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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday
9:00 am — 12:00 noon
1:00 pm — 5:00 pm
Closed on Wednesday

WEEKDAY MASSES

TUESDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese
THURSDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese
FRIDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese

SUNDAY

SATURDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese
SUNDAY 9:00 am - Italian
10:30 am - Portuguese
12:00 pm - English

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5:00 - 5:30 pm.

BAPTISMS: At least 2 months in advance and instruction required.

MARRIAGE: One year notice and marriage preparation required.

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK: Please call the office

ORE D'UFFICIO

Lunedì a Venerdì
9:00 am — 12:00 noon
1:00 pm — 5:00 pm
Chiuso il Mercoledì

MESSE FERIAI

martedì 6:00 pm — Portuguese
giovedì 6:00 pm — Portuguese
venerdì 6:00 pm — Portuguese

MESSE DOMENICALI

SABATO 6:00 pm - Portuguese
DOMENICA 9:00 am - Italiano
10:30 am - Portuguese
12:00 pm - Inglese

CONFESSIONI: Sabato 5:00 - 5:30 pm

SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI

E GLI ANZIANI: Chiamate in Ufficio

ADORAZIONE (Portoghese)

1º Venerdì 5:00 - 6:00 pm
1º Sabato 5:00 - 6:00 pm

HORÁRIO DO ESCRITÓRIO

Segunda a Sexta -feira
9:00 am — 12:00 pm
1:00 pm — 5:00 pm
Fechado na Quarta-feira

MISSAS SEMANAIS

Terça 6:00 pm - Português
Quinta 6:00 pm - Português
Sexta 6:00 pm - Português

DOMINGO

SÁBADO 6:00 pm - Português
DOMINGO 9:00 am - Italiano
10:30 am - Português
12:00 pm - Inglês

CONFISSÕES: Sábado 5:00 - 5:30 pm

BATISMOS: 2 mês de antecedência.

CASAMENTOS: Tratar com 1 ano de antecedência. O curso de preparação é obrigatório.

PARA OS DOENTES E VELHINHOS:
Ligue para o escritório

HORA SANTA

1ª Sexta-feira— 5:00 pm — 6:00 pm
1º Sabado— 5:00 pm — 6:00 pm

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: Residence: _____ Postal Code: _____



NEWCOMER



REQUEST ENVELOPE



CHANGE OF ADDRESS

MASS INTENTIONS

AUGUST 29 - SEPTEMBER 4, 2026

Saturday: 29 August

6:00 pm + Elisa Monteiro Loureiro

+ Luis Pacheco

+ Gilberto Faria (13 ano falecimento), Antonio e Natalia

Sunday: 30 August

9:00 am + Maria Angela e Maria Scalamogna, Gregorio Cirillo, Giuseppe Didiano, Rosa Riga e Figli

10:30 am + Armando Nogueira

+ Joshua Couto

+ Conceição Lopes da Torre, Daniel Gonçalves Campos

+ Alberto Maçães, esposa; Manuel Barros, Avelino Eusebio

12:00 pm - For St. John Bosco Community

Tuesday: 1 September

6:00 pm + Almas do purgatorio (Legião de Maria)

Thursday: 3 September

6:00 pm +

Friday: 4 September

6:00 pm + Almas do purgatorio

The office will be closed on Friday September 4 and Monday September 7, 2026.

**Beginning September 1, 2026
a candle will cost \$7.**

Planning to be a Catholic Teacher? Or just looking for a reference letter. It is critical for you to know that to be hired to teach in any Catholic School Board in Ontario as part of your application for employment there must be a letter of reference from your pastor. If you, or your adult child, are planning to apply to teach in a Catholic School, you must have been involved in the life of the Parish somehow. Please plan to have a conversation with the Pastor early in the process and you will avoid disappointment and stress at a time when applications are to be submitted.

MASS INTENTIONS - If you would like to book a mass intention, please come into the office or call during office hours. The proposed offering for Mass is \$20.00. Please when making an offering write the name of the deceased or who the mass is offered for. Please do not use your weekly offering envelopes.

