

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@princeofpeacesc.ca

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



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

Weekend Masses

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

Weekday Masses

Monday - Saturday: 8:30am
Wednesday & 1st Friday: 7:00pm

Confessions

Monday - Friday: 7:45am-8:15am
**Saturday: 9:00am-9:45am
4:00pm-4:45pm**

PASTOR

Fr. Damian Young-Sam-You

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Fr. Dennise Joy

DEACON

Rev. Mr. Terence Rebello

Rev. Mr. Thomas Aquino

SECRETARY/OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

Raelene Holsinger

SACRAMENTS COORDINATOR

Susan Remedios

ACCOUNTANT

Nalini Andrews

HOUSEKEEPING

Geneveve Macariola-Amini

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Dan Christante

CUSTODIAL STAFF

Jessie Guinto

Tom Mitrovski

VOLUNTEER SCREENING

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

BAPTISM

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

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION PREP

These programs run from September to June. Email 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 email the parish office for further information.

MARRIAGE

Email 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

Mass 7pm followed by Holy Hour with 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 & 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
eTransfers: Give@DonatetoSSVP.ca

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 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, February 28

5:00pm Mass

Sunday, March 1

8:30am Mass

10:00am Mass

11:30am Mass

1:00pm Mass

Monday, March 2

8:30am Mass

✠ Brandon Baptista

✠ Manuel Fernandes

Tuesday, March 3

8:30am Mass

✠ Sales & Veronica Remedios

◆ Roseline Abdullahi Family

Wednesday, March 4

8:30am Mass

◆ Parker Wong

✠ Maurita Macariola

7:00pm Mass

✠ Michelle Ramprasad

✠ Esperidion & Felisa Castillo

Thursday, March 5

8:30am Mass

✠ Patricia Fargas

✠ Sarah Mari

Friday, March 6

8:30am Mass

✠ Santiago Family

✠ Delfin Reyes Sr.

7:00pm Mass

✠ Rose O'Brien

✠ Dexter Derige Sr.

Saturday, March 7

8:30am Mass

✠ Anna Rosario

✠ G.S. Mariathan

✠ Rest in peace ◆ In thanksgiving

♥ For health/healing

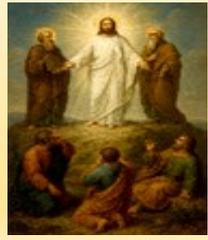
SANCTUARY LAMP

MARCH 2-7

For the Eternal Rest of:
Esperidion & Felisa Castillo

MASS OF ANOINTING

The next Mass of Anointing will be held on **March 11 at 12pm** (noon) followed by the Senior's Group Social.



This Sunday we move from Jesus' temptation in the desert to his Transfiguration. In all three Synoptic Gospels, the Transfiguration follows Jesus' first prediction of his suffering, offering a glimpse of his future glory and Resurrection. On the mountain, God again proclaims Jesus as His beloved Son, while the appearance of Moses and Elijah shows Jesus as the fulfillment of the Law and the Prophets. Peter, James, and John—Jesus' closest disciples—witness this moment, just as they will accompany him in Gethsemane.

LENTE DAY OF CONFESSIONS

During the Lenten season, parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto will each be holding a Day of Confessions between **March 22 to March 28**. Confessions at Prince of Peace Parish will be held on Wednesday, **March 25** from **9am to 12pm** and **2pm to 5pm**. To find the confession times at nearby parishes, visit archtoronto.org/confession.



PRACTICING OUR LENTEN DISCIPLINES

During the **Fridays of Lent**, we invite everyone to join us in our communal practice of the disciplines of Lent: **PRAY, FAST & GIVE**.



SOLIDARITY SOUP: Our Lenten Soup will be served from **5pm to 6:30pm** in the Parish Hall on Fridays during Lent. We **suggest an offering of \$5** in exchange for a bowl of soup and bread in solidarity with those less fortunate. Lenten Soup will be omitted on **March 6** to foster the Eucharistic Fast.



COMMUNAL PRAYER: At **6:30pm**, we will move into the church to begin the Stations of the Cross. On **March 6**, the First Friday of the month, Stations of the Cross will be held during Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (see bulletin cover for schedule).

