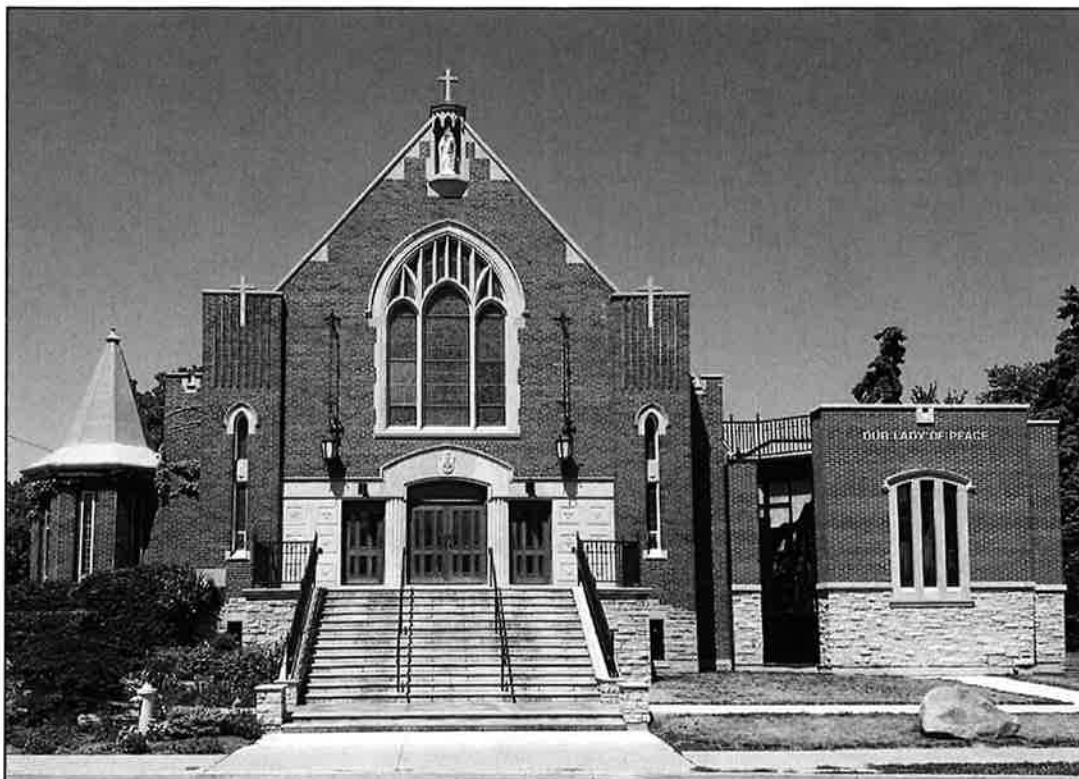


# OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH

## A WELCOMING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY



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**PASTOR:** Fr. Yaw Acheampong

**Parish Office Hours:**

Please see inside of bulletin for details.

**CELEBRATION OF MASS:**

**COVID-19 SAFETY PROTOCOLS IN PLACE**

Please see inside of bulletin for details.

**Sunday Mass:**

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

**Weekday Mass:**

Tuesday to Saturday and Holidays: 9:00 a.m.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction:**

Every Friday: 8:30 a.m., followed by Mass at 9:00 a.m.

**Reconciliation:**

Saturday after 9:00 a.m. Mass until 10:30 am

**Baptisms:** For registered parishioners, please contact the Parish Office for more information of the Baptismal Preparation process & celebration.

**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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## ASCENSION OF THE LORD

### Welcome Back

Our Lady of Peace Parish warmly welcomes parishioners back for the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Our Lady of Peace welcomes visitors to the parish. Your physical presence here is a sign of life in our community. We are also happy to welcome our children back. Please remember that respecting provincial recommendations we do not come to church if we have a fever, cough, difficulty in breathing, sore throat or we are not feeling well.

### 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, let us share your time, talent, and treasure in building up a strong and vital community.*

*Christian Stewardship is a way of life.*

### The Joy of Service 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. You may consider responding to your baptismal call by becoming one of the ministers in the various ministries in the parish. Please see the two white binders at the back of the church describing all the various ministries with registration forms.

### Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Friday  
9:30 AM – 2:30 PM

COVID-19 Safety Protocols in place.

### 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 Extension 5 and leave your first and last name and a phone number where you can be reached.

### ASCENSION OF THE LORD - MAY 29, 2022

The spiritual significance of the celebration of Ascension of the Lord is our call to be missionary disciples. Pope Francis begins his 2013 Apostolic Exhortation *Evangelii Gaudium* (The Joy of the Gospel) with these words: "The joy of the Gospel fills the hearts and lives of all who encounter Jesus." In this document the Pope encourages Christians to "embark upon a new chapter of evangelization marked by this joy, while pointing out new paths for the Church's journey in years to come". He calls Christians to be missionary disciples to proclaim the Good News. The Evangelist Luke has connected the Ascension event to the events of the resurrection and that of the giving of the Spirit. According to Luke, the Ascension can only be understood in the light of the giving of the Holy Spirit. The departure of Jesus to his Father came with Jesus' promise to send the Holy Spirit to guide us in our missionary activities. When we strive to share in the missionary activities entrusted to the first disciples, we joyfully bring the love of Christ to others.

