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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO

#### **Pastoral Staff**

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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

Tel: 905-822-8132

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

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wednesday during Mass Monday & Wednesday at 6:40 PM Rosarv 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 Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - sfa.atrium@gmail.com

**SCHOOLS** 

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

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### Sixth Sunday of Easter May 25, 2025

### My Peace I Give to You

"Lord Jesus, in love you created me and you drew me to yourself. May I never lose sight of you nor forget your steadfast love and faithfulness. And may I daily dwell upon your word and give you praise in the sanctuary of my heart, You who are my All." Amen.



#### MONDAY, May 26-7PM

- T Aileen Henry
- T Jaime & Hilario Villanueva
- S.I. Teresa Zeleznitzky

#### **TUESDAY, May 27 - 8:30AM**

- T John Agbaje
- Teresa, Luigi & Tony Volpe
- S.I McCash Family

#### WEDNESDAY, May 28 - 7PM

- T Martin Patrick Maher
- Trances Charchalis
- S.I. Andrew Moylette

#### THURSDAY, May 29-8:30AM

- S.I. Rayaul Stull
- S.I. Louis Lansing
- S.I. Ines Muia

#### FRIDAY, May 30 - 7:00PM

- T Aileen Henry
- T Harry Kovalchuk
- T Souls in Purgatory

#### SATURDAY, May 31 - 5:00PM

- T Shawn D'Silva
- T David Travasso
- S.I. Anna Maria Piraino

#### SUNDAY, June 1 - 8:30AM, 10AM & 12 PM

Ascension of the Lord



St. Francis of Assisi is hosting the Summer Camp. The camp will run from August 11 – 15, 2025. The daytime camp is

open to Grades 1-6 and the evening camp is open to Grades 7-12. **REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN !!** Visit our website for further details at **stfrancisofassisimi.archtoronto.org**.



#### **CROWNING OF MARY**

**On May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025**, the Legion of Mary will lead the Rosary beginning at 6:30pm. This will be followed by a ceremonial

crowning of Mary. Mass will follow at 7pm as usual. All are welcome!

# LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

We invite all children in JK to Grade 3 to join us on Sundays during the 10AM Mass.





PARISH GOAL: \$165,500 RAISED: \$61,805.35

3<sup>RD</sup> COLLECTION: JUNE 7/8. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP CAMPAIGN - June 14<sup>TH</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>.

BIRTHRIGHT BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN - Return baby bottles - June 14th and 15TH.

# CORPUS CHRISTIE OUTDOOR PROCESSION

June 21, 2025 - Details to follow

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI ANNUAL PARISH BARBECUE –

June 22, 2025

MASS OF IMMACULATE HEART WITH RECEPTION HOSTED BY THE LEGION OF MARY

June 28, 2025



#### A DAY WITH MARY

A Day with Mary taking place May 31st, at Villanova College in King City. During this Jubilee Holy Year, spend a day with

our Blessed Mother, Our Lady of Hope and deepen your devotion to her through a keynote address by Dr. Josephine Lombardi, a number of inspiring witnessings and Holy Mass presided over by His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo. This **free** outdoor family-friendly event will have music, food, fellowship, children's catechesis and activities, something for everyone. For more information and to register, visit archtoronto.org/mary.



The Bridge Club will resume on Monday May 26th in the Parish Hall.

### TRIVIA

#### ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Last week's answer:

Robert Francis Prevost, has become the 267th occupant of the throne of St Peter and he will be known as Leo XIV.

Answer will be in Next Week's Bulletin: What year and where was Pope Leo XIV a diocesan Bishop?



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