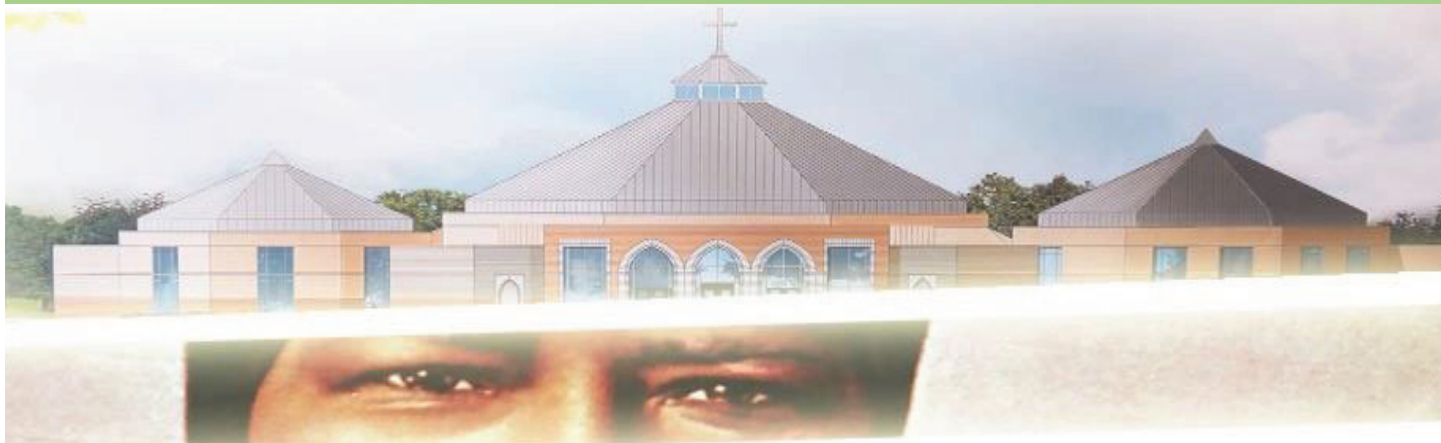


THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA

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SUNDAY MASS

Saturday

5 PM

Sunday Mass

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, and

12:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

7:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday

7:30 AM

Saturday

9:00 AM

DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

Every Wednesday following the 7 PM

Mass

Daily Rosary before every Mass

Chaplet of the Divine Mercy every

Friday after the 7 PM Mass

Solemn Vespers and Benediction

Every First Saturday at 4 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents who wish to have their children baptized must fill out the online baptismal request form available in our parish website

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4 PM or any time by appointment

OUR MISSION

The Mission of the Parish is to be a Catholic, multicultural community of faith, called to witness and proclaim, to celebrate and share the Hope and Charity we have in Jesus Christ as exemplified by St. Josephine Bakhita, our "Universal Sister" and "Model of Hope for the Twenty-first century". We are a people who weave together this neighbourhood as:

- A community of faith, committed to live the Greatest Love of Jesus Christ Crucified, and Mary, Mother of Charity at the foot of the Cross.
- A community of prayer, nourished by the Word of God, the Eucharist, and the traditions of the Church, reflected in the way we live and celebrate.
- A community that welcomes every man and woman, child and youth, to equal discipleship.
- A community that is missionary, open to the needs of the world, committed to the promotion of justice, peace, and the stewardship of creation.
- A community that is not afraid to face its pain and yet deeply trust "in the hope that saves."

We believe that each one is called to be the strand that God will use to weave a tapestry that is intricate and exquisite in this place.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor

Rev. Mark Achilles Villanueva

Deacons

Rev. Mr. Gerry Steyn

Rev. Mr. Michael Ho

Administrative Assistant

Cecilia Vaz

Assistants

Daniel Mathew

Clifford Jumapit

Office Hour

Monday 5 PM to 9 PM

Tuesday to Friday at 9 AM to 9 PM

Saturday 9 AM to 7 PM

Sunday 9 AM to 3 PM

Rectory

3600 Forest Bluff Crescent

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(289) 997-2105

Schools

St. Bernard of Clairvaux

St. Faustina

St. Simon Edith Stein

St. Simon Stock

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary School

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact the pastor one year in advance. A Marriage course is required. For additional information, please contact the pastor.

