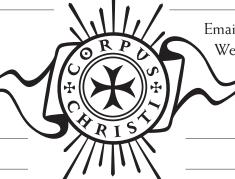
# CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

Administrator: Fr. Faustino Kusoka Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 9:30 am to 4:00 pm Telephone: 416.694.0382 Fax: 416.694.0320



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# MASSES

Tuesday-Friday | 9:00 am Saturday Vigil | 5:00 pm Sunday | 9:00 am &11:00 am

#### DEVOTIONS

Wednesday | Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Tuesday-Friday Rosary

Devotions are held after the 9:00 am mass. Saturday Rosary at 4:30 pm Sunday Rosary at 10:30 am

# RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm Other times available upon request.

#### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

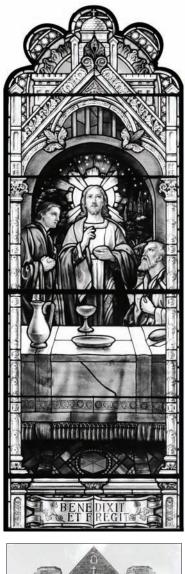
The first Friday of every month. *After the 9:00 am mass.* 

# SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY

Saint Denis Catholic School

Nelcome.

N E W P A R I S H I O N E R S To register please contact the office.





### SACRAMENTS

For information regarding baptism, marriage or any other sacrament, please contact the parish office.

#### MINISTRIES

Corpus Christi is an active and vibrant parish. We have a variety of groups and many opportunities to be of service alongside our dedicated volunteers. If you are looking for a greater sense of community in you and your family's life and are seeking spiritual growth or if you would like to become more involved, we welcome you to contact the office for further information.

# MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Call the office to arrange for a Priest or our Lay Pastoral Team to visit and bring communion.

# ST. VINCENT de PAUL

For St. Vincent de Paul help please call: 416-698-8930



Day	Date	Intentions
Sat. 5:00 pm	February 17	Intentions of Linda & Tony Taylor
Sun. 9:00 am	February 18	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	February 18	"Pro Populo"
Tues. 9:00 am	February 20	+ John Germain requested by Carol Lombard
Wed. 9:00 am	February 21	No Mass Intentions
Thurs. 9:00 am	February 22	+ Vincent Whelan requested by Ana Asis
Fri. 9:00 am	February 23	+ Louisa Carrales requested by Rafaela Mairena
Sat. 5:00 pm	February 24	Intentions of Linda & Tony Taylor
Sun. 9:00 am	February 25	"Pro Populo"
Sun. 11:00 am	February 25	"Pro Populo"

The Collection on February 10 & 11 was \$1,522.45 The Sunday Offertory Collection and PAG are our only viable source of income.

Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

#### **Bible Study & Sunday Scripture**



**2024 Parish Lenten Bible Study**: All are invited to join our Lenten Bible Study, every Wednesday in the small meeting room downstairs from Feb 21 to March 20. On these five Wednesdays (7:00 – 8:30 PM), we will be reading, reflecting, and learning about the Biblical passages of Our Lord's

Sorrowful Passion. (They track the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary). All our welcome. Join in. No experience necessary. Learn to love Jesus more deeply by learning to love the Bible.

- Feb 21: The Agony in the Garden
- Feb 28: The Scourging of Jesus
- Mar 6: The Crown of Thorns
- Mar 13: Jesus carries the Cross
- Mar 20: Jesus is Crucified.

**Sunday Scripture:** Everyone is welcome to join us every Sunday, in the parish hall 10 am - 10:45 am to read/reflect/respond to the Sunday scripture readings - together - to increase our faith and its fruit, with the help of God's grace.

If you have any further questions and for more info contact the parish office 416-694-0382.



**Confirmation Classes** 

Parents who have signed up their children for Confirmation Preparations are requested to follow the schedule for the entire sessions.

The Rite of Enrolment for Confirmation candidates is on February 25<sup>th</sup> at the 11:00 am Mass. The candidates will process with Father and will take their seats in the front rows. The preparatory classes begin on March 2<sup>nd</sup> from 3:30 to 4:45 pm in the parish hall.

# STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross is a spiritual exercise to remind us about our Lord's Passion and Death. All his suffering was to save us from the bondage of sin.

The Stations of the Cross will be celebrated every Friday in Lent at 7:00 pm.

#### FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, February 24, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.

