



OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH

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Mass Schedule

Weekdays (Monday to Saturday): 9:00 am
Saturday Vigil: 5:15 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am*, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm
*Children's Liturgy of the Word (ages 4-10 yrs.)
Rosary is prayed Monday to Saturday at 8:25 am

Adoration

Mondays 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Reconciliation

Monday: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Saturday: 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
By appointment - call the parish office

June 9, 2024

Fr. Chris Cauchi, *Pastor*
Mr. Sarfaraz Pinto, *Permanent Deacon*
Elise Lee, *Family Life Minister*
Gordon D. Mansell, M. Mus, *Music Director*

Call the office for info on:

Sacrament of Baptism - Families must be registered, regularly attending Mass, supporting the good works of the church and involved in parish life. Parents are invited to attend a baptism preparation session every third week of the month.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) - This program is for adults interested in joining the Catholic Church.

Sacrament of Marriage - Parishioners must be registered and regularly attending Mass. Please contact us one year prior to your requested wedding date.

Pastoral References - You must be a registered parishioner, attending Sunday Mass regularly, participating in the sacramental and pastoral life of the Church community, be serving in a parish ministry (e.g. lector, catechist) on an on going basis, and be in good canonical standing within the Church.

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www.tcdsb.org

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www.archtoronto.org

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www.catholic-cemeteries.com

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



The readings for this Sunday remind us to stay strong in our faith. We have hope in God's promises. We are part of His family.

Jesus faced many challenges during His ministry. His own family did not understand Him. Religious leaders opposed Him. Despite this, Jesus stayed focused on His mission.

We are invited to examine our own understanding of community and spiritual kinship. We are called to embrace each other, irrespective of society or family divisions. Through this redefinition of family, we are challenged to extend the boundaries of our love and acknowledge the unity we share as part of God's spiritual family.

Reflection Questions:

- How do I stay committed to God's will despite opposition?
- What practical steps can I take to keep my faith strong during hardships?
- How can I support others in my family who are facing challenges?

Family Life Ministry

Mom's Group: Pray & Play

Tuesday, June 18



We warmly invite all mothers and their children under 4 years old to join us for our next get-together from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm in the parish hall. Join us for conversation, meet a new friend and

take time to reflect on the joys and challenges of motherhood!

Family Movie Afternoon



Join us in the parish hall on Saturday, June 22 as we watch together Pixar/Disney's *Ratatouille*.

Ratatouille is a heartwarming animated film that revolves around Remy, a rat with a passion for food and cooking, who dreams of becoming a chef one day. Parental guidance recommended.

Doors open at 2:30 pm. Free admission, free popcorn. Movie starts at 3:00 pm.

In July and August, we will have "Parish Movie Nights" after the 5:15pm Mass. Stay tuned for more information.

Parents' Small Group

Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday, June 26, 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm in the parish hall. Parents of all ages and stages are welcome to join! Light dinner and childcare will be provided. To register go to <https://bit.ly/4aYN3xL>

Second Collection this weekend: Marygrove Camp

There will be a second collection for Marygrove Girls Camp run by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Each year, over 1,000 young girls with financial or domestic hardship enjoy a subsidized joyful camping experience. Thank you for your generosity!



Newly Ordained, Fr. Jeremy Zou will visit our parish on Sunday, June 16 to celebrate Mass (preach and preside) at 12:30 pm. Light refreshments will be served after Mass in the piazza.

Parishioners are invited to sign the special card for Fr. Jeremy which we have at the church entrance.



The **OLS Knitting Circle** meets on Tuesday afternoons in the OLS Parish Hall and all knitted items for babies are donated to charity.

If you have extra yarn that you can donate, please drop them off in the parish office, Monday to Friday, 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. Thank you in advance for your contributions!

Adoration and Confessions, Monday evenings from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm in the church.



Totus Tuus Summer Camp! Children and youth are invited to join us for day camp (gr. 1-6) or evening program (gr. 7-12). Totus Tuus is an archdiocesan program where young adults and seminarians are trained and sent to different parishes to run programs that bring fun and faith together through songs, games, prayer, Mass, and catechism.

