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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday	9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Friday	9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Saturday	10:00 AM to 6:00 PM
Sunday	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	No noon Mass in July, August until Sept. 4
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 Dumont	Pastor
Rev. Fr. Jojo Kachappilly	Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. Malcolm Peake	Deacon Emeritus
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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.

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DECEMBER 16

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Budgeted Weekly Collection for 2018 \$9,650.00
 Actual Average Weekly Collection for 2018 \$9,308.90
 This past week's collection was \$9,744.75 (including PAG amount of \$3,000) from 172 donors (2018 Goal - 200 donors)



- Monday, December 17**
 8:30 a.m. Mass
- Tuesday, December 18**
 12:00 noon +Francesco Sposato req. Maggie Yip Hoi
- Wednesday, December 19**
 7:00 p.m. + Immacolata Marsico req. Gonsalves Family
- Thursday, December 20**
 8:30 a.m. +Ban & Shui Chan req. Emily Chow
- Friday, December 21**
 7:00 p.m. +Santa Franzo req. Franzo Family
- Saturday, December 22**
 9:30 a.m. + Yvette Roy req. Michel Bordeleau
 5:00 p.m. + Lauro Pascua req. Helen Pascua
- Sunday, December 23**
 9:00 a.m. + Maria Lisa Canlas req. Lori Canlas
 10:45 a.m. Mass for all Parishioners
 12:30 p.m. + Jose Ferreira req. Eusebia Ferreira

**WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED
 ESPECIALLY**

Carmela Tambosso and Rosetta Dalla Corte

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Nitin Kuruvilla, Edward Liu, Nahid Mirzakhani, Thelma Busch, Shereen Cooke, Monica Nevis and Annette Stern

EVENING OF FELLOWSHIP

Line dance/zumba will take place from 7:00 to 7:45 pm. Tai chi/exercise follows.

YOUNG AT HEART FITNESS

Seniors are invited every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. or Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. for fitness exercise classes. The Tuesday class is led by VON volunteer Limor Benezra and Wednesday class is led by VON volunteer Susan Lao. **PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO CLASSES ON TUESDAYS DURING DECEMBER 2018. CLASSES WILL RESUME ON JANUARY 8TH, 2019.**

BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM



Our Bible Study and Prayer Ministry will take a short break for Advent and Christmas, resuming on **Monday January 7 and Tuesday January 8, 2019.**

In our study so far, we have seen how the people of Israel, throughout their history, were constantly longing for God to manifest Himself in their lives, and deliver them from their troubles. It is very similar for us during this season of Advent. We are longing for God to become more truly present in our lives, through the birth of Jesus, our Saviour. We must make room for Jesus in our hearts, unlike the inn keepers who had no room for Mary and Joseph. And while we wait for Jesus to come, like the people of Israel before us, we must learn to trust in God, being faithful to Him, constantly journeying towards him as the wise men did, never losing sight of the star, and following it until we ourselves find Jesus.



For Confession Times in other parishes, please visit:
<https://www.archtoronto.org/confession/Pages/Confession-Times.aspx>

MASS SCHEDULE ~ CHRISTMAS SEASON

CHRISTMAS EVE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 24TH
No Morning Mass

5:00 pm Vigil Mass with Christmas Pageant
 12:00 a.m. Midnight Mass

CHRISTMAS DAY: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH
 9:00 a.m. 10:45 am and 12:30 pm

**FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY:
 DECEMBER 29th and 30th**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Vigil
 Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S EVE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 31ST
No Morning Mass

Saturday Vigil: 5 PM Mass

NEW YEAR'S DAY: TUESDAY, JANUARY 1ST
THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD

9:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 12:30 p.m.

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY: JANUARY 6th and 7th

Saturday 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)
 Sunday, January 6th 9:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

PANETTONE

OLQW Knights of Columbus will be selling panettone after all Masses until finished. Choice of 2 flavours: Chocolate or traditional candied fruit.

