



Prince of Peace Parish

Founded 1983

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

CLOSED: 12:00pm-1:00pm daily

Saturday & Sunday 9:00am-12:00pm

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

Rev. Fr. Damian Young-Sam-You

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Rev. Fr. Dennise Joy

IN RESIDENCE

Rev. Fr. Prince Michael

DEACON

Rev. Mr. Terence Rebello

Rev. Mr. Thomas Aquino

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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 & CONFIRMATION

Registration has closed for this year's programs. Please email the parish office next year to register.

R.C.I.A.

Registration has closed for this year's program. Please email the parish office next year to register.

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 12:00pm (noon). The exact date is published in the bulletin every month.

SENIORS' GROUP

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

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

Mass at 7:00pm followed by Holy Hour with benediction at 8:30pm. (Confessions during Adoration)

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

Grief support groups and more. Sessions every month.

VISITING MINISTRY

Visits for Holy Communion are available. Contact the parish office.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Saturday 5:00pm

Sunday 10:00am & 1:00pm

PRAYER GROUP

Prayer and worship group. Meets every Thursday at 7:00pm in the parish hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Membership: GK9144@ontariokofc.ca
For more information, contact Bento: adcruz1951@hotmail.com

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Helpline: (647) 234-0265
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eTransfers: Give@DonatetoSSVP.ca

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Advises the Pastor in matters pertaining to the financial affairs of the parish.

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

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Francis Libermann HS (416) 393-5524

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 17

5:00pm Mass

Sunday, October 18

8:30am Mass

10:00am Mass

11:30am Mass

1:00pm Mass

Monday, October 19

8:30am Mass

† Irene Patricio

◇ William & Elizabeth Wong

Tuesday, October 20

8:30am Mass

† Denis Viegas

† Nancy Pedrosa

Wednesday, October 21

8:30am Mass

† Fernando dela Rama

◆ Shereen & David McLeod

7:00pm Mass

† Gil Gabriel Ganaden

† Sin-Chung Huang &

Yuen-Chiao Susie

Thursday, October 22

8:30am Mass

† Eva Ho-Koon

† Ho Yim Ping

Friday, October 23

8:30am Mass

† Amalrani Mariadasan

† Jeanette Tang Tan

Saturday, October 24

8:30am Mass

† Cynthia Acayan

† Noemi Reyes Cartano

† *Repose of the Soul* ◆ *In thanksgiving*

♥ *For health/healing* ◇ *Intentions of*

SANCTUARY LAMP

OCTOBER 19-24

For the Eternal Rest of:

Amalrani Mariadasan

Esther Rani Fernando

Eva Ho-Koon

Generosa De Mello

Pacencia Mendoza

Rufina Kumuthini Manohar

Andres & Severa Cantos

For the Health of:

Lorraine Fernandes

William Wong

Pro Populo



In today's Gospel, *Matthew 22:15-21*, the Pharisees try to trap Jesus by asking whether they should pay taxes to the emperor. Jesus responds by asking whose image is on the coin. When they answer that it belongs to Caesar, Jesus tells them, "Give therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's" (*Matthew 22:21*). Through this teaching, Jesus reminds us that while we have responsibilities in society, our faith and relationship with God must remain central to our lives. Today's Gospel reminds us to live responsibly in the world while remaining faithful to God in all that we do.

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

The Ministry of Consolation will be holding their next session this Monday, **October 19th**, at 7:00pm in the



parish hall. These sessions feature videos, a support group, and fellowship, all curated to support those who are experiencing grief from the loss of a loved one. All are welcome to attend.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Eyeglasses Drive: Until **October 25th**, the Knights of Columbus will be holding a donation drive for old and used eyeglasses. Your donations will be cleaned, repaired, and distributed to those in need in developing countries. A donation box will be placed in the foyer. Please do not donate any cases; just the eyeglasses themselves.

BENEVOLENT FUND

There will be a second collection this upcoming weekend, **October 24-25**, for the Benevolent Fund.



Your donation helps support our parish's emergency fund for people in our community who are in dire need of aid. We thank you for your continued support and generosity.

ALL SOULS' REMEMBRANCE SLIDES



The form to submit names for our annual November Remembrance Slides will be available this upcoming weekend, **October 24-25**, near the emergency exit doors at the front of the Church. More information will be available in next weekend's bulletin.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers for the 8:30am and 1:00pm Sunday Masses. If you feel called to serve in this ministry, please contact the parish office.



WEEKEND MASS CHOIRS



We are always happy to welcome new members to our weekend Mass choirs. Please email the parish office if you are interested in joining one of our choirs.

