

OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH

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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
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416 393-5278 Fax: 416 393-5048
5 Redcar Ave.
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416 393-5529 Fax: 416 393-5742
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

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 treasure in building up a strong community.

Stewardship is a way of life.

Stewards Make Our Parish

As baptized people we are called to use our God-given gifts to live out our baptismal promises as disciples and stewards. There are many ways of acting out on our baptismal commitment to fulfill our roles as stewards. You may consider responding to your baptismal call by becoming one of the ministers in the various ministries we have in the parish. Please see the two white binders at the back of the church describing all the various ministries with registration forms.

Please consider joining one of the ministries as a steward to help bring vitality into the community.

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.

** ShareLife
2019**

ShareLife would like to thank you for your generosity to the 2018 Campaign as shared in the letter below. As we start to plan for the 2019 Campaign, ShareLife would like to give you an update of this years' campaign.

"In 2019, the ShareLife Advisory Board and Trustees have set a parish campaign goal of \$13.8 million, an increase of \$440,000 over our 2018 campaign result. The goal has been set high to address the needs of the agencies and to plan for the long term expansion and development of new and existing programs and services. The ShareLife office continues to maintain a cost ratio of less than 11%, ensuring the maximum amount possible is dedicated to the work of the agencies.

This year, ShareLife will be taking over the funding to three agencies that they previously received funding from the United Way in Peel (in 2017, we did the same for agencies that were receiving funding from the United Way in York Region.) For 2019, this will result in an increase in allocations of \$460,000, rising to over \$600,000 in 2020. Thus, it will be important that we achieve an increased campaign in 2019 to cover these new allocations.

We thank you in advance for your support as we work to grow the ShareLife campaign and achieve greater support for our agencies in the year ahead!"

Arthur Peters / Executive Director of Development

Calling All Girls

A Special Event for Mothers and Daughters

John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre
4300 Cawthra Road, Mississauga, ON

Friday, March 22, 2019 – 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM

*An Evening of Short High Powered Talks
For High School & University Student Girls*

Registration: www.dynamicwomenfaith.com

Fee: \$27 Phone: 416-907-1042

Vocations

Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you?

If you think God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact:

**Fr. Chris Lemieux, Director of Vocations,
Archdiocese of Toronto.**

Phone: 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org



Mar 12	Tue	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Mar 13	Wed	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Mar 14	Thu	9:00 AM	+ Rose Marie Bronze
Mar 15	Fri	9:00 AM	For Peace
Mar 15	Fri	7:00 PM	No Announced Mass
Mar 16	Sat	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Mar 16	Sat	5:00 PM	OLP Parishioners
Mar 17	Sun	9:00 AM	+ Luciano D'Souza
Mar 17	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Giulio Tanzi

Sacramental Preparation Confirmation

Lessons **cancelled** on **Tuesday, March 12** for March Break.
Our Lady of Peace will celebrate the **Sacrament of Confirmation** on **Pentecost Sunday, June 09, 2019** for all candidates at **4:00 PM** in the church.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at **6:30 PM**
followed by Mass at **7:00 PM**

Supper of Soup & Bread

Following the 7 PM Mass on Friday
evenings except Friday, April 05. **Cost: \$5**

Poverty Cure Series The Power of the Gospel

Guest Speaker: Obianuju Ekeocha
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speaker and strategist.

Newman Centre Catholic Mission

At the University of Toronto's St. George Campus

Thursday, March 28, 2019 – 7:00 PM

Registration: <https://povcure3.eventbrite.ca>

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Thank you for your generous response at Christmas. With your help we were able to assist 97 households in our area, consisting of 117 adults and 63 children. Our Ministry continues throughout the year. We extend our gratitude to you for your generous donations as you leave the Church after Mass each weekend. We also thank the parishioners who hold the St. Vincent de Paul boxes.

Sunday Collection

March 02 / 03, 2019

Envelopes:	\$ 4,220.50
Loose:	\$ 414.60
PAG:	\$ 1,349.80
TOTAL:	\$ 5,984.90

*Your regular offerings help to run the parish.
Thank you for your generosity.
May the Lord bless you!*

Come & See Weekend

Friday, March 15 – 7:00 PM to

Sunday, March 17 – 1:30 PM

St. Augustine's Seminary

Inviting single Catholic men 17 years 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.

(Registrants 17 years old require parental consent)

Register: www.vocationstoronto.ca

Information: Office of Vocations – 416-968-0997

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Lay Spiritual Formation

St. Augustine's Seminary - Lenten Retreat

Mary in the Heart of the Church

Saturday, March 30, 2019

St. Augustine's Scarborough Campus

2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough, ON

9:30 AM – 3:00 PM (including Mass)

Fee: \$50 (includes lunch)

Registration: www.staugustines.on.ca

Phone: 416-261-7207 Ext 235

Email: layspiritualformation@sastoronto.org

Website: www.staugustines.on.ca

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