Fr. Yaw Acheampong

### PENTECOST SUNDAY - JUNE 5, 2022

On June 5<sup>th</sup>, we celebrate Pentecost Sunday traditionally referred to as the day of the birth of the Church and also when the gift of the Holy Spirit came to the Church. We relate Pentecost to our call to serve as people baptized in the Holy Spirit. Our gifts of service are different but the source of strength behind the gifts is the same for every person-- the Holy Spirit. The celebration of Pentecost Sunday offers us a challenge for self-reflection: to look into our hearts and judge the generosity of our service to people around us. Pentecost Sunday also brings the Season of Easter to an end. As we enter into the Season of Ordinary Time, let us ask God to kindle the fire of his Spirit in our hearts. Let us ask Jesus to inspire in us actions to reflect who we are as one joyful people united in one Spirit, the Spirit of love.

Yaw Acheampong: "Pentecost renews the heart of our community." *Walking on the journey of faith.*

Catholic Register Books, Toronto, (2022): 74-75

### THE SEASON OF ORDINARY TIME LITURGICAL YEAR C

The Season of Ordinary Time resumes on Monday, June 6 (Week 10) after the celebration of Pentecost Sunday, June 5. Ordinary Time continues until the end of 34<sup>th</sup> Week. A new Liturgical Year A beginning the Season of Advent starts with the celebration of the First Sunday of Advent on November 27, 2022.



May 24	Tue	9:00 AM	+ Dawnann Gaudaur
May 25	Wed	9:00 AM	+ Elizabeth Anne Fenech
May 26	Thur	9:00 AM	Brayden Bishop's Birthday
May 27	Fri	9:00 AM	Peace and Healing for Adeline Coutreau
May 28	Sat	9:00 AM	+ Attilio Chiaravalloti
May 28	Sat	5:00 PM	OLP Parishioners
May 29	Sun	9:00 AM	+ Anna Skiba
May 29	Sun	11:00 AM	40 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Jennifer & Albert Castellino
May 31	Tue	9:00 AM	+ Angela Porco
Jun 01	Wed	9:00 AM	In Thanksgiving from the Song Family
Jun 02	Thur	9:00 AM	40 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Melanie & Harry Fernandes
Jun 03	Fri	9:00 AM	+ Patricia Staudinger
Jun 04	Sat	9:00 AM	In Thanksgiving
Jun 04	Sat	5:00 PM	+ Nicholas & Mary Relic
Jun 05	Sun	9:00 AM	OLP Parishioners
Jun 05	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Zenon Maligsay



SANCTUARY CANDLES



May 29 - June 04

Sacred Heart: + Anatalo & Joanna Castellino  
Tabernacle: + Zenon Maligsay  
St. Joseph: + Sebastian & Bernardina De Souza

### **ShareLife**

#### **CAMPAIGN 2022**

Overall Parish Campaign Goal - **\$13.8 million**

OLP Suggested Campaign Goal - **\$ 61,000.00**

Total Collected so far at Our Lady of Peace - **\$ 44,220.95**

Thank you for your support!

The next collection will be Sunday, June 05, 2022.

### **Thank You from Fr. Yaw**

I would like to thank the parishioners who have been attending Mass during this pandemic and I am grateful to parishioners who have continued to donate to support the parish. I am also grateful to our ministers who have continued to share their gift of time to serve the parish and our community.

### **Marygrove Camp**

The Marygrove Camp collection will be taken up on June 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>. Marygrove Camp is a residential camp situated on Georgian Bay, near Penetang, Ontario. Open to eligible girls ages 5-13; Marygrove provides a camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy a camping adventure.

Thank you for your support!

## **Congratulations**

To the following students who received the sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, May 21, 2022. Many thanks for supporting the children during their preparation.

Matissen I Aprieto	Madison H MacDonald
Jose M Aristizabal	Nathan D Marcelino
Olivia R M Bascon	Justine J Mazzaferro
Christian M Celebre	Ava H Misterka
Jack R Chuchla	Oliver R G Moore
Jonah F DeSouza	Adrian R E Papa
Sebastian J Diaz	Michael K Plut
Mira Grewal	Markus Schoepke
Joshua L Halpenny	Alexander M Silano
Amira S Jahshan	Luca J Storino
Julia I Landry	Sahara J Tamaya-Heer
Noel A Laurent	Dimitrios J A Traikos
Tristan A B Li	Mary S M Werhun
Olivia Luca	Nickolas A Werhun
Ruby A Lunardini	

*Please remember them in your prayers.*

## **Archdiocese of Toronto**

### **Catholic Family Services of Toronto**

### **New Beginnings Introductory Programs**

#### **Online Bereavement**

Date & Time: Wednesday, June 01, 2022 @ 7:00 PM

Total Cost: No Charge

Register at: <https://nbb06.eventbrite.ca>

#### **Online Separated/Divorced**

Date & Time: Thursday, June 02, 2022 @ 7:00 PM

Total Cost: No Charge

Register at: <https://nbsd06.eventbrite.ca>

For More Information, please contact:

Arcangelo Limanni @ 647-215-3978 or

Email: [alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com)

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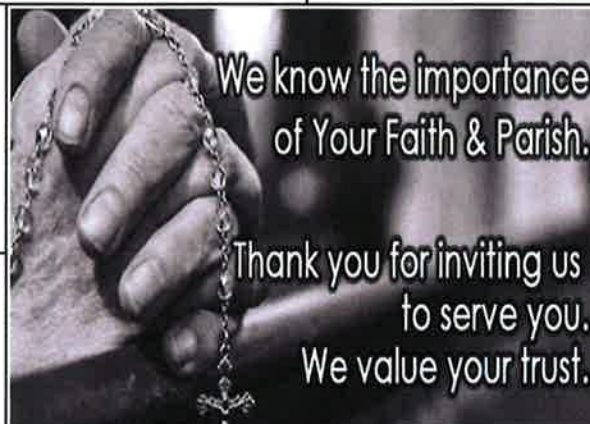
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