

# St. Theresa's Parish

## Shrine of the Little Flower

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*Pastor: Rev. Fr. Simon de Gale*

*Deacon: Rev. Mr. Peter Lovrick*

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### Sunday Masses

Saturday (Vigil) - 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday - 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 noon

### Weekday Masses

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday - 7:00 p.m.  
Tuesday - 7 p.m. (*St. Theresa Devotion & Benediction*)

### Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday, 2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

### Care of the Sick

Please contact the parish office for Visitation  
and/or Communion for the sick.

### Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday:  
9:00 a.m. – 12 noon & 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.  
Thursday, Saturday, Sunday: Office is closed  
(Above Schedule Subject to Change)

### Weekend Parking Availability

1. Church parking is limited. Please park within the lines;
2. Scarborough Cres. (dead end street in front of the church) - east side only;
3. Kingston Rd. - north and south sides on weekends;
4. Midland Ave. - east and west sides near John Leslie School;
5. Kelsonia Ave. - north side (east of Scarborough Cres. only);
6. Certain parts of the residential area south of the church;
7. No Frills Plaza. (If shopping after mass).

**Please ensure that you always observe the parking signs.**

**SIGN UP!** We encourage parishioners to sign up on our parish website to receive an electronic copy of the parish bulletin or be notified of important parish announcements

### Confessions

Friday: 6:30PM; Saturday: 4:30PM;  
Sunday: 9:30AM & 11:30AM.  
(Begins 30 minutes before Mass and ends 10 minutes before the Mass)

### Baptisms

Every Fourth Sunday of the month  
Preparation Class - By appointment only

### Weddings

Couples planning to be married should contact  
the priest one year in advance.  
A marriage preparation course is mandatory.

### Parish Schools

St. Theresa's Shrine School - 416-393-5248  
St. John Henry Newman Catholic School - 416-393-5519  
TCDSB - 416-222-8282 ext. 5314

### Archdiocese of Toronto

416-934-0606 • [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org)

### Parish Outreach

### Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

416-261-7498 ext. 4

Welcome to St. Theresa Church, Shrine of the Little Flower, whether you are a long-time parishioner or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God that you are with us. If you have not registered or would like to update your registration information, please fill out this form, cut and drop in the Offertory basket or send to the Parish Office.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ New Parishioner   ☐ New Address   ☐ New Phone #  
☐ Request Offertory Envelope   ☐ Pls Unregister  
☐ Interested in volunteering? Please call the office.

**Please remember your Parish in your Will**



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Tuesday, September 13

#### **Saint John Chrysostom**

7:00 pm Thanksgiving for Angelique Quirke  
(*Laranang Family*)  
Healing of Chito Gonzales (*Madeleine Franco*)  
✠ Felipe Ampio (*Ampio Family*)  
✠ Catherine Cassidy (*Bernadette Tracey*)

### Wednesday, September 14

#### **The Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

7:00 pm ✠ Pauline & Je Fegan (*Donna Giblin*)  
✠ Thomas Cassidy (*Bernadette Tracey*)  
✠ Bartolome dela Cruz (*Redem Albano*)  
✠ Ramona Cericos (*Josefina Villapando*)

### Thursday, September 15

#### **Our Lady of Sorrows**

7:00 pm ✠ Carmen Donaldson (*Daphne King*)

### Friday, September 16

#### **Saints Cornelius & Cyprian**

7:00 pm Healing for Marita Reyes Cristobal (*Alex & Pam Catangui & Family*)  
✠ Florante Tameta (*Evelyn Chia-Tameta*)  
✠ All Souls in Purgatory

### Saturday, September 17 (Vigil Mass)

5:00 pm For the Parishioners of St Theresa Church

### Sunday, September 18

#### **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

10:00 am ✠ Teniente Estenor (*Guadalupe Fuentes*)  
12:00 pm ✠ Antonietta Macri (*Pat Savella*)



## Let Us Pray FOR THE SICK

Jenifer Benjamin, Marita Reyes Cristobal, Carmelina Aquino, Jack Miur, Madeleine Franco, Paul & Monica Brewster, Deborah Lemon, Josie Brienza, Vivian Potter, Nadia Moalic-Gagnon, Vesca Isaef, Susan Tighe, Marion Gram, Bobbi Melchers

### **DECEASED**

Carmen Donaldson, Leticia Aldorasi

## **COMMUNION FOR THE SICK & SHUT-INS**

Call parish office and let us know —416-261-7498.

## **ST. THÉRÈSE'S FEAST DAY CELEBRATION**

Saturday, October 1 at 5:00 pm,  
Sunday, October 2 at 10 am and 12 noon.

**Celebrate the life and spirit of St. Thérèse, our patroness, with Feast Day Mass, Blessing of the Roses, and Veneration of her Relics!**

In anticipation of the feast day celebration, a daily novena and Mass will be celebrated starting Wednesday, Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>. There will be veneration of relics with each novena Mass.

