

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass

5 PM

Sunday Mass

7:30 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM and 12:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

7 PM

Tuesday, Thursday

7:30 AM

Saturday

9 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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every

First Saturday of the month from 9:30

AM to 12 Noon.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents who wish to have their children baptized must fill out the online baptismal request form available on our parish website. The date of the baptism will be arranged during the interview. A Baptism Instruction for parents and sponsor will also be required.

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, 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 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

Deacon Gerry Steyn

Deacon Michael Ho

Deacon Roman Lim

Administrative Assistant

Cecilia Vaz

Assistants

Clifford Jumapit

Benjamin Alcantara

Volunteer Assisstants

Marina Taguicana

Agnes Lim

Office Hours

Tuesday to Friday 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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SCHOOLS

St. Bernard of Clairvaux

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St. Edith Stein

St. Simon Stock

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Secondary
School

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

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 13)
5:00 PM +Joseph D’Souza, +Ester Batará, +Christine Lobo, +Raymond de la Cruz, +Ricardo Gonzales, Sr.

Sunday (November 14)
7:30 AM +Junito & Milagros Umali, +Evelyn and Ruel Macalaguim, Orly Tabarez
9:00 AM Rosita & Tomas Rovelo Sr., +Gerry Coutinho, +Christopher Colaco, +Fr. Trevor D’Souza, +Fr. Joaquim D’Costa, Fr. Ronnie Menezes
11:00 AM Thanksgiving of Margaret Ngo, +Pastora and Regalado Ruiz, +Lucia Ho, +Philip H. Tran, +Philip B. Tran
12:30 PM Thanksgiving of Mary Celene Puncho, Thanksgiving of Kamille Carolasan +Rodolfo Setias Jr. +Naty Navarro, +Juana Maderazo.

Monday (November 15)
7:00 PM Thanksgiving of Albert de Leon

Tuesday (November 16)
7:30 AM +To Kei So

Wednesday (November 17)
7:00 PM +Raynaldo Lucila, +Lorenzo & Felina Moreno

Thursday (November 18)
7:30 AM +Charles D’Souza

Friday (November 19)
7:00 PM +Vicente, Dolores Godawen, +Inacia and Geroge Pereira, +Mak Wah Hang, +Violeta Costner

Saturday (November 20)
9:00 AM Felipe & Honorio Morta, Marjo Gasser



Join us for Holy Hour
from 6 PM to 7 PM
Monday to Friday

Will you be ready when the Future comes?

The Gospel gives us the key: “...when you see these things happening...” That means that when our personal world falls apart, and the bottom drops out of our lives, we will be able to see past the ugliness and see through the pain to the ultimate reality of things - which is: despite all appearances, God is still in charge, still cares, still has the power to make all things right, and still intends to do just that - in good time!

Now what is it that enable us to see all that so clearly when disaster has struck so hard? FAITH! Only faith! Not some eleventh-hour grasping at straws.

God never promised to insult us from pain or sadness. But He does guarantee that, whatever comes, we will not be destroyed so long as we stay connected to Him. Whatever comes, He will see us through and we will, in the end, prevail, so long as we stay connected to Him.

So, in our Holy Mass today, speak to the Lord heart to heart and entrust yourself to Him so that when He comes in glory, we shall see Him face to face.

Sunday Offering	
Offertory	\$ 3,973.10
Building Fund Inv.	\$10,000.00
Building Fund	\$ 4,457.55
Liturgical Fund	\$ 120.00
Mass Stipends	\$ 885.00
Candle Offering	\$ 117.90
Flowers	\$ 55.00
Wedding	\$ 1,000.00
All Souls	\$ 1,069.00
Confirmation	\$ 245.00
World Mission	\$ 70.00
Missals	\$ 40.00
ShareLife	\$ 185.00
FHC Registration	\$ 125.00
Total	\$22,737.05

The Shepherds’ Trust

The weekend of November 14

The Shepherds’ Trust raises funds so retired priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. The trust supports the needs of the retired clergy of the Archdiocese of Toronto who have served the faithful for many years. Through our support of The Shepherds’ Trust, retired priests are given the dignity of adequate income, healthcare and other assistance in their golden years.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

If you or someone you know wish to explore the possibility of becoming a Catholic in a safe and welcoming environment, our parish will once again offer the Rite of Christian Initiation. Please connect with Fr. Mark by email, phone, or in person.

