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Rev. Fr. Canisius Raj, Pastor



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]
https://www.youtube.com/@olghtamilparish/streams
Sunday at 11:00 am

CONFESSIONS
Monday to Friday at 11:30 am | Saturday at 4:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS
Monday to Friday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm
Susan Lee, Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
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OUR LADY OF GOOD HEALTH PARISH
Rev. Fr. Canisius Raj, Pastor: 416.264.6544
Sunday Masses at 12:30 & 4:30 pm (in Tamil)

1st Reading: Wisdom 6.12-16
2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4.13-18
Gospel: Matthew 25.1-13 – The Parable of the Ten Bridesmaids

Living with a Holy Fear
In today's Gospel we hear the parable of the ten bridesmaids in which only the five wise ones who had prepared for the wedding banquet were allowed to enter into the celebration. Jesus ends this parable with the exhortation to "keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour." It is true that none of us know the time of our own death or Christ's Final Judgement. While this reality can lead many to fear and trembling, the Catechism instead calls us to cultivate a "holy fear" and a "blessed hope" (CCC 1041). We can cultivate those attitudes by intentionally calling to mind the finiteness of our lives and remembering that we are all ultimately made for Heaven. This reality is beautifully summarized in the words of St. Rose of Viterbo. "Live so as not to fear death. For those who live well in the world, death is not frightening but sweet and precious." Let us also remember that during our judgment before God we will be standing before the same Lord that we have befriended through prayer and the sacraments. Let us not appear before the throne of God not having first known Him in this life. As stewards, we should live with our feet planted on earth but our eyes fixed heavenward. The Lord has ordained it in such a way that we are still called to serve and love Him in this life but let us never forget our true home. Let us prepare ourselves well.

Summary
While the thought of death and judgement can lead many to fear and trembling the Catechism instead calls us to cultivate a "holy fear" and a "blessed hope" (CCC 1041). St. Rose of Viterbo says that we should "live so as not to fear death. For those who live well in the world, death is not frightening but sweet and precious." As stewards let us strive to prepare for death by remembering that we will stand before the same Lord at judgement that we meet every day in prayer and at Mass.

LOONIE TOONIE SUNDAY
World Day of the Poor



On Sunday November 15, 2026, the St Vincent de Paul society will be at all the entrances of the church collecting loonies and toonies to help support the neighbours in need that they care for. Please be supportive of this important work.

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 9

12:05 pm † John Amirthanathar, ***requested by Maureen Rajadurai***

Tuesday, November 10

12:05 pm † In remembrance of Fidelito Sanchez on his 2nd death anniversay, *requested by Tess Fernandez & Family*

Wednesday, November 11

12:05 pm †Ramon & Belen Bedana, *requested by Leo & Virgie Luzano*

Thursday, November 12

12:05 pm †Emmanuel Estanislo *requested by the Sevilla Family*

Friday, November 13

12:05 pm † Joel & Alejandro Belcero, *requested by Josephine Schad*

Saturday, November 14

9:00 am † Crispin Sabatin on his 7th death anniversary, *requested by Arcelie Bautista*
5:00 pm † Lorenza Erlinda Torres on her birthday remembrance, *requested by Tess Fernandez & Family*

Sunday, November 15

9:00 am †Timothy David De Souza, *requested by Nereza Frias & Sonia Javier*
11:00 am † Luis Garcia on his first death anniversary, *requested by Avelina Garcia & Family*



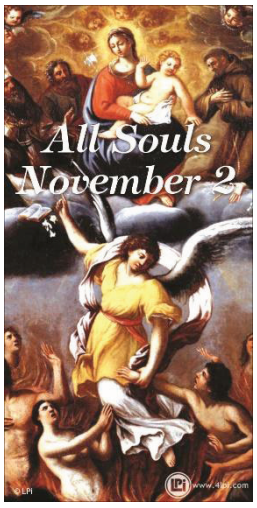
Your weekly offering for Sunday October 25, 2026

Envelope:	$1663.00
Loose:	$ 630.00
PAG:	$ 353.23
Total:	$2.646.23

Catholic Women's League News

The Ladies of the Catholic Women's League invite you to become a member. They will be hosting their membership drive on the last weekend of November. Be sure to speak to one of the ladies about the many benefits the League has to offer. Membership is only $35.00 a year but the sisterhood you gain is priceless.