Day Camp: July 8-12, 8:45 am to 2:30 pm in the parish hall. Cost is \$125. Late pickup (2:30 pm to 4:00 pm) available upon request. Fee: \$20 per child for the week. Email totustuus@sorrows.ca to make arrangements.

Evening program: July 7-12, 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm in the parish hall. Cost is \$75 (evening program). Sibling discounts are available. For inquiries, email totustuus@sorrows.ca. Registration packages available at the back of the church or online at www.sorrows.ca.

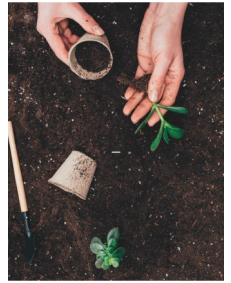
Be part of our Totus Tuus Team! We are looking for volunteers: adults, young adults, and high school students (Gr. 9-12). Volunteer hours provided. Go to <https://bit.ly/44PDZda> to fill out an volunteer application form.



Seeds of Hope 2

Then he showed me a small thing, the size of a hazelnut, nestled in the palm of his hand. It was round as a ball... Such a tiny object stood for all creation! I became aware that we should dismiss as nothing all that is created, so we can fully receive and adore our uncreated God. ~ Revelations of Divine Love, Julian of Norwich

Inspired by Pope Francis' letters about the ongoing climate crisis ("Laudato Si" - 2015 and "Laudate Deum" - 2023: visit <https://bit.ly/4bW3L2s>), the OLS Social Justice Group will coordinate the Seeds of Hope initiative again this summer. Last year, though many enjoyed growing green beans, some shared that they were challenged by lack of space, water, light and/or time. So, to be more inclusive, we have decided to do things a bit differently:



Weekend of Saturday, June 22 - Sunday, June 23

At the back of the church after all weekend Masses, members of the OLS Social Justice Group will hand out green bean seeds (to those who request them, along with growing instructions). If you are willing to share an email with us, we will send you a harvest reminder.

Saturday, August 24 to Friday, August 30 (a smaller harvest)

After all Masses, members will collect your harvested green beans, as well as any other produce that you have grown and wish to donate. Through the rest of that week, baskets will be stationed at the back entrance and near the east door. All produce collected will be donated to the Good Shepherd Refuge.

Saturday, September 21 to Friday, September 27 (hopefully, a bigger autumn harvest)

After all Masses, we will collect any produce grown or purchased that you wish to donate. Throughout the week, baskets will again be left at the church entrance (Bloor St.). All produce collected will be donated to the St. Francis Table.

Thank you for participating in the OLS Seeds of Hope initiative and for sharing your harvest!



When you give to **ShareLife**, you help people with developmental disabilities & their family members through an agency called *Mary Centre*. To date, we have reached 61% of our parish goal of \$500,000.00. Donation envelopes are available at the church entrances or online at www.sorrows.ca.

Throneway Sanctum Adoration Night with Sisters of Life - Join us in prayer, music, and adoration in front of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, June 14 with the Throneway praise and worship band and the Sisters of Life who will present a short talk on trust, *Proverbs 3:5-6*.

Together we will dive into how we can grow in deeper trust in God's will for our lives. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Talk starts at 7:00 pm. We hope to see you there! Light refreshments to follow in the parish hall.


Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

June 10 to 16

- Mon.** †Richard & †Sheila Wade by family
Tue. Int. of Beatriz & Alfonso Del Valle
Wed. †Antonio Sabucco by Doretta Wilson and family
Thu. †Joseph & †Ruth Temple by Temple family
Fri. †Antoinette & †Vincenzo LaVecchia by Parente & Manion families
Sat. Int. of Beatriz and Alfonso Del Valle by family, Int. of Bianca D'Souza by Mom, Int. of Valerie Sklar by Mom & Dad
Deceased: †Elisa Ong by family, †John Duffy Pepler Jr. by Tony & Cathy Dodds, †Avelino D' Souza by Blanche D' Souza
Sat. 5:15pm †Donald Docker by Family
Sun. 8:00am †Teresita De Guzman by Jovita Ragnoni
9:30am Int. of Josephine Chua by family
11:00am Parish Intentions
12:30pm †Carl De Souza by Kristen Ottner, Michelle Mendonca

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