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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday: 9 am to 4 pm
Saturday: 10 am to 5 pm
Sunday & Monday: Closed

PARISH TEAM

Fr. Jojo George	Pastor
Fr. Jim Huth	Weekend Assistance
Mr. Robert Tunney	Permanent Deacon
Mr. Domenic Rinaldi	Permanent Deacon
Donata DiRezze	Administrative Assistant
Tony Nazareth	Office Assistant
Lori Canlas	Pastoral Care & Counseling
Michelle Morello-Hayes	Music Director
Ian Lee	Youth Minister

SCHOOLS in Parish boundaries

Christ the King	905-771-6036
Our Lady Help of Christians	905-884-4023
St. John Paul II	905-709-3134
St. Joseph, Richmond Hill	905-884-5077
OLQW Catholic Academy	905-770-8656



Please visit our website olqw.com for our weekly bulletin, a complete description of our ministries and a calendar of our upcoming events.

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday: 8:30 am
Wednesday: 7:00 pm
Thursday: 8:30 am
Friday: 7:00 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am
10:30 am
12:00 noon

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

The sacrament of reconciliation is available every Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 pm or by appointment.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Available upon request, please call the parish office.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If you are unable to attend Sunday Mass and would like communion brought to you please call the parish office.

BAPTISM

If you want to baptize your child, please speak to the priest after Mass.

MARRIAGE

If you wish to get married, please contact the priest one year in advance, as this is the requirement.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

If you would like to join our Catholic Community, please speak to the priest after Mass.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION

To inquire about the program for Gr. 2 candidates, please email: olqwsacraments@archtoronto.org

CONFIRMATION

To inquire about the program for Gr. 7 candidates, please email: olqwsacraments@archtoronto.org



Our Lady Queen of the World Parish is wheel-chair accessible.
Listening devices are available for weekend Masses.





Special Mass for Anointing of the Sick Friday February 9 at 7:00 pm

To commemorate the **World Day of the Sick** which coincides with the **Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes**, we will have a special **Mass for Anointing of the Sick** on **Friday February 9** at 7:00 pm. All are welcome to receive the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick at this Mass.

Confirmation



We pray for our young people preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. They begin their program on **Wed. Jan. 17 at 7 pm.**

First Communion



We pray for our young people preparing to receive their First Holy Communion. They begin their program on **Sat. Jan. 20 at 10 am.**



Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast Sunday February 11

The Knights of Columbus cordially invite you to our **Pancake Breakfast** on **Sunday February 11**, in the parish hall after the **9:00 am and 10:30 am Masses**. Enjoy a delicious breakfast prepared by our knights, in the company of our parish family. Donations are welcome.

RCIA



We pray for our all our adults, and children preparing to join our faith family, who continue their journey through our RCIA program.



Keep Christ in Christmas Youth Contest

We thank all our youth who entered our Keep Christ in Christmas contest organized by the Knights of Columbus. Our panel of judges is making their final decisions and we will announce the winner's names in the coming weeks.

Weekly Collection

This past week's collection was **\$8,351.87** including PAG amount of **\$3,638.72** Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

Mass Time Changes for 2024 onwards



- **Tuesday Mass** will now be celebrated at **8:30 am.**
- The **last two Masses on Sunday** will now be celebrated at **10:30 am and 12 noon.**

We pray for our sick



We pray for all who are sick and are suffering, especially those in our parish family. May God give them peace, strength and healing.

We pray for our departed



We pray for all who have died, especially those from our parish family. May they find rest, peace, and joy in their eternal home. We pray especially for Betty Hull, Pedro Paica, and Hugh McCullough.

