



ST. GERTRUDE'S PARISH

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St. Gertrude's Parish is a believing community committed to manifesting Christ's love through celebrating the sacraments, sharing Gospel values, serving one another and all who hunger for Jesus.

PARISH OFFICE

PASTOR: Rev. Fr. Michael Hughes

DEACON: Rev. Mr. Andrew Rychlicki

ADMINISTRATION: Teresa Walsh

LAY PASTORAL ASSOCIATE: Geoffrey Lyn

MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 6:15 pm

No Sunday Night Mass on Easter Sunday, Divine Mercy Sunday & the Sundays after Christmas Day and New Year's Day

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon., Wed., Thurs., Sat. 8:30 am

Friday 12:10 pm Except during Lent & Advent

Friday 7:30 pm During Lent & Advent

Holidays 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 pm – 4:45 pm

Sunday 5:30 pm – 6:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please see the website and/or email us at GLyn@archtoronto.org

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

8:30 am – 3:00 pm

Closed from 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm for lunch

Thursday 8:30 am – 12:00 pm

PARISH ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Sir Albert Love School 905-728-3971

St. Kateri Tekakwitha School 905-571-1969

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www.dcdsb.ca 905-576-6150

PASTORAL REFERENCE

Teacher applicants requiring a Pastoral Reference must be registered for at least 12 months, attend Mass each Sunday and support the Church and its mission. Volunteering is recommended.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

12 months advanced notice required.

Preparation course is a prerequisite.

Visit: catholicmarriageprep.com

Monday, June 23rd

8:30am + Neil Brown

Wednesday, June 25th

8:30am + Maria Zak

Thursday, June 26th

8:30am Ints Cyril O'Neill, Patsy Stanowsky

+ Walter Cook

Friday, June 27th

12:10pm + Francisco Dias

Saturday, June 28th

8:30am + Ana & Laura Araujo, Walter Cook

Ints of Ronald & Leila Chen & Family

5:00pm + Jiri Brezina

Sunday, June 29th

9:00am Ints of Brady Loenhart

11:00am For Our Parish Community

6:15pm Ints of Conrad & Family

**Thursday, June 26th we welcome our
New Pastor, Fr. Luis Calleja.**

**PRAY FOR THE
RECENTLY DECEASED MEMBERS
OF OUR PARISH**

Doug Cole, Walter Cook,
Allan Terwillegar, Rita Belton

**Palliative Care and A Catholic Response to
Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide**

The Office of Formation for Discipleship has developed a new brochure titled, Palliative Care and a Catholic Response to Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide. Cardinal Leo encourages the brochures reach as many members of the Catholic community as possible. The brochure is available in English as well as many other languages. Electronic versions are also available for download at

www.archtoronto.org/PalliativeCare.

**CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION & WITNESS
St. Gertrude's Parish**

Processing with the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist in public. Following the **11am Mass on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi on June 22nd**, all invited, especially First Communicants and Confirmandi.

FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR FR. MICHAEL

The Knights of Columbus will lead an Honour Guard in the Corpus Christi procession. All are invited to walk in this joyful expression of faith. *After the procession, please stay for snacks and refreshments as we thank Father Michael who will be leaving us on Wednesday, June 25th, and send him off with our prayers as he begins his sabbatical.*

St. Gertrude's 10th Golf Tournament

Harmony Creek Golf Course Thursday, July 3rd

Support by purchasing a ticket for the \$500.00 Gift Card draw, volunteering on the day and/or praying for good weather. Funds raised will support the installation of an Audio-Visual system for the Church.

NEW THIS YEAR at the Tournament

We're having a Wine Pull!

Spend \$10 on a mystery bottle of wine,

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WINDOW DEDICATIONS and TREE OF LIFE

There are still windows available for sponsorship and leaves on the tree located at the middle church entranceway. Call the office for details on purchasing. This is a wonderful way to remember family members and sacramental or family celebrations.

Prayer to the Sacred Heart

O Sacred Heart of Jesus,
Living and quickening source of eternal life,
infinite treasure of the Divinity,
and burning furnace of divine love,
You are my refuge and my sanctuary.
O my amiable Savior,
consume my heart with that burning fire
with which Your Heart is ever inflamed;
pour down on my soul those graces
which flow from Your love;
and let my heart be so united with Yours
that our wills may be one,
and that mine may be
entirely conformed to Yours.
May Your divine will be equally the standard
and rule of all my desires and of all my actions.
Amen.

Jubilee 2025

In this month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and as Pilgrims of Hope during the Jubilee Holy Year we recall the words of Pope Francis, “Hope is born of love and based on the love springing from the pierced heart of Jesus upon the cross” (Spes non Confundit, 3). Let us pray that we may all grow in Christ's love, and in a special way let us pray for our Bishops and Priests as the Jubilee Day for Bishops (Wednesday June 25) and Priests (Friday June 27 - Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests) are celebrated in Rome this month. We invite families and individuals to join His Eminence Cardinal Leo and the Auxiliary Bishops in our Archdiocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Martyrs’ Shrine in Midland on Sunday August 24, 2025. Further information (and registration) will follow in the weeks to come. Please mark the date on your calendar and plan to attend as we also celebrate the 400th Anniversary of the first mass in Huronia and the 100th Anniversary of the Martyrs’ Shrine!

CHALICE COLLECTION June 28/29 **FOR OUR PARISH SPONSORED CHILDREN**

Body and Blood of Christ

Jesus has given us His Body to eat and his Blood to drink to nourish us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to him on our journey as a married, single, ordained or consecrated person. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Campus Kickstart Wednesday, July 9th, 2025
from 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM at the Newman Centre
(89 St. George Street, Toronto). This **FREE** event is designed to give Catholic students a head start on their university journey by offering both practical advice for incoming first-year students, as well as an invitation to continue their faith journey by joining the Catholic chaplaincy and community present at the Newman Centre
Contact lucas.desousa@newmantoronto.com, or by calling the Newman Centre at (416) 979-2468.

Rosary Apostolate in Our Schools

Rosary visitors are a great inspiration to our students, faithfully visiting classrooms once a month to pray the Rosary. If you have a great love for the rosary and wish to join this group, training, screening and materials are provided. Contact Rosa de Mello at 289-996-5515 or email: demello_rm@yahoo.ca

Compassionate Community Care

Community of Hope Outreach: connecting with Seniors. Regular check-ins by phone or Zoom with seniors who may not be able to receive an in-person visitor. This calling service is for persons aged 55+ who may be socially or physically isolated and are looking for support, or a friendly person to talk to. It is part of our mission to create significant caring communities. If you or someone you know are interested in receiving calls, email or call Suzanne: outreach@beingwith.org; 647-448-8873. Calls are available in both English and French to eligible participants.

It is not necessary to acquire riches, nor to obtain dignities, nor to gain a great name. The only thing necessary is to love God. – St. Allphonsus Liguori

<p>Please remember your God, your Faith, and your Parish in your will.</p>

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