Knights of Columbus Membership Drive

The weekend of November 20 / 21 the Knights of Columbus will be holding their membership drive.

Take a moment, stop and talk to a member of the Knights and see if this is something that interest you .

All Men age 18 and over are welcome to be part of St Josephine Bakhita Council 14676.

For more Information you can contact the Membership Director J C Cadieux at 905-302-0158

2021 SUNDAY MISSAL IS NOW AVAILABLE AT THE PARISH DESK

COME AND SEE

The Office of Vocations will host a Come & See – Day Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Saturday, November 20 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. This day retreat offers men a way to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this retreat in your parish and during your livestream Masses.

Thank you in advance for your generosity as we work together to build a culture of vocations.

REGISTER: www.vocationstoronto.ca

EMAIL: vocations@archtoronto.org

Are you aware that our Parish has a subscription to Formed.org?

Access to Formed is free to all our parishioners.

HAVE A MOVIE NIGHT WITH YOUR FAMILY

suggested movie:

The adventures of Ociece Nash

Sign up as a member of our parish in the form website by providing your email address and you will then have access to all the resources that will help you and your family grow in the faith.

REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Do you have a child that is grade 2 and older who needs to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Communion, or Confirmation? Our parish is now accepting registrations. Please visit our parish website www.stjosephinebakhita.ca or contact Cecilia Vaz at the parish office.

DECEMBER 4- ADVENT RETREAT – A JOURNEY WITH MARY

Time: 9:00a.m. -3:30 p.m. Cost: \$40.00 per person

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre,
1617 Blythe Road 905-278-5229
or office@qoa.ca

DO YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN DONATE STOCKS, MUTUAL FUNDS, AND BONDS TO HELP THE PARISH?

Donating shares or mutual funds is currently the smartest way to give in Canada. When you donate shares to a registered charity, there is no capital gains tax applied to any benefit received from the sale of these securities.

To donate listed securities, you can obtain a Letter of Direction and How to Gift Securities Info Sheet available at the Parish Desk.

The Archdiocese does not charge fees or commissions of any kind. There is only a \$150 brokerage fee charged by our broker. You are strongly encouraged to seek professional advice from a private financial professional before deciding upon any charitable gift using personal assets.

In the ART OF FORGIVING, by Lewis Smedes, he describes how we can forgive.

“My memory will force me to relive again and again the wrong you have done to me. So I will have to forgive you anew each day. But I choose to do that, rather than stoke the fires of hate each day. I choose to remember the past and what has happened between us in a way that gives me hope for my future. I choose not to look back, but to move forward through my changed life.”

Wouldn't it be wonderful if our parish has a Catholic Moms' Group?

We at <http://www.CatholicMomsGroup.com> would like to invite you to this new virtual introductory workshop on How to Start a Catholic Moms Group. The workshop will be hosted virtually. Enjoy the workshop right from the comfort of your own home or office! Maybe you have heard about our ministry and you want to know what it's all about? Or maybe you have been thinking about starting a Catholic Moms Group and you're trying to figure out the next steps. In this introductory workshop you will learn:

What exactly is a Catholic Mothers Group?

14 Reasons Why it's Important to Minister to Moms

What do you do at a mothers group meeting?

What tools and resources are available?

5 Best Practices - What are they?
Rock Solid Mothers Group Leaders - who are the volunteers making a difference?

What are priests saying about our ministry?

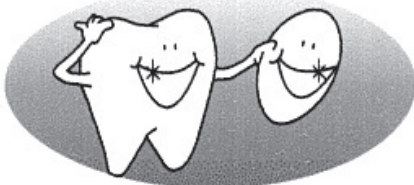
December 8, 2021 starting at 10 AM

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE INFORM FR. MARK, THE PARISH WILL COVER THE REGISTRATION FEE

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/how-to-start-a-catholic-mothers-group-tickets-165544954415>

\$29.38 registration fee (includes materials)

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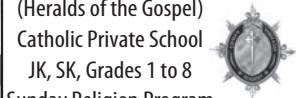
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