St. Mary of the people parish



SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 P.M.

Sunday 9:00 A.M., 11:00 A.M.

DAILY MASSES

Tuesday to Saturday 8:30 A.M.

ROSARY

Daily recitation following morning Mass at approx 9:00 A.M.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Tuesday - Saturday following morning Mass

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION

Wednesday during morning Mass

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:45 P.M. or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact the office for information

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Notice must be received one year in advance.

Couples must attend a marriage preparation course.

PASTOR

Fr. Joel Pabilona Jr - Pastor

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

SCHOOLS

St. Christopher's	(905) 725-7672
Paul Dwyer Catholic High	(905) 723-5255

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Womens League	(905) 728-2212
Knights of Columbus	(905) 728-2212
St. Vincent de Paul	(905) 213-3860
Natural Family Planning (Rose)	(905) 683-9055
Catholic Cemeteries (Resurrection)	(905) 668-8912

BULLETIN

Copy must be in to office no later than Monday 4:00 P.M.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please register using forms at back of Church or at Office.



Sat. Nov. 15 5:00 + Ted Mizzi req by wife & family

Sun. Nov. 16 9:00 + Nickolas & Barbara Novak

req by Barbara Staresinic

11:00 Multiple Intentions Mass

- + Jim Cushnan
- + Emerise Bourgeois
- + Mientje Klumper
- + Domenico Pettorossi
- + Teresa Poalozza
- + Francesca De Marco
- + Renzo Subrizi

Tue. Nov. 18 8:30 + Richard White req by Mary O'Dristoll

7:00 Living & Deceased members of the Knight of Columbus

Wed. Nov. 19 8:30 + John Joe Crowley req by Mary O'Dristoll

Thur. Nov. 20 8:30 Multiple Intention Mass

- + Anica Carmeli
- + Maria Karcich

(Int) Sheila Knapp

(Int) Benlamina Morri

Fri. Nov. 21 8:30 + Domenico Rocchio req by Antonia Ciurlia

Sat. Nov. 22 8:30 + Michele Condarcuri req by Vincent Condarcuri

5:00 + Ivan Viscovic req by the family

Sun. Nov. 23 9:00 Multiple Intentions Mass

- + Armando & Ida Occhiuzzi
- + Giuseppe & Santina Palmieri
- + Carmilina & Pierino Piraino
- + Pasquale & Concetta Maccrone
- + Alesandro & Gina Sirizzotti
- + Carmine Carpino

(Int) Fred & Maria Tuccia

11:00 All Parishioners of St. Mary of the People

The Shepherds' Trust Caring for those who always cared for us

There will be second collection for the Shepherds' Trust today. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that retired and disabled priest are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.

JOIN THE CHOIR

The choir sings at 11:00 a.m. Mass on every second Sundays. They meet every Wednesday evening at 7:15 p.m. in the choir loft for rehearsal. New members are always welcome (use church entrance south side).

VOCATION SEEDS

"By your endurance you will gain your souls." Be patient with yourself and with God as you await the sign of your call. If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca



Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time:

As we approach the end of the liturgical year, we're reminded that this life is not our final goal — God's justice and eternal life are. Jesus warns that even the grand temple will one day fall, teaching us that all things on earth will pass away. Before heaven's glory, we will face trials and tests. But for faithful stewards who put God first in time, talent, and treasure, there is nothing to fear. Perseverance in faith will lead to eternal joy. Onward, Christian stewards — the struggle is worth the glory that awaits!

PARISH LIFE

BOOK OF LIFE: During the month of **November**, you will see 2 books Books of Life at St. Joseph's Altar – our Parish Book of Life and CWL Book of Life, both honouring our departed since the 1950s. **Please do not write in these books**. If you wish to have your loved ones remembered this month, write their names on the envelopes provided and place them in the **Memorial Box** by the altar.

RITE OF ENROLLMENT:

First Communion – Sunday, Nov. 23rd at 11:00am Mass

Confirmation – Sunday, Nov. 30th at 11:00am Mass

REGISTRATION FOR CONFIRMATION: Registration for the Sacrament of Confirmation is still **open until** our next session on **Thursday, Nov. 27th**. All Grade 7 and 8 students (ages 12–13) who are parishioners and have not yet been confirmed are invited to receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit through this beautiful sacrament. For more information or to register, please call or email the parish office.

2026 SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: The 2026 offertory envelopes will be available for pick up on **Sunday**, **November 30**th at the church lobby. The new envelope boxes will be pre-labelled with your name, address and same box number.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2026: Please note that Masses for 2026 will be available Wednesday, December 3rd at 9:30am in the church lobby.

PARISH FAMILY ADVENT MASS: Saturday, November 30th at 5:00pm Mass followed by the blessing and lighting of the outdoor Nativity Scene.

