



Prince of Peace Parish

Founded 1983

265 Alton Towers Circle, Scarborough, Ontario M1V 4E7

Phone: 416-291-9422 | Fax: 416-291-7841

Email: parish.office@princeofpeaceesc.ca

Website: <https://princeofpeaceesc.archtoronto.org>

OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday & Sunday 8:30 am - 2:30 pm **CLOSED 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm daily**

Weekend Masses

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

Weekday Masses

Monday-Saturday: 8:30 am
Wednesday & 1st Friday: 7 pm

Confessions

Wednesday: 7:30pm-8:15pm
Saturday: 9:00 am - 9:45 am
 (not before Sat 5pm mass, see for First Friday below)

PASTOR

Fr. Efren Alvarez Pelayo
fr.efren@princeofpeaceesc.ca

DEACON

Rev Mr. Thomas Aquino

PARISH SECRETARY

Patricia (Trish) Sherwin
parish.office@princeofpeaceesc.ca

SACRAMENTS COORDINATOR

Joan Turco (on leave)
joan@princeofpeaceesc.ca

ACCOUNTANT

Nalini Andrews
NAndrews@archtoronto.org

HOUSEKEEPING

Geneveve Macariola-Amini

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Dan Christante
dan.christante@gmail.com

CUSTODIAL STAFF

Jessie Guinto
 Tom Mitrovski

VOLUNTEER SCREENING

Contact the office or our volunteer coordinator Hsiu Hau at screening@princeofpeaceesc.ca

BAPTISM

Contact the parish office at least 3 months before the desired date.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION PREP

These programs run from September to June. Contact the office to sign up.

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

For home visits, call the parish office. From the hospital, ask for a priest directly at the nursing station.

MASS OF ANOINTING

Second Wednesday of every month at 12:00 noon. The exact date is published in the bulletin every month.

SENIOR'S GROUP

Every month after the Mass of Anointing. Watch for announcements in the bulletin for exact schedules.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

Following the 7pm mass there is exposition, adoration and benediction at 8:30pm (Confessions during Adoration)

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

Grief support groups, and more. Contact the parish office for details.

VISITING MINISTRY

Visits for Holy Communion are available. Please call the parish office.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

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

BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays on Zoom 7:00pm-9:00pm

CHARISMATIC RENEWAL GROUP

Prayer and worship group. Meetings every Thursday at 7pm.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Info: GK9144@ontariokofc.ca

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Helpline: 647-234-0265
 Membership: 647-639-0098

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Meets on the 3rd Tuesday of every Month.

LITURGY COMMITTEE

Leaders in the parish who guide and enrich our liturgical life

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Prince of Peace	416-393-5416
Our Lady of Grace	416-393-5372
St. Marguerite Bourgeois	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

Saturday, November 1

5:00pm Mass

Sunday, November 2

8:30am Mass

10:00am Mass

11:30am Mass

1:00pm Mass

Monday, November 3

8:30am Mass

✠ Andrew Telles

✠ Valentin & Luz Ronquillo

Tuesday, November 4

8:30am Mass

✠ John Castanha

✠ Fernando Family

7:00pm Mass

✠ Deceased Knights of Columbus

Wednesday, November 5

8:30am Mass

✠ Sarah Mari

✠ Winston Poblete

7:00pm Mass

✠ Rolando Fernandez

✠ Patricia Francisco

Thursday, November 6

8:30am Mass

✠ Michael Pinto

♦ Cecilia Baguio

Friday, November 7

8:30am Mass

✠ Eric D'Souza

✠ Raul Poblete

7:00pm Mass

✠ All Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, November 8

8:30am Mass

✠ Marcelino Menezes

✠ Pui Ying Lau

✠ Rest in peace ♦ In thanksgiving
♥ For the infirm

SANCTUARY LAMP

NOVEMBER 3-8

For the Eternal Rest of:

Dias Family, Almeida Family,
Cynthia Acayan, Mariathas Antony,
Sarah Fernandes, Andrada Family,
Raul Poblete, Pazcoguin Family,
William Potestades, Victor Yeung,
Veronica Remedios

For the Health of:

Patricia Ogbiti, Ray Acayan

Pro Populo

A SEASON OF PASTORAL TRANSITION: THE GRACE TO LET GO



This weekend we remember the faithful departed—those who walked before us in faith, whose love shaped our lives, and whose absence still touches our hearts. On All Souls' Day, the Gospel gives us a promise that reaches beyond grief: "It is the will of my Father that I should lose nothing of all He has given me." Loss is part of every human story. Whether it is the loss of a loved one, a season of life, or the familiar rhythm of parish life, the ache is real. But the Gospel teaches that no one, and nothing, is truly lost in God. In His mercy, every goodbye becomes a doorway to new grace. As our community moves through this season of pastoral transition, we are invited to live this truth—to grieve what has been, to give thanks for what remains, and to trust what is yet to come. Letting go is not forgetting; it is an act of faith. It means allowing God to hold what we can no longer carry. It also means guarding our hearts against the noise that often follows loss—the idle talk, the comparisons, the temptation to assign blame or stir division. These distractions only cloud the quiet work of the Spirit. God speaks in stillness, not in the chaos of rumor or fear. This time calls for prayerful listening, gentle courage, and unity of heart. Just as we entrust our departed loved ones to God's care, we entrust this parish and its future to His providence. The Lord who gathers every soul to Himself will also gather us into deeper faith, healing, and peace. "And I shall raise them up on the last day." — John 6:40

ROME & ASSISI PILGRIMAGE



As previously announced, our Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi will take place **January 4 to 14, 2026**. This prayerful journey will include Rome's holy sites and a visit to Assisi, culminating in the closing celebration of the Holy Door on the Feast of the Epiphany. A few spots are still open. If you are ready to book, please email Fr. Efren (see cover page for email address) to request the registration details directly.

