



# OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

Office Hours: Monday—Friday from 9:30am - 4:00pm

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## Ministries and Groups

Altar Server, Altar Society; Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion; Lector Ministry; Liturgy of the Word with Children; Ministers of Hospitality; Music Ministry; Religious Education for Children; Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA); Sacramental Preparation; Social Committee; Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Call the office for info on:

## Sacrament of Baptism

## Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

## Sacrament of Marriage

*\*Parishioners must be registered and regularly attending Mass. Please contact us 1 year prior to your requested wedding date.*

## Our Lady of Sorrows School

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## Archdiocese of Toronto

www.archtoronto.org  
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## Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services

www.catholic-cemeteries.com  
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## PERSISTENCE IN PRAYER

*In the first reading, Moses becomes tired in prayer and Aaron & Hur support him. In the second reading, Paul tells us to be persistent in proclaiming the Word of God. In the gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the Persistent Widow, who kept bothering the judge until he heard her.*

*Jesus tells us that sometimes we have to wait but be persistent. That doesn't mean giving up.*

*Do I give up in prayer, especially when I don't get instant gratification?*

*When I pray, am I trying to change God's mind or am I open to changing my own heart?*

*Am I thankful for the gifts God has given me?*

*Sometimes we want immediate justice in our lives and we might be tempted to think God does not hear us. We must have faith, keep praying and trust that God is with us.*

## LIVING YOUR FAITH

### Mass Schedule

**Mon-Sat:** 9am

**Sat (Vigil Mass):**  
5:15pm (livestream)

**Sun:** 8am, 9:30am,  
11am, 12:30pm

### Rosary

**Mon-Sat** – 8:25am

### Private Prayer & Exposition

**Mon:** 7:00pm-  
8:30pm

### Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

**Tuesdays** - before  
9am daily Mass

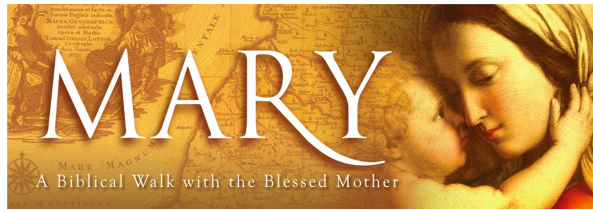
### Confession

**Mondays:** 7pm-  
8:30pm

**Saturdays:** 4pm-  
5pm



# PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



## BIBLE STUDY:

### BEGINS NEXT SATURDAY

Saturdays 10-11:30 am

Oct 22 — Dec 17

Join us — either in person or online — for this extraordinary pilgrimage through Mary's life. Discover how scripture, history and Jewish culture reveal the sorrows, anxieties and joys Mary would have held in her heart. Guided by Dr. Edward Sri. Registration: \$45. Please email [ministry01@sorrows.ca](mailto:ministry01@sorrows.ca) or see Tia or Susy after the Masses this weekend.

### 2ND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

OCT. 22/23

### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

The Pontifical Mission Societies are the official missionary arm of the Catholic Church, working on charitable projects and evangelization, in support of missions throughout the world. Visit: [www.missionsocieties.ca](http://www.missionsocieties.ca)

### BAPTISMS — NEXT WEEKEND

At next weekend's 5:15pm & 11am Masses we welcome: Charles, Cristiano, Fredryk, James, Lucas, Matias, Sebastian and Sophie into the Catholic faith. Please pray for these newest members of our parish community and their families.

### RCIA HAS STARTED Wednesdays 7:30-9:30 pm

Sacramental Preparation classes for adults have begun — but it's not too late to join! If you are interested, please contact [gabriella@sorrows.ca](mailto:gabriella@sorrows.ca) for more information.

### ALPHA IS UNDERWAY



Welcome to all those who came out to the first session and thank you to all the volunteers who are supporting their journey.



### CHILDREN'S

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children aged 4-10 are welcome to attend during the 9:30am Sunday Mass.

### MASS INTENTIONS — Oct 17-22

- Mon.** †Fanny Petrich by Betty Petrich  
**Tues.** †Frank Mehle by Betty Petrich  
**Wed.** In Thanksgiving by Estorba & Udasco families  
**Thurs.** †Donovan & †Bardsley Families by Donovans  
**Fri.** †Helen Frances Humphrey by Neil & Winn Driscoll  
**Sat. 9am** †Aby Mejia by Irene Neri  
**5:15pm** †Patrick & †Mirta Poce by family  
**Sun. 8am** Parish Intentions  
**9:30am** †Mark Obryant Stainback  
by John & Mary Wright & family  
**11:00am** †Christine & †Gus Calderone by family  
**12:30pm** †Erminio Corlevic by Corlevic family

# COMMUNITY EVENTS & NOTICES

## ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE SCHOOL

The Office of Admissions of St. Michael's College School is now accepting applications for September 2023 for Grades 7-12. To learn more and register for upcoming Open Houses, visit [www.applysmcs.com](http://www.applysmcs.com).

## "OUT OF THE COLD"

### ALL SAINTS ANGLICAN CHURCH

With the recent defunding of the program by the City of Toronto, All Saints Kingsway will not be offering overnight stays this year.

Volunteers are needed on Friday evenings to help cook meals or help with programs. Please visit [www.allsaintskingsway.ca](http://www.allsaintskingsway.ca) to learn more.

## INVITATION: CENTERING PRAYER

Do you feel pulled in all directions?  
Are you looking for more from your  
prayer life?

Centering Prayer may be for you. Centering Prayer is a simple method of Christ-centered silent prayer for those looking for a deeper prayer life while living in the world. Join the upcoming free introductory Zoom workshop on Oct 31, 7-9:30 pm. Please Email: [sue.wollard108@gmail.com](mailto:sue.wollard108@gmail.com)

## TORONTO RIGHT TO LIFE FUNDRAISING GALA Next Weekend

The Toronto Right to Life invites you to their 50th Anniversary Fundraising Gala on Saturday, Oct. 22 featuring Angelina Ireland, President of the Delta Hospice Society. Visit <https://trtl.ca> for more info and to register.

## YOUR VOTE COUNTS: MUNICIPAL ELECTION MONDAY, OCT. 24

In preparation for the election, two virtual town halls will take place this Monday, Oct. 17 & Tuesday, Oct. 18. Visit <https://bit.ly/3CoqjIC> for more information and to register.

Candidates running for Catholic School Board Trustee will distribute literature to parishioners in front of the church this weekend and next. Ensure that you are registered as a Separate School supporter. You can amend your status by simply filling out the form at your polling station.

## UKRAINIAN FAMILY APPEAL

Canadians are asked to consider hosting Ukrainian families, who are set to arrive in the coming months. Here's the link for more information: <https://bit.ly/3MeFmZA>

## PAKISTAN FLOODS

Please continue to pray for those who have died or been displaced as a result of floods in Pakistan. The Archdiocese of Toronto will channel donations through Catholic partners. Through the parish, you can make your cheques payable to *OLS—Pakistan Floods — Humanitarian Relief*.



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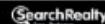
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