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# St. Dominic

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CHURCH



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## PARISH STAFF

Fr. Terence Dias - Pastor  
Beverly O'Grady, Pastoral Associate  
Gloria Noronha, Parish Secretary

## OUR LITURGICAL LIFE

### Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.  
Baptisms: 1:00 p.m.

### Weekday Eucharist

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 7:00 p.m.  
Fridays: 8:00 a.m.  
Every First Friday of the Month: 8:00 a.m. Mass  
6:00 p.m. Holy Hour  
7:00 p.m. Mass  
Wednesdays & Saturdays: 9:15 a.m.  
Rosary Saturdays at 8:45 a.m.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:00 p.m.  
and anytime by request.

## Baptisms

Contact the parish office even before the birth  
for preparation and arrangements.

## Marriages

By appointment with at least one year notice to  
permit adequate preparation.

## Ministry to the Sick and Shut-Ins

Please notify the office  
if a family member is in hospital or confined  
to the home.

## Holy Orders

For information contact Fr. Chris Lemieux  
416-968-0997 or [www.vocations.ca](http://www.vocations.ca)

## Parish Schools

St. Dominic's Elementary 905-278-9821  
Queen of Heaven Elementary 905-278-9771  
St. Paul's Secondary 905-278-3994  
Archbishop Romero School 416-393-5555

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please introduce yourself to the pastoral staff and others and  
complete a registration form located in the vestibule of the Church.

## PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Guild	Doris Zammit & Fatima Amaral
Altar Servers	Gia and Gerson D'souza
Baptism Ministry	Fr. Terence Dias
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Diana Padzik
Coffee Ministry	Joyce Varriano
Collection Counters	Michelle Gal-Chalmers
Confirmation Preparation	Beverly O'Grady
Finance Council	Fr. Terence Dias
First Eucharist and	
First Reconciliation Preparation	Beverly O'Grady
Funeral Ministry	Gloria Noronha
General Church Maintenance	Michael Spadafora & Sergio Iavicoli
Kitchen Coordinator	Laura Cordovado
Knights of Columbus	Paul Horbatiuk
Marriage Rehearsal	Marian Yuill
Ministers of Eucharist	Fiona Pereira
Ministry of Music (SATB Choir)	Daniel D'Amario
(Folk Choir)	Sean Bator
Ministers of the Word	Virginia Ittig-Deland
Ministers of Welcome	Gary MacDonald
Spiritual Direction	Beverly O'Grady
Pastoral Council	
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation	Barbara-Anne Krampert
for Adults)	
ShareLife	Fr. Terence Dias
St. Vincent de Paul	Margaret Ramsay
Youth Ministry	





**Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>**  
**Most Holy Trinity**

9:30AM – Mass  
11:30AM – Pasquale & Giuseppina Gismondi✠

**Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**St. Boniface**  
**NO MASS**

**Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>**  
**Ferial**  
7:00PM –All Souls in Purgatory✠

**Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**Ferial**  
9:15AM – Cynthia & Hillary Ottley (Special Intentions)

**Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**Ferial**  
7:00PM – Adele Jankowski✠  
– Bogumia Pokarowski✠

**Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>**  
**Ferial**  
8:00AM – Mass

**Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>**  
**Ferial**  
9:15AM – Jacinto De Paiva✠  
– Jose Soares✠  
5:00PM – Mass



- **SATB Choir Practice**  
7:30PM every Monday
- **Folk Choir Practice**  
7:30PM every Wednesday

**COFFEE SUNDAY**

Join us for coffee every Sunday after 9:30am Mass.  
*All are welcome!*

**Religious Article Sale**

Religious articles from Holy Land will be available for sale after all the Masses on the weekend of June 10/11



**The Most Holy Trinity**

**REFLECTIONS**

**Readings:**  
**Exodus 34.4b-6,8-9**  
**2Corinthians 13.11-13**  
**John 3.16-18**

In the name of God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.  
When we say that God is Trinity, we are really saying that “God is Relationship.” God, our mighty all-powerful God, does not exist alone. Even God exists with others. Even God, the Holy One of God, lives as relationship. We might even say that God is the Event of Relationship! we need loving relationship, and mutually honoring relationship, more than anything. Maybe we need such relationship because we are living alone. Maybe we need such relationship because our households have become impatient and angry. Whatever God-given race we are, living in relationship means being able, and willing, to learn from people who are different from us.

The Holy Trinity of God does need each other. God needs the incarnation of the Son on earth. The Son needs the power of Holy Spirit. The various people of God, of all races and nations, need one another for completeness, just as God the Father needs the Son who needs the Spirit. We are incomplete without each other, just as God is incomplete if God is not the Trinity. So, that’s why this Sunday, Trinity Sunday, in the church year is so important. This Sunday is our attempt to do the impossible, to try to make sense about God. We try to say something definitive and descriptive about a God who is above absolute definition and comprehension.

*Fr. Terry.*

**BAKE SALE**

To all who participated in the bake sale on the weekend, Thank you! Thank you so much for all the talented baking & bakers, all our helpers and all those who purchased our baked goods. Your generosity and support means a lot to us.

