

# ST. ROCH'S CHURCH

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## Missionaries of the Precious Blood

Rev. Jerome Hologa, C.P.P.S. - Administrator

Mrs. Julie Swinimer - Parish Secretary

Office Hours: Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.)

### WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

Everyone is encouraged to be active in the spiritual & social functions of our church community by participating in parish life as an official member. Please fill out a registration form by contacting the parish office at 416-749-0328 Mondays to Friday from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm.

You can also visit our website and click on the "Join Us" tab to fill out a registration form and email to the parishoffice.



**Saturday Mass:** 5:00 p.m. (English)

**Sunday Masses:** In English – 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

**Confessions:** 4:00-5:00 p.m. – Every Saturday.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Monday-Wednesday-Friday from 8:30 am - 11:30 am (chapel)

Every First Friday: 8:30 am - 6:30 pm in the church

Every 3rd Wednesday from 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm in the church

**Baptisms:** 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month.

Parent of child to contact parish office

**Baptism Classes:** 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Parents and Godparents are most welcomed.

**Marriages:** By appointment, one year in advance.

**Weekday Masses:** Morning: English: 8:00 a.m. Mon, Wed & Friday  
(9:00 a.m. on Saturday)

Italian: 8:00 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday

**Memorial Masses:** Tuesday & Wednesday at 7 pm (by request)

**Sick Calls:** Contact the parish office

**Catholic Women's League:** Meetings are the 2nd Tuesdays of every month at 7:00 p.m., (September-June)

**Knights Of Columbus:** Meetings are every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm (September - June)

### Ministry Contacts

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Rosetta Sampogna 905-856-6353

#### Catholic Cemeteries

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#### Catholic Women's League

St. Roch Church office

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#### Children's Liturgy & Sacramental Prep

Gina Tramonte

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#### Finances

Louis Edwards

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#### Knights Of Columbus

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#### Organist/Musicians

Orlando Innocentes

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#### Prayer Group

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Lina Pasut (Italian)

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#### St. Roch Parish Advisory Council

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#### St. Vincent de Paul

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#### Parish Schools

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Venerable John Merlini School

416-393-5397

**Messe Domenicali:** in Italiano – 10:30 a.m.

**Confessioni:** 4:00-5:00 p.m. – Ogni Sabato.

**Battesimi:** Ogni Prima e Terza domenica.

**Matrimoni:** Con appuntamento, un anno in anticipo.

**Messe Feriali:** Mattina: Inglese: 8:00 a.m. Lunedì, Mercoledì e Venerdì (9:00 a.m. Sabato)

Italiano: 8:00 a.m. Martedì e Giovedì

**Messe Memoriale:** Martedì e Mercoledì alle 7:00 pm (a richiesta)

**Chiamate Per Ammalati:** Chiamate l'ufficio parrocchiale

**La Lega Delle Donne Cattoliche:** Ogni 2do martedì del mese alle ore 7:00 p.m. (Settembre a Giugno)

**I Cavalieri Di Colombo:** Ogni 3ro mercoledì del mese alle ore 7:00 pm (Settembre a Giugno)

**Gruppo Di Preghiera:** Ogni Lunedì alle 7:00 pm nella cappella Preghiera nello Spirito ore 8:00 p.m. Riunione nella Sala Parrocchiale



## Sunday, June 7, 2026

### Body and Blood of Christ

"Praise the Lord, Jerusalem"

Psalm 147

Mass  for  
Intentions  Week

#### Monday, June 8, 2026

8:00 am Intention of the presider

#### Tuesday, June 9, 2026

8:00 am Paolo & Angelina Ianni

#### Wednesday, June 10, 2026

8:00 am Felicissima Azoque Marasigan

#### Thursday, June 11, 2026

8:00 am Michele Coviello & Rosa Palma

#### Friday, June 12, 2026

8:00 am Primo Reginato

#### Saturday, June 13, 2026

9:00 am Antonio Scaglione

5:00 pm Pro Popolo

#### Sunday, June 14, 2026

9:00 am Carlos & Alzira Padinha &  
Norberto Vieira

10:30 am Antonio Fielli  
Antonietta Tino  
Angelo Fiourucci e famiglia

Cesino & Angela Ciavarro  
Michele Durante e defunti  
Antonio & Giovanna Corvinelli  
Ida & Ernesto Salerno

12:00 pm Virgilio E. Martinez Sr.

### SUNDAY OFFERING



Sunday, May 31, 2026..... \$3,458.05  
Sharelife - 3<sup>rd</sup> Collection..... \$4,845.00

**Thank you for your continued support !**

### †REST IN PEACE†

Please remember in your prayers, **Ivy Stanley and Juanita Inocentes**, who passed away recently. *Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord. May they rest in peace. Amen.*

### BAPTIZED & WELCOMED INTO OUR FAMILY OF FAITH



Valentina Foggia  
Sofia Resano

### WEDDINGS



We ask you to keep in prayer the following couple  
who will be married here June 27

**Antonio Tangonan**  
**Sabrina Mangiapane**

## Domenica, 7 Giugno, 2026

### Santissimo Corpo e Sangue Di Cristo

"Loda il Signore, Gerusalemme"

Sal 147

### UN ROSA PER LA VITA



Aiuta i Cavalieri di Colombo a proteggere la vita umana...**il 6 e 7 Giugno giugno e il 13 e 14 giugno**, i Cavalieri venderanno delle rose. Vi si chiede un'offerta di \$2.00 o \$3.00, se e' possibile. Offerta inviata all'Associazione a difesa della Vita.

