

# 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:

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**416-968-0997**

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**416-733-8544**

## 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 or Confirmation this Easter Season.

### 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.

### Children's Liturgy

Resumes on Sunday, February 12, 2023 at the 11:00 AM Mass. Parents are encouraged to attend Mass with their children who are preparing to celebrate 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion this year.

### 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 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.

### Confession

Available on Saturdays after the  
9:00 AM Mass until 10:30 AM in the  
Monsignor Percy Johnson Hall

## Our Parish, Our Spiritual Home

Our Lady of Peace happily welcomes all God's people to come and join us as a community of believers. As members of a believing community, we have the duty of providing for the material needs of the parish, each according to his or her abilities. Just as we care for our families and homes, our parish also needs our faithful assistance in the form of sharing our time, talent and treasure. Our Lady of Peace church is where we come together to celebrate Mass, where we come to get married, where we have our children baptized, where our children are prepared to celebrate their First Confession, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. This is the place where we all come together for spiritual support and growth. Finally when one of us passes on the parish church is where we come together to celebrate funeral Mass and to pray that God may invite our brother/sister into his Kingdom of peace and happiness. Thank you for your contributions to the parish. Your Sunday offerings help to run the parish.

*Fr. Yaw*

### Sacramental Preparation Program

#### First Holy Communion

The program resumes on Saturday, February 11 at 10:30 AM with a meeting with the Pastor and a video presentation. A child should be accompanied with at least one parent/guardian.

#### Confirmation

Classes resume on Tuesday, February 14 at 5:30 PM in the church. Candidates should bring their assignment and their Letter to the Bishop.

### Catholic Women's Conference

Saturday, March 25, 2023

Location: The Old Mill (Old Mill Subway Station)  
Registration: 8:00 AM – Time 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
For more information, call 416-907-1042  
Opening Mass celebrated by  
His Eminence Cardinal Collins @ 9:00 AM  
Early Bird Registration \$65 (before Feb 14)  
Register at [www.dynamicwomenfaith.com](http://www.dynamicwomenfaith.com)

### Toronto Serra Clubs – Vocations

#### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“No eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him.” If you feel you are being invited to spread the Good News of God's love as 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](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Feb 07	Tues	9:00 AM	No Special Intention
Feb 08	Wed	9:00 AM	+ Wilfredo Lagbas Sr.
Feb 09	Thur	9:00 AM	+ Barry Nowoselski
Feb 10	Fri	9:00 AM	90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday of Joan McCaffery
Feb 11	Sat	9:00 AM	+ Ironдина Cabral
Feb 11	Sat	5:00 PM	+ Larry Morton
Feb 12	Sun	9:00 AM	+ Paula Terpstra
Feb 12	Sun	11:00 AM	OLP Parishioners
Feb 14	Tues	9:00 AM	+ Elizabeth Anne Fenech
Feb 15	Wed	9:00 AM	+ Mario Borges
Feb 16	Thur	9:00 AM	No Special Intention
Feb 17	Fri	9:00 AM	+ Cagetan DeSouza
Feb 18	Sat	9:00 AM	+ Vincenzo Moscati
Feb 18	Sat	5:00 PM	OLP Parishioners
Feb 19	Sun	9:00 AM	Thanksgiving for Blessings Received
Feb 19	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Percy Danso



**February 05 - 11, 2023**

Sacred Heart: + Mary Cachia / + David Spiteri

**February 12 - 18, 2023**

St. Joseph: + Giulio Tanzi

**Offertory for January 2023**

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<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$ 23,545.55</b>

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

**2022 Tax Receipts**

Tax receipts will be mailed to parishioners by the middle of February. If you do not receive your tax receipt by the end of February, please call the parish office. Thank you for your donations!

**Special Thanks**

I thank you all for coming to Mass. I would also like to thank parishioners who continue to support Our Lady of Peace. I thank our ministers who continue to serve the parish. May God continue to bless you all. *Fr. Yaw*

**Upcoming Events**

**Archdiocese of Toronto**

**Development Office**

**Legacy Gifts to Any Part of the Archdiocese**

If you have included your parish or favourite archdiocesan charity in your Will or estate plan, please let us know. Through the Legacy Society of the Archdiocese of Toronto, we would like to say a special thank you. All Legacy Society members are invited to the Annual Legacy Society Lunch & Mass by the Archdiocese of Toronto.

They also receive:

- A handcrafted cross blessed by his Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins
- A personal letter from Cardinal Collins and a certificate acknowledging your intention.
- Invitations to Legacy Society functions and other special events.

Let your legacy be a testament of your faith! All Legacy Society members have the option of remaining anonymous. If you have any questions, please contact the Development Office at [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org) or call 416-934-3400 Ext 519.

**Coffee/Pancake Sunday**

Will take place on the Sunday, February 19 at 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM Mass. Donation of \$5 per person would be appreciated. Please come and join us.

**Fridays of Lent**

**Morning**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction 8:30 AM, followed by Mass at 9:00 AM.

**Evening**

Celebration of the Stations of the Cross at 6:00 PM followed by Mass. There is Lenten Supper of soup and bread after Mass. Donation of \$5 per person would be appreciated. Please come and enjoy soups from around the world.

**Holy Land Christians**

Sebastian Cardinal of Holy Land Christians will visit the parish to sell religious articles from the Holy Land on the weekend of February 11 / 12, 2023.

*Please remember Our Lady  
of Peace in your will.*



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