# OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD Roman Catholic Church 10411 Bayview Avenue, Richmond Hill, ON L4C 3P2 Canada Phone: 905-884-7006 Fax: 905-884-9770 secretary.olgw@rogers.com www.olgw.com

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

#### **SUNDAY MASSES**

 Saturday
 5:00 PM

 Sunday
 9:00 AM, 10:45 AM, and 12:30 PM

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday	8:30 AM	
Tuesday	12:00 NO	ON
Wednesday (Our Lady	of Perpetual Help) 7:00 PM	
Thursday	8:30 AM	
Friday	7:00 PM	
First Friday	7:00 PM Mass, Holy Hour, Benediction	
Saturday & Holidays	9:30 AM	

#### PARISH TEAM

Rev. Fr. Michel DumontPastorFr. Gerardo BandalanAssociate PastorRev. Mr. Malcolm PeakeDeacon EmeritusRev. Fr. Jim HuthWeekend Assistance

Lori Canlas	Pastoral Care & Counselling
Cathie Furfaro	Lay Pastoral Assistant
Dorothy Whelan	Lay Pastoral Assistant
Donata Di Rezze	Administrative Assistant
Angela Cerundolo	Office Assistant
Angela Lombardi	Office Assistant
Michelle Morello-Hayes	Music Director
	5:00 PM, 9:00 AM & 10:45 A
Peter Simone	Cantor 12:30 PM

## SCHOOLS IN PARISH BOUNDARIES

CHRIST THE KING				
329 Valleymede Drive	905-771-6036			
OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS				
275 Redstone Road	905-884-4023			
SAINT JOHN PAUL II				
155 Red Maple Drive	905-709-3134			
ST. JOSEPH RICHMOND HILL				
301 Roney Avenue	905-884-5077			
JEAN VANIER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL				
10475 Bayview Avenue	905-770-8656			



#### SACRAMENTS

**Reconciliation:** After the 9:30 AM mass on Saturday or anytime by appointment. Also, during Holy Hour on the First Friday of each month.

**Baptism:** An appointment is to be arranged. An evening baptismal course, which takes place once a month, is required.

*Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:* On request. Communal Anointing of the Sick annually in early Spring.

*Marriage:* One year's notice is required. Contact priest one year in advance.

#### Communion to the Sick and Housebound:

If you are unable to attend Sunday Eucharist and would like communion brought to you at home, please call the parish office and speak to Cathie Furfaro.

#### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

If you would like to join our Catholic Community or know someone who does, please call the parish office.

#### **MINISTRIES**

Adult Faith Formation **Ministry Fair** Altar Servers **Money Counters** Altar Society Music Ministry (Choirs) 5 AM **Baptismal Preparation** Prayer Group Prayer Shawl Ministry Bereavement Children's Liturgy of the Word RCIA Confirmation Preparation **Religious Education** Country Christmas Craft Show **Religious Store** Evening of Fellowship Renovation/Building Committee Finance Committee Sacred Heart Home Family Retreat First Reconciliation Preparation Screening Committee First Communion Preparation Special Events Committee Garden Angels Spiritual Care Grassroots Parish Ecumenism St. Vincent De Paul Homebound and Nursing Homes Welcoming Committee Knights of Columbus Women for Women Marriage Preparation Young at Heart Ministers of Communion Youth Ministry Ministers of Hospitality/Ushers Youth Media Ministry Ministers of the Word 905-770-8656

Please visit our website at www.olqw.com for the weekly bulletin and for additional information Our Lady Queen of the World Parish is wheel-chair accessible and a scent-free environment.



MARCH 25				
FINANCE UPDATE				
Last Sunday's	Collection:	Compared to:		
From envelopes:	6,945.40	Same Sunday last year:		
From non-envelopes:	591.75	5,797.25		
From P.A.G.: (161 donators)	2, 822.03	From P.A.G. 2,569.15		
	10,359.18	8,366.40		

# Mass Intentions

#### Monday. March 26

- 8:30 a.m. +Lorraine Pang req. Robert Simone
- **Tuesday, March 27**
- 12:00 noon Special Intention for Alex Zlatic req. Nena & Zoran Zlatic
- Wednesday, March 28
- 7:00 p.m. Special Intention for Tony Nazareth Sr. req. Tony Nazareth Jr. Special Intention for Carmela Colangelo

#### Thursday, March 29 Holy Thursday

- 8:30 a.m. NO MORNING MASS
- 7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper

Friday, March 30 3:00 p.m. Good Friday Liturgy

Saturday, March 31 9:30 a.m. NO MORNING MASS 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass

Sunday, April 1 9:00 a.m. Mass 10:45 a.m. Mass 12:30 p.m. Mass

#### OFFICE CLOSED GOOD FRIDAY AND EASTER MONDAY

#### LENTEN OFFERING FOLDERS

Please remember to return your completed Lenten Folders in support of Hill House Hospice, Richmond Hill. You can place it in the collection plate this week and next. Thank you for supporting this local hospice that offers family-centred palliative care.

