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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;
- 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:	
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Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday, October 7 Our Lady of Rosary

7:00 pm The Unborn (Sanctity of Life)

Wednesday, October 8

7:00 pm & All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, October 9

7:00 pm

Friday, October 10

7:00 pm ⊕ Jeffrey Dollete (Dollete Family)

Saturday, October 11 (Vigil Mass)

Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Parishioners of St Thérèse

Sunday, October 12

Twenty- Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am ⊕ Monica Masters (Henry Masters)

12:00 pm ⊕ Wilfrido Paragas (Belen Bayawa)



Rob Witherspoon, Trina Ryan, Sophy McDonald, Rick & Marion Wiechula, Sean Hayes, Guia delos Reyes, 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 Potter, Sally Baker, Norma Salmingo

FOR DECEASED

George Flint



Light A Sanctuary Candle

Offering: \$20.00

WEEK OF OCTOBER 5 - 11, 2025

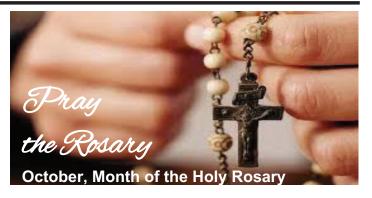
Blessed Sacrament:

Blessed Virgin Mary: Angela lozzo

Stand Up Against Abortion!

Sunday, October 5, 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM Intersection for St. Theresa's: Danforth / Victoria Park

Join the Life Chain on Sunday, Oct. 5 from 2 to 3 pm.



Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund – Second Collection Today

Let us join together and follow the invitation extended by the late Pope Francis during his penitential visit of 2022 for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey.

For more information or to donate online, visit: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation. Thank you for your generosity.

Sacrament of First Holy Communion and Confirmation

Registration in September and October

REQUIREMENTS		
FIRST COMMUNION	CONFIRMATION	
GRADE 2 & UP	GRADE 7 & UP	
Mass Attendance	Mass Attendance	
families must attend mass	Confirmandi must attend	
every Sunday.	mass every Sunday.	
Completed Registration form	Completed Registration form	
Baptism Certificate of	Confirmation Certificate of	
candidate	Sponsor	

TEEN BIBLE STUDY and ST JOHN PAUL'S THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

All sessions are in Ave Maria Room 7:30PM—9PM

Inviting all high school age students to come again and enjoy getting to know your Faith with Rochelle & Jun

Oct 8 – Teen Theology of the Body

Presenter: Jun Amal

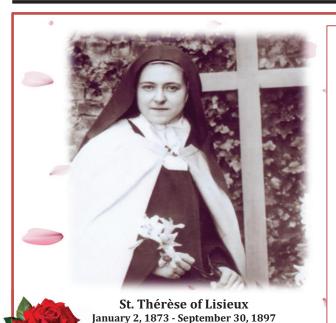
Oct 15 – Teen Theology of the Body

Presenter: Jun Amal
Oct 22 – Teen Bible Study

Presenter: Rochelle Balba

Oct 29 – Teen Theology of the Body

Presenter: Jun Amal



HAPPY FEAST DAY!

Solemn Geast Day Mass

Saturday, October 4
5PM MASS
Homilist: Rev Janil Joseph Chakkiath

Sunday, October 5 10AM and 12 NOON MASS Homilist: *Rev Janil Joseph Chakkiath*

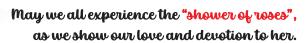
Blessing of People with Sacred Relics of St Therese after Homily Blessing of Roses After Communion & Distribution of Roses at End of Mass

Thank You!

We thank all our parishioners and devotees who participated in the 9-day Mass & Novena and made the celebration of St Theresa's Feast Day joyful and meaningful.

Thank you to **Rev Janil Joseph Chakkiath** for making this year's celebration more relevant and significant.

We are also very grateful to the sponsors, teachers and students at St Theresa's Shrine School, as well as to all the parish volunteers who helped make this Feast celebration a big success.



COLLECTION REPORT SEPTEMBER 27 & 28		
Offertory (incl. \$40 TipTap)	2,411.40	
Pre-Authorized (Offertory & Renovation)	600.00	
Renovation Fund	205.00	
Mass Stipends	20.00	
Candles (incl. \$135 TipTap)	258.85	
Feast of St Therese	460.00	
Flowers for St Therese	125.00	
Total Weekly income \$	4,080.25	
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00	
Deficit/Surplus \$	-419.75	
Shrine Wall Project		
Week's Collection (incl. \$30 TipTap)	150.00	
Total Collection to date \$	155,979.90	



Apple-Pie Making

Saturday, October 25, 2025

We are inviting all volunteers to assist during our Annual Pie-Making on Saturday, October 25 from 9 am to 2pm in the Parish Hall.

Don't forget your rolling pins, aprons, and special knives for peeling apples!

The pies will be sold at the **Christmas Bazaar on November 15.** All proceeds benefit our parish.

October 31 – November 2, 2025 St. Augustine's Seminary

Is God calling you? Join us for a Come & See Discernment Weekend Retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary on Oct 31–Nov 2. For single men 18+ discerning or open to discerning the call to diocesan priesthood. Experience prayer, fraternity, and guidance in discovering God's will. Suggested donation: \$100 (covers program, meals & accommodations). Spots are limited—register today! For more information, please email vocations@archtoronto.org



BUNDLE-UP SUNDAY THIS WEEKEND!

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul's truck will be available for your donations of all season's clothing for our neighbours in need this weekend, Oct. 4 & 5

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