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Feast of the Holy Family



Sunday, December 29

 9:00 a.m.
 No Mass Intentions

 10:30 a.m.
 Thanksgiving-Pamugas Family by Roger Pamugas +Ricardo Pangantihon by Ma.Socorro Pangantihon

Monday, December 30

7:30 a.m. Thanksgiving-Menchie Tuano

Tuesday, December 31

5:00 p.m. Spec.Int.-Joseph & Biju Punnooran by Punnooran Family

Wednesday, January 1

9:00 a.m.	No Mass Intentions
10:30 a.m.	Thanksgiving-Berroya Family
	Thanksgiving-Del Castillo Family

Thursday, January 2

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Friday, January 3

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions 7:00 p.m. No Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 4

5:00 p.m. +Rufina Magbanua by Ma. Socorro Pangantihon

THE LORD'S PROMISE:

"For you shall eat the fruit of your handiwork, blessed shall you be and favored." (Ps. 128:2)

By Baptism we are God's holy family. Pray today for the grace to live faithfully your vocation as a single, married, ordained, or consecrated person. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact t 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.

NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE

NEW YEAR'S EVE: Tuesday, December 31st : 5 p.m. NEW YEAR'S DAY /FEAST OF MARY:

Wednesday, January 1^{st} : 9 a.m. | 10:30 a.m. | 12 p.m.

REFLECTION on Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph Our True Home Excerpts from young-catholics.com

"Why did Jesus choose to become a baby born of a mother and father and to spend all but His last years living in an ordinary human family? In part, to reveal God's plan to make all people live as one "holy family" in His Church (see 2 Corinthians 6:16–18).

In the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, God reveals our true home. We're to live as His children, "chosen ones, holy and beloved," as the First Reading puts it.

The family advice we hear in today's readings—for mothers, fathers, and children—is all solid and practical. Happy homes are the fruit of our faithfulness to the Lord, we sing in today's Psalm. But the Liturgy is inviting us to see more, to see how, through our family obligations and relationships, our families become heralds of the family of God that He wants to create on earth.

Jesus shows us this in today's Gospel. His obedience to His earthly parents flows directly from His obedience to the will of His heavenly Father. Joseph and Mary aren't identified by name, but three times are called "his parents" and are referred to separately as his "mother" and "father." The emphasis is all on their familial ties to Jesus. But these ties are emphasized only so that Jesus, in the first words He speaks in Luke's Gospel, can point us beyond that earthly relationship to the Fatherhood of God.

In what Jesus calls "my Father's house," every family finds its true meaning and purpose (see Ephesians 3:15). The Temple we read about in the Gospel today is God's house, His dwelling (see Luke 19:46). But it's also an image of the family of God, the Church (see Ephesians 2:19–22; Hebrews 3:3–6; 10:21).

In our families we're to build up this household, this family, this living temple of God—until He reveals His new dwelling among us and says of every person: "I shall be his God and he will be my son" (see Revelation 21:3, 7)."



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January 3rd FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION

6:00 p.m. – EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – Silent adoration and HOLY HOUR

 $7{:}30\ p.m.\ -\ HOLY\ MASS$

ST. GENEVIEVE

Feast day: January 3 Patron of Paris



JUBILEE YEAR 2025

All are welcome to join the solemn opening of the Jubilee Year with a Eucharistic Celebration at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica on Sunday, December 29, 2024 | 5:00 p.m.

Pilgrim Destinations during the Jubilee year:

Archdiocesan Shrines	St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, Toronto. Martyrs' Shrine, Midland
Central Region	St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto
	St. Mary's Parish, Toronto
	St. Edward the Confessor Parish, North York
Western Region	Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Etobicoke
	St. Mary's Parish, Brampton
Eaastern Region	St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough
	St. Gregory the Great Parish, Oshawa
Northern Region	St. Padre Pio Parish, Kleinburg
	St. Mary's Parish, Barrie

VALENTINE DINNER & DANCE

Saturday, February 1, 2025 6:30 p.m. | Guardian Angels Parish Hall

Tickets: \$50 per Adult | \$25 per child under 12 This is a great opportunity to advertise your business in our souvenir magazine. For more details, email <u>gapfundraising@gmail.com</u>

All proceeds will go toward the expenses of our church.

PILGRIMAGE: MEDJUGORJE, CROATIA, HUNGARY, AUSTRIA, CZECH REP. & POLAND

- Spiritual Director: Fr. Ravi Kakumanu
- May 25 June 6, 2025 (12 days)
- \$4,850 includes all taxes & tips
- Contact: Joanita 647.262.2532 | joanita2008@live.ca



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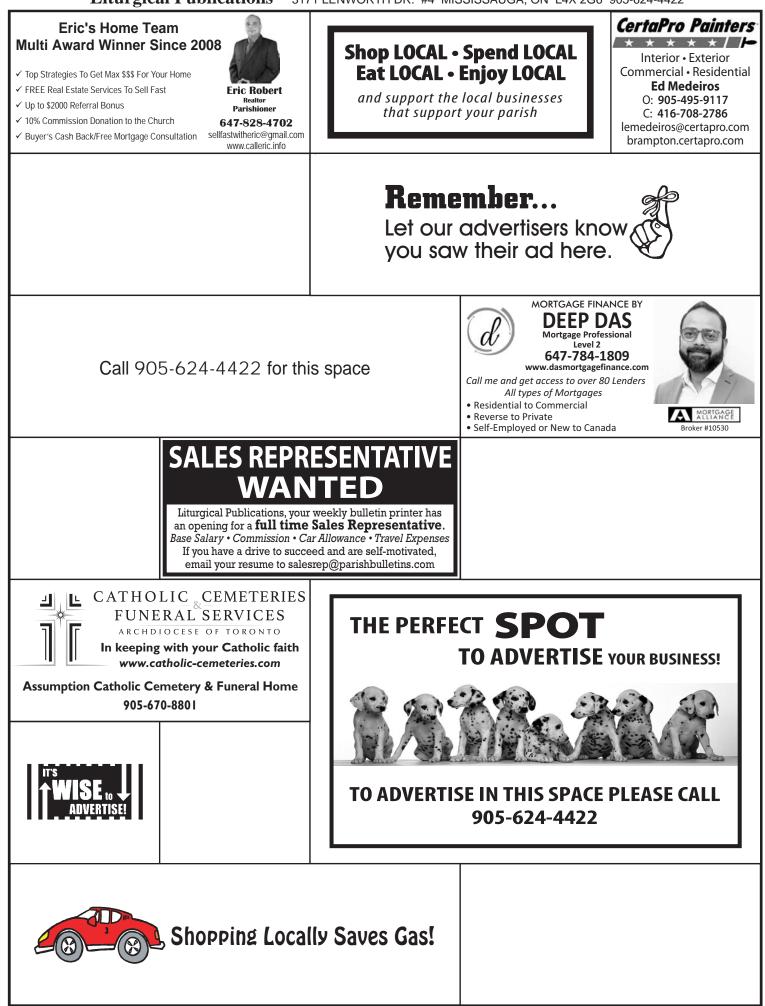


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