

# ST. ANN PARISH

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## Holy Eucharist

### Daily Mass

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.  
(Mass at St. Ann Rectory)

Fridays (Adoration) 6:00 p.m.

(Holy Eucharist) 7:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

### Sunday

10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

**Native Peoples' Mass** 12:30 p.m.

**Bridgepoint Hospital** 2:30 p.m.

## OFFICE HOURS

### Sunday – Tuesday:

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

### Wednesday & Thursday:

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Friday & Saturday:** Closed

## Pastoral Staff

**Pastor** Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC

### In Residence

Fr. Francis Noronha, CSC

**Secretary** Daniel Romero

**Finance** Anne Francis

### Pastoral Assistant

Maria Fernandes

**Baptism** Fe Santos

**RCIA** Rolly Cabas

### Development & Peace

Catherine Barry

### Food Bank

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

**Music** Ronald Vengie Fabre

**Custodian** Ed Keenan

### Caretaker

Rosalie Tolentino

## Celebration of Sacraments

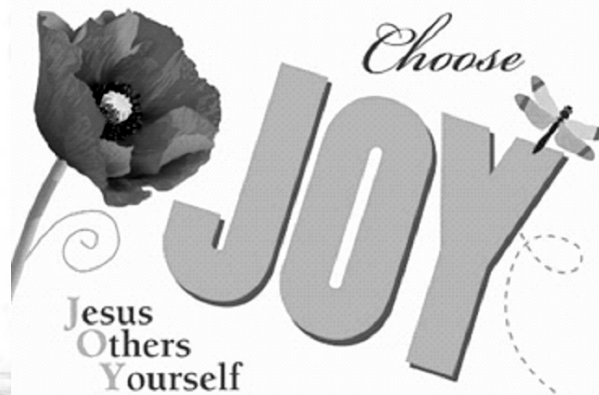
**Baptism:** preparation required  
(please contact office)

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays 4:15-  
4:45 p.m. or by appointment

**Matrimony:** (couple contacts  
office one year in advance)

# THE YEAR OF JOY

**UNITY IN DIVERSITY** "Moved by the Good News of  
Jesus Christ... We value our diversity" **(Mission Statement)**



"Abide in me as I  
abide in you... and  
you will bear much  
fruit and become my  
disciples... I have  
loved you, abide in  
my love. I have spoken  
to you, that my joy  
may be in you, and  
that your joy may be  
full"

John 15: 7-11

## Saturdays

9:15 - 10:45 a.m.: **Food Bank**

4:15 p.m.: **Novena to St. Bro. Andre**

4:30 p.m.: **Novena to St. Ann**

6:00 p.m.: 1st Saturdays - **Healing Service**

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.: **Holy Family Prayer Group**

## Sundays

9:15 a.m.: **Divine Mercy & Rosary**

10:30 a.m. Mass: **Children's Liturgy**

### 1st Sundays

11:30 a.m.: Development and Peace Group

### Fair Trade - Coffee Sunday

### 4th Sundays

3:00 p.m.: **Rosary Makers Program**

## Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council

Finance Council

Liturgy/Faith Formation

Holy Cross Family Ministry

Altar Servers

Music Ministry

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Collection Counters

Hospitality committee

St. Ann Parish Food Bank

Development and Peace

Refugee Resettlement Group

Holy Family Prayer Group

Holy Cross Youth Group

Handmaids of the Lord

Couples Ministry

Grief Ministry

# FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: FEBRUARY 08, 2020 CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF JOY

## Mass Intentions

(February 07, 2020 – February 15, 2020)

**Friday, February 07:** 7:00 p.m.

+ Omoleen Alfanso *Req.* Maria Fernandez

+ Leo Carvalho *Req.* Maria Fernandez

Intentions of Arlene Palma *Req.* Arlene Palma

Intentions of Toro Young and Dunn Family *Req.* by Family

**Monday, February 10:** 8:00 a.m.

Intentions of Arlene Palma *Req.* Arlene Palma

**Friday, February 14:** 7:00 p.m.

Intentions of Arlene Palma *Req.* Arlene Palma

## Rosary Makers Training Program

The Holy Cross Family Ministries at St. Ann Parish are hosting our next group of Rosary Makers' Training event at 3 pm on **February 23, 2020** in the Parish Hall. If you would like to become a Rosary Maker, please fill out the Form. For more information contact:

Fr. Wilson Andrade, CSC at 416 466 2127 or email: [familyministry.canada@gmail.com](mailto:familyministry.canada@gmail.com) or Website: [www.hcfm-canada.com](http://www.hcfm-canada.com)

## 2020: Year of Joy - Month of February: Marriage and Consecrated Life



In 2014, on the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Proclamation of the *Lumen Gentium*, Pope Francis in his address to the consecrated life, he invited all faithful to reflect on the universal Call to Holiness. He explained some of the Aims of the Year of Consecrated Life is “to look to the past with gratitude, to live in the present with passion, and to embrace the future with hope.” He invited everyone “to wake up the world, since the distinctive sign of consecrated life is prophecy. “Radical evangelical living is not only for religious: it is demanded of everyone.

But religious follow the Lord in a special way, in a prophetic way.” This is the priority that is needed right now: “to be prophets who witness to how Jesus lived on this earth... a religious must never abandon prophecy” During this year of Joy and I invite you to reflect on your consecrated life. We are consecrated in our baptism and received the call to Holiness. Let us keep awake and wake up the world with justice, peace and love. In a concrete way, I invite you to take time to reflect on your life, your faith journey of life, if possible to read a book and go for a retreat or spiritual direction.

