

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

ORDINARY TIME XXXI

ST. BASIL'S

CATHOLIC PARISH

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE



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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

VESPERS (EVENING PRAYER)

Monday - Friday: 5:10pm

ADORATION

Tuesday: 3:00pm-6:00pm

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
Office Manager:	Margaret D'Elia
Director of Faith Formation	JoAnn M. Lopez
Director of Music & Principal Organist:	Dr. John Paul Farahat
Assistant Organist	Adrian Ross
Musician-in-Residence:	Dr. Lindsay McIntyre
Coordinator of Outreach & Hospitality:	Hilda O'Connor
Director of Community Engagement:	Michael Pirri

WHOLEHEARTED LOVE

'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart [...] You shall love your neighbour as yourself.'

I reflect on these words: Do I live this commandment out wholeheartedly? Have I been listening well? Am I open to God's presence in my life? Am I grateful to God? Have I prioritized something above God? How has my love of God been manifest in my attitudes, actions, words, and relationships? Do I recognize myself as God's beloved child? Do I consider my neighbour (friend and stranger) and act with love towards them?

When asked what is most important, Jesus weaves

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.



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LITURGICAL MINISTRY TRAINING

Interested in serving our community at weekend Masses as a Lector, Communion Minister, Altar Server, or Minister of Hospitality? We would love to have you share your gifts to enrich our worship and draw our community closer to Christ.

All new volunteers are required to complete the Volunteer Application Form (found on our website) and attend our upcoming training and formation in order to serve in these roles. **Our training is scheduled for Monday, November 4 at 6:30p.m.** You can RSVP to JoAnn Lopez (joann.lopez@utoronto.ca). For a list of liturgical ministries and their duties, check out our website.

SACRED BEGINNINGS COLLECTIVE

Are you and your spouse expecting, expecting to be expecting, or knee-deep in diapers? We're excited to invite married couples to join the Sacred Beginnings Collective at St. Basil's! We're building a community of couples supporting one another as we seek to love God, our spouses, and our kids more deeply. Families meet once a month, in St. Basil's Macrina Hall, and you can choose between a morning or evening session (9-10:15 am, or 5-6:15 pm). Our first gathering is on Sunday, November 10. Email Catherine and Brendan at cath.s.steven@gmail.com or check out our website to register.

CONGRATULATIONS!

2024 Altar Server Awards, Serra Club of Toronto Downtown in the Archdiocese of Toronto

Each year, the GTA Serra Clubs recognize altar servers throughout the Archdiocese for their service and achievements. **Congratulations to Ebubechukwu Anthony Itanyi and Chukwuebuka Michael Itanyi**, who received an Altar Server Award on Saturday, October 26 at a Mass at St. Paul's Basilica. Anthony and Michael are brothers who have been serving faithfully at our parish since their family moved to Toronto two years ago. We are grateful for their wonderful example of service at the liturgy!

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

November 9/10: Building Fund
November 16/17: Shepherds' Trust

MASS INTENTIONS

NOVEMBER 3-9



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9:00am Luis, Eva, Max, Shirley (✠,✠,✠,✠)
10:30am *Pro Populo*
12:00pm Vivian Kwok (liv)
4:30pm Mateo Selleri (✠)

MONDAY ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO

7:30am Souls in purgatory
12:10pm Erika Schweigerlehner (✠)

TUESDAY

7:30am
12:10pm Maria Wong Sau Wan and Carlo Man Pong Fai (✠,✠), Lionel Lafreniere (✠)

WEDNESDAY

7:30am Peter Moran (liv)
12:10pm John Papez (✠)

THURSDAY

7:30am
12:10pm Yeung Ng So and Yeung Sui Wan (✠,✠), Jovita Padel (✠), Lolita Eusebio (✠)

FRIDAY

7:30pm Corazon, Viente and Dante (✠,✠,✠)
12:10pm Meg Sheehan (✠)

SATURDAY

5:00pm Austin and Hilda Lehman (✠,✠)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, *Sue Banfield, Rebecca Beaton, Desmond Brownlee, Lori Celik, Steve Chandeller, Yvonne Clarke, Josephine D'amico, Jasper David-Fuchs, Clare DeMello, Maisie Henry, Maryanne Hodges, Elaine Landrie, Margaret LaRose, Cheekon Leong, Anne McFadden, Margaret-Mary McKenzie, David Martin, Rosy Menezes, Dr. Peter Moran, Januz Niemczyk, Paul O'Brien, Robert Rodbourne, Carmelita Salazar, Delaila Salvador, Todd Snow, Federico Sorianosos Jr., John Sytsma, Betty Veit, Eileen Vyphius, Rosalie Wimbs, and Alexander Wu.*

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