"For what will it profit anyone to gain the whole world but forfeit their life?" Isn't there more to life than chasing the dollar? Are you being called to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister? Humbly ask the Lord. 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

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Reflect, today, upon any way that you find yourself resisting the call to sacrificial love. Love is not always easy and oftentimes may demand great sacrifice and courage on your part. Are you ready and willing to embrace the crosses of love in your life? Furthermore, are you willing to walk with others, encouraging them along the way, when they, too, are called to embrace the crosses of life? Seek strength and wisdom this day and strive to live by the divine perspective in all things, especially suffering. ***My sacrificial Lord, I love You and pray that I may always love You in a sacrificial way. May I never fear the crosses I have been given and may I never dissuade others from following in Your steps of selfless sacrifice. Jesus, I trust in You.***

On Sunday September 13, we welcome Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services to our parish. Catholic Cemeteries are a vital part of the Catholic Church. Operated under the auspices of the Archdiocese of Toronto, each Catholic cemetery and funeral home reflects our Catholic beliefs. To learn more, focus your smartphone's camera on the symbol or visit catholic-cemeteries.com



**Silent Ignatian Retreat for Men & Women:
Praying with the Sermon on the Mount**

Friday, September 18, 2026 6:30 PM - Sunday, September 20, 2026 1:30 PM
Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre - 2325 Liverpool Rd, Pickering
Ignatian Retreat for men & women: The Sermon on the Mount as found in the Gospel of Matthew summarizes Jesus' moral teachings. In some way it can be compared to the famous 1963 speech "I Have a Dream" by Rev. Martin Luther King. King who obviously was inspired by Jesus' Sermon on the Mount 2000 years ago, was therefore inspired by God to lay out his teaching on racial equality and social justice. Jesus in his sermon give us all the tools to live good Christian lives and be examples of God's love and mercy for our neighbours. This SILENT retreat begins on Friday evening and runs to Sunday with lunch. The suggested offering is \$280 per person which includes two nights' accommodation, meals, spiritual direction and retreat program.

Facilitated by: Fr. Henk van Meijel, SJ.

**REGISTER: Via email at manresaregistration@outlook.com
online at <https://manresa-canada.ca> or call 905-839-2864.**

World Youth Day Mass with Cardinal Leo
Saturday, November 21, 2026 07:00 PM - 10:00 PM
St. Thomas More Parish - 2234 Ellesmere Rd, Scarborough

Welcome to SJB DANCE FITNESS GROUP
at St. John Bosco! We meet up every Thursday 7- 9pm,
for only \$25/month. Come, join, move and have fun!

REGISTER for the Catholic Moms Group Leader Breakfast Summit
Saturday September 19, 2026
at Le Treport - 1075 Queensway E, Mississauga

SPEAKERS:

Fr. Tom Lynch — What Does It Take to Be a Flourishing Catholic Leader?
Adeodata Czink — The Art of Hospitality and Social Graces
Fr. Jonasz Lalik - **More Than an Icon: The Story and Spirituality of Our Lady of Częstochowa**
Nelcy Lopez — The Four S's of a Catholic Moms Group
Dorothy Pilarski — Keep Them Coming Back!
Cathy Quartarone - Why Minister to Young Moms & How?
Download the brochure and register through
Eventbrite: cmgsummit2026.eventbrite.ca
The registration fee includes breakfast, light lunch and a free gift.

FOOD DRIVE - We do not only give thanks to God for all the blessings that we continue to receive but we must also share them with our brothers and sisters who are in need. We invite our parishioners to bring non-perishable food to the church which we will be collecting for **GOOD SHEPHERD CENTRE. Thank you.**

XXII DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

ALLA SCUOLA DI GESÙ

La Chiesa è chiamata a testimoniare la fecondità della croce con una fede viva e operosa, spogliandosi della mentalità mondana. È la lezione che Gesù impartisce ai suoi discepoli, allorché apre loro il cuore annunciando la sua passione, morte e risurrezione (*Vangelo*). Pietro, che prima lo ha confessato solennemente come "il Figlio del Dio vivente", ora è il primo ad avere bisogno di mettersi alla sua scuola, di "andare dietro a lui", accantonando le attese messianiche terrene per entrare nella logica divina. Ammonendo Pietro, Gesù parla alla sua Chiesa, ai cristiani di ieri e di oggi: lasciarsi trasformare è sacrificio gradito a Dio (*II Lettura*). Cade a proposito l'amaro sfogo del profeta Geremia (*I Lettura*), "sedotto" per proclamare le verità scomode di Dio. Il messaggio lo coinvolge, gli vibra nel cuore, ma sconvolge i pensieri e i progetti dei suoi interlocutori, scatenando derisione e scherno. Il profeta ne è sconcertato, prova una sofferta lacerazione interiore sino a dubitare di Dio e del suo modo di agire. Dio, invece, lo sta forgiando non in base al gradimento degli uomini, ma secondo il suo volere che, come "fuoco ardente", s'impone, inquieta e piega le resistenze. **don Giuliano Saredi, ssp**