PRAYER GROUP – MUSICIAN WANTED

The Prayer Group is looking for a musician to help accompany their weekly meetings. If you are interested in sharing your gift of music, please contact the parish office.



SSVP BUNDLE UP WEEKEND



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be holding their Bundle Up donation drive this upcoming weekend, **October 24-25**. A container will be placed in the church parking lot, and volunteers will be on site to assist with loading the container before and after each Mass.

Accepted Items: Clothing, footwear, bedding, drapery/towels, and toys in new condition.

Items NOT Accepted: Baby items (cribs, car seats, strollers), construction materials, dishes, furniture, and books/video/audio cassettes.

Please do not drop off any donations before October 24-25.

PARKING LOT NOTICE

Please refrain from parking in our designated Staff, Deacon, and Priest parking spots unless you have been authorized to do so. These spots are essential to the proper functioning of our parish, especially on Sundays.



WEEKEND MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT



Please note that on the weekends of **October 17-18** and **October 24-25**, we will be conducting our annual weekend Mass attendance headcount. These headcounts help provide the Archdiocese of Toronto with an accurate profile of Mass attendance across the archdiocese. Our ushers will use a tally counter to count parishioners as they enter the church. Nothing is required from parishioners except to attend Mass.

TORONTO MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2026

A municipal election will be held on Monday, **October 26th**. Everyone is strongly encouraged to exercise their democratic right to vote. The Archdiocese of Toronto has given permission **ONLY** to the candidates for Catholic School Board Trustee to distribute flyers to parishioners after Mass. Please note that the distribution of flyers is done by the candidates' own team of volunteers. Prince of Peace Parish is not affiliated with, and does not endorse, any of the candidates.



RENEW TORONTO 2026



On **November 20-21**, the Office of Catholic Youth and the Archdiocese of Toronto will be hosting RENEW Toronto, an annual Catholic conference for young adults between the ages of 18-39. The two-day event will feature keynote, workshops, marketplaces, young adult socials, Eucharistic Adoration, and much more. For more information or to get tickets, please visit renewtoronto.org.

WORLD YOUTH DAY MASS 2026

Join young adults between the ages of 19-39 for the Archdiocese of Toronto's own World Youth Day Mass for 2026, celebrated by His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo. The Mass will be held at St. Thomas More Church (Scarborough) on Saturday, **November 21st**, at 7:00pm. Admission is free and there is no registration required. For more information, visit ocytoronto.org/events.



MARRIAGE SUNDAY 2027



Marriage Sunday will be celebrated on the weekend of **February 6-7, 2027**. On **February 7th**, at 2:30pm, there will be a special Mass at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica honouring married couples, with special recognition to those who will be celebrating 25, 40, 50, and 60+ years of marriage in 2027. For more information, please visit archtoronto.org/marriage.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027

The Office of Catholic Youth and the Archdiocese of Toronto invite all young adults between the ages of 18-39 to join them from **August 1-11, 2027**, on an incredible journey to Seoul, South Korea to experience World Youth Day with the Holy Father and Catholic young adults from around the world. Spots are limited, and applications are reviewed on a first-come-first-serve basis, so apply early. For more information, please review the poster in the foyer or visit ocytoronto.org/wyd-seoul-2027.



REGISTERING AT THE PARISH



Registering as a parishioner is an important first step to becoming an active member of your local faith community. Your information is kept completely confidential and secure. Register today at the parish office or fill out the digital registration form on our parish website.

VOCATIONS



"For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you"

(1 Thessalonians 1:4). If you feel that you are being called to the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at:

(416) 968-0997

vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca

PLENARY INDULGENCE

On World Mission Sunday, **October 18th**, the Apostolic Penitentiary has granted a plenary indulgence to all the faithful, as well as the souls of the faithful departed, who, in the context of this celebration, receive the Holy Communion and pray for the spreading of the Gospel throughout the world. In addition to this work, in order to obtain this indulgence, the following conditions are required:



- Sacramental Confession with sincere contrition for one's sins.
- Eucharistic Communion.
- Prayer for the Holy Father's intentions.
- Inner detachment from all sin, even venial sin, accompanied by a sincere desire for conversion.

Please note that Sacramental Confession may take place before or after the prescribed work; however, receiving Holy Communion and praying for the Holy Father's intentions should be done on the exact day.

WISDOM OF THE SAINTS



"Pray, hope, and don't worry. Worry is useless. God is merciful and will hear your prayer."

-St. Padre Pio

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