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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO

## Pastoral Staff

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Carmen Pulis, Part-Time Office Assistant  
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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

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

## PARISH LIFE

Legion of Mary (Wed 7:30 PM) 905-822-8132  
Knights of Columbus (Peter Eng) 416-986-0608  
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  
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# Sixth Sunday of Easter

## May 10, 2026

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### Go and Make Disciples

*“Jesus sends us forth to share His love with all nations. Guided by His presence, we are called to teach, baptize, and live the Gospel—trusting that He is with us always.”*



#### **MONDAY, May 11 – 7:00 p.m.**

† Lima Basso  
S.I. Ligaya Cana  
S.I. Cassandra Sawatsky

#### **TUESDAY, May 12 – 8:30 a.m.**

† Dominic Benedicto  
S.I. Doug & Monica Stanley  
S.I. Mitsuko Lansing

#### **WEDNESDAY, May 13 – 7:00 p.m.**

† Maria Lombardi  
† Denis Nizeyane  
S.I. Rocca Mansour

#### **THURSDAY, May 14 – 8:30 a.m.**

S.I. For married couples and those preparing for marriage.

#### **FRIDAY, May 15 – 7:00 p.m.**

† Leon J. Aureus Jr.  
† Joseph Thau Nguyen  
† Orysa Steele

#### **SATURDAY, May 16 – 5:00 p.m.**

† Margaret Miranda  
S.I. Travasso & D’Souza family  
S.I. Alison Furtado

#### **SUNDAY, May 17 – 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., & 12:00 p.m.**

**Ascension of the Lord**

- **Bridge Club:** Mondays, 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- **The Men of St. Francis:** In the Parish Hall Saturdays, 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
- **Legion of Mary:** In the Parish Hall Wednesdays, 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- **Ladies 55+ of St. Francis:** Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

#### **IN THE CHURCH**

- **Millions of Monicas:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month after the 7:00 p.m. Mass
- **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Fridays at 3:00 p.m.
- **Holy Hour:** Fridays at 6:00 p.m.
- **Confession:**  
Every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday, 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.  
Saturdays, 4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

#### **AUGUST 2026 PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES OF QUÉBEC**

Join Father Damian for a spiritually enriching pilgrimage to some of Québec’s most beautiful and historic Catholic shrines from **August 23 to 29, 2026**. Highlights include visits to:


- **Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal in Montréal**
- **Our Lady of the Cape Shrine in Trois-Rivières**
- **Sainte-Anne-de-Baupré Basilica near Québec City**

An information meeting for interested participants will be held on **Sunday, May 24, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.** in the **St. Francis of Assisi Parish Hall**.

Please call the Parish Office at **(905) 822-8132** if you plan to attend.




Mark Your  
Calendar





# May Devotion to Mary

Join us to honor Our Blessed Mother

## Rosary & Crowning of Mary

 Wednesday, May 13, 2026

 After the 7:00 p.m. Mass

 Rosary & Crowning of Mary

*All are welcome.*



# Knights of Columbus – May Dinner Dance

COUNCIL 8668

Join us for an evening of food, music, and fellowship!

 Saturday, May 23, 2026

 6:00 p.m.

 St. Ignatius Loyola Parish Hall  
2300 Burnhamthorpe Rd. West, Mississauga

 Tickets:  
Adults: \$45 | Under 12: \$25

 Tickets will be sold in the church lobby after all Masses:

- May 9 & 10
- May 16 & 17

### MENU:

- Caesar Salad
- Sweet -&-sour Pork
- Fried Chicken
- Kaldereta (beef stew)
- Pasta Carbonara
- Rice
- Mix Fruits
- Mango Sago

 Music by: DJ Chit & Rudy

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# MASS OF COMFORT AND HOPE

Our second annual Mass of Comfort and Hope

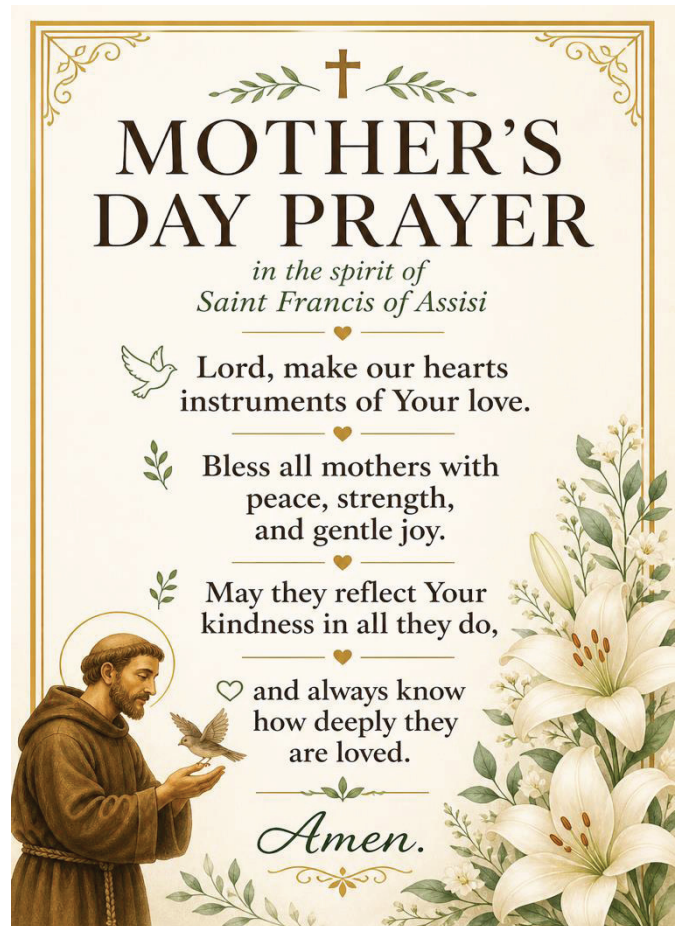
 TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2026

 PARISH HALL  
(Reception to follow)

*A special time to pray for our deceased loved ones.*


**ALL ARE WELCOME.**


Let us come together in faith, seeking comfort in God's love and holding our loved ones in prayer.





# MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER

*in the spirit of Saint Francis of Assisi*

 Lord, make our hearts instruments of Your love.

 Bless all mothers with peace, strength, and gentle joy.

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 and always know how deeply they are loved.

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