GOOD SHEPHERD SOCKS DRIVE

"The Good Shepherd" is a well-known Toronto non-profit organization that offers a hot meal, clean clothes, and shelter to people who didn't have a place to stay or enough to eat. This is a place that promotes human dignity; a place where the invisible, the vulnerable, and the homeless come first. As the cold weather is slowly creeping in, there is a high demand for men's socks. We are looking for donations of socks to help with this cause. A box will be placed at the back of the Church to collect donations of socks from **November 8 to 16**. Thank you for your generosity.



MEMORY & NEW LIFE MASS



On Friday, **November 14 at 7pm**, our Ministry of Consolation will be hosting their Memory & New Life Mass to commemorate the recently departed. Let us come together and offer our prayers for the friends and family that have died in the promise of eternal life.

ALL SOULS' DAY MASSES

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services wishes to invite all families to participate in the All Souls' Day Masses on **Saturday, November 8 at 2pm** at various locations throughout the archdiocese. For details, visit catholic-cemeteries.ca.



RED WEDNESDAY MASS



Red Wednesday is an international day of awareness and prayer for the persecution of Christians. A Mass for persecuted Christians will be held on **November 19 at 5:30pm** at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. All are welcome.

MASS OF ANOINTING

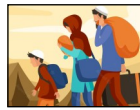
The next Mass of Anointing will be held Wednesday, **November 12 at 12pm (noon)** followed by the Senior's Group Social.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes for **2026** are ready for pick up in the Parish Hall this week-end, **November 1-2, after the 5pm mass and before and after all Sunday masses.** There will be volunteers available to assist you. These 2026 offertory envelopes will also be available at the parish office beginning **November 22**; see the front of the bulletin for the office hours schedule. If you are presently donating by Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) or Credit Card (CC) and no longer want to use a full box of envelopes, please call the office for options. Parishioners who would like to use PAG or Credit Card donating methods can register using the forms available in the lobby. If you need assistance with this, please call or email the office. Finally, we ask that you **do not use envelopes from previous years** as those numbers might have been reassigned to someone else, and do not use the 2026 envelopes until January 2026. If you would like to donate and do not have an assigned envelope number, any regular envelope can be used as long as you indicate your name and full address or visit the parish office to register in our parish and be assigned a box of offertory envelopes.

SUNDAY MISSALS

The **2025-2026** Sunday Missals will be available in the parish office during regular office hours beginning **Monday, November 3**. If you would like to have your own copy, the cost is **\$7.00** per missal. Please note that we only accept cash.



LIFT YOUR VOICE

We've just introduced a new and beautiful bilingual mass setting, the Mass of the Immigrants by Bob Hurd. We invite you to listen at home by searching the title on YouTube. Let the music become part of your prayer this week.

RENEW CONFERENCE

Join RENEW Toronto on Christ the King weekend, **November 21 to 23**, for an unforgettable experience at their annual conference for young adults aged 18-39! This is your chance to grow in faith alongside like-minded individuals in the same exciting stage of life. For more information and to register, visit: www.renewtoronto.org.



EMBRACE MOTHERHOOD

The Embrace Motherhood Workshop for moms of young children will be held on **Saturday, November 8** from **10am to 12pm** at All Saints Parish. Participants will receive practical tips, encouragement, a detailed guide, and a chance to connect over coffee. For more information, visit www.CatholicMomsGroup.com.

MASS INTENTION REQUESTS

As a parish community, we continue to ask everyone to be mindful that this sacred form of prayer is meant to be shared and accessible to all. An information booklet will be shared in the coming weeks to offer insight into the Church's teaching and address common misunderstandings. Please stay tuned.

VOCATIONS

Can I risk sharing the goodness God has given me? Can I care for the needs of my brothers and sisters? Can I respond to God as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you contact Fr. McCarthy at 416-968-0997 or via email at

vocations@archtoronto.org

SHARELIFE HISTORY



As we prepare to celebrate ShareLife's milestone 50th anniversary, we want to honor not only the programs and funds raised but also the stories and memories that have shaped ShareLife. If you have any materials from ShareLife's history (e.g., old posters, photos, campaign envelopes, news clippings, or other memorabilia), or personal stories or anecdotes of how ShareLife touched your life, please contact us by emailing us at:

jlazo@archtoronto.org.

Thank you for your kind generosity!

STEWARDSHIP

"...because I came down from heaven not to do my own will but the will of the one who sent me...."

