



OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

PARISH TEAM

Fr. Jojo George	Pastor
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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.



Opening our hearts to God during Lent...



- **Wednesday Prayer and Devotion**
 - ◆ 6:30 pm Rosary
 - ◆ 7:00 pm Mass and Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help
- **Friday Prayer and Devotion**
 - ◆ 6:00 pm Adoration and Sacrament of Reconciliation
 - ◆ 7:00 pm Way of The Cross followed by Mass
- **Parish Lenten Mission (with Fr. Eugene O'Reilly)**
 - ◆ Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday March 2-4, 7:00 pm
- **Knights of Columbus Lent Food Drive**
(donations go to support the Richmond Hill Food Bank)
 - ◆ Bring in food donations anytime during Lent
 - ◆ Special Designated food collection weekend: **March 7/8** (Food Bank truck will be at church)
- **Lenten Donation Calendars** (available in the Narthex)
 - ◆ Donations go to support the Richmond Hill Food Bank
- **St. Vincent De Paul Clothing Drive**
 - ◆ Weekend of March 21/22 (SSVP Trailer will be at the church)

Visit www.olqw.com for our full Lenten program of events.

RCIA



We express our heartfelt and sincere congratulations to our **RCIA Candidates** who participated in the **Rite of Election** at St. Clare of Assisi parish **last Sunday February 22**, and are now officially members of "The Elect of God".



Knights Lent Food Drive Weekend of March 7/8

The Knights of Columbus urge you to join us in helping families who are in need. **Please bring your food donations to the food truck in the church parking lot next weekend.**

• Sat./Sun. (March 7/8) - Before and after Mass.

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 in our parish family. May they find rest, peace, and joy in their eternal home.

Mass Intentions



Tues. Mar. 3 - 8:30 am	Mass
Wed. Mar. 4 - 7:00 pm	Mass and conclusion of Lenten Mission
Thurs. Mar. 5 - 8:30 am	+Tak Ngai (Nestor) Chan req. Daisy Fisher
Fri. Mar. 6 - 7:00 pm*	+Maria Khien Lai req. Long Dao +Oswald Lobo req. Odette Casmiro +Basil, Lucy & Young-Tack Koh req. Francis Koh +Sergio Gallone req. Anna Gallone +Peter Romita req. Teresa Romita
Sat. Mar. 7 - 5:00 pm	+Margaret Miranda req. Priscilla Menezes
Sun. Mar. 8 - 9:00 am	+Yet Tony Quan req. Daisy Fisher
Sun. Mar. 8 - 10:30 am	Mass for all parishioners
Sun. Mar. 8 - 12:00 Noon	+Bo Hwa Ahn & Chun Hong Kang req. Kwon Family

Weekly Collection

This past week's collection was **7,660.88** (which includes PAG amount of **\$3,397.38**). Thank you for your support and generosity.

OLQW YOUTH GROUP



Friday March 20 at 7:00 pm

You should have received your 2025 tax receipts by now!



We expect that you will have received your 2025 tax receipts by now. If you have not yet received it or you have any questions, please call the parish office at **905-884-7006 ext. 0**

Parish Lenten Mission

with Fr. Eugene O'Reilly



Monday to Wednesday March 2 - 4, 7:00 pm

We extend a warm and heartfelt welcome to Father Eugene O'Reilly who will lead our Parish Lenten Mission. Fr. Eugene will preach at all our weekend Masses this weekend, to introduce himself and begin the Lenten Mission. We strongly encourage everyone to attend the Mission which takes place on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday evenings (March 2 to 4) starting at 7:00 pm each evening.

Fr. Eugene has preached Missions and retreats throughout Canada and the US since 1983. He is a member of the Redemptorists for whom he has been Vocation Director in the Eastern Province. He is also very talented singer and musician and has composed and recorded a number of religious songs. Mission preaching is his full time ministry. He brings to it a ready smile, a great sense of humour and a compassionate understanding of people and our complex world.

Fr. Eugene reminds us that in this Mission, Jesus reveals to us the secrets of God's Kingdom, as He did to his very first followers. He tells us that His kingdom is here and now, and that it spells happiness and fullness of life for those who share in it. Happiness often seems to elude us. We would like to change our lives, become "new people", more alive. The Mission offers us this amazing opportunity.

Monday, March 2: Intimacy with God

Break through the barriers that keep you at a distance from God and experience the warmth of God's personal love.

Tuesday, March 3: Living the Beatitudes

Learn how to practically live the values of Jesus today, finding true happiness in the Way of the Cross.

Wednesday, March 4: Discipleship

Discover what it truly means to follow Christ in the modern world and how to say "yes" to His call.

OLQW Many Hands, One Journey Capital Campaign



We have launched our **OLQW Parish Centre Capital Campaign**, an essential step in financing the new build of the sacristy, parish offices, ministry meeting rooms, and rectory.

- We are asking each parish family to prayerfully consider what they may be able to pledge. Demonstrating full parish participation is critical in receiving Archdiocese approval. We are looking for **every family's participation** to contribute to our campaign goal of **\$1.5M**.
- Please pick up a pledge card at the church entrances. Your contribution, no matter how big or small, is much needed and greatly appreciated! We are currently at **35% participation**.

Summer Bible Camp 2026



Get ready to join us for our **Summer Bible Camp Rainforest Adventure**, as we journey to learn more about the **Nature of God!** While discovering themes of hope and joy, campers will learn about different Bible stories through various activities such as **arts & crafts, science activities** and more! Join us at OLQW parish the week of **August 17-21, from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm.**

Registrations are open for children from **JK to Grade 6, (Open to children going into Grade 7 as well)** and the fee will be **\$150** for the entire week which will include **snacks** and a **T-shirt**, (lunch not provided). Due to the construction we expect to be ongoing during the camp, we have **limited the registration number to 70 campers** so please sign up soon! **Register at www.olqw.com/olqwyouth by July 31.**

We also need volunteers to help with the Bible Camp. (Volunteers can register using the same link above).

If you have questions please email our youth minister **Ian Lee at ILee@archtoronto.org**

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

Saturday, March 14 | 9:00 am - 5:30 pm

NO GREATER LOVE

For tickets and information visit www.LJHR.ca

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



Schedule of Liturgies (during Weekend Masses)

- February 28 to March 29 - 5:00 pm, 9:00 am, 10:30 am*
- * There will be no Children's Liturgy during March Break (from March 14 to March 22).

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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