



H O L Y C R O S S
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Office Hours:
Monday to Friday
9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Fr. Roselle Cyrille R. Azares, Pastor

Deacon Albert Dacanay

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Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 7:00 pm

Morning Prayer:

Tuesday thru Friday 8:00 am

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday to Friday: 8:15 am
Saturdays & Holidays: 9:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm
First Friday 6:15 pm to 6:45 pm
For any other time by appointment only

First Fridays:

Holy Hour: 6:00 pm
Mass 7:00 pm

Baptism:

By appointment and after an interview with the parents.

Marriage:

Couples planning to be married should contact the pastor one year in advance.

Care of the Sick:

Please call the parish to request visitation of the sick or elderly - for prayers, Holy Communion, Sacrament of the Sick.

New Parishioners:

Welcome! Please ask for a registration form in the vestibule of the church or at the parish office.

Holy Cross School

299A Donlands Avenue
Toronto, Ont. M4J 3R7

Principal: Ms. Sandy Gunter

Phone: (416) 393-5242

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Day</i> | <i>Time</i> | <i>Mass Intention for</i> | <i>Requested by</i> |
|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Aug 28 | Tues | 8:15 am | Rev. Fr. Jesus Prol O.P.† | Luzviminda Que |
| Aug 29 | Wed | 8:15 am | Claudette Wilson | Claudette Wilson |
| Aug. 30 | Thurs | 8:15 am | Sheila MacDonald† | Rose Fleming |
| Aug 31 | Fri | 8:15 am | Sheila MacDonald† | Helen Franz |
| Sept 1 | Sat | 9:00 am | Calixto Andal, Sr.† | Cora Andal |
| | | 5:00 pm | George Brisbin† | |
| Sept 2 | Sun | 9:30 am | Roy de Guzman† | Gene & Vivian Beltjar |
| | | 11:00 am | All Parishioners | |
| | | 7:00 pm | No Mass | |



**Collections from
July 2 to August 12, 2018**

SHARE LIFE : \$32,712.90
Offertory : \$18,581.75
Renovation Fund : \$2,671.77
Roof Special Collection : \$5,301.00

Thank you for your continued support!

Upcoming Events

September 9, 2018 (Sunday) – Rosary Sunday in Martyr’s Shrine

September 15, 2018 (Saturday) – Games Night at the Church Hall

September 16, 2018 (Sunday) – Family Day: Barbeque at the Church Lawn

September 15, 2018 (Saturday) @ 10:30 am at the Church: Parent Information Session and First Communion Registration

September 29, 2018 (Saturday) @ 10:30 am at the Church: Parent information Session & Registration for Confirmation

The 2019 Mass Intentions Book is now available



**Altar Servers Schedule
September 1st/2nd 2018**

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|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Saturday 5:00 pm | Angeline Beltran | Angelo Beltran | Michael Orillanes | Isaiah Odejobi |
| Sunday 9:30 am | Ruel Gutierrez | Cheraldine Carandang | Arnold Carandang | Maryrose Sabio |
| Sunday 11:00 am | Andre & Martina Flores | Noble Argiloff | Matthew Guzman | Megan Mico |
| Sunday 7:00 pm | Cerniel Cruzada | Cailean Cruzada | Joshua | Kirsten |

Are you new in the Parish?

If so, please take a moment to register by filling out a Registration Form located in the foyer and place it in the offertory basket. The Parish office will then contact you.

Pre-Authorized Giving

The work of Holy Cross Church is made possible through the giving hearts of parishioners like you. In response to changing lifestyles and demands on time and energy, **Holy Cross Church is proposing that you kindly consider the Pre-Authorized Giving Program (PAG) to assist you in your giving.**

Advantages for you:

- It’s convenient. You don’t have to scramble to find a pen and fill out an envelope on the way to Mass.
- You know that even when you are away, you are supporting your parish.

Advantages for the Parish:

- Imagine if you went to work every day and did not know how much you would receive when you got your cheque. It would make planning your life very difficult. It’s the same for your Parish. **PAG** gives your parish a stable flow of income from which we can plan.

How to sign up for PAG:

- Decide the amount of your gift to Holy Cross Church to be withdrawn from your account each month. This does not include any money for special collections
- Fill out the PAG form and attach a cheque from your account marked “void”.
- Put the form and void cheque in a sealed envelope, and place it in the collection basket OR mail it to Holy Cross Church, 291 Cosburn Ave, Toronto ON M4J 2M4.

Thank you for your generosity!

Never be afraid of loving the Blessed Virgin too much.
You can never love her more than Jesus did. – St. Maximilian Kolbe

Come celebrate

Our Holy Cross Church 90th Anniversary

Games Night

Saturday, September 15th at 6:00 pm.
Church Hall

\$20.00 - Ticket includes Souvlaki dinner and entry to games.



Family BBQ

Sunday, September 16th

after the 9:30 am & 11:00 am Masses
on the Church lawns.

There will be festivities, fun & food, so bring your Family and Friends to enjoy both of these Events. Tickets will be sold at the event.

***First Reconciliation & First Communion
Registration***

For Grade 2 students receiving the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion in 2019, **the parent information session and registration** will be held on **Saturday, September 15th at 10:30 a.m.** in the church. Parents are required to attend this meeting at which time you will receive information about the preparation process for the Sacraments.

***Confirmation & Preparation
Programme***

For Grade 7 students receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation in 2019, **the parent information session and registration** will be held on **Saturday, September 29th at 10:30 a.m.** in the church. Parents are required to attend this meeting when you will receive information about the preparation process for the Sacraments.

***Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
(RCIA)***

The RCIA is a process by which an adult (18 years of age or older) becomes a full member of the Catholic Church. The Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist) are received at Easter Vigil, the Saturday evening Mass before Easter Sunday.

RCIA is for the following individuals:

- An unbaptized person who wants to be baptized into the Catholic Church.
- A member of another Christian denomination who wants to become a Catholic.
- A baptized Catholic who wants to be fully initiated through the Eucharist and Confirmation.

Expectations:

- Attend Sunday Mass faithfully, every week.
- Attend evening classes Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Classes start in October and end around Easter.
- Choose a sponsor, a fully initiated, practicing Catholic.
- Welcome people into a warm encouraging circle, celebrating our diversity and seeking faith enrichment.

*For more information or to register please contact
Fr. Roselle or the parish office at 416 421-5225.*

Rosary Sunday



September 9, 2018, Martyr's Shrine

Departure: 9:00 am from Holy Cross Parish
Returns @ 6:00 PM

Price per person:
Adult: \$35.00
Child: \$25.00

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