

# St. Josephine Bakhita Catholic Church

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## PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. Mark Kolosowski

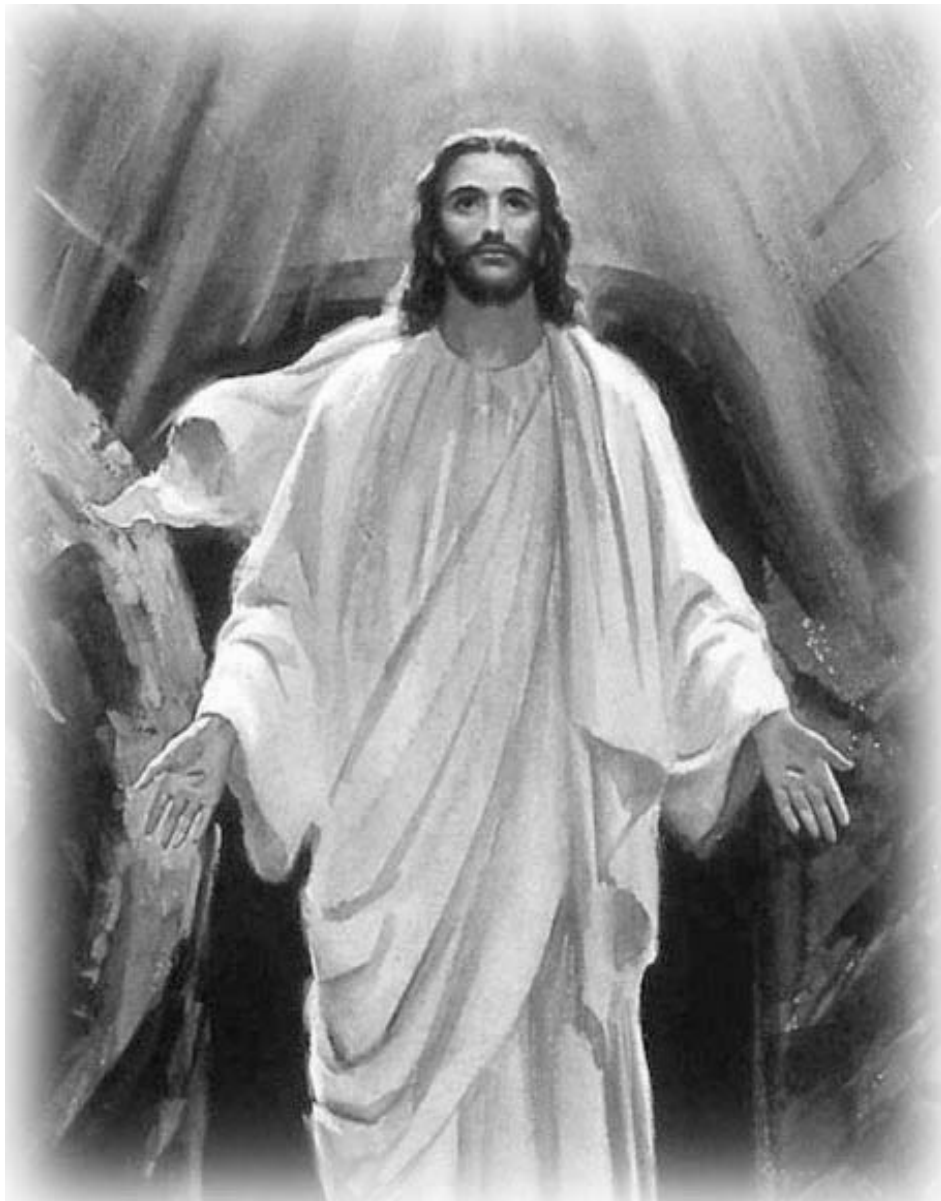
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Rejoice!  
For the Lord is truly risen!

**HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, April 4 – 7:00 PM**  
For the Parish Community

**Sunday, April 5 – 9:00 AM**  
For the Parish Community

**Sunday, April 5 – 11:00 AM**  
For the Parish Community

**Sunday, April 5 – 12:30 PM**  
For the Parish Community

**Monday, April 6 - 7:30 AM**  
†Lucrecia Soriano  
†Joel Ramirez  
†Apolinario Laranang Sr.  
†Apolinario Laranang Jr.  
†Tom Anthicques

**Tuesday, April 7 - 7:30 AM**  
Open

**Wednesday, April 8 - 7:00 PM**  
†Benita Ang Co  
†Maribeth Navarro  
†Eleno Pasilliao  
†Lorraine Galati  
†Giuseppe Galati

**Thursday, April 9 - 7:30 AM**  
†Antonio DeSouza  
†Ismaelita Remigio  
†Alain Nkenda Nkongo

**Friday, April 10 – 7:00 PM**  
†Fartunato Teixeira  
†Fernanda Teixeira  
†Alda Ornelas  
†Rebecca Silvano  
†Antonio DeSouza

**Saturday, April 11 – 9:00 AM**  
†Dianne Corriveau  
†Tony Pavao  
†Daniel Ramos Carreiro  
†Deceased DOI members and the  
deceased members of their families  
Queen Isabella Patron Saint of the  
Daughters of Isabella

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



*A Message from the Pastor*

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**Christ is risen! Alleluia!**

**Dear Parish Family,**

This Easter is especially meaningful for me, as it is still my first Easter with you here at St. Josephine Bakhita Parish, and what a grace it has been. This Lenten season was not just something we went through, but something we truly lived. I have seen your faith in the crowded confessions, in your prayer, in the Stations of the Cross, and in your generosity, witnessed both in the Paupers’ Meal that brought over 200 of us together to share a meal, build community, and support those most in need, and in the Paschal Candle fundraiser, through which we purchased over 700 candles in support of the Newman Centre Chaplaincy at the University of Toronto, St. George Campus.

And now we stand at Easter...not only remembering the Resurrection, but witnessing it. Because the Resurrection is not just an event from the past; it is alive among us. We see it in the growth of our parish, in hearts returning to God, and in a community coming alive in faith.

As your pastor, I am deeply grateful to walk this journey with you and to witness what God is doing in our parish. May this Easter renew your hope and remind you that no darkness is stronger than the light of Christ.

**Christ is risen! Truly He is risen!**

God bless you,  
**Fr. Mark Kolosowski**  
Pastor

This week the Sanctuary Candle is offered in Thanksgiving for  
**Blessings received for Sandra DeSouza & Family**

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

**EASTER MONDAY**  
**April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026**  
**The Holy Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 AM**  
**Church & the Parish Office will be closed on Easter Monday**

## Special Collection

for The Building Fund  
April 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026



Thank you for helping us to glorify God through the enhancement of our parish.

Registration is now open for

## CAMP BAKHITA

To register your child(ren)  
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## A Day With Mary

You are invited to a "Day With Mary" taking place on Saturday, May 30, 2026 at Villanova College in King City. This family-friendly day will consist of Holy Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, praying of the Rosary, Confessions, a keynote address for adults and children's catechesis for the little ones. There will be music, fellowship and more. There is no fee to register – this is a free event open to all. Registration will open from April 8 until May 15:

<https://bit.ly/DWMRegistration>

Complete information can be found at  
<https://archtoronto.org/Mary>

## Pray for the Sick

Pumella Grunert, Rowena Dolor, Jose Abad Santos III, Alex & Elsa Quijalvo, Reynaldo Quijalvo, Annie Liem, Antonio Dungo, Christine S. Villavicencio, Corra Del Rosario, Malou Azanon, Cynthia Chinonso, Edita Lucila, Edna O'Malley, Emma Mendoza, Antonio Mendoza, Fr. Joseph Rodrigues, Gerald Ivor, Joseph Jeyarajah, Joanne Flammini, Joanne Taylor, K. Joseph, Kevin Noronha, Maria Guinci, Patricia Florente, Rodrigo Ruiz, Rojamma Onteddu, Silvia Uanes, Olivia Soltero, Jose Luis Palacios, Susan Resendes

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.



Our Parish Goal this year is \$51,000

As we mark 50 years of ShareLife, we are reminded that ShareLife is more than a collection, it is our faith in action. Through your sacrificial gifts, we bring the Gospel to life by reaching those who are struggling in our community: families in crisis, isolated seniors, and those seeking hope and healing. I invite you to give generously and wholeheartedly to ShareLife. Your sacrificial gift continues this mission of Christ's love and compassion in our community.



## Line Dancing Night

Come Join Us for Line Dancing!

Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup>

7:00 – 8:30 PM

Parish Hall



Christ is risen! He is risen indeed.

*Wishing you and your families a very Blessed Easter*

From the SJB Parish Staff:  
Fr. Mark, Dn. Roman, Clifford, Kazia, Cassandra, Nathan, Shawn and Katherine



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