

# OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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 Tunnev **Permanent Deacon** Mr. Domenic Rinaldi **Permanent Deacon** 

**Donata DiRezze Administrative Assistant** 

**Tony Nazareth** Office Assistant

**Lori Canlas** Pastoral Care & Counseling

**Music Director** Michelle Morello-Haves 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 olgw.com for our weekly bulletin, a complete description of our ministries and a calendar of our upcoming events.

### **MASS TIMES**

**WEEKDAY MASSES SUNDAY MASSES** 

Tuesday: 8:30 am Saturday: 5:00 pm Wednesday: 7:00 pm Sunday: 9:00 am Thursday: 8:30 am 10:30 am 12:00 noon Friday: 7:00 pm

### **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: olgwsacraments@archtoronto.org

#### CONFIRMATION

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



# **Upcoming Saints Feast Days:**



August 23: St. Rose of Lima Patron of Latin America and Philippines



August 24: St. Bartholomew (Nathaniel) One of Jesus' twelve apostles



August 27: St. Monica (Mother of St. Augustine – see below) Patron of homemakers, married women, mothers, widows



August 28: St. Augustine (of Hippo) Bishop and Doctor of the Church



August 29: Passion of St. John the Baptist

To learn more about saints visit: https://www.catholic.org/saints/ or https://mycatholic.life/saints/



### 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 dearly 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 Gertrude Phelan, Maria Pham, Benny Wing Tai Ma and Enrico Zapanta.

	<b>Mass Intentions</b>
Tues. Aug. 20 - 8:30 am	+Yuk Yung Wong req. Family
Wed. Aug. 21 - 7:00 pm	Special Intention for Vazhapilly Family  +Gus Pellizzari req. Lana Kale  +George and Carmel Whelton req. Joyce Whelton  +Enrico Zapanta req. Thelma Gamboa  Birthday Blessings for Ethel Dauz
Thurs. Aug. 22 - 8:30 am	Mass
Fri. Aug. 23 - 7:00 pm	+Valentino Del Fabro req. Marisa Del Fabro Special Intention for Brian Cheng
Sat. Aug. 24 - 5:00 pm	Thanksgiving to the Holy Trinity req. Priscilla Menezes
Sun. Aug. 25 - 9:00 am	+Peter Dieu Van Dao req. Long Dao
Sun. Aug. 25 - 10:30 am	Mass for all parishioners
Sun. Aug. 25 - 12:00 noon	+May Yee Quan req. Daisy Fisher

# **OLQW Parish Marriage Preparation Program**



Getting Married Soon?

The Joy-Filled Marriage program includes two main components: Life Skills for Couples and God's Plan for Love. This is a six week program, two hours a weeknight. "Joy-Filled Marriage" presents a comprehensive approach to marriage preparation that not' only covers sacramental aspect theology of marriage but also the practical life skills necessary to live out the rich Catholic vision of marriage.

Mondays: Oct. 7, 21, 28 & Nov. 4, 11, 18 7:00 to 9:00 pm in the OLQW Parish Hall. Online registration will be available soon.

### **Weekly Collection**

This past week's collection was \$8,360.05 (including PAG amount of \$3,550.85). Thank you for your support and generosity!

# **Sacramental Preparation** Registration for 2023/24 is Now Open!

If your family is registered at Our Lady Queen of the World Parish and are interested in registering your child for the Sacramental Preparation Programs for First Communion or Confirmation starting in the Fall of 2023, Registration is now OPEN. Please note:

- The child should be in **Grade 2 or above for** First Communion
- The youth should be in Grade 7 or above in **September for Confirmation**
- Email: olgwsacraments@archtoronto.org if you need more information. Please have your child's Baptism Certificate ready. For Confirmation, we also need a record of their First Communion.
- You can register online at: www.olgw.com/sacraments/first-holy-communion www.olgw.com/sacraments/confirmation

Thank You!

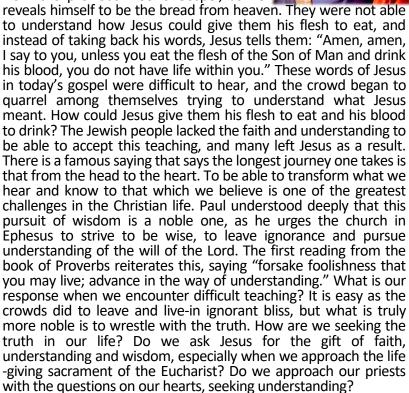


If you want to join the Catholic Faith, please speak to Father Jojo after any weekend Mass.

# Reflection on this Sunday's Readings

To truly understand and do God's will

In the Gospel, we hear of the crowds who were wrestling with the words of Jesus from the previous week's Gospel, as he



— Archdiocese of Toronto - Sunday Gospel reflections on stewardship



# SSVP Bundle Up Clothing Drive (August 24th and 25th)

Society of St. Vincent De Paul will have a Bundle Up Clothing Drive next weekend: August 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. Please drop off new or gently used clothing, linens and shoes to the trailer in the OLQW parking lot. We thank you for your generous and continued support, as we strive to live the gospel message of serving Christ in all people. For more information call OLQW SSVP at 905-237-8669.

# **Securities as a Charitable Gift Option**

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# August is the Month of Devotion to THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Join us on Wednesday evenings for our Rosary at 6:30 pm, followed by our special devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help, which is part of the Wednesday Mass at 7:00 pm.

# Summer Registrations for Catholic Elementary Schools for 2024-2025 REGISTER NOW!



- To register your child(ren) online or for more information about admissions criteria and required documents, visit www.ycdsb.ca/admissions
- After submitting the online registration form, you will receive instructions via email and will be contacted to book an appointment with school registration staff.

For more information please call: 905-713-1211, 416-221-5051 or 1-800-363-2711 Press "2" for the Admissions Office.

For Secondary School registration visit www.ycdsb.ca/admissions

# Please register and support 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! Please fill in a registration form at the Narthex or in the office. If you wish to donate, you may use offertory envelopes (available at the parish office or church entrance) or donate by:

Mail: 10411 Bayview Avenue, Richmond Hill, ON L4C 3P2

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# Young at Heart Weekly Activities

- Tuesdays from 12:45 to 2:00 pm: Exercise Class - in person in our parish hall.
- Wednesdays from 10:15 am 12:30 pm: Line dancing and fitness program led by Susan Lao on Zoom, and in person in the parish hall. (ZOOM ONLY during August).

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

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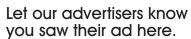
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