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

There will be NO dismissal on Easter Sunday. We will resume again on the weekend of April 7/8.

#### **YOUTH GATHERINGS FOR 2018**

March 25<sup>th</sup> April 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> May 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> June 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>

Come out and meet other youth of the parish for a fun-filled afternoon from 1:30-3:00 p.m in the Parish Hall.

#### WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ESPECIALLY

Frank Winkhardl, Joan Douglas and George Smalley

#### WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Silvana Frangos, and Anita Itorralba

#### CONFIRMATION RETREATS MONDAY MARCH 26

All young people preparing to receive the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation who **<u>DID NOT</u>** attend the retreat on March 19<sup>th</sup> are reminded to attend the retreat on Monday March 26th from 7 pm-9 pm in the parish hall.

#### CONFIRMATION ~ LETTER TO THE BISHOP

After prayerful discernment and participating in the Confirmation program those young people wishing to be confirmed must complete their letter to the Bishop and present it when called during mass on the weekend of <u>April</u>  $7/8^{\text{th}}$ . We ask the parish family to keep these young people in prayer as they continue their faith journey toward the Sacrament of Confirmation.

#### BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER GROUP MINISTRY

Our Bible Study and Prayer Ministry invites everyone to join us in our "Breaking Open the Word" sessions.

We meet every Tuesday evening at 7:15 p.m. in the parish hall. In these sessions we immerse ourselves in God's Living Word by reflecting on the upcoming Sunday Mass Readings. We share our interpretations of sacred scripture and relate it to our everyday lives. We also worship God through prayer and song. All are welcome to attend. Our Bible Study program "The Bible and the Virgin Mary" will resume in mid April. God Bless you all.

#### R.C.I.A.



**Palm Sunday**, the beginning of Holy Week, is the last week in the period of enlightenment and purification for our elect and candidates in the **RCIA faith formation journey**. They will enter into the **Easter Triduum** celebrating the richness of our

solemn liturgies in the three days. As part of the Triduum preparations, on Tuesday of Holy Week, The Mass of Chrism will be celebrated at St. Michael's Cathedral. This Mass gathers the faithful of the diocese and acknowledges the ministry of priests, inviting them to renew their commitment of service and to receive the prayers and support of the people. Cardinal Collins will bless the oil of catechumens (used on adults during Baptism for initiation into the Church), the oil of the sick, and the oil of Chrism (used in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Orders). These oils will be presented in each parish at the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday evening. They form an important part of our sacramental life during the year and during the Easter

Vigil in the sacraments of initiation.

Please pray for our elect and candidates throughout this week of preparation for their initiation and reception into the Church at the Easter Vigil.

#### EASTER TRIDUUM

Thursday, March 29th

<u>Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper</u> Mass (only one Mass today) - 7:30 p.m. Celebration of the Eucharist, Washing of the Feet. Reposition of Blessed Sacrament in the Church Adoration until 12 midnight

<u>Friday, March 30<sup>th</sup> Good Friday, The Passion of the</u> <u>Lord</u>

(No Mass today) Liturgical Service - 3:00 p.m. Veneration of the Cross, Communion. OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, March 31<sup>st</sup> Holy Saturday Easter Vigil - 8:00 p.m. (One Mass and fulfills Sunday obligation)

> <u>Sun., April 1<sup>st</sup> Easter Sunday</u> <u>The Resurrection of the Lord</u> Regular Sunday Schedule 9:00 a.m., 10:45 and 12:30 p.m.

Easter Monday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mass 9:30 a.m. OFFICE CLOSED

#### CALLING ALL VISUAL ARTISTS!

OLQW will be hosting a **VISUAL ARTS SHOW**, on the weekend of May 26 & 27, 2018 in the Parish Hall. We invite artists to submit your name, contact information and description of your work to cathie.<u>olqw@rogers.com</u> if you wish to participate. Please feel free to share this invitation with your fellow visual artists.



Our Lady Queen of the World Council 14411 is sponsoring "40 Cans for Lent". Please continue to drop off your donated items weekly in the Narthex. To date, we have collected over 5,000 lbs.!

### Share...Life! Living the Gospel by supporting the Deaf community

Imagine you were a Deaf child and your parents and siblings didn't know sign language. Your parents could gesture in a rudimentary way, but how do you share your joys, fears and needs? Silent Voice teaches American Sign Language and Deaf culture to families so they can share a common language. Says one grateful parent, "I'm so passionate about Silent Voice because their Family Communication Program rescues children from social isolation." Last year more than 750 Deaf children and adults received help through ShareLife-supported programs at Silent Voice.

#### THANK YOU TO THE YOUTH OF OLQW.

Thank you, Youth of Our Lady Queen of the World Parish, for leading us in the Living Stations of the Cross on Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup> along with the Youth Choir. We especially thank Roseanne Menezes and Kaela Menezes for preparing the youth to prayerfully lead our parish in the Lenten practice of the Stations of the Cross. Their leadership and dedication to the Youth of our parish is truly appreciated

#### **YOUTH CHOIR**

Save the Date: Youth Choir Concert Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 7:30 p.m

