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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:
416 393-5253 Fax: 416 397-6061
70 Mattice Ave.
Etobicoke, On M9B 1T6

St. Elizabeth's School
416 393-5278 Fax: 416 393-5048
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Tel: 416 968-0997
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Catholic Cemeteries
Tel: 416 733-8544

Welcome, Visitors

Our Lady of Peace Parish warmly welcomes visitors joining us for the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Your presence here is a sign of life in our community. We look forward to seeing you again soon!

Grateful Disciples & Stewards

According to the Archdiocese of Toronto's Pastoral Plan

"Our parishes are spiritual homes for the faithful where we meet one another to encounter Christ...Each of us needs to be fully engaged as a disciple of Jesus, grateful for what we have received from God, and eager to share it creatively and responsibly.

This is the spirit of deep stewardship" In the spirit of stewardship, OLP needs your faithful assistance in sharing your time, talent, and gifts in building up a strong community.

Please consider joining one of our ministries in the parish.

Be a cheerful steward!

Volunteers Make Our Parish

Get to know the various volunteer ministries in our parish. You are invited to consider joining any one of them with your God given talents. Please consult the white binders placed at the back of the church for description of the various ministries and registration forms. For further information, please call the church office.

Care of the Sick

Please notify the Pastor to make arrangements for visits.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

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. Please remember our Society of St. Vincent de Paul's *neighbours in need*. Thank you for your kind donation as you leave the church today.

Sunday Collection

September 8 / 9, 2018

Envelopes:	\$ 3,447.00
Loose:	\$ 214.00
PAG:	\$ 1,127.58
TOTAL:	\$ 4,788.58

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

Maintenance Fund

Envelopes:	\$ 2,732.20
Loose:	\$ 110.50
TOTAL:	\$ 2,842.70

Thank you for your generosity.

Safe Environment Policy of the Archdiocese of Toronto

www.archtoronto.org/about-us/safe-environment

The Archdiocese of Toronto has implemented a series of policies and procedures to foster a safe environment for all those who interact with the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Toronto. Those we serve include young people, adults and seniors who all make up the body of Christ among us. Information includes our procedure for cases of alleged misconduct, screening for lay volunteers and an overview of requirements for candidates to the priesthood and permanent diaconate.

Thanksgiving – Good Shepherd Food Drive

Donations will be accepted during the weekend of Saturday, Oct 6 and Sunday, Oct 7 for the Good Shepherd Ministry. Please leave your non-perishable food items in the Children's Sacristy.

Please...No Fresh or Frozen Food!

Please check bulletin board for more details.

Thank You!

Mary, Mother of God School

Mary, Mother of God School is now registering children for 2 1/2 hours of enriched programming on Monday and Thursday afternoons 1:00 PM – 3:30 PM. Join us for songs, stories, poems, nursery rhymes, instruments, games, classical music, mime, drama, and lots of play.

For more information,

call the school office at 416-531-7897.

www.marymotherofgodschool.org



Sep 18	Tue	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 19	Wed	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 20	Thu	9:00 AM	+ Elvera Bronze
Sep 21	Fri	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 22	Sat	9:00 AM	+ Martha Ureta
Sep 22	Sat	5:00 PM	OLP Parishioners
Sep 23	Sun	9:00 AM	George Perrone
Sep 23	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Lorraine McCart

Sacramental Preparation

First Confession & First Holy Communion

Parents and guardians who are registered parishioners of OLP are being informed about the preparation of their children for their First Confession and First Holy Communion.

Some Important Dates

Tuesday, September 18, 2018 – 7 PM

Mandatory Parent/Guardian Meeting with the pastor in the church for **First Confession/First Holy Communion** students.

Saturday, September 22 / Sunday, September 23

Registration of candidates at any of the Weekend Masses.
No late registrations will be accepted.

Saturday, September 29 / Sunday, September 30

Enrolment of candidates at any of the Weekend Masses.

Lay Pastoral Visitors Training

Saturday, September 22, 2018 & Saturday, September 29, 2018

**9:00 AM to 4:00 PM - St. Ambrose Parish
782 Brown's Line, Etobicoke**

This program will prepare you to provide pastoral visits and bring Holy Communion to the sick, elderly and homebound of our parish who are unable to attend Mass. Participants are required to attend **both** sessions.

To register:

Phone: **416-934-3400 Ext 523.**

Upcoming Events

Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul

Bring your gently used clothing, shoes, linen and household goods to share with others on **Saturday, September 22 & Sunday, September 23** before and after all the Masses. A St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in the church parking lot so please share what you can with those less fortunate. We will donate or sell these donations to support our outreach efforts. Thank you for your continued support.

Ceremony of Recognition

The Ceremony of Recognition will be held on the following dates:

Altar Servers - September 22 & 23
Social Committee – October 20 & 21

Workshops on the Principles of Catholic Social Teaching

Care for God's Creation

Catholic Pastoral Centre – Room 4A

Friday, September 28, 2018 - 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

1155 Yonge St., Toronto

Contact: Porfirio Garcia

Phone: 416-934-3400 Ext 569

Email: pgarcia@archtoronto.org

Catholic Family Services of Toronto

Annual Day of Renewal – 2018

The office of Marriage Preparation and Family Life invites all Volunteer Facilitators for Marriage Preparation Program to attend the 2018 Annual Day of Renewal.

Speakers

Fr. Alex Laschuk – Catholic Marriage Tribunal

Fr. Ivan Camilleri – Chancery, Office of Spiritual Affairs
Shereen McFarlane – Catholic Family Services of Toronto

Saturday, September 29 – 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM

St. Bonaventure Parish – 1300 Leslie St., Don Mills

Please RSVP by Friday, September 21, 2018

Maria Vareta & Mary Johnson

Fax to 416-921-1579 or email to

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