2024 Envelopes are available in the Narthex.



Please write your name and address on the first few envelopes you use. If you recently changed your address or if the address on your envelope box is incorrect, please call the office at **905-884-7006 (ext. 0)** and let us know. **Thank You!**

Mass Intentions



Tues. Jan. 16 - 8:30 am	Mass
Wed. Jan. 17 - 7:00 pm	+Rosario Zapanta req. Thelma Gamboa +Anne Desmond req. Carol McCormick
Thurs. Jan. 18 - 8:30 am	Mass
Fri. Jan. 19 - 7:00 pm	Mass
Sat. Jan. 20 - 5:00 pm	+Jacqueline and Albert Lizotte req. Fran Hammond
Sun. Jan. 21 - 9:00 am	+Eng Ching Kit Que req. Mae and Allan Chou
Sun. Jan. 21 - 10:30 am	Mass for all parishioners
Sun. Jan. 21 - 12:00 noon	+Leena Amirthanathar req. Everesta David



Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Francis Leo

Archbishop Francis Leo has released a Pastoral Letter to the Church of God in the Archdiocese of Toronto, entitled, ***“Seeking The Kingdom of God Above and Beyond All Other Things”***. This significant reflection from our spiritual shepherd offers a theological, spiritual, and pastoral meditation as we enter a New Year, and our collective efforts to build and strengthen the Kingdom of God throughout our archdiocese. You can access the letter by visiting our website at www.olqw.com.



Please register with our parish!

Are you a member of our parish? Whether you live within our parish boundaries or simply desire to be part of our faith community, we strongly encourage you to register! A formal registration allows us to recognize you and your contributions to our parish. If you haven't already, please fill in a registration form at the Narthex during the weekend or in the office during the week.

Parish Lenten Mission (March 11-13)

with
Fr. Allan MacDonald, cc
Save the Dates!



Marriage Sunday

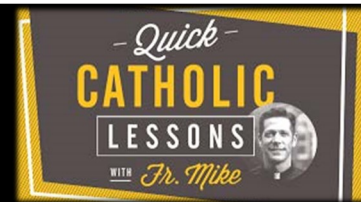
The Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate **Marriage Sunday** on the weekend of **February 10/11, 2024**. As part of the **Marriage Sunday** celebrations, **Archbishop Francis Leo** will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (**25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+**) in 2024. The Mass will take place at **3:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 11** at **St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica** (65 Bond Street, Toronto). All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. You can **register online** at www.archtoronto.org/marriage. Milestone anniversary celebrants may register for reserved seating, which is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend in person at the Cathedral may join the celebration via livestream Mass at: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>. For more information please email formation@archtoronto.org or call **416-934-3400 ext. 523**. Here at OLQW Parish, we will also honour all married couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries in 2024, at all masses on the weekend of **February 10/11**. Please call the office if you are celebrating a milestone anniversary in 2024.



Liturgy of The Word with CHILDREN (JK to Grade 4)

Upcoming Liturgies (during Mass)

- Sat. Jan. 13: 5:00 pm
- Sun. Jan. 14: 9:00 & 10:30 am
- Sun. Jan. 21: 9:00 & 10:30 am
- Sat. Jan. 27: 5:00 pm
- Sun. Jan. 28: 10:30 am



TEEN BIBLE PROGRAM

Fridays (Jan. 12 to Apr. 19: 6 - 8 pm - bi-weekly)
Come join our new **Teen Bible Program** — **Quick Catholic Lessons** with **Fr. Mike Schmitz**, for youth aged **13-18**. Teens will learn the fundamentals of our Catholic faith. Sessions include Bible studies, snacks and fun activities. **Cost is \$20**. To register or for more details visit: www.olqw.com/olqwyouth

Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity



January 18-25, 2024, marks the annual celebration of the **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (WPCU)**. We are all asked to pray and work together for the unity willed by Christ for the Church. **Archbishop Francis Leo** and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church on **Sunday, January 21, at 4 p.m. at St. Mark Coptic Orthodox Cathedral, Markham**. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches.



Young at Heart Weekly Activities

- **Tuesdays at 1:00 pm:** 1 hour **Exercise Class** - in person in our parish hall.
- **Tuesdays at 3:30 pm:** 1 hour of **Chair Yoga** on Zoom.
- **Wednesdays from 10:15 am - 12:30 pm:** **Line dancing and fitness program** led by **Susan Lao** on Zoom, and in person in the hall.

Call the **Office (905-884-7006)** to register. Classes are led by qualified instructors.

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