

Guardian Angels Parish

Established, June 27, 2007

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WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Friday: 7:30 a.m.

First Friday: 7:30 p.m. (after the 6 p.m. Holy Hour & First Friday Devotion)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 30 minutes before Masses

BAPTISM IS CELEBRATED

Only for those parishioners of this parish who are currently practicing their faith. Pre-Baptismal instructions are required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact the parish priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. This means that you must take a marriage course.

OUR SCHOOLS:

Guardian Angels 905-595-0909

Principal: Maria Limarzi
62 Heatherdale Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 2H4

St. Angela Merici 905-840-1505

Principal: Diana Linardic
83 Edenbrook Hill Dr., Brampton, ON

St. Bonaventure 905-970-9069

Principal: Tom Condotta
35 McCrimmon Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 2Z5

St. Edmund Campion 905-846-7124

Principal: Maria Locicero
275 Brisdale Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 3C7

St. Lucy 905-840-3121

Principal: Laurie Condo
25 Kanata Road, Brampton, ON L7A 3R2

St. Aidan 905-840-3042

Principal: Adrienne Dalli
34 Buick Blvd., Brampton, ON L7A 3B9

St. Daniel Comboni 905-495-4621

Principal: Monica Thompson
120 Veterans Drive, Brampton, ON L7A 3Z7

JOIN THE GUARDIAN ANGELS PARISH FAMILY

DATE MMM-DD-YYYY New Parishioner Change of Information Moving New Address

HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD (Primary Contact)

Mr. Mrs. Miss Last Name _____ First Name _____ Religion _____
Cell # _____ Home # _____ Email _____ Occupation _____
Street Address _____ Apt./Unit # _____ City _____ Prov _____ Postal Code _____

SPOUSE N/A

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How do you wish to support the parish?

PAG (Pre-Authorized Giving). Automatic withdrawal from your account every 20th of each month. **Please complete the PAG form**

Pre-numbered envelopes. Please choose this option only if you intend to contribute every week (e.g., every Sunday).

OFFICE USE ONLY: Envelope #

Include both spouse names on tax receipt? **YES / No**

MASS INTENTIONS



Sunday, November 19

- 9:00 a.m. No Mass Intentions
10:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions
12:00 p.m. +Trinidad & Reynaldo Pangantihon by Socorro Pangantihon
+Harold D'Souza by Sabina D'Souza
+Annie & Hector Samaranayake, Gladys & Godwin Perera by Perera & Samaranayake families
+Salustiano Ponco

Monday, November 20

- 7:30 a.m. Thanksgiving for Michael Bayas by Bayas family
+Harold D'Souza by Sabina D'Souza
7:00 p.m. No Mass intention

Tuesday, November 21

- 7:30 a.m. Spec.Int.-Joan & Bill Hartford
7:00 p.m. No Mass intention

Wednesday, November 22

- 7:30 a.m. No Mass intention
7:00 p.m. No Mass intention

Thursday, November 23

- 7:30 a.m. Spec.Int.-Eric & Rufina Pinto
7:00 p.m. No Mass intention

Friday, November 24

- 7:30 a.m. Robert Gravelijn by Annabel Gravelijn
7:00 p.m. No Mass intention

Saturday, November 25

- 5:00 p.m. +Norberto Dino by Mary Joy Dino
_Michael Devassy by Paul Michael

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

'The readings for the readings for the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A are a call to do the work of the Kingdom of God with the gifts we have been given. Stewardship is clearly a theme for this weekend. Another option is authenticity and appreciating the gifts we have been given.'

(www.young-catholics.com)

THE LORD'S PROMISE:

'Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.'

(Mt 25:21)

What will you say when you meet God face to face? Better still, what will God say to you? Will you be able to answer that you served faithfully? Can you answer that now? If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org | www.vocationstoronto.ca



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

O God, Who wills not the death of a sinner, but rather that he be converted and live, grant we beseech You, through the intercession of the Blessed Mary ever Virgin, Saint Joseph her spouse, Saint Junipero Serra, and all the saints, an increase of labourers for Your church, fellow labourers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls, through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

REFLECTION ON THE 33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SETTLING ACCOUNTS

Reflection by Scott Hahn
St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology

'The day of the Lord is coming, Paul warns in today's Epistle. What matters isn't the time or the season, but what the Lord finds us doing with the new life, the graces He has given to us.'

This is at the heart of Jesus' parable in today's Gospel. Jesus is the Master. Having died, risen, and ascended into heaven, He appears to have gone away for a long time.

By our Baptism, He has entrusted to each of us a portion of His 'possessions,' a share in His divine life (see 2 Peter 1:4). He has given us talents and responsibilities, according to the measure of our faith (see Romans 12:3, 8).

We are to be like the worthy wife in today's First Reading and the faithful man we sing of in today's Psalm. Like them, we should walk in the 'fear of the Lord'—in reverence, awe, and thanksgiving for His marvelous gifts. This is the beginning of wisdom (see Acts 9:31; Proverbs 1:7).

