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PASTOR: Fr. Yaw Acheampong

Parish Office Hours:
Mon-Fri 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Mass:
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Mass:
Tuesday to Saturday and Holidays: 9:00 a.m.
First Friday of the Month: 9a.m. and 7:00p.m.

Reconciliation:
Saturday 4:15 p.m.

Baptisms: Every 2nd Sunday of the month.
For registered parishioners. Contact the Parish Office for more information on the Baptismal Preparation process.

Marriages: One year in advance notice. For registered parishioners. A Marriage Course is required. No date may be set before meeting with the priest.



Schools:

Our Lady of Peace School:
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St. Elizabeth's School
416 393-5278 Fax: 416 393-5048
5 Redcar Ave.
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Michael Power
St. Joseph High School
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105 Eringate Dr.
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Vocations: Fr. Chris Lemieux
Tel: 416 968-0997

Web: vocationstoronto.ca
Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Catholic Cemeteries
Tel: 416 733-8544

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



Mar 06	Tue s	9:00 AM	A Special Intention
Mar 10	Sat	5:00 PM	+ Sylvia Persaud
Mar 11	Sun	9:00 AM	Parishioners of Our Lady of Peace
Mar 11	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Jan Karwel

Our Lady of Peace Parish accepts Mass Intentions for 2018 / 2019 for weekday Masses (Tuesday – Saturday) and weekend Masses. According to the policy of the Archdiocese, the Offering for an Announced Mass is \$20 and for an Unannounced Mass, \$10. The intention of an Announced Mass is mentioned at the beginning of the Mass and it is also published in the bulletin.

Care of the Sick

Visitation and / or Holy Communion for the sick are upon request. Sacrament of the Sick is celebrated with those who are not well, those undergoing surgeries or medical procedures or those who have grown old and weak under the burden of years.

Please notify the Pastor to make arrangements.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

For assistance, please call the Parish Office at **416-239-1259** and Select **Option 5** and leave your first and last name and phone number where you can be reached.

Sunday Collection

February 24/25, 2018

Envelopes:	\$ 3,970.00
Loose:	\$ 380.35
PAG:	\$ 1,384.47
TOTAL:	\$ 5,734.82

***Your regular offerings help to run the parish.
Thank you for your generosity.***

2017 Parish Tax Receipts

Available in the Parish Office Monday – Friday
from 9:30 AM until 5:00 PM.

Come & See Weekend

March 23 – 25, 2018

St. Augustine's Seminary

Inviting single Catholic men 17 and older to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives.

Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest.

Register online: www.vocationstoronto.ca

For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at **416-968-0997**, or email:

vocations@archtoronto.org or talk to Fr. Yaw.

(Please note: Registrants 17 years old will require parental consent)

Senior Men's High School Retreat

The office of Vocations is hosting a day retreat at **St. Augustine's Seminary** on:

Saturday, March 17 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

This retreat will provide time to pray, interact & socialize with other young Catholic men.

Seminarians deliver talks on practical aspects of faith. The day includes Holy Mass, Adoration & Confession.

Registration: www.vocationstoronto.ca

(Under Programs) or <http://bit.ly/2xh8uMA>

For more information, please call the **Office of Vocations** at 416-968-0997

or email: vocations@archtoronto.org

The Christian Life Cardinal Robert Sarah

(Prefect of the Congregation of Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments)

Monday, March 12, 2018 – 7:00 PM

(Vespers and public Lecture)

St. Basil's Church

50 St. Joseph St., Toronto

Free Admission / Registration Required.

Register: www.stmikes.utoronto.ca/cardinalsarah

Parish Events

Our Lady of Peace Children's Choir	Children from Grades 3 to 12 are welcome. Rehearsal takes place 20 minutes before the 11:00 AM Mass .
Our Lady of Peace Senior Choir	The Senior Choir sings Sundays at the 9:00 AM Mass . Rehearsals are at 7 PM on Monday evenings. For more information, email: olopchoir@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy	Children's liturgy takes place on Sundays at the 11:00 AM Mass . To volunteer please email Annika Samson @ annika.samson@gmail.com
Out of the Cold Update	On Sunday, February 25, 2018, 40 guests were received for dinner and 27 stayed overnight.
Confirmation Classes	Classes continue Tuesday evenings from 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM . Please Be Punctual.
First Holy Communion Classes	No Classes on: Saturday, March 10, 2018 Due to March Break
Stations of the Cross	Friday evenings during Lent at 6:30 PM followed by Mass at 7 PM . Parishioners are encouraged to attend.
Supper of Soup and Bread	Fridays during Lent after the 7 PM Mass . Cost \$5.

Upcoming Events

Mass With The Anointing of the Sick

On **Sunday, March 4, 2018** at **4:00 PM**, the parish will celebrate the **Third Sunday of Lent Mass** with the celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The Anointing of the Sick can be celebrated for any person who is physically or spiritually unwell and also those who have grown weak under the burden of years. The Sacrament is intended to bring healing of body and soul to those who receive it. It also asks God for the grace to accept the suffering that comes with illness or diminished health due to age. This Mass also fulfils Sunday's obligation. You can receive the Holy Eucharist at this Mass if you happen to attend Mass in the morning.

St. Augustine's Lay Spiritual Formation Program - Lenten Retreat

Vice and Virtue

Dr. Josephine Lombardi
 March 10, 2018 – 9:30 AM – 3:00 PM
 (Includes Mass in the Seminary chapel)
 Cost: \$50 (lunch included)
 Register: www.staugustines.on.ca
 Phone: 416-261-7207 Ext 235
 Email: loft@sastoronto.org

Newman Centre Faith & Science Lecture

Guest Speaker - Dr. Stacy A. Trasancos

The Role of Christianity in the Development of Modern Science
Thursday, March 8, 2018 – 7:00 PM
Newman Centre, 89 St. George St., Toronto

Registration:
<https://christianityandmodernscience.eventbrite.ca>
 Doors open at 6:30 PM, reception follows lecture.

Questions:
alexandra.whittle@newmantoronto.com



ShareLife

2018 Share Life

Campaign Goal is \$13.6 Million

We shall have three Share Life Collections on the following weekends:

March 17/18 April 21/22 May 26/27

Our Lady of Peace is known to be very generous to this campaign. Let us pray that we shall continue to be generous and supportive to the cause of sharing our wealth with others especially those in need. St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto is one of the benefactors of the Share Life Campaign. My formation and that of Fathers Frank Portelli and Chris Lemieux (our weekend guest homilists) was made possible through your generosity. We are always grateful to you all.

Our Parish Goal for 2018 is \$88,500.00

Fr. Yaw

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