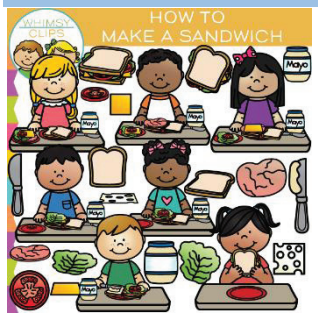
REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



During the entire month of November, a book of remembrance will be on display at the front of the Church sanctuary. You are invited to record the names of the deceased you wish to remember. Special "All Souls Day Remembrance" offering envelopes are available for your convenience, and your offering can be placed in the donation box located on the table near the book.
Also, during the month of November remember to say the prayer for Holy Souls in Purgatory by St. Gertrude.

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.

CLUB SANDWICH



Please join the Catholic Women's League in supporting Club Sandwich on Wednesday November 18th at 7pm for a night of sandwich making in the church basement.
Club Sandwich makes sandwiches for 9 local east end Toronto Missions to serve the homeless and food insecure.
All are welcome!
If you are unable to attend but would like to donate to help defray the cost of the supplies, you can put your donation in our jar at the entrance of the church.
Hope to see many of you there.

ESTATE PLANNING

Making your wishes known for your funeral arrangements ahead of time is very important step in making things easier for your loved ones when the time comes.
The Archdiocese of Toronto has made a beautiful card that you can put with you will stating that in lieu of flowers for your funeral you would prefer a donation be made to your parish, The Shepherd's Trust or St. Augustine Seminary. These cards are available on the information rack at the entrance of the Church. There are also pamphlets available to make the actual donations. Please consider using these options.

RED WEDNESDAY

Wear Red, Speak Up, Defend Religious Freedom – November 18

Red Wednesday 2026 will be observed on November 18, uniting Canadians in prayer and action. Since its first official event in the UK in 2016, the initiative has grown with events now taking place in more than 20 countries. In Toronto, which has hosted Red Wednesday since 2018, a Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica by Bishop Vincent Nguyen, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto. The Cathedral's facade will be lit red as in previous years. Attend the Mass, organize a Rosary, host a prayer vigil, light a building in red, or wear red in solidarity. Share online with #RedWednesday2026. More info: acn-canada.org/red-wednesday or contact Evellyne Lemos at el@acn-canada.org. An ACN Canada initiative with the support of the Archdiocese of Toronto.



ORDINANDI DINNER 2027

The 37th Annual Ordinandi Dinner, hosted by the six Serra Clubs in the Archdiocese of Toronto, will be held on Tuesday,March 9, 2027, 5 p.m. at the Pearson Convention Center. The Ordinandi Dinner honors the Transitional Deacons who resided at St. Augustine's Seminary or the Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary and, God willing, will be ordained to the priesthood in 2027.
Tickets for this dinner are $110.00 per person, and are on a first come first serve basis. This is always a sold out event.

SHEPHERD'S TRUST 2026

We will have a second collection on the weekend of November 14/15 for the Shepherd's Trust.
The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to raise awareness and collect funds so that elderly priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry.
The Trust supports the needs of retired clergy in the Archdiocese of Toronto who have served for many years. Through our support of The Shepherds' Trust, retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years.
For more information about The Shepherds' Trust and to view this year's feature video, please visit: www.shepherdstrust.org.

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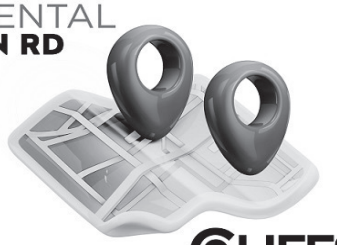
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