CONFESSION TIME UPDATE

Beginning in March, Confessions will be available **Monday to Friday from 7:45 to 8:15 am**, before the morning Mass. During Lent, there will be additional opportunities for the Sacrament of Reconciliation: **Wednesdays 6pm to 7pm** and **Fridays** after the Stations of the Cross, **until 8pm**. All parishioners are invited to make use of these times of grace and spiritual renewal.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

40 CANS FOR LENT: We will be accepting donations in cash or kind for the **40**



Cans for Lent program now until Sunday, **April 12**. Kindly place your items in the collection box in the foyer. We ask that you bring only new, packaged items like food cans, juice boxes, granola or chocolate bars, tooth brushes or toothpaste, soaps, shower gel, and deodorants. All donations will be given to the Good Shepherd Ministries. Cash donations of \$20 or above will receive a tax receipt. Thank you for your generosity.

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY



Come and be joyful at the Lift Jesus Higher Rally on Saturday, **March 14** from **9am to 5:30pm** at Metro Convention Centre. The day will feature two simultaneous events—a youth rally (ages 13-18) and an adult rally. It will be a day to deepen and renew your faith, with inspiring talks and testimonies, praise and worship, the rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Mass, Adoration, fellowship, and so much more!

REGISTRATION: Online at ljhr.ca/tickets. If you require assistance, please contact the parish office.

Bus: Passengers must be ready to board the bus at **7am sharp** at the **front of the church** and leave from the rally at **5:45pm**. To sign up, please contact the parish office.

TORONTO MARCH FOR LIFE

All parishioners are invited to take part in the Toronto March for Life on Saturday, **May 23** in downtown Toronto. RCIA candidates, Confirmandi, sponsors, and parish ministries are warmly encouraged to attend. This year's featured speaker is Alissa Golob who will share her experience investigating late-term abortion practices in Canada. Info: torontomarchforlife.ca.



LENTEN GROWTH RETREAT

Divine Retreat Centre Toronto is hosting a Lenten Growth Retreat from **March 14 to 15**. This is a valuable opportunity to deepen your relationship with God. By allowing you to intentionally grow in your faith. A sacred time to return to God. Lent is also a call to conversion and this retreat will help you unite your struggles with Christ's Passion. Direct inquires to: divineretreatcentretoronto.org



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Are you ready for more growth and happiness in your marriage? Join us on **March 7 to 8** at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre for a weekend that could change your life. Come discover the secrets to a lasting, supportive, and transformational marriage. This weekend is for all married couples, whether you are newlyweds or have been married for decades. Contact Christian & Elizabeth Arroba at (416) 554-4439 or (416) 554-7062.



ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

The St. Augustine's Spirit & Life Series continues with the Lenten Day of Retreat. Members of the Madonna House community join us to lead this day of retreat, bringing the spirit of Madonna House's "little mandate" of Gospel simplicity and essentiality to their reflections on how "heart can speak to heart" in our relationship with God. Join us on Saturday, **March 14 from 9am to 4pm!** For more information, visit staugustines.on.ca.



"THE CROSS OF CHRIST"

On Palm Sunday, **March 29, at 3:30 pm**, St. Mark's Parish will proudly present "The Cross of Christ," an original oratorio based on the seven last words of Christ on the cross performed by a symphony orchestra. This sacred musical work written for four operatic voices and orchestra, was entirely composed, by **Romulo Delgado, one of Canada's top tenors**. Tickets can be purchased at St. Mark's Parish Office or online at bit.ly/4q1zANq. For more information, call the St. Mark's parish office at (905)-640-6954.



COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

URGENTLY needed: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Do you want to show your love and support to our homebound parishioners, by visiting them, praying with them and bringing them the Holy Eucharist? If so, please contact the Parish Office to be part of this wonderful ministry.



UPCOMING PILGRIMAGES

PORTUGAL, SPAIN, ANDORRA & FRANCE:

Our Associate Pastor, Fr. Denise will be leading this pilgrimage from **October 2 to October 13**. You'll visit many spiritual locations like the Apparition Chapel, the Cachot, famed cathedrals and churches, and more. You'll deepen your faith, learn about these historical sights, and enjoy a journey to remember. Contact group@qstours.com or call 905-412-2242 for details.



