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Missionaries of the Precious Blood

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

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

416-733-8544

Catholic Women's League

St. Roch Church office

416-749-0328

Children's Liturgy & Sacramental Prep

Gina Tramonte

647-274-2111

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416-740-8605

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416-419-6418

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Lina Pasut (Italian)

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416-749-0328

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St. Roch's Church

416-749-0328

St. Roch Parish Advisory Council

416-749-0328

St. Vincent de Paul

437-455-7787

Parish Schools

St. Roch's School

416-393-5320

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 3rzo 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, August 23, 2026

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"Your are Peter, and on this rock
I will build my church"*

Mt 16.18

Mass  for
Intentions  Week

Monday, August 24, 2026

8:00 am Slamel Fahart (living)

Tuesday, August 25, 2026

8:00 am Fr. Luciano Baiocchi, C.PP.S.

7:00 pm Caterina Dirracolo (memorial)

Wednesday, August 26, 2026

8:00 am Fr. Phillip Smith, C.PP.S.

7:00 pm Rocco Craparella (memorial)

Thursday, August 27, 2026

8:00 am Felice De Santis e

Defunti Famiglie De Santis e Cotugno

Friday, August 28, 2026

8:00 am Giuseppe Giannace

Saturday, August 29, 2026

9:00 am Jeffrey Utulu (living)

5:00 pm Pro Popolo

Sunday, August 30, 2026

9:00 am Jeffrey Utulu (living)

10:30 am Maria Colalillo

Gino Rossetti

Rosina e Dorindo Gravina

Filomeno e Pasquale Gabriele

Maria, Paolo e Antonio Selvaggio

Raffaele Moscillo

Luigia e Angelo Ferri

Salvatore Lotito

12:00 pm Ludovina Couto

SUNDAY OFFERING



Sunday, August 16.....\$3,829.00

Canadian Missions.....\$1,310.00

Thank you for your continued support !

†REST IN PEACE†

Please remember in your prayers, **Maria Bortolussi** who passed away recently. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. May perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.*

**BAPTIZED & WELCOMED INTO OUR
FAMILY OF FAITH**



Liam Hong
Levi Nguyen

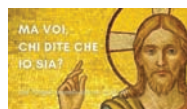
Domenica, 23 Agosto , 2026

XXI Domenica Del Tempo Ordinario

"Signore, il tuo amore è per sempre."

Sal 137

"Voi chi dite che io sia?"



Non possiamo più rifugiarsi dietro ad opinioni di altri, siano essi teologi o conduttori di dibattiti televisivi. Gesù vuole la nostra risposta personale.

Dobbiamo prendere posizione personalmente nei suoi confronti. È quello che succede con l'atto di fede. Gesù lancia una sfida a ogni uomo e a ogni donna direttamente e personalmente: "Tu, chi dici che io sia?"

La nostra risposta possa essere quella di Pietro: "Tu sei il Cristo, il figlio del Dio vivente". La nostra risposta possa essere quella della Chiesa, che fu fondata da Cristo su Pietro come su una pietra, affinché il "credo" diventasse un "crediamo": Crediamo in Dio, Padre onnipotente..., in un solo Signore Gesù Cristo, unigenito Figlio di Dio..., per opera dello Spirito Santo... incarnato nel seno della Vergine Maria.

(Lachiesa.it)

FESTA DI SAN ROCCO



Ringraziamo il nostro comitato per la festa Di San Rocco per l'instancabile impegno profuso nell'organizzazione della festa di quest'anno e ringraziamo tutti i nostri volontari e tutti coloro che hanno partecipato. Ringraziamo anche tutti i nostri sponsor che hanno contribuito finanziariamente al nostro evento annuale. **Che Dio, per intercessione di San Rocco, continui a benedirci tutti!**

INSTALLAZIONE DI PADRE JEROME -

IL NOSTRO NUOVO PARROCO

Domenica 30 agosto, 2026

Vescovo Ivan Camelleri sarà tra noi per l'insediamento di Padre Jerome come nostro nuovo parroco domenica, 30 agosto alla Messa di mezzogiorno. Unitevi a noi e assistete all'insediamento mentre ci rallegriamo nell'accogliere il nostro nuovo pastore. I parrocchiani sono invitati nella sala parrocchiale dopo la Messa di mezzogiorno per un rinfresco e l'opportunità di salutare il Vescovo.

SHARELIFE

Finora abbiamo raccolto \$28,742.80 (87%) del nostro obiettivo di \$33,000.00. Vi invitiamo a contribuire presso la parrocchia utilizzando una busta ShareLife, online tramite il sito web della parrocchia oppure su sharelife.org/donate.



ANNUAL FEAST OF ST. ROCH

Thank you to all who attended our St. Roch feast celebrations last weekend. Special thank you to our volunteers, and in particular, our feast committee, for all their tireless efforts in organizing this year's vigil dinner and Sunday feast day. We also thank all of our sponsors who provided financial contributions or raffle prizes to support our annual event.

May God, through the intercession of St. Roch, continue to bless us all!

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Wine Basket.....	Andrew White
Plate Basket.....	Toni Canale Parra
Italian Cookie Basket.....	Nerissa
Wine & Cheese Basket.....	Lou Edwards
Big Italian Basket.....	Nerissa

FR. JEROME'S INSTALLATION AS PASTOR **Sunday, August 30 at the 12 Noon Mass**



Bishop Ivan Camelleri will be among us for the installation of Fr. Jerome as Pastor. Please join us as we celebrate and witness the installation. Parishioners are invited to the parish hall after the Noon Mass for refreshments.

SHARELIFE

Thus far, we have raised **\$28,742.80 (87%)** toward our goal of \$33,000.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

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