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#### **Pastoral Staff**

Rev. Damian Ali, Pastor Don Roberts, Richard Te, Richard Noronha, Deacons Brenda Penney, Parish Bookkeeper Ella Alvares, Parish Secretary Carmen Pulis, Part-Time Office Assistant Arlene Morgan, Lay Pastoral Assistant

#### **New Parishioners**

Welcome to our parish family! Please register by filling out a form available at the back of the church or online.

### Sacrament of Baptism

The desire for Baptism for a child must be accompanied by a very serious commitment to raise the child within the Catholic faith community and to educate the child in the truths of the church. An essential part of the commitment is regular attendance at Sunday Mass. Baptisms are usually held on two Sundays every month. Please contact the parish office for a Baptismal package.

#### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Couples planning to be married should contact the parish one year in advance. They must also attend a Marriage Preparation Course prior to entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil divorce or religious marriage with another person, please notify the priest as soon as possible as the priest is not permitted to set a wedding date until the Bishop's Office has been contacted.

#### Sacrament of the Sick

In this Sacrament we celebrate Christ's healing presence among us today. If you, a relative or friend, require this Sacrament at home or nursing home, please call the parish office. For your spiritual needs during a hospital stay, the Archdiocese of Toronto has assigned a full time Roman Catholic Chaplain to each of the two Mississauga hospitals. For the Chaplain, speak to the Nurses' Desk or call the Spiritual Care Office.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM Every 2nd & 4th Friday during Holy Hour (6:15pm to 6:45pm).

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Closed Monday, Saturday and Sunday Closed Daily: 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**MASS** 

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM (fulfills the Sunday obligation) Sunday: 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM & 12:00 NOON

Weekday Eucharist

Mondays / Wednesdays / Fridays 7:00 PM Tuesdays / Thursdays 8:30 AM

**DEVOTIONS** 

Holy Hour

Fridays (excluding holidays) 6:00 PM -7:00 PM

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wednesday during Mass
Rosary Monday & Wednesday at 6:40 PM
Divine Mercy Friday at 3:00 PM

### **PARISH LIFE**

| Charismatic Prayer Goup          | 905-822-8132        |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Legion of Mary (Wed 7:30 PM)     | 905-822-8132        |
| Knights of Columbus (Mike Genua) | 416-804-3457        |
| Men of St Francis (Kurtis Chong) | 647-378-3537        |
| RCIA                             | 905-822-8132 ext. 3 |
| St. Vincent de Paul              | 905-822-8132 ext. 5 |
| Catholic Cemeteries              | 416-733-8544        |
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### SCHOOLS

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# Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) June 2, 2024

# The Son of Man Is Lord of the Sabbath

"Lord Jesus, you bring healing, rest, and refreshment to all who seek you with faith, hope, and love. May your Holy Spirit renew and transform my heart, mind, and will to always seek what is good and right for your sake and for the good of my neighbor as well." Amen.



### MONDAY, June 3 - 7:00 P.M.

S.I. Lourdes Valenton

S.I. Vienna Petrecco

### TUESDAY, June 4 - 8:30 A.M.

S.I. Merly Talag

### WEDNESDAY, June 5 - 7:00 P.M.

Thanksgiving Mass

## THURSDAY, June 6 - 8:30 A.M.

S.I. For an increase in vocations to the Priesthood, Religious Life and Permanent Diaconate

### FRIDAY, June 7 – 7:00 P.M.

S.I. Wilfred & Julie Padilla

# SATURDAY, June 8- 5:00 P.M.

Jack Quigg

SUNDAY, June 9 – 8:30 A.M., 10 A.M. & 12 P.M

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



# **2024 CHURCH GARDENS**

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spirits. Those benefits come with joining the garden committee at St. Francis of Assisi. All are welcome! The season is from April to November. Please

contact Dolores at 905-822-5297 for further details.



# REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!!!!

St. Francis of Assisi is hosting the Summer Camp. The camp will run from August 12 – 17, 2024. The daytime camp is open to Grades 1-6 and the

evening camp is open to Grades 7-12. Visit our website to register at **stfrancisofassisimi.archtoronto.org** 

# **MARYGROVE CAMP COLLECTION**

There will be a second collection for Marygrove Girls Camp on the weekend of June 8 & 9.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Toronto Central Council, helps over 1,000 girls each summer, registering eligible campers through home visits. Marygrove Camp is a residential camp situated on Georgian Bay in Ontario, open to eligible girls ages 5–13. Marygrove provides a camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy a camping adventure. Families who are experiencing financial or domestic hardship may contact the Society directly to determine their eligibility. Each year, over 1,000 young girls with

financial or domestic hardship enjoy a subsidized joyful camping experience.

Thank you for your continued support!

# **PARISH BBQ!!!!**



You and your family are invited to a FREE Parish Barbecue on Sunday, June 23rd, from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Celebrate the

end of the school year and reconnect with fellow parishioners! The menu will feature hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, drinks, and ice cream. There will be a 50/50 draw supporting ShareLife and for the kids, a "bouncy castle" and other fun activities. We will have a covered area with limited seating and tables reserved for seniors, so please bring your own lawn chairs. As we need to know how many to expect, there will be volunteers at the back of the church after all mass over the next three weekends collecting the number in your group and your children's ages. We could also use more volunteers! If you are willing and able to help, please contact Kathy Valant at (905) 823-1693 or kathybvalant@gmail.com. This is also a good opportunity for young people to work some volunteer hours. We hope to see you there!



BUNDLE UP CAMPAIGN JUNE

29TH & 30TH



# CONSECRATION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS & THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

On Friday June 7<sup>th</sup>, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

This is a day of Prayer and Sanctification for priests. During the 7pm Mass, Fr. Damian will consecrate his priestly ministry to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, is the Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. There will be a Mass at 10am on June 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Francis of Assisi Church. During the Mass, Fr. Damian will consecrate St. Francis of Assisi Parish to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The Legion of Mary will lead the Rosary before Mass, beginning at 9:40am. After Mass, Legion of Mary members will host a reception with light refreshments. All are Welcome!

# FR. ROGER PASCAL'S 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION

A native of Trinidad, in the West Indies, Fr. Roger Pascal served as a hospital chaplain for Mississauga Trillium Hospital & Credit Valley Hospital for several years. Fr. Roger also served as presider and homilist during Sunday and weekday Masses at St. Francis of Assisi Church. He was a great support to Fr. Damian, especially at the start of the pandemic, assisting to organize our first livestream Masses. Fr. Roger is currently the Pastor of St. Margurite D'Youville Parish in Brampton. Fr. Roger is inviting parishioners and friends from St. Francis of Assisi Parish to join him for a celebration marking his 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood. SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2024: Dinner & Dance AT **EUROPA CONVENTION CENTRE - 7050B Bramalea Rd** Tickets - Adults \$65; Children 12 & under \$55. Contact St. Margurite d'Youville Parish Office at (905)792-7497 for tickets and details. **SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2024: MASS AT 12:30PM** CELEBRATED BY THE MOST REVEREND GABRIEL MALZAIRE, ARCHBISHOP OF ST. LUCIA

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