



St. Josephine Bakhita Catholic Church

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES:

Sunday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, and 12:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 7:30 AM

Saturday: 9:00 AM

OTHER MASSES:

Indonesian Mass every First Sunday of each month starting at 2:00 PM

Konkani Mass every Second Sunday of each month starting at 2:00 PM

PARISH MINISTRIES

Children's Liturgy Ministry

Youth Ministry

RCIA & RCIC

Sacramental Preparation

Lectors

Eucharistic Ministers

Ministries of Hospitality

Arts and Environment

Sacristans

Music Ministries

Social Ministry

Stewardship and Finance

Rosary Apostolate

PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Bernard of Clairvaux

St. Faustina

St. Edith Stein

St. Simon Stock

St. Joan of Arc C.S.S.

LAY ORGANIZATIONS:

Legion of Mary

Knights of Columbus

Daughters of Isabella

CHURCH HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Saturday: 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM, 3:30 - 6:30 PM

Sunday: 6:30 AM - 3:00 PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 8:00 - 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 6:00 - 6:45 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 7:00 - 7:30 AM

Saturday: 8:30 - 9:00 AM & 4:00 - 4:45 PM

DEVOTIONS:

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena every Wednesday following the 7:00 PM Mass
Chaplet of the Divine Mercy every Friday after 7:00 PM Mass

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Contact the Parish Office for details.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Contact the Parish Office for details.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. Mark Kolosowski

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Roman Lim

Youth Minister: Cassandra Yanga

Office Manager: Clifford Jumapit

Office Administrator: Kazia Martin

Student Staff: Nathan, Shawn & Katherine

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**Saturday, January 17 - 5:00 PM**

†Jocelyn L. Concepcion

Healing for Michael Ksiezosposki

†Clifford D'Souza

Thanksgiving for RJ D'Souza

Sunday, January 18 - 7:30 AM

†Filomena Belsito

Sunday, January 18 - 9:00 AM

†Francisco Coronel

†Julia Jacinto

†Carvalho & †Pinto Family

For All Unborn Babies

Special Intention for Abigail DeSouza

Sunday, January 18 - 11:00 AM

†Freddy Sutjiawan

†Elvira Geronimo, †Emerita Tadeo

†Arland Gimena

†Roger Velasco

Thanksgiving from the Velasco Family

Sunday, January 18 - 12:30 PM

†Honorio Alvarez Sr.

†Chris Policarpio, †Elinor Francisco,

†Berlinda Villaruel

Monday, January 19 - 7:00 PM

†Engracia Alincastre

Special Intention for a family known to God

Tuesday, January 20 - 7:30 AM

For All Souls in Purgatory

†Domingo Branzuela

†Eugenio Branzuela

†Buenaventura Dumadapat

†Edwin Dumadapat

Wednesday, January 21 - 7:00 PM

†Rolando Lumarque

Thursday, January 22 - 7:30 AM

†Florence Bengert

Friday, January 23 - 7:00 PM

†Jan Rosol

†Betty Rebello

Saturday, January 24 - 9:00 AM

Pro Populo

*Mass Intention requests received after **Tuesday at 5:00pm** will be mentioned at Mass but may not be printed in the bulletin.

*Behold, the Lamb of God
who takes away the sin of the world.*

John 1:29

In today's readings, we are invited to contemplate God's saving plan and our place within it. The prophet Isaiah speaks of a servant formed in the womb, chosen not only to gather Israel, but to be "a light to the nations," so that God's salvation may reach "to the ends of the earth." This servant's mission is born from God's initiative, sustained by God's strength, and directed toward the salvation of all peoples.

St. Paul, writing to the Corinthians, reminds us that this mission now extends to the Church. Those who have been sanctified in Christ Jesus are "called to be saints." Holiness is not reserved for a few; it is the shared vocation of all who call upon the name of the Lord. St. Paul's greeting of "grace and peace" is more than a polite introduction; it expresses the gift God continually pours out upon His people so they may live their calling in the world.

In the Gospel, John the Baptist reveals the heart of this mission by pointing away from himself and toward Jesus: "Behold the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." John's testimony shows us that Christ is the true Servant, foretold by Isaiah, the one upon whom the Spirit rests, the Son of God who brings forgiveness and new life. Jesus is the light given not only for Israel, but for the whole world.

Together, these readings call us to recognize Christ and to bear witness to Him. Christ alone is the true Light; yet, like John the Baptist, we are called to reflect that Light to the world so that others may encounter Him. Formed by God, strengthened by His grace, and sanctified in Christ, we are sent to live as servants and witnesses, so that through our lives others may behold the Lamb of God and encounter His saving love.

This week the Sanctuary Candle is offered for the Soul of

†Igor Ivan Alilovic

Sanctuary Candle Offering is \$100 per week.
Please contact the Parish Office to sign up.

2026 Offertory Envelopes are ready for pick up in the narthex. Please contact Clifford, if you would like to set-up for PAG (Pre-Authorized Giving)



Handicraft Holy Land Christians



On the weekend Jan 31 – Feb 1, we will welcome our special guest, Jonelly, from Sébastien Cardinal's team, representing 'Handicraft Holy Land Christians', who after all the masses will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land. Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase after every mass. Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. May God Bless you for your generosity, for your help and for your prayers.

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A Celebration of Marriage



HOLY MASS WITH BISHOP JOHN BOISSONNEAU

February 8th | 2:30 pm | St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

Registration:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/sub-sites/marriage/marriage/>

Livestream Mass:

<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>

Pray for the Sick

Natalia Ruiz, Diane Rodrigo, Edita Lucila, Joanne Taylor, Emma Mendoza, Antonio Mendoza

Please contact the Parish Office to submit the names of your loved ones, who are ill, so our community may lift them up in prayer.

Line Dancing Night

Come Join Us for Line Dancing!

Tuesday, January 20th
7:00 – 8:30 PM
Parish Hall



Children's Liturgy

Sundays at 11:00am & 12:30pm



Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus are holding a **Basketball Free Throw for Girls and Boys** on Saturday January 24th, 2026 at St. Faustina Catholic Elementary School. Registration starts at 9:00 am. Please sign up with the Knights in the narthex.



Bottle Drive



January 17 & 18, 24 & 25

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- Plumbing repairs-fixture replacements
- Lawn/Yard Services/Tree Trimming & Removal • Seasonal • Dishwasher Repairs/installation/removal/disposal • Light fixture installation • Faucet Installation
- Toilet Installation-Removal & Disposal
- Exterior & Interior Caulking • Exterior Deck Repair & Staining • Fence Repair & Staining
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