

# Guardian Angels Parish

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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: Tom Condotta  
83 Edenbrook Hill Dr., Brampton, ON

**St. Bonaventure** 905-970-9069

Principal: Elder Oliveira  
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: Brigit Cautillo  
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

## PARISH MINISTRIES, COMMITTEES & LAY ORGANIZATIONS

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Guild  
Altar Server  
Eucharist  
Hospitality  
Lector  
Music

### OTHER MINISTRIES

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)  
Marriage Preparation Course  
Sacramental Preparation  
Lay Pastoral Visitor  
Youth

### COMMITTEES

Building Maintenance  
Collection Counters  
Finance Council  
Fundraising Committee  
Joint Stewardship Council and  
Volunteer Screening Committee

### LAY ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Women's League  
Knights of Columbus  
Legion of Mary  
Rosary Apostolate

### JOIN OUR PARISH

Register online ...



### TO VOLUNTEER...

Apply online ...



**MASS INTENTIONS**



**Sunday, September 8**

9:00 a.m. No Mass Intentions  
 10:30 a.m. Spec.Int.-Willy & Myrna De Luna  
 Spec.Int.-Vic Goncena by Goncena Family  
 Thanksgiving-Fred & Sonia Laurente by Fred Laurente

**Monday, September 9**

7:30 a.m. Alvin George by Saji George  
 Axel George by Saji George

**Tuesday, September 10**

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

**Wednesday, September 11**

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

**Thursday, September 12**

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

**Friday, September 13**

7:30 a.m. Spec.Int.-Del Castillo Family

**Saturday, September 14**

5:00 p.m. +Edgar & Vellie Andrade by Frank & Eileen Joseph

**THE LORD'S PROMISE:**

“Here is your God...he comes to save you.” (*Is 335:4b*)

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Did not God choose those who are poor in the eyes of the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the Kingdom? Count your blessings, then come and help others count theirs too, as a priest, religious or deacon. If you feel you have such a vocation, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997, 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, One God forever and ever. Amen.

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**RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)**

If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or was baptized Catholic but has not received the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation, check our Parish website for detailed information or send an email to [gaprcia@gmail.com](mailto:gaprcia@gmail.com).

RCIA Information session: Tuesday, September 17 at 7 p.m.

RCIA Classes start on Tuesday, September 24 at 7 p.m.

**REFLECTION on the  
 23<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B**

**All Things Well by Scott Hahn**

*Excerpts from young-catholics.com*

“The incident in today’s Gospel is recorded only by Mark. The key line is what the crowd says at the end: “He has done all things well.” In the Greek, this echoes the creation story, recalling that God saw all the things He had done and declared them good (see Genesis 1:31).

Mark also deliberately evokes Isaiah’s promise, which we hear in today’s First Reading, that God will make the deaf hear and the mute speak. He even uses a Greek word to describe the man’s condition (mogilalon = “speech impediment”) that’s only found in one other place in the Bible—in the Greek translation of today’s Isaiah passage, where the prophet describes the “dumb” singing.

The crowd recognizes that Jesus is doing what the prophet had foretold. But Mark wants us to see something far greater—that, to use the words from today’s First Reading: “Here is your God.”

Notice how personal and physical the drama is in the Gospel. Our focus is drawn to a hand, a finger, ears, a tongue, spitting. In Jesus, Mark shows us, God has truly come in the flesh.

What He has done is to make all things new, a new creation (see Revelation 21:1–5). As Isaiah promised, He has made the living waters of Baptism flow in the desert of the world. He has set captives free from their sins, as we sing in today’s Psalm. He has come that rich and poor might dine together in the Eucharistic feast, as James tells us in today’s Epistle.

He has done for each of us what He did for that deaf mute. He has opened our ears to hear the Word of God and loosed our tongues that we might sing praises to Him.

Let us then give thanks to our glorious Lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Let us say with Isaiah, “Here is our God, He comes to save us.” Let us be rich in faith, that we might inherit the kingdom promised to those who love Him.”

