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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday at 12.05 pm Saturday at 9:00 am & 5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil) Sunday at 9:00 am & 11:00 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Friday at 11:00 am

FATIMA DEVOTION

Every 1st Saturday of the month following the 9:00 am Mass

LIVESTREAM MASS [English] www.olghtamilparish.com

Sunday at 11:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday at 11.30 am | Saturday at 4.30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm Susan Lee, Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

(Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, RCIA)
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OUR LADY OF GOOD HEALTH

Rev Fr Charles Collins, Pastor 416.264.6544 Sunday Masses at 12.30 & 4.30 pm (in Tamil)

Peace be with You

The life of the Christian disciple is one that should be filled with great peace. However, peace does not mean the absence of difficulties or trials. Rather, true peace is living in joy despite the turbulences we may experience. We're reminded in the Gospel that we can only receive this peace from Jesus. He tells us, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives".



How does the world give peace? The world tells us that if we have lots of money in the bank, the fancy car, the extravagant house and the perfect looks, then we will be at peace. It promotes peace as something that is achieved through exterior possessions or circumstances. However, what does the world offer us when difficulties arise? How does the world teach peace in the midst of tough financial situations or an unfavourable medical diagnoses? This is where the peace of Christ triumphs.

We can achieve a sense of interior peace despite the exterior sufferings when we fix our minds on things that are heavenly. We can always draw great strength from realizing our identity as beloved children of God. God loves us. This reality alone has the profound effect of easing the greatest of crosses. St. Teresa of Avila says, "Let nothing perturb you, nothing frighten you. All things pass. God does not change. Patience achieves everything". God is always faithful towards us. The next time we're in a moment that threatens to rob us of our peace, let us take a deep breath, call to mind the smiling gaze of Christ towards us, and pray, "Jesus I love you".

Summary

Jesus tell us "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives." The world promotes peace as something that is achieved through exterior possessions or circumstances yet it offers no remedy for times of great trial. On the other hand, with Jesus, the next time we're in a moment that threatens to rob us of our peace, let us take a deep breath, call to mind the smiling gaze of Christ towards us, and pray, "Jesus I love you".

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Monday, May 26th

12:05 pm In thanksgiving & intentions of Ricky Tillo on his birthday requested by Libby Tillo

Tuesday, May 27th

12:05 pm Intentions of Angela Cabral requested by Angela Cabral

Wednesday, May 28th

12:05 pm † Marlene Keyes requested by the Cruz family

Thursday, May 29th

12:05 pm † Marlene Keyes
requested by Rachel Lim

Friday, May 30th

12:05 pm Special intentions of Fred & Lorraine West

Saturday, May 31st

9:00 am † Christina Saavedra requested by Rose Galase

5:00 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday, June 1st The Ascension of the Lord

9:00 am

11:00 am † Dalisay Tecson on her 2nd yr. death anniversary *requested by the Sevilla family*

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

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- How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- How to create your own legacy
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

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"webinar June 7" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Feast day: May 31, 2025

What is the Visitation story?

Visitation, the visit, described in the Gospel According to Luke (1:39–56), made by the Virgin Mary, pregnant with Jesus, to her cousin Elizabeth, who was pregnant with St. John the Baptist. At the sound of Mary's greeting, the Elizabeth felt her baby leap in her womb.



What are the four values that Mary manifested in the story of the Visitation?

Fraternal Charity by Mary. Obedience of Mary. Gratitude by Mary. Justice & Praise by Elizabeth.

What did Mary say at the Visitation?

Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled." And Mary said: "My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior.

What mystery is the Visitation of Mary?

The Second Joyful Mystery is The Visitation. Mary goes to visit her cousin Elizabeth to tell her how happy she is that she is going to have a baby. Elizabeth's baby is John the Baptist.

What can we learn from the Visitation of Mary?

By her visit to Elizabeth, Mary reminds us that mission begins not in actions and words, but by bearing Christ to others within ourselves as living tabernacles. Mary testifies to the primary importance of simply carrying Jesus even before there are words or deeds to show him and explain him.

What is the significance of the Visitation of Mary? The Visitation: Reminding of Us of Our Joy in Christ.



Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him and we will come to Him. How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life? If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org



Alice Warford of Immaculate Heart of Mary, Catholic Women's League, receiving her award at Catholic Women's Convention of the Archdiocese of Toronto.

The award is a great honour and reflects her leadership and service to the League and to the Church. It is the Patricia Beattie Mentoring Award and the recipient is chosen from nominations from across the Archdiocese.



This award is given to recognize someone who welcomes and mentors others and shares her knowledge and experience to provide leadership and support. Alice was recognized for her mentorship at the parish level and at the diocesan level where for many years she has served in various capacities and in the music ministry.

Frequently Asked Questions on Plenary Indulgences during the JUBILEE YEAR continued ...

What are the specifications to obtain the Jubilee Indulgence by practising works of mercy?

One may participate in either a popular mission, spiritual exercises, formation activities on the documents of Vatican II and the Catechism of the Catholic Church, or by following the usual spiritual, sacramental and prayer conditions, the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, which are: feed the hungry; give drink to the thirsty; clothe the naked; welcome the stranger; heal the sick; visit the imprisoned; bury the dead; counsel the doubtful; instruct the ignorant; admonish sinners; comfort the afflicted; forgive offenses; bear patiently those who do us ill; pray for the living and the dead.

What are the specifications for penance?

- Rediscover the penitential nature of Friday;
- Abstain from futile distractions and superfluous consumption;
- Donate a proportionate sum of money to the poor;
- Support works of a religious or social nature (e.g. defense and protection of life);
- Support efforts for quality of life of abandoned children, young people in difficulty, the lonely, elderly and migrants;
- Dedicate free time to voluntary activities in the community.

Source: Catechetical Resource on Plenary Indulgences during the Jubilee Year (Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops) found at cccb.ca.





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