*Together we raised \$ 2568 for our parish! This goes towards our loan repayment.*

**Together we can do wonders!!! God bless.**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CAMP MARYGROVE COLLECTION JUNE 11**

The Camp Marygrove annual collection is coming up June 11. The Saint Vincent de Paul Society runs this overnight camp for girls through the donations received from this collection. Our Parish has continued to send girls 6 to 13 to camp each year. For many this is the only vacation they receive and it stays in their memory forever. Some show up with as little as a paper bag and a toothbrush for luggage, but they are looked after.

Please give so that we can continue to send girls and boys to camp. The boys get registered for Camp Ozanam, with funding help from Share Life, but this collection is the only one for the Girls' camp.

**PLANT SALE**

Are you dividing your plants? Or reorganising your garden? We would love to take your plants!

St. Dominic's is having a plant sale on **June 10<sup>th</sup>** from 9am to 1pm.

You can drop off your plants in containers and duly labeled at the Atwater side garden gate. All proceeds from the sale will go towards maintaining the Altar arrangements and maintaining the church garden.

Come and make our plant sale a success!

**MONTH OF JUNE - SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are encouraged to read again, Cardinal Collins' Pastoral Letter from 2021, “Heart Speaks to Heart”, a deep reflection on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Visit [www.archtoronto.org/sacredheart](http://www.archtoronto.org/sacredheart) to read the letter and to access numerous resources. The Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is observed in 2023 on Friday, **June 16** and you are encouraged to offer a special focus on the Sacred Heart in the month of June.

**June 3<sup>rd</sup> – June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**NEW FUNDING CAMPAIGNS**

We have two new funding campaigns and we distributed pledge cards for parishioners to complete. Please return the pledge cards to the parish office or place it in the collection basket or in the donation boxes at the front of the church. Also please remember to record your envelope number and your name on the pledge card for better tracking.



The first campaign is the capital campaign for items such as upgrading the parking lot, the furnace and the parish sound system and lighting. Our parish was built in 1957 and some of the items are way overdue for upgrades as the church is almost 70 years old. The parking lot has been cited by the Archdiocese as a potential safety hazard.

The second campaign is a loan repayment initiative. As presented in the 2021 financial statements there are outstanding loans payable to the Archdiocese of \$581,000. The Archdiocese has graciously allowed a matching program for our loan repayment campaign and a dollar for dollar match up to \$200,000. That means if we raise \$200,000, the Archdiocese will match that \$200,000 for a total repayment of \$400,000.

The proceeds of these two campaigns will go directly to supporting St. Dominic's. With the Family of Faith campaign that was started in 2015, only 25% of the amounts went towards St. Dominic's and the remainder went to the Archdiocese. We are hoping parishioners would contribute to these campaigns in the same capacity as they donated to the Family of Faith campaign.

Envelopes for the two campaigns and pledge cards are available at the entrances of the church and we have the ability to take online donations for each of the campaigns if you visit the St. Dominic's website (<https://stdominicsmi.archtoronto.org>).

Working together we can make these two campaigns a success.

**NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY**

**Mass: National Indigenous Peoples Day**

His Grace Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass at the **Native Peoples' Mission** in observance of **National Indigenous Peoples Day**. The day honours and celebrates the culture and heritage of First Nations, Inuit and Métis people.

**Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2023**

**Time: 7 p.m.**

**Place:** Native Peoples' Mission, St. Ann's Church, 120 First Avenue, Toronto  
Following Mass, a reception will be held in the parish hall.

**All are Welcome!**

**ESTATE PLANNING**

**ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE**

**Saturday, June 17, 2023 at 9:00 am**

Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation.

The estate planning team from the Archdiocese of Toronto and Catholic Cemeteries will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral

To register:

- Follow this link: <https://qrco.de/june17>

or

- Email [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org)

Include: 'Estate Planning Seminar' in the subject line and provide the names of attendees in the body of the message.

**Seniors' Group**

Our Seniors' Group has started. If you are a Senior 60+

- Love to play Euchre, and
  - Engage in lively conversations,
- This is the group for you.

Come and join us on every Tuesday from 1-3pm in the Church Hall

Refreshments are provided.



- Our Seniors do **Tai Chi** every Tuesday.

From: 11:45 am to 12:30pm.

All are welcome!

**RCIA**

If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic or wish to complete your Sacrament, please contact St. Dominic's church office, and leave your name and telephone number. Our Catechist will be in touch and let you know about the program.



**ALTAR SERVERS: WELCOME**

New altar servers are always welcome. Open to all children that have completed their First Holy Communion. No experience required. Contact the parish office if you are interested and the coordinators will get in touch. Volunteer screening and consent forms are mandatory.

**LET US PRAY**

**For the Sick:**

We pray for all the sick in our community.



**For the Deceased:**

Eamonn Browner †

Amel Naval †

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**  
**Weekend May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Weekly: \$ 3408.70**

**Cumulative Loan Repayment:**  
**\$25,167.30**

**Cumulative Capital Campaign:**  
**\$19,809.60**

*We thank you for your ongoing generosity and support of the parish.*



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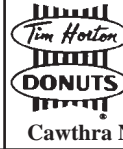
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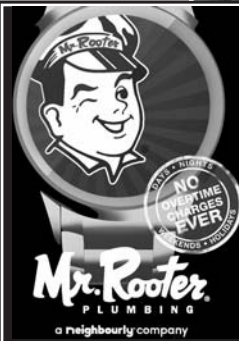


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