Mass Intentions

Saturday (November 2)

5:00 PM: For the Faithful Departed

Sunday (November 3)

7:30 AM: +Ricarte Tayag, +Leslie Lewis

9:00 AM: +Pasquale Fera, +Caterina and +Vito Fera, Madalena Galati, +Domenico Galati, +Lelia and Giuseppe Galati

11:00 AM: +Peter Lai Nguyen, +Peter Tu Pham, +Maria Thin Vu, +Godfrey Chakabuda

12:30 PM: + Paulino Servado, +Alfonso Agsalog, +Antonio Lobo, +Sundar Sidoo

Monday (November 4)

7:00 PM: +Domenica and Vito Maritno, +Domenico Martino, +Mercy Venantius, +Bienvenido Andes, +Luz Andes

Tuesday (November 5)

7:30 AM: +Sandra Cecilia Villasmil de Marin, +Souls of Purgatory, + Ricarte Tayag, +Lydia Soriano

Wednesday (November 6)

7:00 PM: +All Deceased Legionaries, Special Intentions to the Mother of Perpetual Help, +Damsey Vas, +Deceased Members of the Rosary Aposolate, +Ricarte Tayag

Thursday (November 7)

7:30 AM: Beatification for Frank Duff, Thanksgiving for Jilliane Gorospe, Special intentions for Daphne Noronha's, +Ricarte Tayag

Friday (November 8)

7:00 PM: +Benedetto D'Amato, +Maria & Felice Petruzzo, +Angelo & Antonietta D'Amato, +Pasquale & Carmela Lo Vuolo

Saturday (November 9)

9:00 AM: For the Souls in Purgatory, +Tony Pavao, +Teresa Babcock, +Haime & Jose Maria Prollamante

Sanctuary Candle

November 6 Thanksgiving of Vaz Family
November 10 Thanksgiving of Albert S. De Leon



Overcoming Obstacles

Our image of Zacchaeus is a short, pudgy, excitable man shinnying up a tree eager to see Jesus and we like him. But his fellow townmates considered him a sinner and not very well liked. Zacchaeus was an opportunistic at best, a chiseler at worst. When the Romans occupied his country, he saw a way to make friends with them and also make a profit. He gathered taxes from his neighbours and since tax collectors worked on commission, it was common for them to collect more than was owed. Zacchaeus was looked down because of that. But Jesus invited himself at his house: "Zacchaeus, come down, I mean to stay at your house today." Then, after Zacchaeus opens his home and his heart to Jesus and allows that grace-charged encounter to transform his life by overcoming the obstacles that stood between him and his redeemer, Jesus affirms, " Today salvation has come to this house" (v. 10).

Spending time with Jesus has had the desired, profound effect upon Zacchaeus as is shown in the promises he has made to the Lord. In his pledge to give half his property to the poor, Zacchaeus showed that he had not only welcomed Jesus in to his home but that he had also made his

own the heart and mind and concerns of God.

Determined not to allow any obstacle to separate him from salvation, Zacchaeus amplified his response to God's gift of grace by offering to make retribution to all whom he had wronged. The Old Testament Law stipulates that if a person voluntarily admitted that he had defrauded anyone, that person was required to repay the amount defrauded plus 20% more. What Zacchaeus offered, however, was the maximum. Zacchaeus believed in the saving presence and power of God.

There is such thing as cheap grace and costly grace. Cheap grace preaches forgiveness without requiring repentance, communion without confession, and discipleship without the cross. Costly grace is the call of Jesus at which the disciple leaves all to follow him. Costly grace confronts each of us as it did Zacchaeus with a challenge.

What do you think is the obstacle that stands between you and God. Zacchaeus was courageous in opening his heart to Christ. How about you?

Holiday Poinsettia

The Squires are running a poinsettia campaign at the parish. They will be receiving your orders on the weekends of November 2/3, 9/10, 16/17th. Pickup dates will be November 30 and December 1.

If you also wish to donate poinsettia to decorate our sanctuary this Christmas, please see the Squires. Thank you.



Congratulations to our Altar Server Awardees!

