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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
(Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, RCIA)
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Selva S.: 647.656.0846

LEGION OF MARY
Br. Joseph Douris: 416.691.6968

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
Alice Warford: 416.453.3965

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL
416.393.5272

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

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading: Proverbs 31.10-13, 16-18, 20, 26, 28-31+
2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5.1-6
Gospel: Matthew 25.14-30 – The Parable of the Talents

Entering into our Master's Joy

"Well done, good and trustworthy slave; enter into the joy of your master." These are the beautiful words that all of us long to hear after a life of following Christ. The parable of the talents is often seen as the classical parable on stewardship. Let us take some time reflecting on it more deeply today. Cardinal Collins comments on this parable in his Pastoral Letter on Stewardship* saying, "As good stewards, we are meant to use God's gift fruitfully and creatively, so that with true gratitude for what we have received we may return God's gifts to Him with increase." The key word in that sentence is increase. Although the third slave did not waste or squander the talents or gifts he had received, the Master did not utter that beautiful phrase to him. The third slave did not work to create an increase of his goods. Stewardship always remains as an active way of life. If we want to hear those beautiful words at our judgement, we must live in such a way that fully embraces the spirituality of stewardship. How well are we using our gifts for the glory of God and the Church? Let us not be passive in our service but seek ways to be used as an instrument of God. Let us start with prayer and move into acts of charity. We can serve in our parish community whether it be joining various ministries or helping people in need. This weekend let us renew our commitment to serving Christ. Summary "Well done, good and trustworthy slave; enter into the joy of your master" are the beautiful words that all of us long to hear after a life of following Christ. If we want to hear that spoken to us at our judgement, we must live in such a way that fully embraces the spirituality of stewardship. Let us ask ourselves, how well are we using our gifts for the glory of God and the Church?

2026-2027 SUNDAY MISSALS ARE NOW AVAILABLEAT THE GIFT SHOP FOR $5.00 EACH. QUANTITIES ARE LIMITED!!.

Your weekly offering for Sunday November 1, 2026

Envelope:	$1813.00
Loose:	$ 491.60
PAG/other:	$ 453.23
Repair:	$470.00
Total:	$3227.83

Registration for Sacramental Preparation

Registration is still open for Reconcilaition, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Registation forms and information sheets are available on the parish website for downloading or at the parish office. We will not accept registrations after December 20, 2026.

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 16

12:05 pm ✝ Ross McMillan, *requested by his wife Evangeline*

Tuesday, November 17

12:05 pm ✝ Antonio Barbara, *requested by his wife Giovanna & Family*

Wednesday, November 18

9:45 am School Mass
12:05 pm ✝ Mrs. Petsy D'Souza on her 10th death anniversary, *requested by The D'Souza Family*

Thursday, November 19

12:05 pm ✝ Alberto Manalac on his death anniversary, *requested by The Llarenas Family.*

Friday, November 20

12:05 pm Birthday Thanksgiving for Edgar & Josephine, *requested by Josephine Schad*

Saturday, November 21

9:00 am ✝Noel Pereira, *requested by Maria D'Souza*
5:00 pm For the Protection of Unborn Children, *requested by Masses for Life Project*

Sunday, November 22

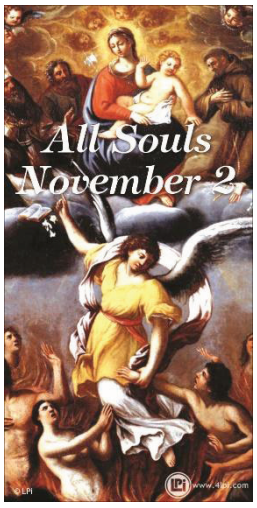
9:00 am For the People of the Parish
11:00 am ✝ Mr. Louis Smardenkas., *requested by the Sevilla Family*



St. Michael's Choir School presents
Joyeux Noel! A Canadian Christmas at Massey Hall.

This Christmas, experience the wonder of the season through the music of Canada's finest composers and arrangers. ***Joyeux Noel! A Canadian Christmas*** *is a stirring celebration of the Nativity, showcasing a rich tapestry of sacred choral masterworks, beloved carols, and newly imagined Christmas favourites, all crafted by Canadian musical voices from across the country and from within the distinguished tradition of St. Michael's Choir School.* Tickets are now available at www. masseyhall.com. Please use Promo Code: MAPLE. For ticket information, please call the Massey Hall Box Office at 416-872-4255.

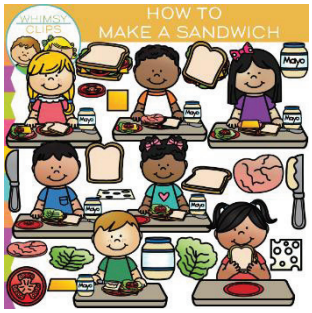
REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED



During the entire month of November, a book of remembrances 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.

Mass to Remember our Faithful Departed will take place on Monday November 30 at 7pm. Please join us to remember those who have gone before us especially those in the last year.

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.



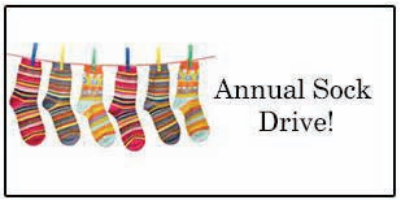
Adopt a Family 2026

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is inviting parishioners to participate in the "Adopt a Family" program. The program aims to bring the Christmas experience to families in our community. If you choose to adopt, you will be given a short description f the family in need, and we ask you to purchase a gift and or gift cards for the family. The gift cards will help families prepare for the Christmas season by giving them a chance to purchase presents and food for the holidays. If you are interested in adopting a family this Christmas, please email SVDP at ihmsacarborough.svdp@gmail.com or call us at 647-428-2880 by November 30, 2026. **Thank you for supporting our families and SVDP. God Bless!**

SVDP Christmas Assistance

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a Catholic organization whose mission is to live the Gospel message by serving Christ through our neighbours in need with love, respect, justice and joy. Our Society is hoping to bring the love and joy this Christmas season to individuals and families who may find themselves in challenging circumstnces this season. If you or your family are interestd in receiving assistance during the Christmas season, please contact SVDP for more information, call us at 647-428-2880 before December 4, 2026.





The Catholic Women's League will be holding it's annual **SOCK DRIVE** in support of the St. Vincent de Paul Society to help supply socks at Chistmas to their neighbours in need. Baskets will be provided at the eentrance of the Church for you to drop off your donation from Monday, November 23rd until Tuesaday 8th .

Thank you for supporting this project!

Faith in Action: Join The Catholic Women's League

When you join the Catholic Women's League, you become part of a sisterhood of faith-filled women making a difference in their parishes, their communities, and the world.
Membership in the CWL offers friendship, faith, and purpose. Together, we grow spiritually, support one another, and put our faith into action through service and advocacy. Whether you're drawn to community outreach, social justice, or simply seeking a sense of belonging among like-minded women, there's a place for you here.

Your Voice Matters

Faith in action takes many forms. No matter your season of life or how much time you can give, there's a place for you in the League. From active leadership to quiet prayer, each role strengthens our collective voice for justice, compassion, and hope. Membeship fees are $35.00 a year. Ladies will be available on the weekend of November 28/29 to take your membership and to answer any questions yu may have.

RED WEDNESDAY

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

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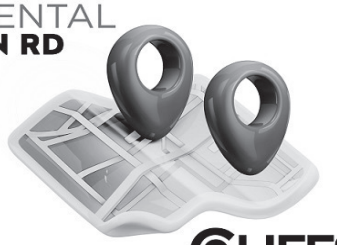
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