

# St. Theresa's Parish

## Shrine of the Little Flower

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*Pastor: Rev. Fr. Simon de Gale*

*Deacon: Rev. Mr. Peter Lovrick*

*Secretary: Maria Ciela Sarmiento*



### Sunday Masses

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

### Weekday Masses

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

### 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 to Friday  
9:00 AM – 12 noon & 1:00 – 4:30 PM  
Office is closed on Saturday, Sunday & Holidays  
**(Above Schedules are 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  
TCDSB - 416-222-8282 ext. 5314

### Archdiocese of Toronto

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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, November 21

#### The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 pm † Wilfrido Paragas (*Belen Bayawa*)  
† Rosario Michele Pulcino (*Incoronata  
Cornacchia*)  
† Marie Tumolo (*Ellie Cifra*)

### Wednesday, November 22

#### Saint Cecilia

7:00 pm † Raymund Juchniewicz (*Juchniewicz Family*)

### Thursday, November 23

7:00 pm † Deceased Members of the Peer, Tomas,  
Freitas & Viera Family

### Friday, November 24

#### Saint Andrew Dng-Lac and Companions

7:00 pm † All Souls in Purgatory  
† Domingo Robles-Albano (*Albano Family*)  
† Anicia Ampio (Ampio Family)

### Saturday, November 25 (Vigil Mass)

#### Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

5:00 pm † Pat Wood & Thomas Cassidy (*Bernadette  
Tracey*)

### Sunday, November 26

#### Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

10:00 am For Parishioners of St Theresa's Church  
12:00 pm † Helena Juchniewicz (*Juchniewicz Family*)



## Let Us Pray

### FOR THE SICK

Maureen Seguin, Colleen Mills, Ed Tan, Rene Sagolili, 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

Maria Toffoli

## PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

*What will you say when you meet God face to face? Better still, what will God say to you? Will you be able to answer that you served faithfully? Can you answer that now?* If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact: Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997, Email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

## THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS

### First Reading

*Proverbs 31:10-13,19-20,30-31*

The virtues of a good wife are extolled.

### Responsorial Psalm

*Psalm 128:1-2,3,4-5*

Blessed are those who walk in God's ways.

### Second Reading

*1 Thessalonians 5:1-6*

Paul warns the Thessalonians to stay alert because the day of the Lord cannot be predicted.

### Gospel Reading

*Matthew 25:14-30*

Jesus tells the parable of the talents, in which he teaches about the importance of using the gifts that God has given to us in service to the Kingdom of Heaven.



### LET US ALL WELCOME DEACON PETER TRAN TO OUR PARISH.

He will be serving our parish starting this weekend. Deacon Peter is from Vietnam and is doing advanced studies at St. Augustine's Seminary before returning to Vietnam.

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## The Shepherds' Trust Collection

There will be a second collection this weekend for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

All FHC Candidates with their families are expected to attend Mass on Sunday

### First Test

Month of November/December

Contact Fr Simon for Test appointment.

## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

### Enrolment Mass

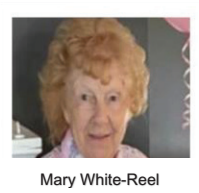
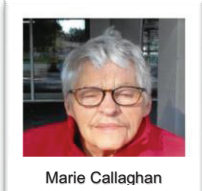
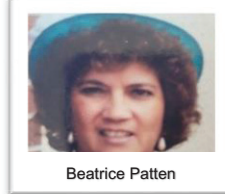
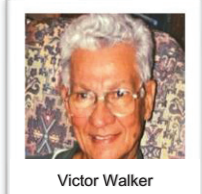
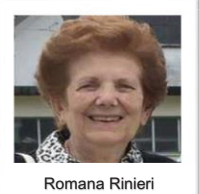
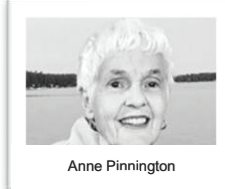
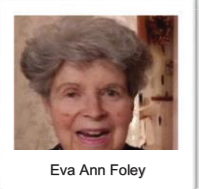
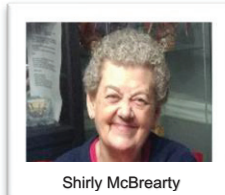
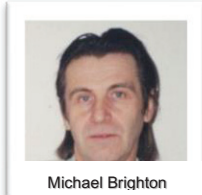
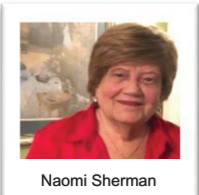
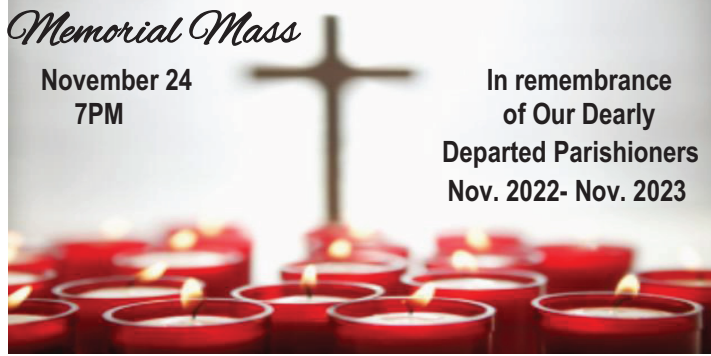
All Confirmandi must attend:

Sunday, November 19 at the 10AM Mass.

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Month of December

Contact Fr Simon for Test appointment



*May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

You are invited to write the names of your departed loved ones to the **Book of Life**. They will be remembered at all Masses in November. If you wish to donate in memory of a deceased loved one, you may use an All-Souls envelope. Envelopes can be placed in the special wooden box near the **Book of Life**.

**Our Religious Gift Shop is Taking Orders for your Christmas Shopping**

The church's gift shop will open the weekends of Dec 2/3 and Dec 9/10. If you want to order for advent gifts, complete the purchase order form available at the back of the church no later than the weekend of Nov 18/19.

**SSVP'S CHRISTMAS OUTREACH PROGRAM**

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul's Christmas outreach has begun. This program helps to provide a good Christmas for those in our community who are struggling just to get by. Over the next few weeks, we will be reaching out to you at weekend Masses to help us help all of them. Consider including on your Christmas giving list those in our neighbourhood who are in need.

Most needed are donations of cash or cheques, \$25 PC Gift Cards or \$25 Walmart Gift Cards, all of which will assist us with our Christmas outreach.

Complete a grey Saint Vincent de Paul donation envelope when making your donation and we will send you a Tax Receipt in February 2024.

As always, we thank you for your prayers and continued support of our SSVP Mission to 'make a difference'. ♥

**"Out of the Cold" Collection**

November 25 & 26

Next weekend, the Knights of Columbus are doing their annual 'Out of the Cold' collection for the Good Shepherd Mission in Toronto. They are looking for gently used coats, hats, gloves to help prepare for the coming winter. The Mission also needs blue jeans, t-shirts and towels. New socks and underwear are a great help. Shampoo, deodorant, razors, soap, toothpaste and tooth brushes are other helpful items. Cash donations are also accepted. ♥

COLLECTION REPORT NOVEMBER 11 & 12	
Offertory	2,952.00
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Mass Stipends	110.00
First Holy Communion Fees	665.00
Confirmation Fees	350.00
Candles	283.00
All Souls	230.00
Missals	195.00
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION: \$</b>	<b>5,370.53</b>
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00
<b>Surplus: \$</b>	<b>870.53</b>
ARCHDIOCESAN COLLECTIONS	
Shepherds' Trust	20.00

**TOGETHER AS A COMMUNITY WE CAN DO SO MUCH.**

**Thanks so much for supporting our CHRISTMAS FAIR ♥**

**FLU PREVENTION TIP**

Please help us reduce the spread of colds and flu this season. Please do not leave used facial tissues in the church pews. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated.

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