

St. Edward the Confessor Church

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Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Reconciliation: By Appointment

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.

First Friday of the Month

Adoration/Benediction Following 8:30 a.m. Mass

Baptism: Contact the office to register your

child. Baptism dates assigned at time of interview with Priest or Deacon.

Marriage: Contact the parish office for appointment.

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Pastoral Team

Msgr. Patrick O'Dea, C.H.H. – *Pastor* Rev. Mr. David Quail – *Permanent Deacon*

Sr. Eva Janning, CPS – R.C.I.A.

Alvin Thevalakkara Joys – Seminarian

Josie Paladino - Secretary

Jeswyn Devas - Secretary

Gerry Robin - Accountant

Aldrin Fernandes - Custodian

Parish Ministries

55+ CLUB - 416-222-5139

CATECHISM COURSE(S) - Msgr. Pat O'Dea

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - Marie Barry

askmarieb@yahoo.ca 647-351-3788

GOOD SHEPHERD - Margaret Hawkins

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Mike Mastromatteo

mikejmastro@gmail.com

SOCIAL COMMITTEE - Monica Figueredo & Marie Barry

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - 437-388-4960

YOUTH MINISTRY -Keith Villanueva

stedwardyouthministry@gmail.com

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Parish Schools	<u>Address</u>	<u>Phone</u>
St. Edward	1 Botham Rd., North York, ON M2N 2J6	416-393-5255
St. Cyril	18 Kempford Blvd., Willowdale, ON M2N 2B9	416-393-5270
St. Antoine Daniel	160 Finch Ave. W., Willowdale, ON M2N 2J2	416-393-5339
Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts	36 Greenfield Ave., Toronto, ON M2N 3C8	416-393-5556



Monday, November 14, 2022 8:30 a.m. + Francisco Moraes

Tuesday, November 15, 2022 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Chun Hu Ngo

Special Intention for Jackie Grossi

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

8:30 a.m Special Intention for Krystynn Korbut's Family

Thursday, November 17, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Paul Kim.

Friday, November 18, 2022

8:30 a.m. + Ramon Monzon

Saturday, November 19, 2022 Multi-intention

9:00 a.m. + Evarist D'Souza

In Thanksgiving

4:30 p.m. + Agnese Napoleoni

Sunday, November 20, 2022

8:00 a.m. + Adolf Rygiel

9:30 a.m. + Vincenzo & Anna Saracino

11:00 a.m. + Eduardo Fernandes

MONTH OF NOVEMBER

The month of November offers us the opportunity to pray for our deceased in a special remembrance at all Masses. In particular, we pray for deceased members of our families and those within our parish community who died in the past year.

For those who wish to write the names of loved ones at the Remembrance Table, you are welcome to do so throughout the month of November. A special prayer intention will be offered at each daily Mass in November.

Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul! – Nov. 26th/27th, 2022

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a non-profit charity whose volunteer members collect clothing, shoes and linen to donate, exchange for vouchers or sell in order to support our works of charity. Please bring your donation of clothing, shoes and linen on the weekend of Nov. 26th/27th. Note that they do not accept furniture (including baby furniture), mattresses, books, appliances, video tapes, construction material or dishes.

A SVDP truck will be parked in the parking lot. Please tie your donation bags for easier handling. Thank you!

#RedWednesday 2022 Prayer Vigil for Persecuted Christians Wednesday, November 16 – 7 p.m.

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St., Toronto CENTRAL REGION

The pontifical charity, Aid to the Church in Need (ACN Canada), and the Archdiocese of Toronto invite all to participate in the Red Wednesday Prayer Vigil, on November 16, at 7 p.m., at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. The annual event intends to raise awareness about the alarming situation of persecuted Christians worldwide, to remember those who have perished as victims of their religious beliefs, and to pray for religious freedom. On that day, St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, among other important buildings, such as the largest Shrine dedicated to St. Joseph in Canada, Montreal, QC., will be lit in red to symbolize the martyr's blood. Please remember there are many other ways to contribute to this day, such as wearing red and inviting others to do the same. Share your pictures of solidarity on social media channels with the hashtag #RedWednesday, or hold a fundraiser to help the affected communities.

