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Saturday, Sunday & Holidays - OFFICE IS CLOSED



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Fr. JOSE GABRIEL Forero Martinez, c.s. (Pastor)

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WEEKDAYS MASSES:

Weekdays: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (English)
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (English)
10:00 a.m. (Italian)
11:30 a.m. (English)
1:00 p.m. (English)
2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,
only 3rd Sunday of the Month)
4:00 p.m. (English)
6:00 p.m. (Misa en espanol)

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St. Catherine of Siena School	905-277-2448
St. Timothy School	905-277-0990
Mary Fix School	905-270-3140
Fr. Daniel Zanon School	905-279-3722

**"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35
"Out of many we are one in Christ."**

BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:

Saturday - *Sabado*: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

MARRIAGES - BODAS:

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

RCIA- RICA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation)
Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental)
Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY- SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usted y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.

The Solemnity of Christ the King helps us see Jesus as a different kind of king. He does not rule with force or seek power for himself. His kingdom is based on love, mercy, and sacrifice.

Not What They Expected

The Solemnity of Christ the King reminds us that Jesus was not the king people expected. Many hoped for a strong leader who would free them from Roman rule. Jesus did not come as a warrior. He came as a servant, preaching love and forgiveness.

In the Gospel, the rulers and soldiers mocked Jesus as he hung on the cross. They challenged him to save himself if he was truly the King. They expected a king who would use power to escape suffering. But Jesus showed his kingship in a different way. He accepted the cross and forgave those who hurt him.

Following Jesus means trusting in God, even when life is hard. It means loving others, even when it costs us something. Jesus shows us that true freedom comes from giving ourselves to God and serving others.

God's Kingdom is Eternal

The Solemnity of Christ the King reminds us that Jesus' kingdom will never end. Earthly rulers rise and fall, but Jesus is King forever. His kingdom is built on peace, justice, and love.

In the first reading, the people of Israel anointed David as their king. His rule was important, but it was temporary. All human leaders eventually pass away, and their kingdoms change. But Jesus is not just a human king. He is the ruler of all creation, and his reign has no end.

His kingdom is not of this world, but it is real and lasting. When we follow Him, we become part of something greater than anything this world can offer.

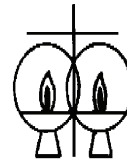
Jesus Offers Mercy

The Solemnity of Christ the King shows us that Jesus is a king of mercy. He does not rule with fear or punishment. He rules with kindness and forgiveness. He invites everyone into his kingdom, no matter their past.

In the Gospel, two criminals were crucified with Jesus. One insulted him, but the other defended him. The second criminal admitted his guilt and asked Jesus to remember him. Jesus did not reject him. Instead, he promised him a place in paradise.

Jesus welcomes those who seek him. He does not ask for great achievements or perfect lives. He asks for faith and trust. He does not force us in. He invites us with love. His mercy is for everyone who accepts him as King.

*Today's reflection is attributed to
young-catholics.com*



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Nov. 22, 2025

St. Cecilia

8:00am Thanksgiving from Joseph Koshy

6:00pm + Joaquim Silva

Sunday, Nov. 23

Christ the King

8:30am + Maria & Domenico Iannicca

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Amy Grant, Walter, David, Doris &

Olvin Burns

4:00pm + Maria Pietroiusti

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES

MULTIPLES

Monday, Nov. 24 **St. Andrew Dung-Lac & companions**

8:00am + Cesare Lombardi

7:00pm + Armando Mastrantoni

Tuesday, Nov. 25 **St. Catherine of Alexandria**

8:00am + Rod Gaudette

7:00pm + Deceased of D'Souza Family

Wednesday, Nov. 26

8:00am + Lily Mary D'Souza

6:00pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, Nov. 27

8:00am + Amado & Aurora Arellano

7:00pm + Amalia Aiello

Friday, Nov. 28 **Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:00am + Joaquim Teotonio

7:00pm + Beatriz Gonzalez, Ramon Que,

Anatilde Garcia & Neftali Vanegas

Saturday, Nov. 29

8:00am Living & deceased of Muscat & Portelli

Families

6:00pm + Cletus Castelino

Sunday, Nov. 30

First Sunday of Advent

8:30am + Peter Nguyen Van Dau

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Francesca Turchiaro

4:00pm + Adnan Zohrob

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

"FAMILIA MISIONERA". Reunión de formación y oración, todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30 pm en el salón parroquial "Fr. Zanon". Es una oportunidad para crecer, afianzar, dar a conocer y defender la Fe siguiendo las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica.

"RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA". Igualmente todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30 pm en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini" tenemos asamblea de oración y alabanza. Bienvenidos todos los que deseen participar en los encuentros de esta corriente de gracia dentro de nuestra Iglesia Católica.

"CENA BAILABLE DE NAVIDAD". Se realizará el Sábado 29 de Noviembre (7:00 pm - 11:30 pm) en el Salón Principal parroquial, para recolectar fondos para nuestra parroquia. La boleta de entrada (\$50) incluye la cena, el baile y una rifa. Las boletas se estarán vendiendo los domingos al final de la Santa Misa en Español de las 6:00 pm, o en la oficina parroquial. Para mayor información favor llamar a los teléfonos: 416-889-0806 y 905-272-1454.

"CANTO DE LAS MAÑANITAS". El Viernes 12 de Diciembre (6:00 am) el grupo musical "Catalina" cantará las "MAÑANITAS" a la Virgen de Guadalupe en el templo.

"FIESTA NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE". El Domingo 14 de Diciembre Después de la Santa Misa habrá un compartir social en el salón parroquial "Principal". El valor de la boleta de entrada es de \$10 (adultos) y \$5 (niños) hay cupos limitados. Entradas disponibles en la oficina.

SHARE LIFE Your gift will double in value! From November 3rd until year end, your contribution to our parish's Sharelife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor. Thus far we have raised \$41,935.00 toward our goal of \$54,500.00. Please give at the parish, or at sharelife.org/donate.

St Vincent Giving Tree Campaign is located at the front of the church near the Baptismal font. 100 % of all donations goes towards helping those in need at Christmas in our community. Please give what you can.

2026 MASS BOOK IS OPEN

**Sunday Missals for 2026 are available
at the office for \$5.00**

**ENVELOPES FOR 2026
CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE**

FLOWERS collection TODAY for the decorations of the altar. Donations are for the weekly fresh flowers and the Christmas decor.

COMMEMORATION OF ALL SOULS

During the month of November we will remember our loved ones. Please place your Mass intention envelopes at the side of the Altar or in the collection basket.

CHRISTMAS PARTY hosted by the Spanish Community will be on Saturday, November 29th from 7:00pm–11:30pm in the Main Hall. Dinner/Dance tickets for \$50.00 per person are available at the office. For more information call 416-889-0806 or 905-272-1454.

PARISH ADVENT MISSION

Dec 2nd, 3rd, 4th at 7:00pm in Church with Fr. John Paul Bolger, Companions of the Cross, York University Chaplain.

Theme: A FUTURE FULL of HOPE.

Advent Mission continues for **Young Adults** on Friday, December 5th. Mass at 7:00pm followed by a talk with Fr. John Paul and social gathering in the Main Hall.

THE CHILDREN'S ROSARY GROUP is inviting you to join them as they celebrate the Nativity of our Lord at 11:00am on Sat., Dec. 5th in Zanon Hall.

ARCHDIOCESAN DAY OF CONFESSIONS

here in our parish will be on Thurs., December 11th,
9:30am to 10:30am
3:00pm to 5:00pm
7:30pm to 8:30pm

"CANTO DE LAS MAÑANITAS". On Friday, December 12th at 6:00am in the Church with the musical group "Catalina" singing the "Mañanitas" to the Virgin Mary of Guadalupe.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT with SCOS Choirs on Saturday, December 13th 7:30pm in Church. Tickets are now available for a donation at the parish office or after Mass. All proceeds go to the Church Renovations. Thank you for your support.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE on Sunday, December 14th after the 6:00pm Mass. There will be a social gathering in the Main Hall. Entrance tickets available at the office. \$10.00 for adults & \$5.00 for children 10 and under.

PILGRIMAGE coming up on Saturday, December 27th. Save the date. Further information to follow.



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