



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.

Weekday Masses

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

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 or by Appointment.

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. Andrew Taylor – *Associate Pastor*
 Rev. Mr. David Quail – *Permanent Deacon*
 Sr. Teresa Morrison, CPS – *R.C.I.A.*
 Francesco Rampino – *Seminarian*

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Parish Ministries

55+ CLUB - 416-222-5139
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CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE - Monica Figueredo
stedwardcwl@gmail.com
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MUSIC MINISTRY
CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD
LITTLE LAMBS MINISTRY

Parish Schools

<u>Parish Schools</u>	<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



PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Parishioners:

I am happy to inform that His Excellency, Archbishop Francis Leo, in consultation with St. Augustine's Seminary, has approved a new seminarian-intern for our parish for the coming year. His name is Francesco Rampino. His appointment will commence on September 10th, and I look forward to welcoming him. He will be introduced to the parish on the weekend of September 15th.

God has gifted our parish with wonderful seminarians the past years, and I am deeply grateful to all of you for the support and encouragement you provide to them, by way of your prayers, hospitality and feedback in their ministry.

It has also been a blessing to welcome our new Associate Pastor, Fr. Andrew Taylor, who joined us on July 2nd. Fr. Andrew is settling in to the parish.

The summer has remained a busy time for the parish with weddings, baptisms, daily and weekend Masses, senior home Masses, and a number of events that enriched the life of the community, to include the summer camps and the fundraising events for both the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Catholic Women's League initiatives. Thank you, also, for your recent donations of clothing to the Bundle Up Sunday as well as your monthly support for the North York Food Bank (non-perishable items) and the casseroles for Good Shepherd Ministries (the second weekend of the month).

We recently held a luncheon for the principals of our parish schools, as well as the vice-principals as we plan the school Masses, and sacramental programs for the school year. I wish to thank the Principals and Vice-Principals and all the teachers and staff of our parish schools who truly help to create a special unity and working relationship that I like to describe as a "family of schools". As you know, our parish schools are: St. Edward's, St. Antoine-Daniel, St. Cyril, and Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts. Please pray for all our efforts in helping the young people to grow in their faith.

God Bless.
Msgr. Pat

Senior Residence Masses – September 2024

Friday, September 13th – Canterbury – 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday, September 18th – Del Manor – 10:30 a.m.
Monday, September 30th – AMICA – 10:30 a.m.

Monday, September 9, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Vincenza Ruggiero

Tuesday, September 10, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Vincent Wing Kei Leung
+ George Joseph
+ Soo Jin Lee
+ Nevis Almeida
+ Hygeia San Agustin

Wednesday, September 11, 2024

8:30 a.m. + 10th Death Anniversary of Elizer Flores

Thursday, September 12, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Bongki Kang & Maria Sunwoo
Special Intentions for Margarita Lei
Repose of the Soul of Ngo Chun Ho

Friday, September 13, 2024

8:30 a.m. Deceased Members of Ruggiero Family

Saturday, September 14, 2024 Multi-intention

9:00 a.m. + Maria Christine Carvalho
+ Leon Cio & Lucila Fernandez
+ Lourdes Lapar

4:30 p.m. Deceased Members of Malensek Family

Sunday, September 15, 2024

8:00 a.m. + Hyung Jin Kim
9:30 a.m. Deceased Members of the Marley Family
11:00 a.m. + Jolanta Ciesielski

**St. Edward the Confessor Is Hosting
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Tuesday, September 24th at 7:00 p.m.

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3. call (416) 221-9131

SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD
AND: THE LITTLE LAMBS MINISTRY

The Children's Liturgy of the Word and the Little Lambs Ministry are two distinct ministries, each on Sunday, for the children of the parish, which helps them to reflect on the Sunday scripture passages, each taught by committed and experienced teachers and leaders to whom we are most grateful. Here is how it works:

Parents/Guardians and their children are asked to attend the Sunday morning 9:30 a.m. Mass. Following the opening of the Mass, the priest will invite the teachers, parents and children to come to the front of the altar for a special blessing. Then they proceed down the aisle of the church and go to their respective classrooms.

The Little Lambs Ministry is for children, aged 4 years and under, and is held in the downstairs parish hall. Because of their age, at least one parent/guardian must accompany the child to the session.

The Children's Liturgy of the Word is for children 5 years and up (usually to age 7), and is held in the upstairs hall on the main level of the church. Parents do not need to accompany their children but are most welcome.

The class concludes once the priest in the church has completed the Prayers of the Faithful and the preparation for the Offertory begins. Then the parents, children and teachers re-join the parish mass so they may be there for the Offertory and Communion. Keep in mind that parents and children may also wish to remain in the main hall as the Mass is live-streamed to the parish hall. Communion is brought to the hall by the priest.

Both ministries are looking for enthusiastic and interested volunteers (high school students up to adults) to help with the programs. Screening is required. For the Children's Liturgy of the Word please contact Martin Yeung at: (martin.c.yeung@gmail.com).

For the Little Lambs Ministry contact Julie Tai at: littlelambs.stedward@gmail.com

55+ Club

The 55+ Seniors Group will be returning to regular weekly meetings on Wednesday, September 11th, 2024 at 1:00pm with a meet & greet to new and existing members. From 11:30 am to 12:30 pm we also welcome all knitters, cocheters or anyone wishing to learn about the charities we support with our work. We look forward to welcoming you all. Please contact Lorena Chioran (416-398-0973) if you have any questions.

Banns for Ordination

Mr. Alvin Thevalakkara Joys is to be ordained to the Diaconate for the **Archdiocese of Toronto** on **October 5, 2024** at **St. Edward the Confessor Parish, North York, ON.**

Please remember him in your prayers.

Canon Law obliges Catholics to reveal any impediment to sacred orders to the bishop or pastor.

Welcome

Greetings, parishioners and friends of St. Edward the Confessor Parish! My name is Francesco Rampino, and I will be your seminarian intern this year. I'm 25 years old and I am from the East York neighbourhood of Toronto; my home parish is St. Brigid's. I have been in formation for the priesthood at St. Augustine's Seminary for the past four years, and I have the great privilege of experiencing my fifth here with Msgr. Pat, Fr. Andrew, and all of you. I look forward to meeting you next weekend and getting to know you during the coming year. Above all, I hope that throughout that time we may grow together in greater love of God and of His Holy Mother, especially as we prepare for the upcoming Jubilee. Please keep me in your prayers, as I have already been keeping you in mine! May God bless you.

Francesco

GOOD SHEPHERD MINISTRY



A reminder that the casseroles for Good Shepherd Ministries are due the 2nd weekend of the month. Thank you for providing a hot nourishing meal for the homeless people at Good Shepherd Centre.

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