Domenica, 13 settembre, diamo il benvenuto nella nostra Parrocchia a Cimiteri e Servizi Funebri Cattolici. I cimiteri cattolici sono una parte fondamentale della Chiesa cattolica. Gestiti sotto gli auspici dell'Arcidiocesi di Toronto, ogni cimitero cattolico e casa funeraria riflette la nostra fede cattolica. Per saperne di più, inquadra il simbolo con la fotocamera del tuo smartphone oppure visita il sito catholic-cemeteries.com



PER ME VIVERE È CRISTO... L'Eucaristia è un dono e, come tutti i doni, va accolta con grande umiltà. Prima di ogni indagine, prima di ogni riflessione, prima di ogni approfondimento teologico... è necessario un atto di umiltà, che spalanca il cuore per accogliere il grande dono, che Cristo ha fatto alla sua Chiesa pellegrina verso i Cieli Nuovi e la Nuova Terra. **– Card. Angelo Comastri**

Scintille... Quando lo stomaco è pieno, è facile parlare di digiuno. – **San Girolamo**

La candela del Santissimo Sacramento

La candela per il mese di settembre e offerta per grazie ricevuto della Famiglia Costa. .

Attention parents of children who would like to receive the sacrament of **First Communion and/or Confirmation**. Registration is open. Please prepare documents needed to register - a copy of baptismal certificate, a photo of your child, registration form (available at the entrance of the church). Confirmation candidates require a sponsor - a copy of sponsor's confirmation certificate or a letter from the church they attend (that they are eligible to be a sponsor). Remember to start attending mass, the church is open. It is the parents' responsibility to bring their children to church. Registration fee - \$70. **Documents/registration fee must be complete or registration will not be accepted.** **Meetings: September 17 for Parents of 1st Communion September 18 for Parents and Candidates of Confirmation**

22° DOMINGO DO TEMPO COMUM

A liturgia do 22° Domingo do Tempo Comum convida-nos a descobrir a "loucura da cruz": o acesso a essa vida verdadeira e plena que Deus nos quer oferecer passa pelo caminho do amor e do dom da vida (cruz). **No Evangelho**, Jesus avisa os discípulos de que o caminho da vida verdadeira não passa pelos triunfos e êxitos humanos, mas passa pelo amor e pelo dom da vida (até à morte, se for necessário). Jesus vai percorrer esse caminho; e quem quiser ser seu discípulo tem de aceitar percorrer um caminho semelhante.

No domingo, 13 de setembro, damos as boas-vindas à Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services na nossa paróquia. Os cemitérios católicos são uma parte importante da Igreja Católica. Sob a responsabilidade da **Arquidiocese de Toronto**, cada cemitério e agência funerária católica reflete os valores e as crenças da nossa fé. Para saber mais, ponte a câmara do seu smartphone para o símbolo ou visite catholic-cemeteries.com



FESTA EM HONRA DE NOSSA SENHORA DA LUZ
Paroquia Sao Mateu - 706 Old Weston Road

Programa Religioso

Quinta-feira, 3 de setembro de 2026

- 19h Tríduo Preparatório pelo Pe. Clemens Naben, SVD
- Consagração dos membros ativos e não ativos da Comissão de Nossa Senhora da Luz

Sexta-feira, 4 de setembro de 2026

- 19h Tríduo Preparatório pelo Pe. Clemens Naben, SVD
- Consagração dos idosos a Nossa Senhora da Luz

Sábado, 5 de setembro de 2026

- 16h30 Terço das Crianças e Jovens em Inglês
- 17h Missa Solene em Inglês
- Consagração das crianças e jovens a Nossa Senhora da Luz
- 18h30 Procissão da recolha das imagens
- 19h Missa Solene
- Arraial

Domingo, 6 de setembro de 2026

- 13h Missa Solene
- 15h Procissão
- Ao serão entretenimento

FESTA DO SENHOR SANTO CRISTO DOS MILAGRES

Igreja de Nossa Senhora de Fatima

101 Malta Avenue, Brampton - 905-454-3010
10, 11, 12, 13 de Setembro de 2026

PRAYER FOR THE INTERCESSION OF MOTHER TERESA

Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, you allowed the thirsting love of Jesus on the Cross to become a living flame within you, and so became the light of His love to all. Obtain from the Heart of Jesus (here make your request). Teach me to allow Jesus to penetrate and possess my whole being so completely that my life, too, may radiate His light and love to others. Amen
Immaculate Heart of Mary, Cause of Our Joy, pray for me.
Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, pray for me.



WEEKEND - August 23, 2026 Collection - \$1679.65
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