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

PARISH TEAM

Fr. Jojo George	Pastor
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Mr. Domenic Rinaldi	Permanent Deacon
Donata DiRezze	Administrative Assistant
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Michelle Morello-Hayes	Music Director
Ian Lee	Youth Minister

SCHOOLS in Parish boundaries

Christ the King	905-771-6036
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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.



Bereavement Mass

We will have our annual Bereavement Mass on Thursday, November 20 at 7:30 PM, in memory of our dearly departed who have died this past year. If someone in your immediate family (parent, grandparent, spouse, child, or sibling) passed away within the year, please call the parish office at 905-884-7006 or email: olqueenoftheworld@archtoronto.org and give us their name so that we may remember them at this Mass.

NEW BIBLE STUDY The Prophets

January to March 2026

Mondays at 10:00 am or Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

Cost: \$50 | Register at www.olqw.com or call the parish office at 905-884-7006

(Available in-person and online via Zoom)



Come and see how the prophets are not just voices of the past, but living messengers of God's mercy for us today!

- Together, we'll uncover how their timeless words connect to our lives, revealing God's desire for justice, His unfailing love, and His invitation to renewal.
- Whether you are new to Bible study or looking to deepen your faith, this study offers prayerful reflection, engaging discussion, and practical lessons for daily living.



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. In this month of November, we pray in a special way for all souls and the dearly departed members of our families and parish family.



Mass Intentions

Tues. Nov. 18 - 8:30 am	+Peter Tim req. Family
Wed. Nov. 19 - 7:00 pm	+Soong Hua Lau req. Daisy Fisher Special Intention for Alice Whelton
Thurs. Nov. 20 - 8:30 am	Mass
Fri. Nov. 21 - 7:00 pm	+Val Coloma req. Filomeno Bumanglag +Char Nee Khong & Char Lee Yun Chu req. Char family +Departed Souls of Thomas Family Special Intention for Alice Whelton
Sat. Nov. 22 - 5:00 pm	Mass for All Souls in the Book of Life
Sun. Nov. 23 - All Masses	Mass for All Souls in the Book of Life



SSVP Christmas Angels

As we observe the **World Day of the Poor** this weekend, please consider supporting the Neighbours in Need in our local community through this year's **Christmas Angels Campaign**. Our Parish's **Saint Vincent De Paul Society** uses the funds from this campaign to provide emergency assistance to families who need help with the necessities of life. Help answer the prayers of the poor, especially at this time of the year, by being a friend to our brothers and sisters who are in need, by sponsoring a family in our **Christmas Angels** campaign. The campaign begins next weekend (**November 22/23**) and runs until **Sunday December 14**. Thanking you in advance for your generosity and for your continued support!



Welcome to the **EDGE Program**, an experience in which **children grades 6-8** can come together in the parish to grow in their spiritual life! Our youth will learn about **how God's love appears to us all!**

To register visit www.olqw.com/olqwyouth

Sessions include engaging discussions, and fun activities! Snacks and learning materials are provided. **Cost is \$30.**

This is a perfect opportunity to meet new friends within your church community!

Program Dates: November 1 to February 22 and **March 29 to June 21** (every other Saturday)

Time: 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
(right after Saturday 5:00 pm Mass)

For more information, contact:

Youth Minister: Ian Lee at ilee@archtoronto.org

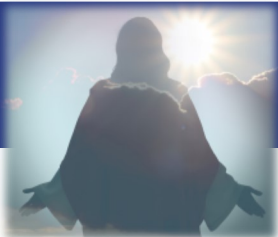
Sunday Reading reflections

Contemplating Life and Death

As we approach the end of the liturgical year, the Mass readings point toward Christ's Second Coming and the end of our earthly life. Through the contemplation of our limited time on earth, we can ask ourselves if we are appropriately using our gifts to serve Christ in the poor and our neighbour. One great gift we can share is that of our time. Cardinal Thomas Collins once said that, "we can use our time in this life to be selfish, or to be generous to others. The blessed used their time here to care for those in need."

Two practical ways we can effectively and generously use our time is in prayer and active presence with our neighbour. It is primarily important to spend time in prayer, in order to begin to know, love and worship God and come to understand His love and mercy for us. Consequently, with the fire of God's love fostered through our time in prayer, our time spent with others will be more fruitful, as it will now be God's love within us reaching out to others. So as we journey with our eyes fixed heavenward, let us generously give our time to God and our parish community.

— Archdiocese of Toronto - Sunday Reading reflections



Red Wednesday: Standing with Persecuted Christians November 19, 2025



On **Wednesday, November 19, 2025**, Canadians are invited to participate in **Red Wednesday**, led by **Aid to the Church in Need (ACN)**. At **OLQW Church**, we will offer our **7:00 pm Mass in prayer for persecuted Christians throughout the world**. In Toronto, a Mass at **5:30 p.m.** will be celebrated at **St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica**, by **Bishop John Boissonneau**, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto.

Red Wednesday highlights the persecution of Christians and calls us to defend religious freedom. Parishes, schools, and communities can show solidarity by wearing red, organizing prayer vigils or rosaries, creating awareness on social media, or illuminating churches and buildings. Each action sends a powerful message of hope to those who cannot freely live their faith. If you want to learn more you can visit: www.acn-canada.org/rw or contact: el@ac-canada.org or **(416) 785-0498** — An ACN Canada initiative with archdiocesan support.

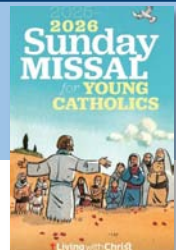
SUNDAY MISSAL



New Sunday Missals on sale for Adults and Youth.

You may purchase a copy of the new **Sunday Missal** in the Narthex for **\$5.00**.

We also have limited copies of the **Youth Missal** for **\$10.00**



Advent Lunch

Sunday December 7 at 1:30 pm, in the Parish Hall

The **Knights of Columbus** warmly invite you to our **Advent Lunch**, one of our most popular events on **Sunday December 7th at 1:30 pm**. Enjoy a delicious meal and a fun afternoon for all the family. Please join us for this special event. Tickets are now on sale after every weekend Mass. **Ticket Prices: Adults: \$35 Children (4 to 12 years old): \$20**



Confirmation Enrolment

The **Rite of Enrolment** ceremony marks the start of a journey of faith for our young people and their parents, as they begin the sacramental formation process. They experience being part of a larger faith community who prays and supports them. We pray for our **Confirmation Candidates** who submit their enrolment forms at all of next weekend's Masses (**November 22/23**).

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



Upcoming Liturgies (during Weekend Masses)

- **November 1 to 30 - 5:00 pm, 9:00 am, 10:30 am**
- **December 6 to 21 - 5:00 pm, 9:00 am, 10:30 am**

If you would like to volunteer in this beautiful ministry, scan the QR code, or call the office at 905-884-7006 or visit the parish website at:



<https://www.olqw.com/parish-groups/childrens-liturgy>

Young at Heart Weekly Activities



- **Tuesdays from 12:45 to 2:00 pm:**
Exercise Class with Limor - 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.
Call the **Office (905-884-7006)** to register.

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