

# 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: 6:15-6:50 PM; Saturday: 4:00-4:50 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

### 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.*

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## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Tuesday, June 2

7:00 pm Protection of the Life of the Unborn (*Sanctity of Life*)

Special Intention for Allan Bravo (*Ellie Cifra*)

Special Intention for Teresa Lim Cifra (*Ellie Cifra*)

✠ Norma Cifra (*Ellie Cifra*)

### Wednesday, June 3

#### Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

7:00 pm ✠ All Souls in Purgatory

✠ Annie Fernandez (*Silva Family*)

✠ Lucilo Vasquez (*Josefina Villapando*)

Special Intention for Dahlia Sarsonas (*Ellie Cifra*)

### Thursday, June 4

7:00 pm In honour of Christ's Precious Blood (*Theresa & Bill Bryan*)

Thanksgiving of Tony Valdez

✠ Fr Romeo Agustin Miciano Jr. (*Josefina Villapando*)

✠ Florencia Cia Chong (*Josefina Villapando*)

### Friday, June 5

#### Saint Boniface

7:00 pm Special Intention of Mary Tisseverasignhe

Healing for Jose Luis Franco (*Madeleine Franco*)

Healing for Lourdez Veronica Cruz

Healing for Caroline Cruz Contreras

### Saturday, June 5 (Vigil)

#### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

5:00 pm ✠ Marcial Cruz (*Madeleine Franco*)

### Sunday, June 6

#### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

10:00 am For the Parishioners at St Theresa

12:00 noon ✠ Winniefred Celestine D'Souza (*Lancy Noronha & Family*)

## *Let Us Pray*

### FOR THE SICK

Dennis McFadden, Socorro Cunanan, Pierre Lalande, Anne-Marie Solomon, Nestor Biales, Justin Banda, Christine Villegas, Marcy Salmingo, Sophy McDonald, Jim King, Carmelina Aquino, Trina Ryan, Jan Melchers, Adrian Britto, Gordon Giblin, Norma Salmingo, Lorna Sto Domingo

### FOR THE DECEASED

Salvatore Santocono, Marion Watts

## The Most Holy Trinity

The Holy Trinity is a central doctrine in Christianity that describes God as one being in three distinct persons: **God the Father**, **God the Son (Jesus Christ)**, and **God the Holy Spirit**

These three persons are co-eternal, co-equal, and share the same essence or substance, meaning they are all fully and completely God

- **God the Father:** The creator and sustainer of all things, who desires a relationship with His creation.
- **God the Son (Jesus Christ):** God incarnate, who lived a human life, died for humanity's sins, and rose again to offer salvation.
- **God the Holy Spirit:** The presence of God in the world today, guiding, comforting, and empowering believers.



This doctrine emphasizes the unity and diversity within God's nature, showing how the three persons work together in harmony to accomplish God's will.

## New Encyclical Released by Pope Leo XIV: *Magnifica Humanita*

Pope Leo XIV has released his first encyclical, *Magnifica Humanitas* ("Magnificent Humanity"), reflecting on human dignity, Christian solidarity, and the moral challenges of our modern age — including the growing influence of artificial intelligence and emerging technologies. The Holy Father calls on all of humanity to ensure that technological progress always serves the human person and the common good.

Parishioners are encouraged to read and pray with this important new teaching document in the weeks ahead. The full text is available through the Archdiocese of Toronto website at: [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org) or through the Vatican website at: [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va)



## *Light A Sanctuary Candle*

*Offering: \$20.00*

**WEEK OF MAY 31 – June 6, 2026**

**Blessed Sacrament:** Special Intention for Allan Bravo  
**Blessed Virgin Mary:** ✠ Norma Cifra

*"No one who lights a lamp hides it away or places it under a bushel basket, but on a lamp stand so that those who enter might see the light." - Luke 11:33*

## SHRINE WALL PROJECT

**Parish Goal: \$400,000**

There are several ways you can contribute:

- 1. Shrine Wall Envelope:** Use the Shrine Wall Envelope or pledge a monthly donation.
- 2. Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG):** Sign up for PAG to make regular contributions.
- 3. Online Donations:** Visit our parish website to donate online.
- 4. Fundraising Efforts:** Support our various fundraising activities.

Scan the QR Code for TIPTAP to register your credit card to receive tax receipt at the end of the year. Please refrain from using Google and Apple



COLLECTION REPORT	MAY 23 & 24
Offertory + Tiptap \$120	2,722.25
Pre-Authorized (Offertory & Renovation)	563.00
Renovation Fund	45.00
Mass Stipends	90.00
Candles + Tiptap \$50	502.10
Baptism	30.00
<b>Total Weekly income</b>	<b>3,952.35</b>
Estimated Weekly Expenses	4,500.00
<b>Deficit/Surplus \$</b>	<b>-547.65</b>
<i>Archdiocesan Collection</i>	
Sharelife	220.00
<i>Shrine Wall Project</i>	
Week's Collection + Tiptap \$20	830.00
Pre-Authorized Shrine Wall Project	150.00
<b>Total Collection to date</b>	<b>\$ 193,691.49</b>



- June 21 – Father's Day and Strawberry Social
- July 18 – Picnic at the Seminary
- August 15 & 16 – Mission Coop
- Sept 19 – Dine for the Shrine
- Oct 3 & 4 Feast Day Celebration
- Oct 10 – Youth Ministry Launch

## 2026 Summer Camp Opportunities for Children and Youth

Summer camps are being offered for children at 59 parishes inside the Archdiocese of Toronto this summer, with over 86 weeks of dates and locations to choose from. Parents who may be interested in having their kids attend a parish day camp can access the complete list of parishes, locations and dates here: [ocytoronto.org/parish-camps](http://ocytoronto.org/parish-camps) and are encouraged to contact the parish of interest directly to register or get more information.

## Toonie Sunday this weekend.

Help the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul assist our neighbours in need. Please drop a Toonie in the Poor Box.

### REPORT FROM ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Number of visits	27	31	36	28
Adults served	32	47	48	36
Kids 13-17	2	4	4	1
Kids 12 & under	9	15	18	7
Vouchers given	\$1870	2295	2479	1825



## Strawberry Social!

Sunday, June 21

After the 10 AM & 12 Noon Masses  
Parish Hall

For just \$5, indulge in a delicious angel cake topped with fresh strawberries and whipped cream, accompanied by your choice of coffee or lemonade. Enjoy delightful company and create sweet memories together. Don't miss out on the fun!

**St. Theresa's Parish**

# Summer PICNIC

AT THE SEMINARY PARK

A FUNDRAISER FOR THE SHRINE WALL PROJECT

**SATURDAY, JULY 18** | 10:30 AM - 2:30 PM

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY COURTYARD**  
2661 KINGSTON RD, SCARBOROUGH

**FEATURING A TOUR OF THE SEMINARY!**

Join us for a day of

**BBQ FOOD | FELLOWSHIP | FESTIVE MUSIC | FUN GAMES**

**TICKETS**  
(INCLUSIVE OF BBQ, CHIPS, DRINKS)

**\$20** ADULTS  
**\$15** CHILDREN 6-12 YEARS  
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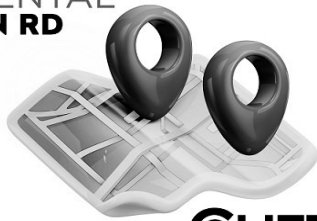
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