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St. Theresa's Parish

Shrine of the Little Flower

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SHRINE OF THE LITTLE FLOWER

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;
- 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.

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Name:		
Address:	_	
Phone: Postal:		
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☐ 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

<u>Tuesday, September 9</u> Saint Peter Claver

7:00 pm ⊕ Felicia Juchniewicz (Juchniewicz Family)

Special Intention for Pamela Clerigo (Victor Valdes)

In Thanksgiving for the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (William Rocha)

Wednesday, September 10

7:00 pm & All Souls in Purgatory

- ⊕ Carlos Victoria Jr (Nerissa Flores)

Thursday, September 11

7:00 pm ⊕ Edgar Manuel (Lizy)

Friday, September 12

7:00 pm ⊕ Edgar Manuel (Lizy)

⊕ Carmen Francisco (Nerissa Flores)

Thanksgiving of Malihan Family (Remy Naba)

Saturday, September 13 (Vigil Mass)

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

5:00 pm ⊕ Hanna Rankowska (Jolanta & Zibby Paszel)

Sunday, September 14

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

10:00 am ⊕ Monica Masters (Henry Masters)

12:00 pm The Parishioners of St Theresa





Let Us Pray FOR THE SICK

Baby Corazon de Villa, Emily Cooper, Margaret Swain, Minda Elehino, Leslie Abraham, Vince Aldorasi, Kenneth and Gloria Ritchie, Carmelina Aquino, Jan Melchers, Paul Pinnington, Jim King, Adrian & Marcelle Britto, Derek Dalton, Gordon Giblin, Paul & Vivian Potter, Sally Baker, Norma Salmingo, Paul & Monica Brewster



Light CA Sanctuary Candle

Offering: \$20.00

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 7-14, 2025

Blessed Sacrament: Maria Ciela Sarmiento Blessed Virgin Mary: Daphne King



St. Thérèse's Feast Celebration October 4 & 5

This year, the celebration of our patroness' Feast Day, will be held on October 4 and 5.

We will announce details of the events including Novena and Masses schedule soon.

How has St. Thérèse interceded in your life?

The lives of St Thérèse's devotees have been blessed through her intercession as she continues to "shower her roses" upon us. Her love for us is immeasurable. If you would like to share your experiences and stories about how St Thérèse's intercession has changed your lives, please tell us. Your testimonies of gratitude and appreciation for our patron saint will help inspire our parishioners and other devotees.

You may drop your prayer petitions at the box placed near Thérèse's altar during weeknight Mass. **We will pray for your intentions.**

Welcoming Luke - A New Beginning

The St. Theresa Shrine Church Committee for Refugees, in partnership with the Office of Refugees Archdiocese of Toronto (ORAT), is pleased to announce the arrival of Luke, a refugee from the Ivory Coast, on September 16. Details in the letter inserted in this bulletin.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



ATTENTION PARENTS

SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION GRADE 2 & UP

REGISTRATION

Takes Place <u>September/October</u>, 2025 Parents/Guardians please see Fr Simon after Mass on Saturday or Sunday for application form.

MASS ATTENDANCE

First holy communion <u>families</u> must attend mass every Sunday.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY CONFIRMATION GRADE 7 & UP

REGISTRATION

Takes Place <u>September/October</u>, 2025 Parents/Guardians please see Fr Simon after Mass on Saturday or Sunday for application form.

MASS ATTENDANCE

Confirmandi must attend mass every Sunday

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, September 27, 2025 at 9:00 am

Learn:

- How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- How to create your own legacy
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

- 1. scan the QR code
- 2. follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebSept27



WebSept27

3. send an email to: <u>Development@ArchToronto.org</u> and write "webinar September 27" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

Are you a caregiver?
Have you been diagnosed with a terminal illness?
Is someone you love dying?

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Archdiocese of Toronto/Catholic Charities/
Saint Elizabeth Nurses/ShareLife

Witness the Canonization of Carlo Acutis and Giorgio Frassati!



Join Catholics worldwide in celebrating the Canonization of Carlo Acutis and Giorgio Frassati! Watch the Canonization Mass on September 7, 2025, at 3:00 am or the replay at 6:00 pm on the EWTN App, at EWTN.com or the EWTN YouTube channel. Let their witness inspire us to use our gifts for Christ's Kingdom. For details, visit the church's bulletin board.

DINE FOR THE SHRINE. AN APPEAL FOR SUPPORT

Fundraising Event: Dine for the Shrine

Date: Saturday, September 20, 2025

Location: Qssis Banquet Hall (Kingston & Markham Rd)

Cost:

- \$100 per person
- \$900 for a table of 10
- Includes: Dinner, music, dancing, raffles, and door

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- Tickets are available
- After weekend masses
- At the parish office
- Online via parish website or QR code on posters

Payment methods: Cash, cheque, debit, or credit

• Deadline to purchase: September 12

COLLECTION REPORT AUGUST 30 -31		
Offertory (incl. \$70 TipTap)	2,705.95	
Pre-Authorized (Offertory & Renovation)	600.00	
Renovation Fund	320.00	
Mass Stipends	70.00	
Candles (incl. \$50 TipTap)	342.00	
Baptism	300.00	
Total Weekly income \$	4,337.95	
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00	
Deficit/Surplus \$	-162.05	
Shrine Wall Project		
Week's Collection (incl. \$30 TipTap)	337.00	
Total Collection to date \$	154,781.00	

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