MAINTENANCE FUND

A second collection for the Maintenance Fund will be taken next weekend, **March 7-8**. Thank you for your continuing support and generosity.



TAX RECEIPTS

Thank you for your generous support throughout 2025. Donation receipts for income tax purposes have been mailed out and you should have received them this past week. If you have not received your receipt yet, please contact the parish office for assistance.



FUNDRAISING SHOW

Missionaries of the Poor Canada announces their upcoming fundraising event "Isaiah" featuring Father Ho Lung and friends, in partnership with the Toronto Catholic District School Board. They will host two shows at Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts on Saturday, **April 11 at 5:30pm** and Sunday, **April 12 at 2:30pm**. All proceeds from this event will directly benefit the poor served in their missions. You can purchase your tickets online at eventbrite.ca/o/20171003516.



VOCATIONS

Peter, James and John had a mountaintop experience with Jesus by witnessing His transfiguration. We too can have a mountaintop experience when we open our minds and hearts to following God's Will for our life. If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. McCarthy at: 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org



STEWARDSHIP

The mystery of the Transfiguration reminds us of the Church's teaching on divinization—that we are called to become like God. As the USCCB teaches, God invites us to share in His work of creation, redemption, and sanctification, which is the heart of true stewardship. Let us take some time to reflect on the teaching of divinization and strive to be greater stewards in our parishes, for to be a good steward is to be like Christ.



SHARELIFE: LIVING THE GOSPEL

Thanks to your generosity, many isolated seniors, struggling families, refugees starting over, and young parents seeking a better future can find support through ShareLife. ShareLife supports over 40 Catholic agencies like the Catholic Family Services of Toronto that bring hope and care to those in need. Our first ShareLife Sunday collection is **March 22**. Please give through the parish, online at our website, or at sharelife.org/donate.



2025 SHARELIFE RESULTS

Our parish donated a total of **\$90,424.45** during the 2025 ShareLife campaign. This comes up to **93.2%** of our goal of **\$97,000.00**. Thank you for your amazing generosity throughout the year.

QIGONG NATURAL THERAPY

An alternative way to heal stress-related diseases or problems—headaches, insomnia, lower back pain, chronic illnesses, and more—through tappings, cuppings, guasha, facials and feet soaking.

Call: 416-886-2606 or 416-609-2716 Visit Us: 4544 Sheppard Ave E. Unit 122



XINDE HOME RENOVATION & REPAIR

Serving Local Community | Honest | Experienced | Affordable

- Kitchen & Bathroom Remodeling
- Tiling, Flooring & Painting
- Plumbing & Electrical
- Toilet Installation
- Framing & Drywall
- Tree Cutting & Removal

CALL/TEXT: 647-898-3667 (Jason) / 647-824-5678 (Ivan)



Ronald Phen
SALES REPRESENTATIVE

Dir: 647.806.8956
ronaldphen@gmail.com



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

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)



DR. ATLEY GEORGE



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

stjosephdent@gmail.com
stjosephdentalclinic.com



Tony Wang: 647-267-3832



FREE ESTIMATE → FULL HOUSE RENEW



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

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: niroshr@dvntoyota.com

Sales | Leasing | New & Pre-Owned

Advertise
your
business
here

info@chapelridgefh.com | www.chapelridgefh.com



FUNERAL HOME
& CREMATION CENTRE



905-305-8508
OUR FAMILY SERVING YOURS

Family owned by
Eric & Susanne
Tappenden

The Man Renovation Co.



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



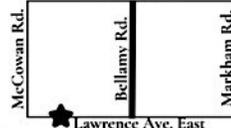
DR. LIBERTY CERVANTES-LEE
& ASSOCIATES

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

Ellesmere Rd.



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



Looking for local, affordable
advertising for your
business? Contact
parish.office@princeofpeace.ca
to advertise in our bulletin



4164 Sheppard Avenue East, Scarborough, ON M1S 1T3
(East of Kennedy Rd.)
416-293-5211 • www.ogdenfuneralhome.com



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

A CATHOLIC TRADITION