

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.

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**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

Tuesday, April 28

7:00 pm † Amelework Edea (*Giovanna Paolo*)

Wednesday, April 29

7:00 pm † All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, April 30

7:00 pm

Friday, May 1

7:00 pm Thanksgiving for Sandra and Danny Bourne

† Filomena Rodrigues (*Carolina Rodrigues*)

† Avelino Beloso (*Beloso Family*)

Saturday, May 2 (Vigil Mass)

Fifth Sunday of Easter

5:00 pm † Belen Fernandez (*Cusi Family*)

Sunday, May 3

Fifth Sunday of Easter

10:00 am † Henry, Mona & Russell Master (*James & Mildred Halder*)

12:00 noon The Parishioners at St Theresa's



Let Us Pray
FOR THE SICK

Christine Villegas, Theresa Bryan, Maria Alvarado, Marcy Salmingo, Sophy McDonald, Jim King, Carmelina Aquino, Trina Ryan, Jan Melchers, Adrian Britto, Gordon GIBLIN, Norma Salmingo, Lorna Sto Domingo

FOR THE DECEASED

Ronald Saxton



Light A Sanctuary Candle

Offering: \$20.00

WEEK OF APRIL 26 – May 2, 2026

Blessed Sacrament:

Special Intentions for Alexi Bravo & Flora Lopez

Blessed Virgin Mary:

Special Intention of Judy Romero

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday 12 NOON to 6 PM



Today is Good Shepherd Sunday



The whole Christian community shares the responsibility for fostering vocations. The first step is to live in a full Christian manner. Families with a lively spirit of faith, love and reverence contributes greatly to this work. Spiritually active parishes, where people take a full part, help to promote vocations.

WELCOMING OUR NEW LECTORS

We are pleased to introduce the newest members of our lector ministry. Please keep them in your prayers as they begin this important ministry of proclaiming the Word of God.

5:00 PM Mass Ahyessa Palmeno · Stephanie Ojukwu · Samantha Copada · Zian Jezreel Vilaruz

10:00 AM Mass Natalie Caporusso · Annabelle Caporusso

12:00 Noon Mass Ciara Vinoth · Noah Vinoth

Congratulations and welcome!

**Help Not Harm: Take Action to
Support Bill C-218**

**Write your Member of Parliament Today!
Visit HelpNotHarmCanada.ca**

Visit HelpNotHarmCanada.ca to email your MP in support of Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act), which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent MAiD from being offered when mental illness is the sole condition. Without this change, MAiD for mental illness alone will become available in March 2027.

Many Canadians struggle with mental illness. As Catholics and Canadians, we are called to offer care, hope, and protection to those who are suffering.

Ask your MP to support Bill C-218 today at HelpNotHarmCanada.ca.

THIS WEEKEND

Life-Giving Wounds: A Healing Retreat for Adult Children of Divorced or Separated Parents


The Life-Giving Wounds retreat helps participants move from the wounds of their parents' relationship toward their identity as God's beloved. The next retreat runs May 15–17 at St. Augustine's Seminary (Scarborough). Open to ages 18+. Cost: \$325 per person (\$225 for students), including meals, lodging, and materials. Limited subsidies available.

Contact lgwtoronto@proton.me. Students may also reach out to their campus minister. Space is limited. Register at bit.ly/LGW-TO-Retreat-Register2026.

BUNDLE-UP SUNDAY

The SSVP container will be parked at the side of the church from Saturday morning until Sunday evening. Volunteers are invited to assist before and after each Mass.

ShareLife Sunday is this weekend, celebrating 50 years

 Today is ShareLife Sunday. Since 1976, ShareLife has lived the Gospel by caring for the vulnerable, rooted in the dignity of every person. As we celebrate our 50th anniversary in 2026, we invite you to continue this legacy of kindness.

Your donations empower agencies to provide vital mental health support, senior care, and family counselling.

- In-person: Use a ShareLife envelope at the parish.
- Online: Visit our parish website or sharelife.org/donate.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Charitable Tax Receipts (2025) are available for pickup at the back of the church through the end of April 2026.

Parish Financial Report — Included with this bulletin are the 2025 Parish Financial Report and a letter from Fr. Simon regarding our current financial situation. The report will be presented by a member of the Parish Finance Committee this weekend.

A Word of Gratitude — Your faithful and generous support makes it possible for our parish to serve and sustain our community. We are deeply grateful for your continued commitment. Thank you!



COLLECTION REPORT	APRIL 18 & 19
Offertory + <i>Tiptap</i> \$120	3,099.45
Pre-Authorized (<i>Offertory & Renovation</i>)	562.00
Renovation Fund	25.00
Easter Sunday Offering	100.00
Mass Stipends	10.00
Candles + <i>Tiptap</i> \$85	335.25
First Holy Communion	80.00
Funeral	350.00
Total Weekly income	\$ 4,561.70
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00
Deficit/Surplus \$	\$61.70
<i>Archdiocesan Collection</i>	
Sharelife	110.00
Good Friday	5.00
<i>Shrine Wall Project</i>	
Week's Collection + <i>Tiptap</i> \$30	45.00
Total Collection to date	\$ 191,848.49

Planning to tap to give?

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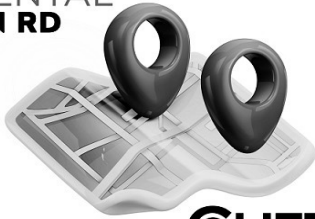


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