

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!

Tel: 416-445-1760  @annunciationto
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Website: annunciationto.archtoronto.org



Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 25th

5:00 pm: † Kris Albert Manalastas

Sunday, October 26th

8:00 am: † Antonio Figueira

10:00 am: People of the Parish

12:00 pm: Intentions of Marites Tibuc

7:00 pm: Donor's Intentions

Monday, October 27th

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions

12:30 pm: † David Daniel

Tuesday, October 28th—St. Simon and St. Jude

8:00 am: † Greg Newman

12:30 pm: † Vivian De Pano

Wednesday, October 29th

8:00 am: † Joanne Brenna

12:30 pm: † David Daniel

Thursday, October 30th

8:00 am: † Lydia Marquez

12:30 pm: † Elizabeth J. O'Connor

Friday, October 31st

8:00 am: Donor's Intentions

12:30 pm: † David Daniel

Saturday, November 1st

9:00 am: † Wendy Goveia

5:00 pm: † Vincent, Dorothy, and Greg Newman

Sunday, November 2nd

8:00 am: † Morosan Family

10:00 am: † Rogelio Christopher Chang & Edgardo Cruz

12:00 pm: People of the Parish

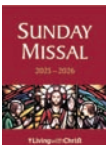
7:00 pm: † Lo Family

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!

2026 SUNDAY MISSAL



The 2026 Sunday Missal is now available to purchase at the CWL Religious Article Booth on Sunday from 8:30AM-1PM or from the parish office during office hours. The cost is \$5.00 each.

2026 DONATION ENVELOPES

We are now in the process of preparing our donation envelopes for 2026.

- **For parishioners who donate but are not using donation envelopes**, please fill out the "Parishioner Registration Form" and we will assign an envelope box to you.
- **For those who are using donation envelopes and recently moved**, please update your information with the parish office by filling out the "Change of Address Form." *We want to make sure that your tax receipt is mailed to the correct address.*
- **If you picked up envelope last year but did not use your 2025 box**, kindly update the office so we can reallocate the number for another parishioner this year. Donations can still be made using the pink visitor envelopes, available at each entrance to the church.
- **Please refrain from using past years' envelope box.** Boxes that were neither used nor picked up are repurposed and assigned to other parishioners. If your envelope box number is unavailable, we are more than happy to assign you a new box.
- **Please write your full information along with the donation amount** when making donations using your assigned envelope or visitor envelope for accurate record-keeping.
- **If you prefer to donate monthly through PAG**, you can obtain the PAG (Pre-Authorize Giving) form from the parish office.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and for your continuous support!



Memorial Lamps & Special Intentions

October 25—October 31

In loving memory of
Elizabeth J. O'Connor

Beloved Wife, Mother, Grandma, Great
Grandmother. Rest in Peace.

Requested by your Husband and Children.

— — —
Jean and Jojo,

For Strength and Wisdom
in Studies and Exams.

Requested by Josephine.

ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO THE ANNUAL MASS ATTENDANCE HEAD COUNT

October 18/19 & October 25/26

This year, parishes are asked to conduct a parishioner attendance count on the weekends of October 18th/19th and October 25th/26th. The count includes all Sunday Vigil and Sunday Masses, and Holy Communion visits to house bound parishioners or those in retirement or care facilities.

ONLINE SERIES:

"THE FOUR CONSTITUTIONS OF VATICAN II"

All are invited to attend the second presentation of the online study of "The Four Constitutions of Vatican II." The sessions feature pre-prepared presentations by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, Office for Evangelization and Catechesis. There will be an opportunity for reflection and discussion, led by our team. The presentation topics and presenters are:

2. Dei Verbum — Msgr. Yvan Mathieu, SM – October 28 @ 7-9PM
3. Gaudium et Spes — Sr. Donna Geernaert, SC – November 18 @ 7-9PM
4. Lumen Gentium — Dr. Catherine Clifford, PhD – December 2 @ 7-9PM



REGISTER: <https://bit.ly/FCV2-Register2025> or via QR code!

CONTACT: formation@archtoronto.org or 437-900-4287

CWL SOCKS AND UNDERWEAR COLLECTION FOR THE GOOD SHEPHERD

November 1st—November 30



As cold weather is quickly approaching, the Catholic Women's League, is once again asking for donations of socks and underwear for the men at the Good Shepherd. We will be collecting donations for the month of November. For your convenience, your donations can be left in the big red box in the church foyer. Thank you for helping to support this worthy cause.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

Sunday, November 2nd



Please remember to turn your clocks back one hour before heading off to bed next Sunday, November 2nd.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING

Tuesday, November 18th at 7:00PM



In the Spring of 2025, students in Grade 7 or above are invited to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation takes place in your own parish, the parish where you belong and regularly attend Mass. If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your own parish for this Sacrament.

Students wanting Confirmation and their parents/guardians must attend the mandatory Information and Registration Meeting on **Tuesday, November 18th at 7:00PM.**

Please bring a copy of your Baptismal Certificate, and complete the online registration form, for this meeting.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION INFORMATION & REGISTRATION MEETING

Thursday, November 20th at 7:00PM



If you are a member of Annunciation Parish and want your child to make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in the Spring of 2025, you must attend the Information and Registration Meeting on **Thursday, November 20th at 7:00PM.**

Please bring a copy of your Baptismal Certificate, and complete the online registration form, for this meeting.

If Annunciation is not your parish of worship, please contact your own parish for this Sacrament.

COME & SEE DISCERNMENT WEEKEND RETREAT

October 31—November 2

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, October 31 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 2 (2 p.m.). This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary.

REGISTER: online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee or via QR code ->

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



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