### **Novena and Mass Schedule**



Sept. 21, Wednesday – 7 pm  
Sept. 22, Thursday – 7 pm  
Sept. 23, Friday – 7 pm  
Sept. 24, Saturday – 4:45 pm  
Sept. 25, Sunday – 11:45 am  
Sept. 27, Tuesday – 7 pm  
Sept. 28, Wednesday – 7pm  
Sept. 29, Thursday – 7 pm  
Sept. 30, Friday – 7 pm

**How to participate in this year's Feast Day celebration:**

**Singers are invited to join the Choir!** We will have combined rehearsals on September 19 & 26 at 7:30 pm in the church, in preparation to the feast celebrations. Call 416-261-7498 if you are interested in joining the choir.

**Children are invited to participate in the Feast Day.** Learn about St Thérèse and help on the Feast Day. Sign-up sheets are available at the back of the church.

**Groups and families are invited to sponsor and volunteer for each Novena & Mass. Sponsors will take charge of the relics during veneration.** A minimum donation of \$100 will be requested from each sponsor.

**Support our t-shirt fundraising project.** We are collecting pre-orders for the St. Theresa t-shirts before and after each Mass. We will take orders until Tuesday, September 13.

We will be serving light refreshments after each Mass on Oct 1 and 2.



"Remember that nothing is small in the eyes of God.  
Do all that you do with love." — Thérèse of Lisieux

## SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

### GRADE 2 & UP

#### Registration

Takes place this September/October 2022.  
Parents/Guardians Please call the office for an appointment with Fr. Simon

#### Bring to the Appointment

A copy of Baptismal Certificate of Candidate  
(If not baptized at St. Theresa's)  
Registration Fee: \$35.

#### Mass attendance

First Holy Communion families must attend Mass every Sunday.

## SACRAMENT OF HOLY CONFIRMATION

### GRADE 7 & UP

#### Registration

Takes place this September/October 2022.  
Parents/Guardians Please call the office for an appointment with Fr. Simon

#### Bring to the Appointment

A copy of Baptismal Certificate of Confirmandi  
(If not baptized at St. Theresa's)  
Registration Fee: \$35.

#### Mass attendance

Confirmandi must attend Mass every Sunday

#### Sponsor

Determine who will be the sponsor for the Confirmandi at the Mass of Confirmation

### COLLECTION REPORT

	July 30/31	Aug 6/7	Aug 13/14	Aug 20/21	Aug 27/28
Offertory	1,802.65	3,956.65	2,231.35	2,044.05	1,600.83
Offertory PAG	315.62	315.62	315.62	315.62	315.62
Renovation	5.00	780.75	195.00	55.00	20.00
Renovation PAG	117.87	117.87	117.87	117.87	117.87
<b>Online Donations (June &amp; July)</b>	1,459.47				
Candles	638.07				631.15
Mass Stipend		300.00	300.00	20.00	220.00
Wedding					200.00
Funeral		175.00	350.00		
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION: \$</b>	<b>4,338.68</b>	<b>5,645.89</b>	<b>3,509.84</b>	<b>2,552.54</b>	<b>3,105.47</b>
Weekly Collection Budget (to break- even with overhead)	4,450.00	4,450.00	4,450.00	4,450.00	4,450.00
<b>DEFICIT: \$</b>	<b>-111.32</b>	<b>1,195.89</b>	<b>- 940.16</b>	<b>-1,897.46</b>	<b>-1,344.53</b>

### BUNDLE-UP COLLECTION

Bring your donations on the weekend of Oct 8 & 9 for the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul's Bundle Up Collection.

## BEQUESTS

A bequest to our Church in your Will is an acknowledgment of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can have a favourable impact on your overall estate plan.

Bequests are NOT just for the wealthy! Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities or departments in your Will. Let your Will reflect your Catholic values.

We have a free estate planning guide to help you make your plan. The Archdiocese of Toronto also maintains a list of advisors across the GTA who are available to assist in your estate planning and the preparation of a Will.

Please contact us at [Development@archtoronto.org](mailto:Development@archtoronto.org) for a list of Catholic estate advisors in your area. Remember about the importance of using the correct legal names when arranging bequests or other planned gifts.

For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 Ext. 561/519 or email at [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).

## Love Thy Neighbour Scholarship

To celebrate Catholic Family Services of Toronto's 100th year anniversary, a one-time scholarship of \$5,000 is offered to a deserving student who exemplifies the golden rule: "Love Thy Neighbour."

#### Eligibility:

- ☐ Toronto residents
- ☐ Applying to or currently enrolled in a community service (or other related) program that reflects CFST's values, such as Nursing, Social Work, Mental Health services or Counselling
- ☐ Applicants from all ethnic, religious, cultural, and socioeconomic groups are welcome

#### Requirements:

- ☐ One short essay (250 words)
- ☐ Two short-answer questions (see [website](#) for details)
- ☐ Resume / CV
- ☐ One letter of reference
- ☐ Most recent school transcript
- ☐ Proof of enrollment in Fall 2022 semester

**Deadline:** October 10, 2022

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