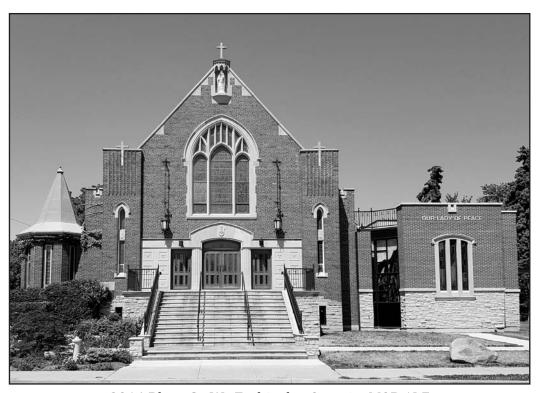
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**PASTOR:** Fr. Yaw Acheampong

### 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: 9 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

### **Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4:15 p.m -4:45 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:**

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### 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

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In the spirit of stewardship, OLP needs your faithful assistance in sharing your gift of time, talent, and treasure 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.

## THE FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of the child Jesus in the Temple. Because this Feast of the Lord falls on a Sunday in Ordinary Time, the celebration replaces the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time. This Sunday is also referred to as the World Day for Consecrated Life. In today's Gospel reading we encounter Simeon and Anna who lived a life of seeking the Christ. Their encounter with the Christ was all that mattered to them. The lives of these two holy people represent the men and women who have been called to live a life of service as clergy and religious men and women. As we celebrate the lives of these men and women, today's celebration also reminds us that as Christians we all seek Christ. In all things we seek God. How we live is different from one person to another. Today's Gospel reading encourages us to open ourselves to the working of the Spirit to help us accept challenges and opportunities that may come our way. As baptized people we are all called to witness to the presence of God through our actions based on our faith. When we strive to offer ourselves to be transformed by the Spirit of God, we may all live with the longing for the fullness of the presence of God in our communities. Fr. Yaw

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## Archdiocese of Toronto A Celebration of Marriage

Mass with Cardinal Thomas Collins Sunday, February 09, 2020 - 3:00 PM Mass

As part of Marriage Sunday 2020 celebrations, Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside at a special Mass to honour couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2020. Special recognition for couples celebrating 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> or 60+ anniversaries in 2020 they are invited to join in this special celebration. The Mass will take place at 3:00 PM on Sunday, February 9 at St. Isaac Jogues Parish, 1148 Finch Ave., Pickering.

A reception will follow Mass. All Are Welcome!

Register: www.archtoronto.org/marriage

Phone: 416-934-3400 Ext 523

Our Lady of Peace Pray For Us



Feb 04	Tue	9:00 AM	+ Raymond Mullen
Feb 05	Wed	9:00 AM	Special Intention of
			Stan Melnik
Feb 06	Thur	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Feb 07	Fri	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Feb 07	Fri	7:00 PM	Peace and Reconciliation In
			the Family
Feb 08	Sat	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Feb 08	Sat	5:00 PM	OLP Parishioners
Feb 09	Sun	9:00 AM	+ Patrick & Mae Gilleece
Feb 09	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Teresa Moncrieff



### SANCTUARY CANDLES



### February 02 - February 08

**Sacred Heart:** Special Intentions for the Lascu Family **Tabernacle:** Special Intentions for Sandy & Alex Lascu **St. Joseph:** All Deceased Members of the Lascu Family

## Sacramental Preparation First Confession & First Holy Communion

The Children's Liturgy Program continues next weekend **Sunday**, **February 09**, **2020** @ **the 11:00 AM Mass.** Children in **Group 4** will do the presentation of the Gifts of Bread & Wine.

### <u>Sacramental Preparation</u> Confirmation

Lessons continue on Tuesday, February 04 at 5:30 PM. **Please be punctual!** 

### **Lectio Divina with Cardinal Collins**

Sunday, February 02, 2020 at St. Michael's Basilica Evening Prayers (Vespers) at 7:00 PM followed by Lectio Divina at 7:30 PM to 8:15 PM

The topic for this Sunday is: **Naomi and Ruth – Ruth 1:1-22** 

## 11th Annual Dynamic Women of Faith

<u>Catholic Women's Conference</u> Saturday, March 28, 2020 Le Treport Banquet Hall in Mississauga

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### **Update Your Records**

Please call the parish office at 416-239-1259, if you have any changes to your mailing address, E\*mail or phone number.

# Office of Catholic Youth Archdiocese of Toronto Theology on Tap – West Region

For Young Adults Ages 19 – 39 – 7:00 - 9:00 PM www.facebook.com/TOTToronto

Monday, February 10, 2020 Topic: Divorce Fr. Alexander Laschuk JCD, PhD Boston Pizza 50 Courtneypark Dr. E. Mississauga

### **Young Disciples Retreat**

Youth, male & female, aged 12 – 17 are invited to attend a Young Disciples Retreat themed Love in Service on Saturday, March 7 from 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM at St. Edward the Confessor parish in North York. The day will include Holy Mass, reflection talks, recreation, and lunch at no cost. Please register in the parish office and visit <a href="https://www.vocationstoronto.ca">www.vocationstoronto.ca</a> for more information on this wonder retreat.

### The Spirit of Stewardship

"Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received." (1 Peter 4:10)

### Prayer of St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray: and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

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