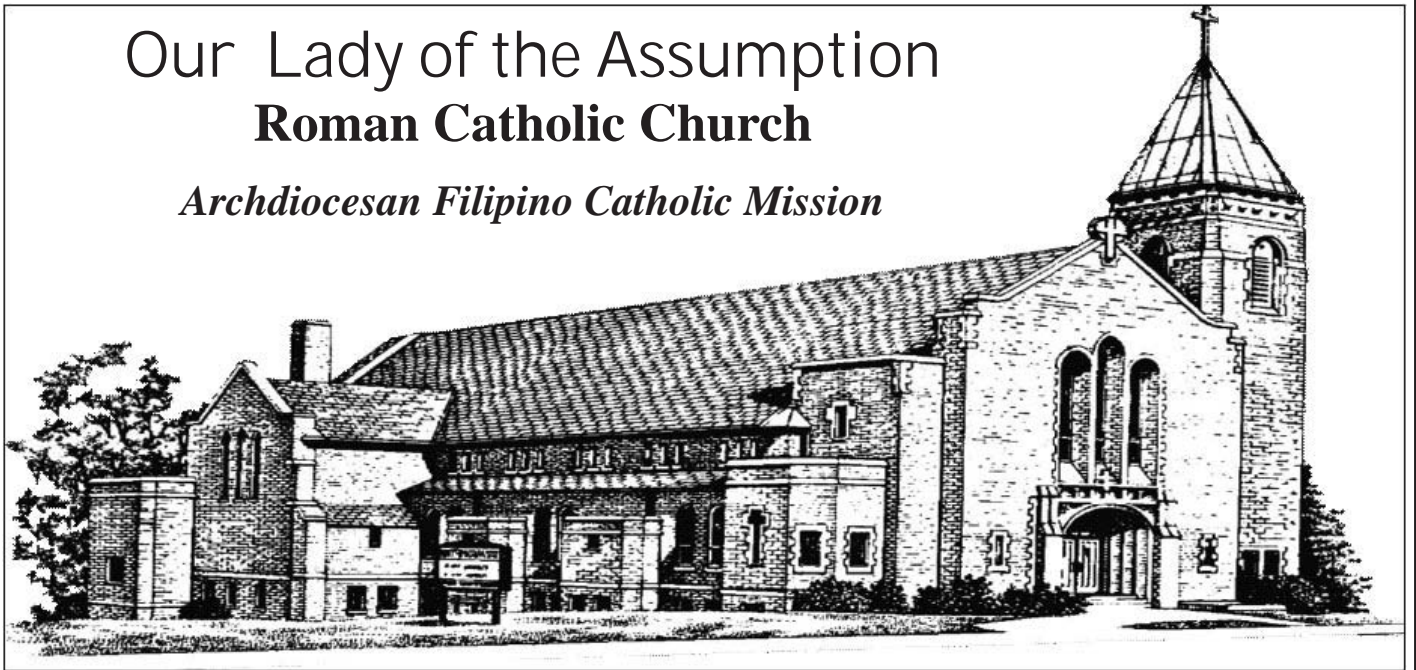


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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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 19-25, 2026

Monday, January 19th

No Mass

Tuesday, January 20th

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Wednesday, January 21st

(Multiple Intentions)

7:00pm— +Rodel Calungsod

Thursday, January 22nd

7:00pm— +Juan Apinado

Friday, January 23rd

7:00pm— Pro Populo

Saturday, January 24th

5:00pm—Pro Populo

Sunday, January 25th

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 11, 2026
Sunday Offertory \$ 10, 907.00*

Thank you for your donations and support!

Sunday Reflection.....

John testifies that Jesus is the Lamb of God, God's own Son. (John 1:29-34)

This Sunday we break from our reading of Matthew's Gospel (the primary Gospel for our current liturgical cycle, Cycle A) to read from John's Gospel. We heard Matthew's account of Jesus' baptism last Sunday, on the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Today, we hear John the Baptist's testimony about Jesus as found in John's Gospel. John's Gospel differs from the other Gospels because John does not describe Jesus' baptism by John the Baptist. Instead, John the Baptist announces that he knows that Jesus is the Son of God.



In today's reading, John the Baptist sees Jesus approaching and cries out, giving witness about who Jesus is. In John's testimony he says that he saw the Spirit descend upon Jesus. By this sign, John the Baptist knew that Jesus was the one who is to come after him.

John the Baptist uses two titles for Jesus that are familiar to us. John calls Jesus the "Lamb of God" and the "Son of God." By using these titles, John the Baptist identifies Jesus' ultimate purpose: to redeem sinful humanity.

John the Baptist's testimony about Jesus clearly distinguishes John's baptism from the Baptism that Jesus will inaugurate. John baptizes with water; Jesus will baptize with the Holy Spirit. John also puts his practice of baptism in the context of Jesus' ministry. The purpose of John's baptism was to make Jesus known to Israel.

John the Baptist's sense of purpose is clearly identified in this reading: he baptized in order to prepare for and make known the ministry of the One who was to follow. John's witness is an excellent example of what it means to be a disciple. By our Baptism, we are called to make Jesus known to all the world by our words and by the witness of our lives.



**Viva! Pit Senor
Sto. Nino**

Sunday, January 18th,
2026

at 5:00pm Mass

Please bring your own
Sto. Nino statue to be
blessed



Everyone is welcome to attend!!!



COFFE SUNDAY !!!

"The Coffee time Ministry will resume their coffee time after the 10 am mass, on January 18th, 2026 Please come and join us at

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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..



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.



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

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Contact us NOW: Christian & Elizabeth Arroba, 416-554-4439 or 416-554-7062 christian.elizabeth.arroba@wwme.org



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!

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 INVITATION

Destinations: AUSTRIA, CZECHIA, GERMANY, POLAND and HUNGARY Visiting: Vienna, Prague, Dresden, Poznan, Our Lady of Lichen Sanctuary, Black Madonna of Czestochowa, Divine Mercy Sanctuary, Krakow, Wieliczka, Auschwitz, Kalwaria Zebrzydowska

and Budapest.

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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