



OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

10411 Bayview Avenue, Richmond Hill, ON L4C 3P2 | Phone: 905-884-7006 | olqueenoftheworld@archtoronto.org | www.olqw.com

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.



Sacramental Preparation Registration



CLOSING SOON!

Registration closes on September 18

If your family is registered at Our Lady Queen of the World Parish and you are interested in registering your child for the **Sacramental Preparation Programs** for **First Communion** or **Confirmation** starting in the **Fall of 2026**, please register now. 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: olqwsacraments@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.olqw.com/sacraments/first-holy-communion
www.olqw.com/sacraments/confirmation

Thank You!



**Prayers and
Best Wishes to
Students and
Teachers!**

We offer our prayers and best wishes to our students, parents, and teachers, for a blessed, safe, and successful new academic year in school, college, and university.

*Wishing you a safe and
happy Long Weekend!*



OLQW CRAFT & Vendor Show 2026

**Saturday, November 7
& Sunday, November 8**

To register as a vendor visit www.olqw.com
Please donate new and unused items for
the raffle gift baskets or silent auction.
Items can be dropped off at the parish office
(at the front of the church). Thank You!

Are you headed to university or college this Fall?



Connect with campus ministry
anywhere in Canada and find
your Catholic home on campus.



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to learn more.

www.chaplaincyconnect.ca

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 God grant them eternal rest, peace, and joy in Heaven.

Mass Intentions

Tues. Sep. 8 - 8:30 am	+Inocente Balthazar de Souza req. Family +John and Hilda Fernandes req. Family +Peter Pinto req. Family
Wed. Sep. 9 - 7:00 pm	+Violet and Girish Prabhu req. Family Mr. Puneeth req. Fernandes Family Thanksgiving Intention – Mario Casmiro
Thurs. Sep. 10 - 8:30 am	+Charlie Kirk req. Daisy Fisher
Fri. Sep. 11 - 7:00 pm	+Maria Khien Lai req. Long Dao
Sat. Sep. 12 - 5:00 pm	+In Myung Chung req. Kwon Family
Sun. Sep. 13 - 9:00 am	+Patrick Ward req. Mary Murphy
Sun. Sep. 13 - 10:30 am	Mass for All Parishioners
Sun. Sep. 13 - 12:00 noon	90 th Birthday Blessings — Cipriano Ladines

Weekly Collection

This past week's collection was \$8,686.71
(which includes PAG amount of \$3,360.46).
Thank you for your support and generosity.

New Bible Study starts September 14/15 James - Pearls for wise living

**Monday Mornings:
10:00 am to 12 Noon**

**Tuesday Evenings:
7:00 to 9:00 pm**

In-person or on ZOOM

**Cost: \$50 with Study Book
(special rate for first 40 registrants)**

**1. Register online
at www.olqw.com**

**2. Call Parish Office
to register at
905-884-7006**



Milk Bag mat weaving returns soon!

We invite everyone to join us for our next milk bag mat weaving session on **Saturday September 12** in the parish hall from **10:00 am to 2:00 pm**. Using milk bags, we create sleeping mats for our sisters and brothers who are in need. Our next sessions will be on: **October 10** and **November 21**.

Season of Creation

The annual event of **The Season of Creation** challenges the entire global Christian family to care for God's creation through prayer and action. In his message for the **11th World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation**, Pope Leo XIV, invites us "to prioritize development and sustainability over violence and destruction."



The Season of Creation begins on **September 1 (the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation)** and ends on **October 4** (the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of ecology). This year's theme is "**Living Water**" and the symbol is "**Immersion in Living Water**", inspired by Ezekiel 47: 9 and 12.

An introductory video and resources to observe this season at home, church and school may be found by visiting: <https://seasonofcreation.org>

Let us be united in prayer and work together to protect and preserve our resources and for responsible stewardship of the earth and sustainable living.

Joy-Filled Marriage

Preparation Program
September 14 to October 26

Getting Married next year?

Start your special journey together with a strong, faith-filled foundation through our **Joy-Filled Marriage Preparation Program**.

Over the course of 6 engaging sessions, you and your fiancé(e) will explore essential topics like communication, faith, and the sacrament of marriage. Join other engaged couples in a warm and supportive environment as you prepare for a lifetime of love and commitment.

Sessions: September 14, 21, 28 & October 5, 19, 26

Monday Evenings, 7:00 – 9:00 pm, OLQW Parish Hall
Registration Fee: \$275.00 per couple (includes learning materials and refreshments) - *Be sure to register early!*

Register online at: <https://www.olqw.com/joy-filled-marriage>

Take this beautiful step toward a lifetime of love and commitment. We look forward to walking this path with you!



Humanitarian Relief – Nepal & Colombia

Two significant natural disasters in recent days have resulted in tremendous loss of life, widespread destruction and the displacement of thousands of people in both Nepal and Colombia.



On August 26, catastrophic flash flooding and mudslides struck Nepal following a massive glacial and rock collapse near the Nepal-China border. Communities along the Bhotekoshi and Trishuli river systems have been devastated, with homes, roads, bridges and other critical infrastructure destroyed. Over 1,000 people have died and thousands remain missing as search, rescue and relief efforts continue.

Earlier this month, on August 10, a magnitude 7.4 earthquake struck western Colombia, with its epicentre near San José del Palmar. The earthquake caused widespread destruction across several regions of the country. Hundreds of people have died, thousands have been injured and hundreds of thousands of people have been affected. Homes, schools, health facilities and other essential infrastructure have sustained significant damage.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will accept donations for humanitarian relief efforts in Nepal and Colombia and will channel funds through trusted Catholic partners responding to the emergencies and assisting affected communities.

If you want to help you may do so in the following ways:

- **Online** through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- **By phone** through the Donations Processing Centre: **437-529-1287**
- **Through our parish**, using special envelopes, cheques payable to: **OLQW – Humanitarian Relief – Nepal or OLQW – Humanitarian Relief – Colombia**

Liturgy of The Word with CHILDREN



Resumes: September 19/20
Open to children (JK to Gr. 4)

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 9:00 am and 10:30 am Masses

We need more volunteers to help in our ministry.
We especially need youth assistants (Grade 8 and up).
Call the office (905-884-7006) if you want to volunteer.

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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