



Prince of Peace Parish

Founded 1983

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Office Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm / Weekends Closed

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:00 am,
11:30 am & 1:00 pm

Weekday Masses

Mon-Tue-Thu - Fri -Sat: 8:30am
Wednesday & 1st Friday: 7:00 pm
(no morning mass Wednesdays & 1st Fridays)

Confessions

Saturday: 9:00 am - 9:45 am
4:00 pm-4:45 pm
(First Friday Confessions-see below)

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WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

To become a member of our parish,
visit the parish office in person.

VOLUNTEER SCREENING

Contact the office if you wish to be a
volunteer or speak to Hsiu Hau, our
coordinator.

BAPTISM

Contact the parish office 3 months
before the desired date of Baptism.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION PREP

In normal times, these programs run
from September to June. Look for
bulletin announcements.

R.C.I.A

The Christian Initiation of Adults is for
those wishing to learn more about how
to become Catholic. Please contact the
parish office for further information.

MARRIAGE

Contact the parish office at least one
year in advance of the desired date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The date of our Mass of anointing is
published in the bulletin. For home vis-
its, call the parish office. From the hos-
pital, ask for a priest directly at the
nursing station.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

Following the 7pm mass there is expo-
sition, adoration (confessions during
adoration) and Benediction at 8:30pm.
(Please note that on First Fridays there is
no morning mass.)

VISITING MINISTRY

Currently no visits for Holy Communion
are available.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Postponed until further notice.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bento D'Cruz—Grand Knight
GK9144@ontariokofc.ca

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Meet on the 2nd Monday of every
month. For assistance, donations or to
join call 647-234-0265.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Meets on the 3rd Tuesday the Month.
Jimmy Chang—Vice-chair

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Prince of Peace	416-393-5416
Our Lady of Grace	416-393-5372
St. Marguerite Bourgeoys	416-393-5381
St. Rene Goupil	416-393-5408
The Divine Infant	416-393-5414
Fr. Michael McGivney	905-472-4961
Francis Libermann HS	416-393-5524

Mass Intentions

Pro Populo

Saturday, July 16

8:30am Mass

Sunday, July 17

8:30am * 10:00am

11:30am * 1:00pm

Monday, July 18

8:30am Mass

† Jane Alfarero

† Orlando Bernabe

Tuesday, July 19

8:30am Mass

† Aurelio & Trinidad Tulagan

† Felix & Tony Pinto

Wednesday, July 20

7:00pm Mass

♦ Anita Arpaia & Family

† Mabel Paler

♥ Claudia Marzo

Thursday, July 21

8:30am Mass

† Anwar Ahmad

† Segundina & Mariano Criste

Friday, July 22

8:30 am Mass

† Ho Wong

† Linda Layola Guado

Saturday, July 23

8:30am Mass

† Joseph Noronha

† Carolina Fernandes

† Rest in peace ♦ In thanksgiving
♥ For the infirm

SANCTUARY LAMP

JULY 18- JULY 23

For the Repose of the Souls of
Rollon Family members
Tulagan Family members

For the Intentions of
Angelito Gutierrez

In Thanksgiving from
Connie Junta

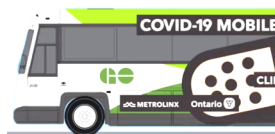
LIVE STREAMING Live Streaming will continue to be available for our parishioners who may need more time to return to the Church and participate in the mass in person.



In our spiritual life, it is inevitable that we will all have times when we must be more like Martha. Work must be accomplished, chores completed, and various forms of labor will be a normal part of daily life. But we must also remind ourselves daily that there is one thing we must never lose sight of: being with Jesus, in silence and prayerful adoration which is the most important thing we can do. This doesn't undermine any other tasks we have to complete each day, but it does reveal that we should never neglect that which is most important.

