



OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

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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

32 Montgomery Rd.
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Archdiocese of Toronto

www.archtoronto.org
416-934-0606

Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services

www.catholic-cemeteries.com
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ENCOUNTER, REPENT, LOVE

The readings for the 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C focus on conversion and repentance. In the first reading we are told that God wants us to repent. In the second reading, Paul speaks of the day of the Lord. In the Gospel, Zacchaeus dines with Jesus and repents.

By the example of Zacchaeus, Jesus takes a person who is hated by society — a tax collector — and shows how nobody is beyond transformation and salvation. We all have a deep down hunger for God and desire to see Jesus. When we follow those promptings, wonderful things can happen.

Reflection Questions:

** Do my encounters with Jesus change me?*

** How am I called to repent?*

** What can I do to be more welcoming to those who are on the outside?*

Jesus shows us that transformation starts with love. Once the outsider knows he is loved, he can let go of his sins and freely follow Jesus. Like Jesus, we should not be afraid to encounter others and tell them the Good News that they are loved.

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

ALTAR SERVER AWARDS

Congratulations!

Each year, altar servers from parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are selected for a special recognition for their dedication and display of leadership. OLS Parish is pleased to congratulate Izabella, Rachel, Katherine, Anastasia, Madeleine, Tyler & Ryan. Please join us in thanking these amazing recipients!

CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Deadline is Monday Oct. 31, 2022

The final day for parishioners to register children for First Communion and Confirmation preparation is this Monday, October 31. Forms can be found at www.sorrows.ca. Children in non-Catholic schools must also be registered with the Religious Education Program.



DONATE TODAY

ShareLife campaign donations are down this year, while the need is greater than ever. Your gift helps people of all ages, ethnicities, faiths and backgrounds in our community. To learn more, visit www.Sharelife.org. Please make cheques payable to OLS—ShareLife.

COFFEE FRIDAY

Please join us this Friday November 4 in the hall following the 9am Mass. Have a coffee, bring treats to share if you are able and meet up with your fellow parishioners. All are welcome!



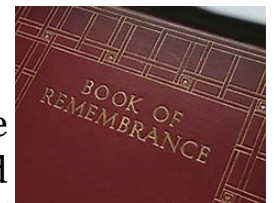
FEAST OF ALL SOULS

**Wednesday,
November 2**

**Join us at 9am
or 7:30pm**

At the Feast of All Souls Masses, a candle will be lit for each parishioner whose funeral was held at Our Lady of Sorrows church in the past year, as their names are called out. Join us in prayer.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE



You are invited to add the names of family and friends into the Book of Remembrance, located in front of St Joseph's altar. Prayers will be offered for all names included in the book, at all masses during the month of November.

MASS INTENTIONS – Oct 31-Nov 6

- Mon.** †Maureen & †John Keane by Gerry Simpson
- Tues.** Feast of All Saints—Parish Intentions
- Wed.** †Isilda & †Afonso Lopes by Cristina Lopes
- Thurs.** †Rita McKee by family
- Fri.** †Angela Ferreira by Tim, Angela & Lily Attley
- Sat. 9am** †Wanda Jones by Delia Urosevic
- 5:15pm** †Dixie Wickham by family
- Sun. 8am** †James O'Brien by Kathleen & Family
- 9:30am** †Hugh Kunkel by Anne Kunkel
- 11:00am** †Goseco, †Valencia & †Feliciano Families by Linda Feliciano
- 12:30pm** Parish Intentions



MUSIC AT OLS

Remembrance Choral Service: Thursday Nov 10 at 7:30pm in the church. This solemn service will be led by Virginia Mervar and features the MOSAIC Canadian Vocal Ensemble, Our Lady of Sorrows Choir and trumpeter Michael Barth.

ORGANIX Concerts presents organist Ian Grundy on Wednesday Nov 19, 12:30-1:30pm.

Free will offerings at both events are gratefully accepted.

OLS Adult Choir sings at the 11am Mass every Sunday. Interested in singing to support our congregation for Christmas? Please call Gordon at 416-571-3680.



Bundle up Weekend

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BUNDLE UP @ OLS

Weekend of November 19/20

Mark your calendar, clean out your closets! The trailer will be in the OLS parking lot on Saturday Nov 19 (open 8am-6pm) and Sunday Nov 20th (open 8am-5pm) to accept donations of clothing, footwear, linens, towels, draperies, toys (new or nearly new) and small household goods.

Please, no books, audio/video cassettes, furniture or dishes.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

MOUNT CARMEL RETREATS

Sometimes we need time away from our busy schedules to relax, pray and reflect. Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre offers a number of retreats throughout the year, some of which include accommodations and meals, on their 12 acre property overlooking Niagara Falls. Please visit www.carmelniagara.com/programs for more information.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES MASSES

Saturday, November 5 at 2pm

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto invite all families to participate in the [All Souls' Day Mass](#), to be held indoors at:

- * Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga — Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum
- * Christ the King Cemetery, Thornhill — Holy Family Mausoleum
- * Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge — St. Anthony's Mausoleum (Liturgy in English and Italian)
- * Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby — Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum



**COME & SEE
WEEKEND
RETREAT**

November 18 –20th

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a *Come and See Weekend Retreat* for men 18 years and older at St Augustine's Seminary. For more information please visit the website at: www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee.



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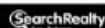
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