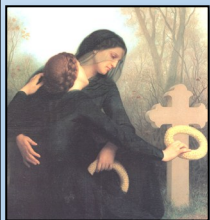


-John 6:38

When praying the "Our Father", say the words slowly so you truly recognize what you are saying. Every day when praying this prayer, we repeat what Jesus said in the scripture passage – "thy kingdom come, thy will be done." Even though we say these words, do our actions reflect those words? This is the difference between saints and the rest of us. Saints were faithful and obedient to God's will. Start today – start aligning your words and actions with God's will for you. (Archdiocese of Regina)



NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH DEDICATED TO ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY



The Church dedicates November to prayer for All Souls in Purgatory. Beginning this weekend, the Book of Life will be placed in the sanctuary. This year, we will not be adding names directly into the book. Many names have already been submitted over the past four years, and we ask that names not be repeated. Only new names will be considered—meaning those who have never been submitted before, or those who have passed away since last November. If you wish to submit names for review, please email the parish office. These should be immediate family members not previously included. **All Souls Envelopes** will be available near the **Book of Life** before and after all Masses throughout the month. Please write the names of your deceased loved ones on these envelopes. They will be included in our parish's general prayers for All Souls in Purgatory. Completed envelopes may be placed in the box provided near the Book of Life.

info@chapelridgefh.com | www.chapelridgefh.com



905-305-8508

OUR FAMILY SERVING YOURS

Family owned by
Eric & Susanne
Tappenden

JULIUS THOMAS

REALTOR

416-939-9397
realtorjulius@gmail.com



For all your
Real Estate
needs...



QiGong Natural Therapy

Alternate way to heal stress related
disease or problems: headache,
Insomnia, low back pain, chronic
illness, tappings, cuppings,
guasha, facials and feet soaking.



Please call: 416-886-2606 or 416-609-2716
4544 Sheppard Ave E. Unit 122

The Man Renovation Co.



RICK CHEUNG
Tel: 647-975-8530
Email: cheungrick300@gmail.com

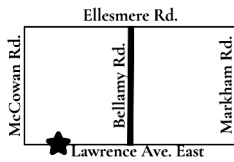


DR. LIBERTY CERVANTES-LEE
& ASSOCIATES

LORNVIEW
FAMILY DENTAL CLINIC

New Patients Are Welcome!

We accept Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP)
Insurance Companies - Billed Directly
Flexible Payment - Plan Available
Denturist on site



Monday to Friday: 10 AM to 6 PM Saturday: 9 AM to 4 PM Telephone: (416) 289-8388
Unit 4 - 3255 Lawrence Avenue East, Scarborough, ON M1H 3A3



Ronald Phen
SALES REPRESENTATIVE

Dir: 647.806.8956
ronaldphen@gmail.com



HomeLife/Future
Realty Inc., Brokerage
Independently Owned And Operated

Xinde Renovation, Repair & Tree Cutting

All of your home renovation needs

Call for a quote and information

Jiang (647) 898-3667 or Ivan (647) 824-5678

**Advertise
Your
Business
Here**

**Advertise
Your
Business
Here**



- Wills & Estates
- Real Estate Law
- Immigration Law
- Family Law
- Business Law
- Notary Services

905-205-1655

avril@deavlaw.com

www.deavlaw.com

6633 Highway 7 East
Suite 204, Markham, ON L3P 7P2



Avril De Silva
Barrister, Solicitor &
Notary Public

Services offered in both
English & Sinhala

NIROSH REGINAULD
PRODUCT ADVISOR

DON VALLEY NORTH



Drive home in your dream car today!

Call Today:
Direct: (416) 319-5724
Office: (905) 475-0722 ext. 291
Email: nirosr@dvntoyota.com

Sales | Leasing | New & Pre-Owned



DR. ATLEY GEORGE



Family Dentist
8 Shadlock St., Unit 9
Markham, ON L3S 3K9
(289) 554-3368

stjosephdent@gmail.com

stjosephdentalclinic.com

Caitlin Chung

Sales Representative



647-906-6289
905-824-0788



caitlinchungrealestate@gmail.com



RE/MAX METROPOLIS REALTY BROKERAGE
21 - 22 - 8321 Kennedy Rd,
Markham ON, ON L3R 5N4

SPD RENOVATION INC.
Tony Wang: 647-267-3832 **wsib**
ONTARIO

FREE ESTIMATE FULL HOUSE RENEW



Kitchen • Bathroom • Stairs • Painting • Basement Finish
Drywall • Tiles • Deck • And More

**Advertise Your
Business Here**

**ONE PLUS ONE
HAIR SALON**

Appointments (預約電話):

(647) 712-9529

(647) 680-8009



7077 Kennedy Rd.
Unit 103, Markham
Outside Pacific
Mall, beside TD
Bank

(太古广场西门对面,
TD银行旁边)



4164 Sheppard Avenue East, Scarborough, ON M1S 1T3
(East of Kennedy Rd.)

416-293-5211 • www.ogdenfuneralhome.com



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
FUNERAL SERVICES
ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home (905) 889-7467
Christ the King Catholic Cemetery (905) 471-0121

A CATHOLIC TRADITION