

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday:
10:00 AM—12:00 PM,
1:00 PM—8:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday,
& Friday:
10:00 AM—12:00 PM,
1:00 PM—4:00 PM

Wednesday:
Office Closed

Saturday, Sunday,
Public Holiday:
Office Closed

NEW TO OUR COMMUNITY?

Welcome, we're happy to have you!

To register or get involved, please contact the Parish Office or visit the Welcome Desk in the Foyer after the weekend Masses.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	Vigil 5:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM, & 7:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	8:00 AM & 12:30 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM
Public Holiday	9:00 AM only

FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass & Exposition	8:00 AM
Benediction	12:15 PM
Mass	12:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday	11:30 AM
Saturday	9:30 AM & 4:00 PM (or by appointment)

ROSARY

Join us for the Rosary Monday to Friday at 7:30 AM in the Family Room. 8:00 AM Weekday Mass to follow.

BAPTISMS

Parents themselves should pick up and return a completed Baptism Registration Form to the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance of the anticipated baptismal date. An interview with a priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized should be registered members of our Parish. Attendance at a Baptismal Preparation Meeting is mandatory.

MARRIAGE

Couple themselves must contact the parish office at least *one full year in advance* of the anticipated marriage date. No date may be set before meeting with a priest. Completion of a Marriage Preparation Course is required. If either party has been previously married, permission to proceed must be obtained from the Chancery of the Archdiocese.

CARE of the SICK and HOMEBOUND

Visitation and/or Communion for the sick and/or homebound is available upon request.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Isaac Jogues School	416-393-5315
Annunciation School	416-393-5299
Our Lady of Wisdom School	416-393-5273
Senator O'Connor College School	416-393-5505

CONTACT US!

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 13th—*Memorial of St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor*

9:00 am: Donor's Intentions
5:00 pm: † Dorothy Newman

Sunday, September 14th—*The Exaltation of the Holy Cross*

8:00 am: People of the Parish
10:00 am: † Francisca T. Williams
12:00 pm: † Ernesto Bustamante
7:00 pm: Intns. of Eddie, Frankie & Theresa Li Yan

Monday, September 15th—*Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows*

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions
12:30 pm: † Dusan Martin Cukjati

Tuesday, September 16th — *Memorial of St. Cornelius, Pope, and St. Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs*

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions
12:30 pm: Intns. of Gloria Felician

Wednesday, September 17th

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions
12:30 pm: Donor's Intentions

Thursday, September 18th

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions
12:30 pm: Donor's Intentions

Friday, September 19th

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions
12:30 pm: Donor's Intentions

Saturday, September 20th—*Memorial of St. Andrew Kim and Companions, Martyrs*

9:00 am: Donor's Intentions
5:00 pm: † David Doig

Sunday, September 21st

8:00 am: Intns. of Guillermo Medrano
10:00 am: People of the Parish
12:00 pm: † Joshua Torres
7:00 pm: † Luthu Roman

MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY



October is designated as the Month of the Holy Rosary in the Catholic Church to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary.

For the month of October, we will be reciting the rosary in the church **30 minutes before all Weekend Masses**. We hope you will join us!

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, September 27, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

LEARN:

- How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and 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/WebSept27
3. send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar September 27" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



PARISH INSTAGRAM

We have Instagram! Please follow our parish **@AnnunciationTO** for future events and updates. We can't wait to post more about our vibrant community in the months to come.



Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

September 13—September 19

In loving memory of
Dorothy Newman

Beloved wife and mother.

You may be gone, but never forgotten.
May you Rest in Peace. Happy Birthday.

Requested by your son,
Greg Newman

In loving memory of
Eva Armas

Always remembered and forever loved.

Requested by Mary Jean Modesto & Family

The Sanctuary lamps that burn next to the tabernacle may be lit for one week as memorial or special intentions. Prayer requests will be listed in the bulletin.

The offering is \$25 per lamp.



SEASON OF CREATION

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"Peace with Creation"

The annual event of the Season of Creation begins on September 1 (the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) and ends on October 4 (the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of ecology). This year's theme is "Peace with Creation" and the symbol is "Garden of Peace", inspired by Isaiah 32:14-18.

An introductory video and resources to observe this season at home, church and school may be found at the following links:

RESOURCES: <https://bit.ly/SoC-CelebrationGuide>

VIDEO: <https://bit.ly/SoC-Video>

CALLING 18-25 AGERS

Saturday, September 27

We will have our first university/college aged hangout in the Parish Hall on **Saturday, September 27, from 6:30PM to 8:30PM**. It will be a chance to reconnect after the summer, play games, and pray together. Free YUMMY food will be provided.



Please sign up via QR code so we can ensure there will be enough goodies for everyone. See you there!

ANNUNCIATION CHORAL MINISTRY

The Choral Ministry is delighted to have the choirs begin after the summer break! Our goal is to encourage singers to engage in singing, develop their musical and leadership skills, and grow their faith and relationship with God through their pieces. If your child is getting confirmed this year, you can join the choir for their volunteering.

The **Children's Choir** is open for **Grades 2 - 10/ages 7-17** and Thursdays from 18:00 to 19:30, on Sundays at 9:00 a.m., and sing at the 10:00 a.m. mass. The **General Choir** is open for **ages 18 and up**. They rehearse on Thursdays from 19:30 to 21:30, on Sundays at 11:00 a.m., and sing at the 12:00 p.m. Mass.

If you are interested, please register with the parish office or approach Celeste, the music director, during Weekend Masses.



BUILDING FUND COLLECTION



Next weekend we will be taking up our monthly Building Fund Collection. Thank you for your continuous generosity.

MEET AND GREET

Saturday, September 20

Join Fr. Prasanth and Fr. James at our first Meet and Greet after the 5PM Mass on Saturday, September 20th, 2025 in the Parish Hall. This is a great opportunity to connect with others in the parish community, and get to know our new pastoral team. Light refreshments will be provided.



ANNUNCIATION SENIORS CLUB

Tuesday, September 16th

The Annunciation Seniors Club is back after the summer break! Their first meeting will be on Tuesday, September 16th at 10AM in the Parish Hall. New members are always welcome. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

CWL GENERAL MEETING

Thursday, September 18th



Welcome back CWL Ladies from your summer break. Our General Meeting for September will be held on Thursday, September 18th at 1:30PM in the Parish Hall.

MISSION CO-OP

Thank you for your generous contributions to the Mission Co-op appeal for the Masbate Diocese in the Philippines. We raised \$7,368.50. Many thanks to the speaker, Fr. Paul Dy, and to the community!

ADDITIONAL CONFESSION TIMES

Starting September 1st, 2025, we will be offering additional confession times on:

- Fridays at 11:30AM
- Saturdays at 9:30AM and 4:00PM.

Please contact the office if you require an appointment outside of these times.

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY



Please remember in your prayers all those parishioners who have gone to their rest in Christ, particularly those we remember who died recently: **Fr. Christie Joachimpillai**

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