

JANUARY 8, 2023

ST. BASIL'S



EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

CATHOLIC PARISH

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 1:00pm
Sunday: 8:15am - 1:15pm

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00pm (sat)
9:00am; 10:30am; 12:00pm; 4:30pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 7:30am; 12:10pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday - Friday: 11:30am - 12:00pm
Saturday: 4:30pm - 5:00pm

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, AND FUNERALS

Please see the parish website or call the main office for details. Weddings require a one year notice.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor:	Fr. Morgan V. Rice, CSB
Associate Pastor:	Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB
Office Manager:	Margaret D'Elia
Director of Music:	Dr. John Paul Farahat
Associate Organist:	Stefani Bedin
Director of Faith Formation	JoAnn M. Lopez
Director of Community Engagement:	Michael Pirri
Coordinator of Social Justice:	Veronica Courtois

Since 1856, St. Basil's Parish has been home to people of all ages and needs. We are blessed because you are all here!

Mothers are welcome to nurse their children in church or provide them snacks as needed. If you need to, feel free to walk with your child in the back of the church or in the hallway off the side aisle.

We respect your decision to remain masked or unmasked.

For those who need hearing assistance, devices are available at the rear of the church.



ST. BASIL'S PARISH, TORONTO



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CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS WITH BISHOP NGUYEN

Sunday, February 12, 2023 - 2:30pm
St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

As part of Marriage Sunday 2023 celebrations, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, especially those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2023. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and milestone anniversary celebrants will be honoured with a special blessing. The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to register online. Milestone anniversary celebrants will be assured of reserved seating. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage to register and to access resources for couples.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY PRAYER SERVICE 2023

Sunday, January 22, 2023 - 4:00pm
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
73 Simcoe St., Toronto

Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches (GTACCC). All are welcome!

BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

Join the St. Basil's Community for an hour of reflection and faith sharing on Zoom every Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. We pray with the Sunday scriptures each week and grow in relationship with the Word and one another. Come to one, some, or all sessions: no preparation required other than a willingness to reflect and share. All are welcome!

Questions? Contact JoAnn Lopez: joann.lopez@utoronto.ca To receive the Zoom link, please register: <https://tinyurl.com/StBasilFaithSharing>

PARISH ENVELOPES & TAX RECEIPTS

2023 Collection envelopes are available at the back of the church. If you cannot find your name on the list, or would like to sign up for a new collection envelope box, please contact Margaret at (416) 926-7110 or margaret.delia@utoronto.ca Thank you for your ongoing contributions!

Did you know? You can sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G.) and not have to worry about bringing the envelope every week! Contact Margaret, our office manager, for more information.

Please be sure to update Margaret, our Office Manager, if you have moved this year and need to have your address updated in our records. For more information about tax receipts, or about updating your parishioner profile, please contact Margaret.

WINDOWS ON THEOLOGY

Wednesday, January 11 to Wednesday, February 15,
2023 – 11 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
Regis College
100 Wellesley St. West, Toronto

Regis College has relaunched its non-credit Windows on Theology Continuous Learning Series. Beginning January 11th, Professor Susan K. Wood, SCL will present "Repair my Church": Pope Francis as Carpenter. For six Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., the course will explore Pope Francis's vision of a missionary church. The course is offered both in-person at Regis College and online via Zoom videoconferencing. All are welcome. For more information, contact regis.development@utoronto.ca

PRAYER OPPORTUNITY: VESPERS

Join the universal prayer of the Church! Vespers (evening prayer) is prayed in the church every weekday at 5:10pm. This simple prayer offers the opportunity to end your day in reflection and gratitude.

For more information, please contact
michael.pirri@utoronto.ca

LISTENING TO INDIGENOUS VOICES

Jan 19, Feb 16, Mar 16, Apr 20

5:30pm-8:00pm

Mary Ward Centre

70 St. Mary Street

All are welcome to join us for a 4-part series of listening and sharing as we work through the Dialogue Guide: Listening to Indigenous Voices.

Each evening will begin with dinner at 5:30, followed by a brief introduction by Elder Bob Philips along with an understanding of how sharing circles work. Much of the evening will be spent in sharing circles and we'll conclude with a larger group Q and A period.

This series is sponsored by: The University of St. Michael's College, Regis College, the Sisters of St. Joseph, the Loretto Sisters, the Mary Ward Centre, and the Regis College Jesuit Community. The event is free for all though registration is required: bit.ly/LTIVUSMC Participants are encouraged to attend all four sessions.

ON THE ROAD TO UNION WITH GOD

January 13-15, 2023

Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre

2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering

A silent Ignatian weekend retreat for men. Generally, there are three broad recognizable stages as we grow closer to God: the Purgative stage, the Illuminative stage, and the Unitive stage. We will explore this journey with the help of the life of the saint who were persons like you and me who had to get in touch with their own human frailty along their own unique life-journey. The hope is that the retreatant comes to a higher understanding of self in relation to our infinite loving and merciful God in the context of their own earthly life-journey. Facilitated by Fr. Henk van Meijel, SJ. A suggested offering of \$245 per person. Includes 2 nights accommodation, meals, program and spiritual direction.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

February 11/12: Building Fund

MASS INTENTIONS



JANUARY 8-14

SUNDAY EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

9:00am Danuta Majewski (liv)

10:30am *Pro Populo*

12:00pm Soon Hua Lau (✠)

4:30pm Derek Keavney (✠)

MONDAY BAPTISM OF THE LORD

7:30am

12:10pm Stefan and Anna Papez (✠,✠)

TUESDAY

7:30am Honorata (liv)

12:10pm Luigi Ciavarella (✠), Mariette Forberg (✠), Lorenzo Del Monte (✠), Iluminada Cuna Del Monte (✠)

WEDNESDAY

7:30am Marie Bernice Casey (✠)

12:10pm Frankie Leung (✠)

THURSDAY

7:30am

12:10pm Janusz Majewski (✠), Dr. Peter Moran (liv)

FRIDAY

7:30am

12:10pm Monica Gannon (✠)

SATURDAY

5:00pm Teresita Doromal (✠)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, Sue Banfield, Rebecca Beaton, Desmond Brownlee, Anne C., Dora Carbone, Steve Chandeller, Mary Jane Cowan, Josephine D'amico, Jasper David-Fuchs, Clare DeMello, Maisie Henry, Clair Hickey, Maryanne Hodges, Margaret-Mary McKenzie, David Martin, Rosy Menezes, Cathy Millen, Dr. Peter Moran, Januz Niemczyk, Paul O'Brien, Robert Rodbourne, Delaila Salvador, Girolamo Scoppio, Berney Sytsma, Betty Veit, Eileen Vyphius, and Alexander Wu.

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED.

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