COVID VACCINE CLINIC

Hop on the GO-VAXX bus for your COVID-19 vaccine 1st,



2nd, boosters and paediatric Pfizer vaccines. A GO-VAXX Bus Clinic will be at Prince of Peace Parish Church parking lot on Thursday, **August 4, 2022 from 10am to 5pm**. The bus will be accepting 'walk-ins' making it even easier and more convenient for Ontarians to roll up their sleeves and benefit from the protection provided by the vaccine as we continue to safely and gradually ease public health measures.

PARISH MUSIC MINISTRY



We are now ready to organize music for all masses. Last May, we hired an organist for the **1pm** mass and an organist for the **10am** and **11:30am** masses was recently hired as well. Currently, we are still working on hiring a permanent musician for the **Saturday 5pm** and the **Sunday 8:30am** masses and we are hopeful that these positions will be in place by September. A general meeting will be held for all parishioners who are or have been part of the music ministry. We know that the pandemic brought many changes in to our lives and as a result our commitments and priorities also changed. We have been forced to start anew and we take this opportunity to start fresh. If you are still committed to participate in the music ministry, (cantors, instrumen-

talists, choir members) you are invited to attend a meeting with the pastoral team on **Wednesday, July 20 at 7:30 pm** in the parish hall. We hope to see you there.

MINISTRY AND PARISH GROUPS COODINATORS MEETING

As we continue working on the path to return to in-person participation in all aspects of the parish, we are now planning to review ministry positions that are gradually returning. In order to plan, we ask all the coordinators of the various ministries and parish groups to attend a meeting on **Wednesday, July 20th at 2pm** in the parish hall. Our discussions will revolve around the role of the coordinators in Volunteer Screening. Please call the parish office to confirm you attendance.



LECTORS, CANTORS AND RESPONSE LEADERS



Now that the activities of the parish have slowed down for the summer, Fr. Efren will take the opportunity to meet with those in the above ministries to discuss the challenges and concerns that related to them. Everyone who is currently serving in one or more of these roles is invited to attend a meeting on **Wednesday, July 27 at 7:30 pm** (after mass) in the Parish Hall. We look forward to seeing you there.



FUN AND FUNDRAISING

Ministry members of Prince of Peace Parish are planning a Summer Fete. Parishioners will be invited to rent a table where they can sell, advertise, and present their signature home cooked or baked goods, display their artistic talents, and hold individual garage sales. All event spaces will be located in the parish parking lot. Ministry Leaders, parishioners, and the youth of our parish are invited to a planning meeting on **July 23, 2022, at 10am** in the Parish Hall. For more information contact Pat Hau at 416-858-4979 or Bento at 647-202-5322.



R.C.I.A.



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults Pre-Registration is now open for **2022-2023**. Those interested in joining the Catholic Church (Non-baptized, Christians baptized in a different denomination, and those who were baptized Catholic but need First Communion and Confirmation) are invited to register for this fall's RCIA program. The Screening process will begin during the month of July. To begin this process, please contact Fr. Martin (email below). If you have questions or concerns you can also call the parish office. Please be prepared to provide documentation to be submitted at the screening interview.

fr.martin@princeofpeacesc.ca

ALTAR SERVERS (ADULT)

If you were an altar server for the weekday masses or interested in becoming one, we invite you to a re-training/training session on Monday, **August 8** with Fr. Martin after the **8:30am** mass. Screening for new adult altar servers is required.



VOLUNTEER SCREENING COORDINATOR

We wish to thank Jimmy Chang who, for many years, has been managing the Volunteer Screening Program at Prince of Peace. He has taken other responsibilities in the parish and now is ready to pass this role to Hsiu Hau who has been appointed to take this role. and we welcome her in this vital role. We welcome her and look forward to her contribution in keeping all the vulnerable safe. Hsiu will be seeking the assistance of skilled parishioners who may serve as volunteer interviewers under her direction. If you are interested in knowing more about the requirements, please contact the parish office.

PRAYER GROUP

The next meeting is **Thursday, July 21** in the Parish Hall. During the month of August the Prayer Group will be taking a summer break and returning on **September 8**.



