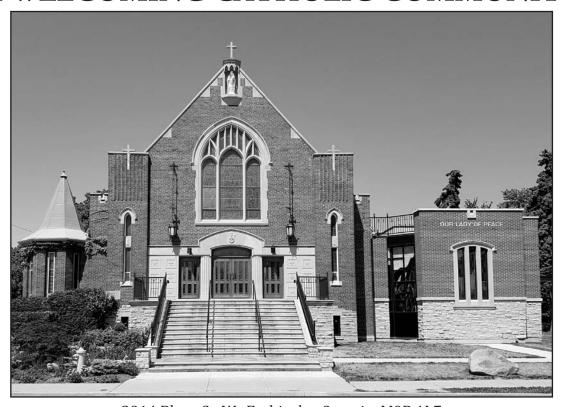
OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH

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:

First Friday of the Month: 6:00 p.m., followed by Mass at 7:00 p.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: **416-393-5253** Fax **416-397-6061** 70 Mattice Ave. Etobicoke, On M9B 1T6

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Welcome To Our Lady of Peace Parish

Our Lady of Peace Parish warmly welcomes parishioners, children and adults for the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Our Lady of Peace also welcomes visitors who are joining us for the celebration. Your physical presence here is a sign of life in our community. Parents and guardians are encouraged to bring their children to Mass especially those who are being prepared to celebrate First Holy Communion this Easter.

New Parishioners

A special welcome to our new parishioners. We ask you to register. Registration forms are located at the back of the church or can be obtained from the Parish Office.

Coming To Mass

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.

The Joy of Service Stewards Make Our Parish

As baptized people, we are called to use our Godgiven 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 for the description describing all the various ministries for the description in the parish.

Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM COVID-19 Safety Protocols in place.

Care of the Sick

Please notify the Pastor by calling 416-239-1259 Ext 3.

Our Lady of Peace - Pray For Us

Maintenance Fund Report June 1 - Dec. 31, 2022

Fund balance as of May 31/22	\$ 6,917.04	
Monthly donations via PAG/Donate Now	\$ 1,305.50	
All other Maintenance donations	<u>\$ 16,854.00</u>	
New balance	\$ 25,076.54	
Less expense items:		
Church – Initial payment for three new furnaces \$ 12,992.50		
Church Fire Systems		
Required inspection & repairs	\$ 3,119.01	
Church Exterior Wood Doors		
Stripped & re-stained	\$ 3,118.20	
Church Furnace – inspection & repairs	\$ 2,256.55	
Church Elevator – required annual test	<u>\$ 1,888.51</u>	
Total expenses	\$ 23,374.77	

Maintenance Fund balance as of Dec. 31/22 \$ 1,701.77

The installation of the three new furnaces was completed in November and the parish will continue to make monthly payments for the next twelve months to pay the full cost (\$33,800 + HST) of the new system. The furnace replacements would not have been possible without your continued support of the Maintenance Fund.

Your donations to the Maintenance Fund can be made through PAG, Donate Now or on the four collection dates in 2023 using the special Maintenance Fund envelopes. Donation are also gratefully accepted at a time that suits your budget in an envelope marked "Maintenance Fund" with your name and envelope number.

Thank you for your dedication to generously supporting Our Lady of Peace Parish.

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.

With Gratitude

I wish to thank you all for coming to Mass and for your generosity to the parish during the Christmas season. I would also like to thank our ministers for sharing their time and talent.

May God bless you for your stewardship. \(\mathcal{F}r. \) Yaw

Please remember Our Lady of Peace in your will.



Jan 10	Tues	9:00 AM	+ Paula Terpstra
Jan 11	Wed	9:00 AM	+ Fructoso Zabala
Jan 12	Thur	9:00 AM	+ Sonia Salgado
Jan 13	Fri	9:00 AM	+ Bette Savage
Jan 14	Sat	9:00 AM	+ Elizabeth Anne Fenech
Jan 14	Sat	5:00 PM	+ Julian Molina
Jan 15	Sun	9:00 AM	OLP Parishioners
Jan 15	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Bill Jarosz
Jan 17	Tues	9:00 AM	No Special Intention
Jan 18	Wed	9:00 AM	No Special Intention
Jan 19	Thur	9:00 AM	No Special Intention
Jan 20	Fri	9:00 AM	+ Leonard & Patricia Staudinger
Jan 21	Sat	9:00 AM	No Special Intention
Jan 21	Sat	5:00 PM	+ Nunzio Peitrangelo
Jan 22	Sun	9:00 AM	+ Luigi Recchi
Jan 22	Sun	11:00 AM	OLP Parishioners



SANCTUARY CANDLES



<u>January 08 - 14, 2023</u> Tabernacle: Special Intention

<u>January 15 - 21, 2023</u> St. Joseph: + Dan & Wayne Currie

Sunday Collections for December 2022

Envelopes:	\$ 16,532.50	
Loose:	\$ 1,150.15	
PAG / Donate Now:	\$ 4,626.15	
TOTAL:	\$ 22,308.80	

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

Christmas Offering 2022

Envelopes:	\$ 13,010.00	
Loose:	\$ 534.30	
TOTAL:	\$ 13,544.30	

Thank you for your generosity.

2022 Tax Receipts

Tax receipts will be mailed to parishioners using the postal addresses we have in our system. Please be advised that St. Vincent de Paul Society will issue their own tax receipts to parishioners.

Thank you for your donations!

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2023 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service 2023

<u>Sunday, January 22, 2023 – 4 PM</u>

Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church (73 Simcoe St. at King St. W. in Toronto) on Sunday, January 22, 2023 at 4:00 PM. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Church.

<u>Toronto Serra Clubs - Vocations</u>

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Paul tells us that we have been sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be a holy people. Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister?

Contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email:

vocations@archtoronto.org.

TCDSB Kindergarten Registration Wednesday, January 25, 2023 - 10:00 AM

Kindergarten in the Toronto Catholic District School Board provides children with a variety of learning experiences in a caring, faith-based environment.

TCDSB looks forward to welcoming new students for the 2023-2024 school year. Children born in 2019 are eligible to attend Junior Kindergarten in September 2023. Registration: SOAR.tcdsb.org

For more information:

www.tcdsb.org/kindergartenregistration

Coffee Sunday

Will take place next Sunday, January 22, 2023 after the 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM Masses.

All are welcome!



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