

St. Theresa's Parish

Shrine of the Little Flower

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Sunday Masses

Saturday (Vigil) - 5:00 PM
Sunday - 10:00 AM & 12:00 noon

Weekday Masses

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

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM

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 AM – 12 noon & 1:00 – 5:00 PM
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: 6:30 PM; Saturday: 4:30 PM;
Sunday: 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM.
(Begins 30 minutes before Mass and ends 10 minutes before the Mass)

Baptisms

By Appointment
Preparation Class Required

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
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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, October 24

7:00 pm † Wildrido Paragas (*Belen Bayawa*)
† Carmelo Cornacchia (*Incoronata Cornacchia*)
† Margaret David & Mary White-Reel

Wednesday, October 25

7:00 pm

Thursday, October 26

7:00 pm Special Intention for Shanon McGivern (*John McGivern*)
† Robert Robertson (*Marian Robertson*)
† Laura & Deceased Members of Salmingo Family

Friday, October 27

7:00 pm † All Souls in Purgatory
† Margaret David (*Joseph Pelliccione*)

Saturday, October 28 (Vigil Mass)

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm For Parishioners of St Theresa's Church

Sunday, October 29

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am † Ivy Geoffrey Westerhout (*Linda, Marriane, Giles, Rita & Family*)
12:00 pm Thanksgiving for Wedding Anniversary of Ivy & Jovit de los Reyes

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading

Isaiah 45:1,4-6

The Lord chooses Cyrus to subdue the nations for the sake of Israel.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 96:1,3-10

Sing praise to the Lord.

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Paul greets the Thessalonians, recalling the Gospel they received.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 22:15-21

The Pharisees send their disciples to test Jesus with a question about taxes.

"DAILY READINGS" ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE PARISH WEBSITE.

Pope Francis Prays for Peace in Middle East

Pope Francis asked for prayers for sustained peace in the Middle East.

"I am following apprehensively and sorrowfully what is happening in Israel where the violence has exploded even more ferociously, causing hundreds of deaths and casualties," said the Holy Father. "I express my closeness to the families and the victims."

He continued, **"I am praying for them and for all who are living hours of terror and anguish. May the attacks and weaponry cease. Please! And let it be understood that terrorism and war do not lead to any resolutions, but only to the death and suffering of so many innocent people. War is a defeat! Let us pray that there will be peace in Israel and in Palestine."**

"In this month of October dedicated, in addition to the missions, to praying the Rosary, let us not tire of asking through Mary's intercession for the gift of peace in the many countries throughout the world marked by war and conflicts," Pope Francis concludes, "And let us continue to remember the dear Ukraine, which suffers so much every day, which is so battered."



FOR THE SICK

Ed and Elvie Tan, Juan Amor, Ethlyn Cornwall, Rene Sagolili, Ethlyn Cornwell, Phyllis Bowden, Earl Villareal, Patrick Wallington, John Facchini, Sally Baker, Irene Barnes, Belinda Lobo, Edward Ramit, Margaret Wilson, Norma Salmingo, Judy Discutido, Susan Tighe, Vivian Potter, Carmelina Aquino, Paul & Monica Brewster

FOR THE DEAD

Mary White-Reel

Today is World Mission Sunday
Special Collection

There will be a second collection today for the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as World Mission Sunday. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church and it is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic Communities globally. Offerings are combined with offerings from other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. We are called to share from our abundance with those less fortunate who lack the basic essentials to know, love and praise God. Thank you for your support of this important work.

REGISTRATION IS ONGOING

First Holy Communion & Holy Confirmation

Please see Fr Simon after Mass on Saturday or Sunday for application form. Deadline of registration is on Sunday, October 29, 2023.

Requirements

FIRST COMMUNION	CONFIRMATION
Grade 2 & up	Grade 7 & up
Completed form	Completed form
Copy of candidate's baptism certificate	- Copy of Confirmandi's baptism certificate - Copy of Sponsor's Confirmation certificate
Registration fee: \$35	Registration fee: \$35
Mass Attendance	Mass Attendance

Coming Together

The Importance of Parish Community

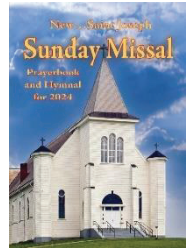


Huge Thanks to the organizers, and to all those who volunteered in the Pie-Making this Saturday – parishioners, parents, and students from neighbouring schools.

The pies will be sold during our Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 18. All proceeds benefit our parish.

NEW SUNDAY MISSALS

Liturgical Year B will start on the First Sunday of Advent, December 3, 2023. The new Sunday Missals will soon be available at the back of the church for \$5.00 each.



COLLECTION REPORTS:	Sept 23/24	Sept 30/Oct 1	Oct 7/8	Oct 14/15
Offertory	2,524.60	3,420.20	3,502.05	2,143.65
Renovation	25.00	1,008.00	495.00	125.00
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Renovation Pre-Authorize Giving (PAG)	122.85	122.85	122.85	122.85
Online Donations	565.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
Mass Stipends	50.00	190.00	115.00	50.00
Feast Day Offerings	540.00	1,190.00	465.00	
Candles	413.50	493.00	276.70	
Funeral		350.00		
TOTAL COLLECTION: \$	4,563.63	7,146.73	5,349.28	2,814.18
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
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