STEWARDSHIP



The readings today emphasize the importance of hospitality, reminding us that a person who is hospitable serves God through their care and attentiveness to the needs of others. However, we can fall into the trap, as Martha did in the Gospel, to focus only on the work we do, neglecting the important work of spending time with the Lord in prayer. Let us make an effort to allow prayer to infuse our work, enabling it to transform the work we do and make it more fruitful.

SHARELIFE

Our goal this year is **\$83,000.00**. To date we have achieved **\$54,628.40**. If you have donated to our parish campaign, thank you. If you would still like to make a gift, please do so online on our parish website, at sharelife.org Please give generously. Thank you!



VOCATIONS



We are like Martha. There's plenty to be anxious about but only one thing that is required of us. For five minutes today be like Mary, rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy Toronto:

416-968-0997
vocations@archtoronto.org

2022 ENVELOPES

We continue to remind parishioners to only use **2022** offertory envelopes and **not use envelopes from previous years** as those numbers might have been reassigned to someone else and your donations will be directed to them. Please visit the parish office and pick up a box of **2022** offertory envelopes.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

July 9-10

\$ 7,456.

Our current weekly expenses
Average is

\$ 8,191.00

MAINTENANCE FUND COLLECTION

July 9-10

\$ 2,435.95

Thank you for your support!

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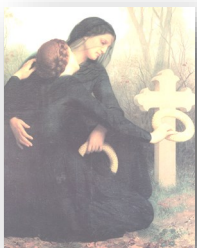


FEBRUARY 11-17, 2023

Call the parish office for further information or pick up a brochure at the entrance of the Church. Spaces are limited so be sure to contact us at:

416-444-6666 or visit
www.ihtours.com

MEMORIAL MASSES



For over two years, due to Covid restrictions, many of us were not able to attend the funeral of a loved one preventing us from having proper closure and time to grieve with family and friends. Now that we are able to attend mass in person with few restrictions, we would like to offer everyone the opportunity to celebrate private memorial masses so that you and your family can come together and remember your loved one in a special way. Memorial masses are very similar to Funeral services in which you can choose to have music, readings and the name of your loved one written in the Book of Life. Please call the office for further information.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES MASSES

This year Masses will be celebrated on Wednesday, **August 17** at **7pm** for the souls of the deceased buried

at the Catholic Cemeteries. Details will be made available closer to the date.

POPE FRANCIS IN CANADA

Pope Francis will make a pastoral visit to Canada from **July 24 to 29, 2022**. The Pope's visit will provide a unique opportunity for him, once again, to listen and dialogue with Indigenous Peoples, to express his heartfelt closeness and to address the impact of colonization and the participation of the Catholic Church in the operation of residential schools throughout Canada. We invite you to join us as we reflect, pray and prepare to welcome the Holy Father for these special days among us. For information and complete schedule on the historic journey of Pope Francis to Canada visit:



<https://bit.ly/3IwGmqe>

PARKING AT PRINCE OF PEACE

To avoid having parking from non-parish related visits we have installed signs for "Authorized Parking Only" around our parking lot. This will apply to those who have been parking for long periods of time to visit the schools, shopping in the plaza and even those who use the park. Our parking lot is for Church related visits: mass, meetings, office visits, and appointments. Many have the misconception that church parking lots are public and can be used for non-related Church visits.

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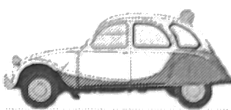
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BULLETIN ADVERTISING



If you are a business owner, we invite you to consider advertising your business in our parish bulletin, available weekly at Mass and virtually through our parish website. This is a valuable, effective, local and affordable method to promote your business to our congregation. The most common sizes are displayed but we do have other options. Please call the parish office if you wish to place an add in our bulletin. We are currently planning to start advertising this September. Our bulletin is printed from September to June on a weekly basis and also uploaded into our parish website. As an example, we have posted these past advertisements that were previously in our parish bulletin. We hope this will provide you with an idea of how your advertisement might appear in our parish bulletin.