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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO

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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
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<i>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</i>	Wednesday during Mass
<i>Rosary</i>	Monday & Wednesday at 6:40 PM
<i>Divine Mercy</i>	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

SCHOOLS

St. Francis of Assisi	905-822-3183
St. Margaret of Scotland	905-820-5115
Christ the King	905-569-0220

Palm Sunday Passion of the Lord April 13, 2025

Blessed Is the King Who Comes in the Name of the Lord

"Lord Jesus, be the King and Ruler of my heart, mind, life, and home. May my life reflect your meekness and humility that you may be honored as the King of glory!" Amen.



MONDAY, Apr. 14 - 7:00PM

† Fayez Mansour

† Geof Lauer

S.I. Thanksgiving

TUESDAY, Apr. 15 - 8:30AM

† Luis Del Valle Arteaga Figueroa

S.I. Agnes Shavrnach

S.I. Thanksgiving Mass for Mother Mary

WEDNESDAY, Apr. 16 - 7PM

† John Pinheiro

† Peter Drozdiuk

† Ramon Malayao

THURSDAY, Apr. 17- 7:00PM

(Holy Thursday) No Mass Intentions

FRIDAY, Apr. 18- 12:00 PM & 3:00PM

(Good Friday) No Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, Apr. 19 - 7:30PM

(Holy Saturday) No Mass Intentions

SUNDAY, Apr. 20 - 8:30AM, 10AM & 12 PM

Easter Sunday Resurrection of the Lord

2025 STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON THE FRIDAYS DURING LENT (Immediately after the 7Pm Mass)

Good Friday (7PM)

April 18 – Everyone's Way of the Cross



HOLY WEEK

SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday –

April 17th,
7:30pm Mass

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

(NO 8:30am Mass)

Good Friday – April 18th, 12pm & 3pm
CELEBRATION OF THE LORDS PASSION
STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 7:00pm

Holy Saturday – April 19th, 7:30pm Mass
EASTER VIGIL MASS

(NO 4pm Confessions & NO 5pm Mass)

Blessing of the Baskets – 10am
(Outdoor by the St. Francis Garden)

Easter Sunday – April 20th, 8:30am,
10:00am & 12pm

Regular Sunday Mass Schedule



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Last week's answer:

Palm Sunday

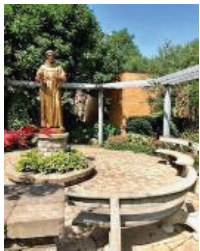
Answer will be in Next Week's Bulletin:

What is the name of the garden that Jesus prayed?2025

The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday, April 15th and will re-open on Wednesday April 16th at 9:00AM.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

The annual Good Friday Collection was first taken at Pope Paul VI's request fifty years ago. It is the only yearly request asked by the Holy See of dioceses and parishioners throughout the world to assist the Church in the Holy Land. The monies collected support its pastoral, educational, and social works and help to maintain the Holy Places so important for the faith of Christians everywhere. On behalf of the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land, we thank you for your support.



2025 CHURCH GARDENS

In the outdoors, our good patron St. Francis of Assisi praised God and worked. So many of us would like that **peace and closeness to our**

Creator that can be found in nature. Our gardens are the perfect place to be close to the earth, to enjoy exercise and labour, and to be part of a team. Please join us on Saturday mornings, April to October. **For details, call Dolores at 905-822-5297.**



ABSOLUTELY

AMAZING. On behalf of

CFFC, we are truly humbled by your generosity. **THANK YOU** everyone! St. Francis of Assisi has made a huge contribution to the health and wellness of all who will receive your gifts. Just to give you an idea of some of the items collected:

Toothbrushes - 428

Toothpaste - 323 -

Bars of Soap - 694

Iodized salt - 300 Boxes.

Other items included:

Flour, Peanut Butter, Vegetable oil, Beans, Soup and Oats.



2025 DIVINE MERCY NOVENA SCHEDULE

Good Friday - April 18 - 2:30pm

Holy Saturday - April 19 - 11:45am

Easter Sunday - April 20 - 11:45am
(Before 12pm Mass)

Easter Monday - April 21 - 7:45pm
(After 7pm Mass)

Easter Tuesday - April 22 - 9:00am
(After Morning Mass)

Easter Wednesday - April 23 - 7:45pm
(After Evening Mass)

Easter Thursday - April 24 - 9:00am
(After Morning Mass)

Easter Friday - April 25 - 3:00pm
(Sung Chaplet as usual)

Easter Saturday - April 26 - 4:45pm

DEVOTIONS FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Saturday, April 26 4pm - 4:45pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday Vigil Mass - 5pm

Sunday, April 27

Regular Sunday Mass schedule - 8:30am, 10am & 12pm

Sung Chaplet - 2:30pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - 3:00pm

Silent Adoration - Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) - 3:15pm

Closing Prayers/Benediction/Reposition 3:50pm

Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image
Confessions continue (if necessary) - 4pm - 5pm

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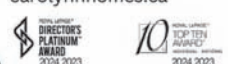
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