This is not the 'fear' of the useless servant in today's parable. His is the fear of a slave cowering before a cruel master, the fear of one who refuses the relationship that God calls us to.

God has called us to be trusted servants, fellow workers (see 1 Corinthians 3:9), using our talents to serve one another and His kingdom as good stewards of His grace (see 1 Peter 4:10). In this, we each have a different part to play.

Though the good servants in today's parable were given different numbers of talents, each 'doubled' what he was given. And each earned the same reward for his faithfulness—greater responsibilities and a share of the Master's joy.

So let us resolve again in this Eucharist to make much of what we've been given, to do all for the glory of God (see 1 Corinthians 10:31). That we, too, may approach our Master with confidence and love when He comes to settle accounts.'

WEEKDAY EVENING MASS

November 1, 2023 – December 22, 2023 | 7:00 p.m.

SAINT CECILIA

Feast Day: November 22

Patron of musicians

“In the city of Rome, there was a virgin named Cecilia, who came from an extremely rich family and was given in marriage to a youth named Valerian. She wore sackcloth next to her skin, fasted, and invoked the saints, angels, and virgins, beseeching them to guard her virginity.

During her wedding ceremony she was said to have sung in her heart to God and before the consummation of her nuptials, she told her husband she had taken a vow of virginity and had an angel protecting her. Valerian asked to see the angel as proof, and Cecilia told him he would have eyes to see once he traveled to the third milestone on the Via Appia (Appian Way) and was baptized by Pope Urbanus.

Following his baptism, Valerian returned to his wife and found an angel at her side. The angel then crowned Cecilia with a chaplet of rose and lily and when Valerian's brother, Tibertius, heard of the angel and his brother's baptism, he also was baptized and together the brothers dedicated their lives to burying the saints who were murdered each day by the prefect of the city, Turcius Almachius.

Cecilia was later arrested and condemned to be suffocated in the baths. She was shut in for one night and one day, as fires were heaped up and stoked to a terrifying heat - but Cecilia did not even sweat. When Almachius heard this, he sent an executioner to cut off her head in the baths.

The executioner struck her three times but was unable to decapitate her so he left her bleeding and she lived for three days. Crowds came to her and collected her blood while she preached to them or prayed. On the third day she died and was buried by Pope Urban and his deacons.

St. Cecilia is regarded as the patroness of music, because she heard heavenly music in her heart when she was married, and is represented in art with an organ or organ-pipes in her hand.

Officials exhumed her body in 1599 and found her to be incorrupt, the first of all incorrupt saints. She was draped in a silk veil and wore a gold embroidered dress. Officials only looked through the veil in an act of holy reverence and made no further examinations. They also reported a "mysterious and delightful flower-like odor which proceeded from the coffin." St. Cecilia's remains were transferred to Cecilia's titular church in Trastevere and placed under the high altar.

(www.catholic.org/saints)

**ARCHDIOCESAN CONSULTATION UNDERWAY—
SHARE YOUR IDEAS TO ASSIST WITH FUTURE
PLANNING!**

Archbishop Francis Leo is inviting the Catholic community to share thoughts and ideas regarding future pastoral planning in the Archdiocese of Toronto. Feedback will help inform a renewed Pastoral Plan to be used in the years ahead. To learn more about the process, please visit: www.archtoronto.org/consultation to read the letter of invitation from the archbishop and complete the short survey by December 15, 2023, Please take a few minutes to share your insights and ideas. Thank you for your collaboration in this archdiocesan initiative.

SECOND COLLECTION on November 18 & 19

The second collection on November 18 & 19 is for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.

ShareLife

Your love puts food on the table

NEW: Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until December 31, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched up to \$500,000.

Through your unwavering support for ShareLife and its Food Security Grants, you ensure families can access meal programs and food banks throughout our archdiocese.

“We are so grateful ShareLife supporters are providing emergency funds to relieve the immediate challenges of families and individuals experiencing hunger,” says Louise Coutu, Executive Director of the SSVP Greater Toronto Central Council.

Double the impact of your kindness by giving at the parish with a ShareLife envelope or anytime at sharelife.org/donate

PARISH EVENTS

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| Sunday, November 19 | Pancake Sale – Youth Ministry |
| Saturday, November 25 | } Bake Sale |
| Sunday, November 26 | |
| Saturday, December 2 | Christmas Concert |
| Sunday, December 31 | New Year's Eve Dinner & Dance |

BE A VOLUNTEER

Volunteering is a gift and a privilege

The **SAFETY ENVIRONMENT POLICY** mandated within the Archdiocese of Toronto in 2001 requires every volunteer to complete the Volunteer Screening Program **prior to starting ministry work.**

To learn more about the program, visit our parish website at <https://guardianangelsbr.archtoronto.org/en/> access the page through the QR code



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