## Marriage Sunday on February 8/9, 2020

Marriage Sunday highlights the importance of the sacrament of marriage and complements World Marriage Sunday celebrations that take place across North America.

The Celebration of Marriage Mass will take place on **Sunday, February 9, 2020** at **St. Isaac Jogues Parish** (1148 Finch Avenue, Pickering) at **3:00 p.m.**. Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside over this special

Mass where all are welcome to attend and married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows. Please note that everyone wishing to attend is required to register before the **deadline of February 4, 2020** to secure a seat. All married couples are invited to attend; however, reserved seating will be available **only** for couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th and 60+ wedding anniversaries. Non-reserved seating will be provided on a first-come first-served basis to all other married couples, family members, friends and others attending the Mass (doors open at 2 p.m.).

"Marriage is a precious sign, for when a man and a woman celebrate the sacrament of marriage, God is, as it were, 'mirrored' in them; he impresses in them his own features and the indelible character of his love. Marriage is the icon of God's love for us."

From Pope Francis' *Amoris Laetitia*



*A Celebration of Marriage*  
in the Archdiocese of Toronto



# FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: FEBRUARY 08, 2020

## CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF JOY

### World day of the Sick – 2020

*“Come to me, all you who labour and are burdened, and I will give you rest” (Mt 11:28)*

- These words of Christ express the solidarity of the Son of Man with all those who are hurt and afflicted. How many people suffer in both body and soul! Jesus urges everyone to draw near to him – “Come to me!” – and he promises them comfort and repose. Jesus repeats these words to the sick, the oppressed, and the poor. For they realize that they depend entirely on God and, beneath the burden of their trials, stand in need of his healing. Jesus does not make demands of those who endure situations of frailty, suffering and weakness, but offers his mercy and his comforting presence.
- Only those who personally experience suffering are then able to comfort others. There are so many kinds of grave suffering: incurable and chronic diseases, psychological diseases, situations calling for rehabilitation or palliative care, numerous forms of disability, children’s or geriatric diseases... At times human warmth is lacking in our approach to these. What is needed is a personalized approach to the sick, not just of *curing* but also of *caring*, in view of an integral human healing. In experiencing illness, individuals not only feel threatened in their physical integrity, but also in the relational, intellectual, affective and spiritual dimensions of their lives. For this reason, in addition to therapy and support, they expect care and attention. In a word, love. At the side of every sick person, there is also a family, which itself suffers and is in need of support and comfort.
- Dear healthcare professionals, let us always remember that diagnostic, preventive and therapeutic treatments, research, care and rehabilitation are always in the service of the sick person; indeed the noun “person” takes priority over the adjective “sick”. In your work, may you always strive to promote the dignity and life of each person, and reject any compromise in the direction of euthanasia, assisted suicide or suppression of life, even in the case of terminal illness.
- Let us remember that life is sacred and belongs to God; hence it is inviolable and no one can claim the right to dispose of it freely (cf. *Donum Vitae*, 5; *Evangelium Vitae*, 29-53). Life must be welcomed, protected, respected and served from its beginning to its end: both human reason and faith in God, the author of life, require this. In some cases, conscientious objection becomes a necessary decision if you are to be consistent with your “yes” to life and to the human person. Your professionalism, sustained by Christian charity, will be the best service you can offer for the safeguarding of the truest human right, the right to life. When you can no longer provide a cure, you will still be able to provide care and healing, through gestures and procedures that give comfort and relief to the sick.
- We thank to all those volunteers who serve the sick, often compensating for structural shortcomings, while reflecting the image of Christ, the Good Samaritan, by their acts of tender love and closeness.

### 2020 Lift Jesus Higher Rally

Date: Saturday, March 7, 2020 9:00 am to Saturday, March 7, 2020 5:30 pm

Place: Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W., Toronto. **COST:** \$25 for adults, \$15 for youth

The theme of this year’s rally is "**JESUS, LIGHT OF THE WORLD.**" Featuring inspired talks by: Ralph Martin; Christy Dupuis; Monsignor Gregory N. Smith; and keynote speaker Fr. James Mallon. An adult High Mass (with Sunday readings) will be celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins; a youth Mass (with Sunday readings); a separate youth event with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits (ages 13-18).

Contact: **PHONE:** (647) 243-9441. **EMAIL:** contact@ljhr.ca **WEBSITE:** www.ljhr.ca

### Divine Mercy Pilgrimage

**To the National Shrine** in Stockbridge, Massachusetts

Dates: April 18 –20, 2020

First Pick up Location: at 5: 30 am

Woodside Square Mall, 1571 Sandhurst Cir. Scarborough

Second Pickup Location: St Ann Parish, 711 Gerrard St. East

Double Occupancy \$ 565 /per person. (Price includes 3 days 2 night accommodation, 2 continental breakfast, 2 dinners, Highway coach, round trips, all taxes are included)

Non-refundable deposit \$150 per person due upon registration. Balance due or before March 10, 2020 *Reservation required as accommodation and seats are limited.*

Please call and register at 416- 466-2127 or call Lin at 416-837-9306

*Before 20<sup>th</sup> of Feb, 2020. Please bring your valid Canadian Passport.*



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