### RITIRO ANNUALE DEI SACERDOTI

8-12 giugno 2026



Si prega di notare che Padre Jerome sarà assente dalla settimana dall'8 al 12 giugno per il suo ritiro religioso annuale con i Missionari del Preziosissimo Sangue. Un altro sacerdote celebrerà la messa delle 8:00 di mattina durante la sua assenza. Si prega inoltre di notare che non ci saranno messe serali né adorazione eucaristica quotidiana in cappella durante questa settimana. L'ufficio parrocchiale rimarrà aperto dalle 9:00 alle 16:00 (dal lunedì al venerdì).

### RIUNIONE GENERALI

**LEGA DELLE DONNE CATTOLICHE:** Martedì 9 giugno, inizio ore 19:00 con preghiere seguite da una breve riunione nella sala parrocchiale, con gioco del bingo e rinfreschi.

**CAVALIERI DI COLOMBO:** Mercoledì 17 giugno, ore 19:00, nella sala parrocchiale.

(Nota: Queste sono le ultime riunioni prima della pausa estiva. Le riunioni riprenderanno a settembre)

### MESSA E BENEDIZIONE

#### IN ONORE DI SANT'ANTONIO

**Sabato 13 giugno - Cimitero Regina del Cielo**



I Cimiteri Cattolici e i Servizi Funebrì dell'Arcidiocesi di Toronto vi invitano a partecipare alla Messa in onore di Sant'Antonio il **13 giugno alle ore 14:30 presso il Cimitero Regina del Cielo (Cappella Principale - Mausoleo di Sant'Antonio)**. Al termine della Messa, si terrà la Benedizione con la Reliquia di Sant'Antonio e la distribuzione del Pane di Sant'Antonio. Tutti sono benvenuti!



As we begin to feel the warmth of summer, we can reflect that we celebrate the feasts of the Corpus Christi (June 7), the Sacred Heart of Jesus (June 12), the Immaculate Heart of Mary (June 13), Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist (June 24) and the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul (June 29). God is

Love and the Sacred Heart of Jesus — present on earth in the Blessed Sacrament — is the human manifestation of God's Love for men. Appropriately June is considered the month for weddings where human hearts join and cooperate with the Creator in bringing forth new life. The family they create is a human reflection of the Blessed Trinity.

### ANNUAL PRIESTS' RETREAT June 8-12, 2026



Please note that Fr. Jerome will be away the week of June 8 - 12 for his annual religious retreat with Missionaries of the Precious Blood. Another priest will be here to

celebrate our 8 am morning mass during his absence.

**Note that there will be no evening masses or daily adoration in the chapel during this week.**

The parish office will remain open from 9 am - 4 pm (Monday to Friday).

### GENERAL MEETINGS

**(Note: These are the last meetings prior to the summer break. Meetings will resume again in September)**

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: Tuesday, June 9** beginning at 7:00 pm with prayers followed by brief meeting in the parish hall together with Bingo and light refreshments.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Wednesday, June 17** at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.



### BIBLE STUDY WITH FR. JEROME Exploring the Gospels

Please note that there will be no bible study on **Thursday, June 11** as Fr. Jerome will be away on retreat. We will advise date for the next Bible Study in next week's bulletin.

### ROSES FOR LIFE



This weekend and **next weekend, June 13 & 14**, after all the masses, the Knights of Columbus will be on hand to sell their roses, pins and t-shirts. Buy a rose and display it on your jacket lapel or purse to show that you support the Right to Life! Be generous so that babies may live. All proceeds donated to Pro Life movements. (Note: cash payments only).

### MARYGROVE CAMP SPECIAL COLLECTION June 13 & 14



The weekend of June 13 & 14, across the archdiocese, there will be a second collection for Marygrove girls' camp run by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Each year, over 1,000 young girls whose families are struggling with financial or domestic hardship enjoy a joyful camping experience.

Each camper's holiday is fully subsidized through the generous support of parishioners. Thank you for your generosity.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CLOTHING DRIVE June 27 & 28



Please let those gently used items that you can do without benefit our neighbours in need! The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a not for profit charity whose volunteer members collect **clothing, shoes, linen and small household goods** to donate, exchange for vouchers or sell in order to support our works of charity. Please tie your donation bags for easier handling. **There will be a truck in the church parking lot the weekend of June 27 & 28 to collect your used items.** Thank you for your support!

### MASS AND BLESSING IN HONOUR OF ST. ANTHONY Saturday, June 13 - Queen of Heaven Cemetery



Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto invite you to attend a Mass in honour of St. Anthony on **June 13 at 2:30 pm at Queen of Heaven Cemetery (Main Chapel - St. Anthony's Mausoleum)**. Following the Mass, there will be a Blessing with the Relic of St. Anthony and the distribution of St. Anthony Bread. For more info call: 905-851-5822. **All are welcome!**

### NEW ENCYCLICAL RELEASED BY POPE LEO XIV *Magnifica Humanitas*



Pope Leo XIV has released his first encyclical, **Magnifica Humanitas** ("Magnificent Humanity"), reflecting on human dignity, Christian solidarity, and the moral challenges of our modern age — including the growing influence of artificial intelligence and emerging technologies. The Holy Father calls on all of humanity to ensure that technological progress always serves the human person and the common good. Parishioners are encouraged to read and pray with this important new teaching document in the weeks ahead. The full text is available through the Archdiocese of Toronto website at: [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org).

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