Learn:

- How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- How to create your own legacy
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals



# 3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

- 1. scan this QR code:
- 2. follow this QR link: https://QRCO.de/WebFeb24

**3.** send an email to: <u>Development@ArchToronto.org</u> and write "webinar February 24" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

#### St. Michael's Choir School



Auditions are Now Underway! If you or relatives, friends or neighbours know of boys entering grades 3-12 who might be interested to join the

highly regarded Toronto Choir School, please encourage them to learn more through the school's website or by phone to arrange for an audition at: <u>https://smcs.on.ca/auditions</u> or 647-613-6367. *Bis Orat Qui Cantat* (He Who Sings Prays Twice).

#### Tax Receipts for 2023 Donations

The tax receipts for 2023 are being mailed directly to the donors. We thank each one of you for supporting our parish with your generous contributions.



**Theme:** *"This is a time when the world needs more love and compassion than ever."* 

High school students (ages 13–19 years) in the Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event that commemorates the United Nations International Human Fraternity Day on February 4 every year.

Students are encouraged to make a three-minute video encapsulating the theme. They are encouraged to follow the guiding rules provided on the Catholic Register website and submit their entries by filling the details on the submission form at https://www.catholicregister.org/videocontest.

**Contact:** <u>interreligious@archtoronto.org</u> or call 416-934-3400 ext. 527.

### Festival of Prayer 2024: "The Beauty of Holiness" Series Celebrating the 60th Anniversary of the Decree on Ecumenism

Christians from various traditions in the Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate the unity that we share in Jesus Christ throughout 2024 in the Greater Toronto Area and commemorate the 60th anniversary of the Vatican II Decree on Ecumenism. This series draws inspiration from 1 Peter 1: 15-16, "As he who called you is holy, be holy yourselves in all your conduct; for it is written, 'You shall be holy, for I am holy."

All are cordially welcomed to join the neighbourhood events, for details, please see the poster at: <u>https://bit.ly/428J6Eg</u>.

**Contact**: <u>ecumenical@archtoronto.org</u> or call 416-934-3400 ext. 527.

#### Lent Retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary — The Holy of Holies: Discovering the Richness of the Mass

"Plan for a retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary! You are invited to join us on February 24 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for our Spirit & Life Series Lenten Retreat with Fr. Eric Rodrigues. This event will be held at St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough.

The theme of the retreat will be 'The Holy of Holies,' in which Fr. Eric will explain the various rituals and prayers of the Mass.

Please register early, as space is limited for in-person events: <u>https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/st-</u> augustinesspirit-life-series-lenten-retreat."

# **SL** ShareLife

#### Support our vulnerable youth through ShareLife

In this time of Lent, we ask you to think of our brothers and sisters in need – especially our vulnerable youth who call the streets their home.

"Your gift ensures youth experiencing or at risk of homelessness have access to individualized support and variety of programs and services to meet their complex and diverse needs," says Mark Aston of Covenant House Toronto. "With your caring support, youth have a safe space to turn to and a supportive team to help them plan their own path."

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at <u>sharelife.org/donate</u>.

#### Archbishop Francis Leo thanks you for supporting the 2023 ShareLife Parish Campaign

In acknowledgement of your kind generosity, Archbishop Francis Leo extnds his heartfelt gratitude to all the parishioners. You can find his letter expressing thanks here <u>https://sharelife.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/ShareLife-</u> <u>Appreciation-letter-2024.pdf</u>

#### Divina Eloquia: A Series of Patristic Talks Organized by the Pontifical Faculty of Theology at St. Augustine's Seminary

All are invited to attend the St. Augustine's Seminary Divina Eloquia presented by Rev. Hubertus Drobner taking place on Tuesday, February 27, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. in Charbonnel Lounge, University of St. Michael's College, Elmsley Hall, 81 St. Mary St., Toronto. For more information and to register please visit <u>https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/patristictalk-feb2024</u>. Please register early, as space is limited for inperson events.

#### **Vocation Seeds**



Lent: the springtime of the soul...is a time to make a new covenant with God, develop new signs of our relationship with our Creator. Go into your own desert and discover what God is asking of you. If you think God could be calling you to be a priest, religious, or

permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997;

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca

#### Pope's Monthly Intention for February



For the terminally ill: We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.



#### THE SIX SINS AGAINST THE HOLY SPIRIT:

Presumption of God's mercy, Despair, Resisting the known truth, Envy at another's spiritual good, Obstinacy in sin, Final Impenitence.