WEBSITE: acn-canada.org/red-wednesday

POSTER: https://bit.ly/RedWednesdayPoster2022

Healing after Abortion – Day of Prayer and Healing for Women Saturday, November 19 – 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST

The Sisters of Life are hosting a Day of Prayer and Healing for women seeking healing after abortion. This day is an opportunity to experience the loving mercy of God and the joy of healing in Christ, in a confidential and sacred space. It will include a witness of mercy, a Scripture reflection, personal prayer, opportunity for Sacramental Confession, and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. There is no fee for the day, lunch will be provided.

CONTACT: The Sisters of Life PHONE: 416-463-2722

EMAIL: toronto@sistersoflife.org **WEB:** http://www.sistersoflife.org/ **FLYER:** https://bit.ly/DOPHSistersofLife

Shepherds' Trust

There will be a collection today for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests 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.

Catholic Women's League General Meeting

All women of the parish are invited to the CWL General Meeting on Tuesday November 15th, beginning with Mass at 7:00 pm followed by the meeting in the hall. Special guest speaker Dr. Jackie Eldridge will speak to us about "Renewal and Rejuvenation Post-COVID". Refreshments will be available. Come join us and feel free to bring a friend!

CWL Christmas & Bake Sale

The Catholic Women's League will hold a Christmas & Bake Sale on the weekend of November 19th/20th, in the church hall. There will be artisan jewelry and crafts suitable for Christmas gift giving, and homemade baked goods prepared by our members. We'll also have a raffle, along with much merriment and festivity! Refreshments will be available. Free gift for children 12 and under. Please come, and feel free to bring a friend!

21st Annual Friars' Student Writing Contest 2023 -October 4 to January 16, 2023

Theme: "Do Good; seek justice" (Isaiah 1:17).

High school students (ages 13-19 years) in the Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event that commemorates the global Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Write a five-hundredword essay that explores the 2023 theme. Great prizes await the top three submissions.

Students are encouraged to consult the resources at https://bit.ly/3AgBy5J to understand the meaning and purpose of the theme and address the focus question found on the poster at https://bit.ly/3KXgu8m.

Contact ecumenism@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400 (Ext. 527) for more information or questions

Come & See - Weekend Retreat - November 18 to 20 St. Augustine's Seminary

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Retreat for men 18 years and older at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, November 18 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 20 (2 p.m.). This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this event in your parishes during your announcements as well as including this event in your respective parish bulletins. It would be greatly appreciated. We have also attached a poster and ask that you kindly display it on your respective bulletin boards. Thank you in advance for your assistance as we work together to build a culture of vocations. Registration must be done online www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee.

For more information, email: vocations@archtoronto.org.

<u>Senior Residence Masses – November 2022</u> Wednesday, November 16th – Del Manor – 10:30 a.m. Friday, November 18th – Canterbury Place – 10:30 a.m.



Thank you St. Edward's youth director, Keith Villanueva, the creative communion artists, venders and attendees of the art festival. Thanks also to Keilon, Gennie and hall helpers who made it a joyful Christmas Art Festival for all, in support of our 55+ Seniors Group. It was a wonderful success. We gratefully acknowledge all the donations and baked goods that will now provide speakers, needed varns and more, available for our seniors social activities and charities. God bless you all - Thank you! Marie Heard.

ShareLife

Your helping hand is the answer...

NEW: Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, all contributions to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million.

"Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our campaign goal of \$13.8 million. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part." - Cardinal Thomas Collins

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Advent Retreat with Bishop Robert Kasun Saturday, November 26 – 9 to 12:30 p.m. EST

Blessed Trinity Parish, 3220 Bayview Ave., Toronto CENTRAL REGION

Blessed Trinity invites you to an Advent Retreat with Bishop Robert Kasun on Nov. 26 from 9 to 12:30 p.m. in the church parish hall. \$20 per ticket. Light breakfast will be served. Everyone is welcome!

CONTACT: Camila Nowakowski

PHONE: 416-226-0262

EMAIL: cnowakowski@rogers.com

WEBSITE: https://www.blessedtrinityparish.ca/

Vocations

"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, 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

New Sunday Missals

The new St. Joseph Missals for 2022 – 2023, will be available after each Mass, for persons wishing to obtain their own copy. Each Missal costs \$5.00.



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