

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

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MASS INTENTIONS



Sunday, September 15

- 9:00 a.m. +Micaela Carvalho
+Lenonita Narag by Gay Arevalo
10:30 a.m. +Rovenilda Novicio by Rachel Mallari
+Leonita Narag by Gay Arevalo
Spec.Int.-Riaz Mitra Nandan by Pereira Family

Monday, September 16

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Tuesday, September 17

7:30 a.m. Thanksgiving-Miguel Del Castillo

Wednesday, September 18

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Thursday, September 19

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Friday, September 20

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 21

5:00 p.m. +Deceased members of the Kenyan Community
by Jacklyn D'Souza

THE LORD'S PROMISE:

'Whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it.' (Mk 8:35b)

'Who do people say that I am?' Who do you think Jesus is? The depth of our faith is rooted in our answer. Is God calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon? If you think you are being called to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon 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.

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.

RCIA Information session: Tuesday, September 17 at 7 p.m.
RCIA Classes start on Tuesday, September 24 at 7 p.m.

REFLECTION on the 24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

Following the Messiah by Scott Hahn
Excerpts from young-catholics.com

'In today's Gospel, we reach a pivotal moment in our walk with the Lord. After weeks of listening to His words and witnessing His deeds, along with the disciples we're asked to decide who Jesus truly is.

Peter answers for them, and for us, too, when he declares: 'You are the Messiah.' Many expected the Messiah to be a miracle worker who would vanquish Israel's enemies and restore the kingdom of David (see John 6:15).

Jesus today reveals a different portrait. He calls Himself the Son of Man, evoking the royal figure Daniel saw in his heavenly visions (see Daniel 7:13-14). But Jesus' kingship is not to be of this world (see John 18:36). And the path to His throne, as He reveals, is by way of suffering and death.

Jesus identifies the Messiah with the suffering servant that Isaiah foretells in today's First Reading. The words of Isaiah's servant are Jesus' words—as He gives Himself to be shamed and beaten, trusting that God will be His help. We hear our Lord's voice again in today's Psalm, as He gives thanks that God has freed Him from the cords of death.

As Jesus tells us today, to believe that He is the Messiah is to follow His way of self-denial—losing our lives to save them in order to rise with Him to new life. Our faith, we hear again in today's Epistle, must express itself in works of love (see Galatians 5:6).

Notice that Jesus questions the Apostles today 'along the way.' They are on the way to Jerusalem, where the Lord will lay down His life. We, too, are on a journey with the Lord.

We must take up our cross, giving to others and enduring all our trials for His sake and the sake of the Gospel.

Our lives must be an offering of thanksgiving for the new life He has given us until that day when we reach our destination and walk before the Lord in the land of the living.

CHARITABLE GIFT OPTIONS

SECURITIES:

You can now support the Church using securities (stocks, mutual funds, bonds). You will not have to pay any capital gains on your securities gift and you will get a tax receipt for the full amount. Also, you can divide up your gift as you wish (e.g., Parish offertory or building fund, ShareLife, The Shepherds' Trust, St. Augustine's Seminary, special collections, etc.). It's very easy to do. For more information, please contact the Parish office or the Development Office of the Archdiocese of Toronto at 416 934 3411 or email development@archtoronto.org

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.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

ONLINE REGISTRATION DEADLINE: **OCTOBER 1, 2024**

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

- For children in Grade 2 or older
- **MANDATORY ATTENDANCE REQUIRED:**
 - **Parent’s information session:**
October 26, 2024
10 a.m. | Parish Hall
 - **Catechism Classes:**
2024: October 26, November 2,9,16,23,30,
2025: February 22, March 1,22,29, April 5,12
10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Parish Hall



CONFIRMATION:

- For children in Grade 7 or older
- **MANDATORY ATTENDANCE REQUIRED:**
 - **Parent’s information session:**
October 19, 2024
3 p.m. | Parish Hall
 - **Catechism Classes:**
2024: October 26, November 2,9,16,23,30,
2025: February 22, March 1,22,29, April 5,12
3 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. | Parish Hall
 - *After each class, attendance at the 5 p.m. Saturday Mass along with the whole class*



MARTYRS OF KOREA

*Feast day: September 20
(excerpts from www.mycatholic.life/saints)*

“The men and women who were slain because they refused to deny Christ in the nation of Korea. The faith was brought to Korea in a unique fashion. The intellectuals of that land, eager to learn about the world, discovered some Christian books procured through Korea’s embassy to the Chinese capital. One Korean, Ni-seung-houn, went to Beijing in 1784 to study Catholicism and was baptized Peter Ri. Returning to Korea, he converted many others. In 1791, when these Christians were suddenly viewed as foreign traitors, two of Peter Ri’s converts were martyred, men named Paul Youn and Jacques Kuen. The faith endured, however, and when Father James Tsiou, a Chinese, entered Korea three years later, he was greeted by four thousand Catholics. Father Tsiou worked in Korea until 1801 when he was slain by authorities. Three decades later the Prefecture Apostolic of Korea was established by Pope Leo XII, after he received a letter smuggled out of Korea by faithful Catholics. In 1836, Monsignor Lawrence Imbert managed to enter Korea. Others arrived, and they worked until 1839, when a full persecution started, bringing about the martyrdom of the European priests. Young Korean candidates for the priesthood were sent to Macau for ordination. The first native priest, Andrew Kim Taegon, returned to Korea in 1845 and was martyred the following year. Severe persecution followed, and Catholics fled to the mountains, still spreading the faith. In 1864, a new persecution claimed the lives of two bishops, six French missionaries, another Korean priest, and eight thousand Korean Catholics. The Korean martyrs of 1839, 1846, and 1867 were canonized in Korea in 1984 by Pope John Paul II.”

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

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

WALK WITH AN ANGEL (YEAR 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

YOUTH MINISTRY

- 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

5th 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.

INDEGENOUS HEALING & RECONCILIATION FUND COLLECTION

DATE: October 5 & 6, 2024
For more information or to donate online, visit
www.archtoronto.org/healingand reconciliation

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