<u>NEW HERE?</u> If you are new to the area, we warmly welcome you. Please introduce yourself/family to the pastor and register. This will greatly assist you when you request for sacraments. **N.B. If you've recently moved or changed any of your contact information**, please let the us know. Keeping your address and details up to date helps us stay connected and serve you better. Thank you for your cooperation!

FORMED.ORG: How to register?

(1) Go to FORMED.ORG (2) Find your parish subscription tab: enter St. Mary of the People (3) Create New Account: enter your name and email (4) Check your email inbox and follow the instruction. Enjoy and it's free!



<u>GENERAL MEETING</u>: Tuesday, Nov. 18th, Mass at 7:00pm followed by meeting in the parish hall.

<u>LIGHT UP FOR CHRIST</u>: Saturday, Nov. 30, Mass at 5 P.M. followed by the lighting of the outdoor Nativity Scene. Members are encouraged to attend.

<u>MEN'S BIBLE STUDY</u>: **Saturday, Dec. 6th** will be held in the parish boardroom on the north side of the Church at 10:30am until approximately 11:30am. <u>Next schedule: Dec. 20th</u>

WEBSITE: Please check out our website: https://kofc8611.org

HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

In recent days, two natural disasters have caused extensive damage in different parts of the world. Hundreds of thousands are still without power and telecommunications remain unstable. A lack of fuel and food has magnified the crisis with many homes destroyed and thousands displaced.

Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos Jr. declared a state of emergency on Thursday, November 6 in the aftermath of Typhoon Kalmaegi, which left more than 100 people dead and hundreds still unaccounted for. It is estimated that more than 500,000 people have been displaced due to the severity of the storm. Floods, landslides and falling debris continue to be severe hazards for local residents. Significant damage is also anticipated as the storm moves across Vietnam and Thailand.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will accept donations and channel funds through our Catholic partners in the Caribbean and Asia to support relief efforts underway in both regions.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to:
- St. Mary of the People Parish Hurricane Melissa or Typhoon Kalmaegi

Please continue to pray for all those affected by these natural disasters. Thank you for your continued co-operation.

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES ROOM IS OPEN AFTER WEEKEND MASSES

New Christmas Cards are Available. Enclose a prayer card. Consider gifting a Christmas Ornaments, Crucifix, or Large Print Bible to a senior for Christmas. The **2026 St. Joseph Sunday Missals** are now available at a cost of \$5.00 each.

Call Joey at (905) 576-3386 or (905) 439-9047 (cell) for inquiries.

SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN

Make your gift to ShareLife today for twice the impact!

A generous anonymous parishioner within the Archdiocese of Toronto has pledged to match every gift to the ShareLife Parish Campaign, up to \$500,000, until December 31st. This opportunity allows your gift to bring hope to twice as many people through more than 40 Catholic agencies supported by ShareLife.



BAZAAR - A SINCERE THANK YOU to all who helped to make last Saturday's Tree Lights Bazaar a success. Thanks to Father Joel and the church staff Cheryll and Brian, to our dedicated bazaar and raffle workers, to the students who helped and to the Knights of Columbus and parishioners who helped with set-up and clean-up. Thanks also to everyone who bought and sold tickets, made donations, baked and contributed to the Tea Room and to all who attended. Proceeds go to our parish and to many charities. Approximate net profit: \$10,130.00 - Bazaar (\$7250.00) + Raffle (\$2880.00)

RAFFLE WINNERS:

1st prize - \$500.00 – Grazia Sutherland 2nd prize – Hockey tickets – Joan Beaton 3rd prize – Spa gift certificate – Edward Stekar

PENNY SALE WINNERS – LIST ON CWL BULLETIN BOARD

Cake Draw Winners: R. Love, Marissa Sirizzotti, Donna Webber Ouilt Draw Winner: Stephen Rowlands

Special thanks for the following donations:

to CIBC (Rossland and Stevenson) for 4 Oshawa Generals tickets

to Charlene Summers for the Chez Moi Spa gift certificate

to Linda Frost for the home-made quilt

to Joey Gangemi and Pina Lack for the cake draw prizes

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR



Saturday, November 29, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. Learn:

· How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through

proper Estate Trustee selection

· How to create your own legacy

· About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals **3 WAYS TO REGISTER:**

1. scan the QR code

2. follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebNov29 **3.** send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar November 29" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

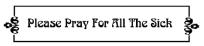


St. Gregory's Parish – R.C.I.A.: Classes are every Tuesday at 7:00pm please contact their parish office at 905-723-8141.

St. Joseph the Worker Parish – CWL Christmas Bazaar: Saturday, Dec. 6th at 9:30am.

St. Leo the Great Parish, Brooklin – Marriage Prep Course:

Friday, April 30, 2026 to Sunday, May 2, 2026. For more information, please contact 905-655-3286 ext 1.



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