Sunday Offering	
Offertory	\$ 4,392.45
Building Fund	\$ 781
Mass Stipend	\$ 630
Liturgical Fund	\$ 224.50
Confirmation	\$ 155
First Holy Communion	\$ 75
All Souls	\$ 90
Sanctuary Candle	\$ 20
World Mission	\$ 110
Wedding	\$ 300
Candle Offering	\$ 112.35
Baptism	\$ 645.75
Blinds	\$ 245
From the box	\$ 17.95
Total	\$ 7,799

Update on our Bank Loan to construct the church	
Opening Balance	\$4,737,513.73
Less Payment	\$ 781
Total Loan to Date	\$4,736,732.73

Eucharistic Ministers

All Lay Eucharistic Ministers of the Parish, including those who bring the Eucharist to the sick and homebound are requested to come for a meeting on Thursday, November 7, 2019 at 7:30 PM Parish Hall. Your attendance is greatly appreciated.

USHERS

All Ushers of the Parish are asked to come for a meeting on Thursday, November 28, 2019 at 7:30 PM. Your participation in this meeting is required and also greatly appreciated.

Sacramental Preparation Team including RCIA and RCIC Teams

All Sacramental Prep, RCIA, and RCIC Teams are invited to a meeting on November 15, Friday starting at 7:45 PM

The Legion of Mary invites everyone...

The Station of the Cross to pray for the Faithful Departed. The Praying of the Stations of the Cross is a devotion not only intended for the Lenten Season, but also throughout the year. A devotion dear to many saints including St. John Paul II, St. Faustina, and even St. Josephine Bakhita. They prayed this devotion daily. The Stations of the Cross will be held on Saturday, November 16 following the 5 PM Mass. You are all cordially invited to participate.

ACTS Retreat

November 14 to 17, 2019 (for women)
 November 21 to 24 (for men)
 Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre
 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga

The ACTS retreat is a three-day retreat led by those who have attended prior ACTS retreats. Men present the men's retreats; women present the women's retreats. The retreat focuses on adoration, community, theology, and service. Scripture and the teachings of the Catholic Church are the guidelines. The goals are to renew yourself spiritually, to strengthen your faith, and to apply it in your daily life, and to create lasting and supporting friendships. Contact: Willy Kaudusz phone: 647-281-5990 to register if you are interested.

Annual General Meeting, National Association of Catholic Nurses-Canada
 November 11, starting at 5:30 PM
 Newman Centre
 89 St. George St., Toronto

Join the National Association of Catholic Nurses – Canada for the Annual General Meeting following Mass at 5:30 p.m. Terry McDermott, RN, Parish Nurse, will discuss “Bearing witness to the dignity of human life in nursing practice.” NACN-Canada board members will then present reports on association activities and engage members in planning for 2020. Our association supports health professionals to align their practice with the Catholic faith. EMAIL: nacncanada.boardcontact@gmail.com

Are you aware that our Parish have a first class relic of St. Padre Pio since our church was dedicated in 2018? The relic of Padre Pio is located at the Marian Altar inside the church.

CHRIST THE KING RALLY 2019

November 30 starting at 8:30 am
 The Toronto Pavilion
 190 Rainside Rd., Toronto
 “I will be with you always, until the end of the ages (Matt 28, 20)”
 Presented by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council (CCRC) of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Join the celebration at the annual Christ the King Rally with unique programs for adults, youth and children! \$20 adults; \$5 youth and children free. Praise & Worship by IV24, Rosary, Healing Procession, Confessions, Adoration and Holy Mass presided by His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins.

Guest Speakers: Sister Hazel d'Souza & Fr. David Avila
 CONTACT: ccrctorontoinfo@gmail.com

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults and Children

We invite those who are interested in becoming Catholics, also Catholics who wish to renew their faith or complete their Christian Initiation. Our parish offers separate program for Adults and children. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office.

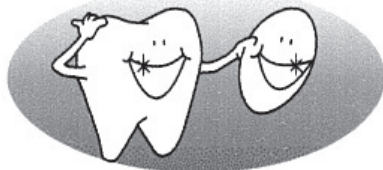
Gatherings for First Reconciliation/First Communion

November 3 at 9:30 AM
 November 10 at 9:30 AM
 Presentation of Lambs will be held on November 16/17 and 23/24

Gatherings for the Sacrament of Confirmation

November 9 at 2:30 PM
 November 16 at 2:30 PM

The Book of Remembrance is displayed in the narthex throughout November, please write the names of love ones who died from December 2018 to the present.



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