**CENTRE FOR BELONGING:
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Thank you to the faithful group that comes each Wednesday morning to tidy up the books and repair the pamphlets in the pews. We are grateful for the way they do “ordinary things with such great love.” (Jean Vanier)

YOUTH MEETING

Youth meeting **Sunday Dec 23rd at 1 p.m.** in the parish hall.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR
OUR HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS**

In prayerful support of Claude Griffith, Therese Chung, Sofia Bellavance, Doreen Leavens, Theresa Allison, Myrna MacIntosh, Dorothy Garth, Elizabeth Van Arem, Nikola and Anna Prebeg, Mary Snyders and the residents of Brookside, Hilltop, and Langstaff Community Care Seniors’ Residences.

STAINED GLASS RESTORATION

Thank you for the wonderful response to our Stained Glass Restoration. All the individual windows have now been purchased. The image of *Our Lady Queen of the World* has received 50 donations so far. This window is offered as a way for any parishioners who wishes to donate a **minimum of \$100 each** to be able to do so. Special thanks to **our parishioner and artist, Ken Van Winkle**, who completed these restorations.

YEAR 2019 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Please pick up your 2019 envelopes in the Parish hall. Kindly write your name, address and telephone number on the first envelope. Please contact the office for any changes. **DO NOT USE BEFORE 2019.**

**Welcome to all new Parishioners of
Our Lady Queen of the World**

Please pick up a box of envelopes and fill out a registration form in the Parish Hall. Please put your name and phone number on the envelopes for the first couple of times of use.

2018-2019 MISSALS

Missals can be purchased for \$5.00 at the Religious Store after all weekend Masses



Now you can send Prayer Requests directly through our Parish App. Click on the icon then enter the name of the person for which our parish family will pray.



On December 11th, a group of our Knights of Columbus helped to sort food at the Richmond Hill Community Food Bank. The need is extremely urgent. Please consider donating any of the following items: **Boxed cereal, Canned Fruit, Child**

Pudding Cups, Peanut Butter, Jam, Canned Tomatoes, Bags of Dried Beans, Dry Soup Noodles, Canned Meat, Instant Coffee and Tea, Toothpaste and Toothbrushes, Soap. You may place the items in the bins in the narthex. We are grateful for your generosity. To learn more about how you can help, visit <https://www.richmondhillcommunityfoodbank.ca/>

ARCHIVES – CRECHES DISPLAY

Come have a look at the display of different crèches near the Reconciliation Room. Thank you **Kevin Dark, Archives Coordinator**, for preparing the wonderful display as we prepare ourselves for the birth of our Saviour.



SERRA CLUB TRAVELING CHALICE

With strong support from Fr. Michel and the pastoral team, Serra Club of Toronto Central is implementing the **Travelling Chalice Program** at our parish beginning January, 2019. This program invites individual parishioners or families to take home, for a one-week period, a dedicated Chalice to pray for all vocations. The chalice with which our parish will pray is very special; it is the chalice that Fr.



Michel celebrated Mass with in the Holy Land on the 50th Anniversary of our Parish. Please consider this beautiful devotion and pray for healthy renewal in the priestly vocation, especially at this moment of crisis in the life of the Church. Thank you to all who have already signed up to participate. There are only **seven dates still available: (April 20/21; April 27/18; May 11/12; May 18/19; May 25/26; June 15/16; June 29/30.)**

You may sign up for one of these weeks by emailing cathie.olqw@rogers.com

RITE OF ACCEPTANCE



For several months, our inquirers have been journeying in faith, answering their call to relationship with Christ and the Catholic Church. On December 15, in the **Rite of Acceptance**, they gave voice to their acceptance of the Gospel and to life in Christ. We as the baptized community, are here to accept them and to welcome them. We join in prayer for **Opeyemi Umoette, Camon Sit, Warren Eng, Cynthia Yiu, Theresa Wang and Jason Zhu.**

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