

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

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

EUCCHARISTIC 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 - 6:50 PM; Saturday: 4:30 - 4:50 PM
Sunday: 9-9:50 AM & 11:20 - 11:50 AM

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.

RCIA

If you know anyone interested in becoming Catholic,
please contact the office.

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

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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, April 15

7:00 pm Thanksgiving of Maximo Go, Jr.

Thanksgiving for Dennis Thomas (*Thomas Family*)

✠ Roxanne Hipolito (*Marcy Salmingo*)

✠ Arthur Calderon (*Judy Romero*)

Wednesday, April 16

7:00 pm ✠ All Souls in Purgatory

✠ Selma Mendonca (*Yvonne & Sebastian D'sousa*)

Thursday, April 17

8:00 pm

Friday, April 18

Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

3:00 pm

Saturday, April 19

Easter Vigil

8:00 pm

Sunday, April 20

Easter Sunday

10:00 am Parishioners of St Theresa's Church

12:00 noon Parishioners of St Theresa's Church



Let Us Pray FOR THE SICK

Derek Pinder, Tony Loginow, Robert Seguin, Aurelio Cifra, Carmelina Aquino, Jan Melchers, Paul Pinnington, Jim King, Adrian & Marcelle Britto, Derek Dalton, Gordon Gibling, Paul & Vivian Potter, Sheila Wilson, Sally Baker, Norma Salmingo, Paul & Monica Brewster



Light A Sanctuary Candle

Offering: \$20.00

WEEK OF APRIL 13, 2025

Blessed Sacrament: Special Intention of Fr Simon

Blessed Virgin Mary: Special Intention of Fr Simon



Jubilee Year 2025 Pilgrims of Hope

PILGRIMAGE TO MARTYRS SHRINE
Midland, Ontario on June 14, 2025

Depart church: 7AM | Arrival back: 6:30pm

Cost: Senior \$30 | Adult \$40 | Children \$15

Parishioners, please register at the back of the church if you want to be counted. Further details will be announced once program is finalized.



PASSION SUNDAY

Palm Sunday is the final Sunday of Lent, the beginning of Holy Week, and commemorates the triumphant arrival of Christ in Jerusalem days before he was crucified.

The liturgical colour used on Palm Sunday is red symbolizing the redemption in blood that Christ paid for the world. (www.catholic.org)

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PARISH CONFESSIONS

Tuesday, April 15

Begins immediately

following the 7 pm Mass

Ten priests are available to hear your confessions

(No St Therese Devotions on this day)



HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17

8:00 pm Mass of the Last Supper

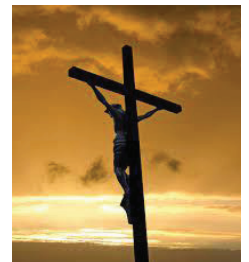
GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18

Universal day of Fast & Abstinence

9:00 am Good Friday Walk

3:00 pm Good Friday Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross



HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19

8:00 pm Easter Vigil

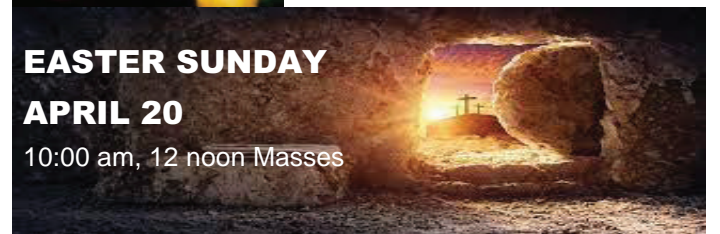
(No 5pm Mass)



EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 20

10:00 am, 12 noon Masses



DAY WITH MARY

Saturday, May 31, 2025

Villanova College, King City



Learn more and register

THE REQUIRED FAST & ABSTINENCE ON GOOD FRIDAY

The fast on Good Friday.

The required (minimum) fast on Good Friday involves eating only one full meal on those days. One or two smaller meals may be taken on those days, but may not total one full meal. The required fast does not allow eating anything between meals.

Abstinence on Good Friday

Abstinence on this day from meat does not intend the omission of eggs or dairy products.

Age Requirements

All Catholics who have completed their 14th year are bound by the law of abstinence; all adults are bound by the law of fast up to the beginning of their 60th year.

Abstinence on Fridays of the Year

It is a requirement of our Faith that we abstain from meat on all the Fridays of the year (except on Solemnities & Feasts) in commemoration of our Saviour's death (an act of charity may be substituted for this abstinence from meat).

Abstinence on these days from meat does not intend the omission of eggs or dairy products.

SIGN-UP FOR TOTUS TUUS PARISH SUMMER CAMP!

DAY CAMP

For Children starting grades 1 to 6 in September 2025.

The day program will run from Monday, July 21, to Friday, July 25, from 8:45 am to 2:30 pm. **Registration fee is \$125 (\$25 for subsequent siblings) for the week (includes snacks and camp t-shirt).** *Subsidies are available for families that cannot afford the cost.*

EVENING PROGRAM

For Teens entering grades 7 to 12 in September 2025.

The evening program will run from Sunday, July 20 to Thursday, July 24, from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. **Registration fee is \$75 (\$25 for subsequent siblings) includes snacks and camp t-shirt.** *Subsidies are available for families that cannot afford the cost.*

Registration packages are available at the back of the church. Click on the [parish website](#) for online payment.

Volunteers are also invited call 416-660-1651 / 416-261-7498 or email the parish office.



BUNDLE UP COLLECTION

April 26 & 27

Spring is here and while clearing out, keep in mind our "Bundle-Up" Collection on the weekend of April 26 & 27. Your donation of clothing, footwear & beddings (*any condition*), and new toys is greatly appreciated.



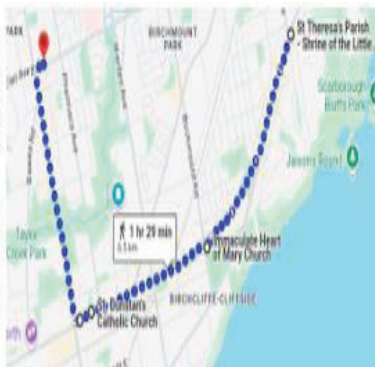
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



46th ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY Walk

April 18th, 2025 at 8:45 am

The walk starts at 8:45 am at St. Theresa's Church and ends at Our Lady of Fatima Church at approximately 11:45 pm. Refreshments being served at St. Theresa's Parish Hall at around 12:15 pm.



COLLECTION REPORT APRIL 5 & 6, 2025	
Parish Income	
Offertory (incl. \$110 TipTap)	3,172.45
Pre-Authorized (Offertory & Renovation)	600.00
Renovation Fund	200.00
Mass Stipends	130.00
Flowers for Easter	20.00
Candles (incl. \$55 TipTap)	296.60
Total Weekly income	\$ 4,419.05
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00
Deficit/Surplus	-\$80.95
Shrine Wall Project	
Week's Collection (incl. \$20 TipTap)	50,025.00
Total Collection to date	\$ 98,944.05
Archdiocesan Collection	
Sharelife	880.00
Good Friday	20.00
Shepperds Trust	40.00

The parish bulletin is also available online. You can sign-up to receive the bulletin by email. Simply visit the parish website, click on "Contact Us," then "Sign Up," select "Parish Bulletin," and subscribe.

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