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*Volunteering is a gift and a privilege*

We need each other to live and grow.

Moreover, Jesus said **“The Son of Man came not to be served, but to serve.” (Mk 10:45).**

Guardian Angels Parish offers many opportunities to serve. If you are interested in building our community of faith. Please visit our volunteering parish website at [guardianangelsbr.archtoronto.org/volunteering/volunteer-screening](http://guardianangelsbr.archtoronto.org/volunteering/volunteer-screening)

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**EMAIL SCAM ALERT**

In recent weeks there has been a sharp increase in the amount of fake/scam emails being received by parishioners throughout the archdiocese. These emails – usually sent from Gmail accounts operated by scammers - appear to be from a priest and often request the purchase of gift cards or electronic payments. Please exercise caution should you receive an email like this and contact the parish via telephone to validate its authenticity.



**FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF MOTHER MARY**

*Feast day: September 8*

*(excerpts from www.mycatholic.life/saints)*

“On December 8, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. That solemnity highlights the singular grace bestowed upon the Blessed Virgin Mary at the moment she was conceived. The Church dogma states, “...in the first instance of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege granted by Almighty God, in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the human race, was preserved free from all stain of original sin, is a doctrine revealed by God and therefore to be believed firmly and constantly by all the faithful” (Pope Pius IX, 1954).

Today’s Feast of the Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated exactly nine months after the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, just as Christmas is celebrated nine months after the Church remembers the Incarnation of the Son of God on the Solemnity of the Annunciation. The birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary is one of three liturgical feasts in which we celebrate a birth: Christmas, the Birth of Saint John the Baptist, and the Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Only the three most consequential figures in the Bible receive the honor of a liturgical celebration to commemorate their births.”

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**CHARITABLE GIFT OPTIONS**

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**IN LIEU OF FLOWERS:**

Flowers are one of the most common ways to honor someone after a loss. In most cultures, they are a sign of deep sympathy and compassion. However, many people are choosing to request ‘In Lieu of Flowers’ and asking a memorial contribution be left to a charity. If you are considering to include an ‘In Lieu of Flowers’ request at your memorial, please consider including our parish. It is a simple yet powerful way that you can show others that your Catholic faith is important to you.

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**SHARELIFE**

**Answer the call to compassion**

100,000 people in Toronto are expected to turn to food charities for the first time in 2024. Through our parish’s support, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto and a generous anonymous donor are committing \$750,000 to fund food banks and meal programs throughout the Archdiocese. Contact [www.sharelife.org/donate](http://www.sharelife.org/donate)

**PARISH FUNDRAISING EVENTS**

- Saturday, September 21 Guardian Angels Walk
- Sunday, November 3 International Food Festival
- Saturday/Sunday, November 23/24 Bake Sale
- Saturday, December 7 Christmas Concert
- Saturday, February 8, 2025 Valentine’s Dinner & Dance

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**“Do not forget that true love sets no conditions; it does not calculate or complain, but simple loves”**

Saint Pope John Paul II

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**WALK WITH AN ANGEL 8**

Saturday, September 21 at 8 a.m. sharp.

Pledge forms are available at the narthex.

All money collected will go towards our church expenses

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**YOUTH MINISTRY**

Registration session: September 7 & 8, 2024 after each Mass

**Start Date:**

- EDGE (Grades 3 to 8) - Saturday, September 28
- LIFETEEN (Grades 9 to 12) - Saturday, September 14

**Time:** 6:15 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**Venue:** Parish Hall

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**5<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE CONSECRATION OF GUARDIAN ANGELS CHURCH**

To celebrate this occasion, the 12 noon Mass will be celebrated by The Most Reverend Francis Leo, Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Reception in the parish hall immediately follows.

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**SUPPORT GUARDIAN ANGELS PARISH**



**← PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG)**

Email the form with a void cheque or bank information to [guardianangelsbr@archtoronto.org](mailto:guardianangelsbr@archtoronto.org)

**DONATE ONLINE**

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