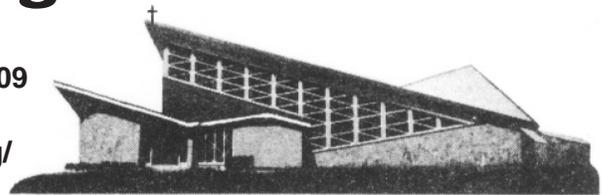


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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Mon & Fri - Closed Thursday
 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Evening Reception
 Tues & Wed.
 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

SUNDAY LITURGY — Saturday 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
SPANISH MASS — Sunday 2:00 p.m.
WEEKDAY MASSES — Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:20 a.m.
 Wednesday (Rosary at 6:30 p.m.) 7:00 p.m. (OLPH Devotions)

EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

On first Friday of each month following morning mass.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION — Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. By appointment any time.

PARISH REGISTRATION — All parishioners especially those who live outside our parish boundaries are expected to complete a Parish Registration form and use Sunday Offertory Envelopes. This will greatly assist the Parish Team when parishioners request sacraments, funerals or letters of reference.

N.B. — When parishioners move you are asked to notify the parish office.

INFANT BAPTISMS — Two Sudays per month at 4:00 p.m. Contact the parish office at least two months in advance of the birth of their child. Parents are obliged to participate in our baptismal preparation program.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE — The Archdiocese of Toronto requires that you contact your parish priest at least one year in advance of the planned date of your wedding and that you participate in a marriage preparation course.

PARISH HOME CATECHISM PROGRAM — Children attending public, private or alternative school are required to participate in this program from grade 1 - 7 in order to prepare to receive the sacraments.

VISITATION OF THE SICK — Please notify the Rectory when a member of your family is in the hospital.

BULLETIN DEADLINE — Monday 9:00 a.m. in writing or by e-mail.

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peace to all of you!

This Sunday we celebrate the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The First Reading, from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah, presents the image of Jerusalem as a meeting place with God. In Jerusalem was located the Temple to where people were called to go up and worship God. People found joy and consolation meeting the Lord in Jerusalem. For us now, going to Church is where we find and meet the Lord. By listening to His Word and receiving the Body of Christ, we are filled with joy and peace in our daily lives. The Second Reading, from the Letter of St. Paul to the Galatians, gives us a teaching on the importance on relying on the Cross of Christ as the source and strength for our lives. Whenever we find difficulties and struggles, it is easy to get discouraged, but we are asked to rely in the Lord and find strength in Him. It is through His grace that we can continue in our difficult moments and realize that anything is possible with God. Let us lift our eyes to Him and find refuge in His strength. The Gospel, from St. Luke, gives us the account of the missionary discourse that Jesus addresses to the seventy-two disciples. Jesus sends them out two by two as a sign that, at the heart of the mission of bringing Jesus to the people, is communion and love for each other. This apostolate is carried out with humility, poverty, and meekness, bringing the peace of Christ wherever they go. The purpose of the mission is to bring the presence of Christ to every person they meet. We also can bring Christ to those around us through the way we act. Let us accompany Jesus in this amazing endeavour of transmitting life to the whole world!

I hope that all of you have a very restful and peaceful summer. It is wonderful that now we can travel and meet people. It is going to recharge us and give us the joy of being with friends again and people whom we love. Let us enjoy this time of rest together with God, always remembering to pray and attending mass wherever we might be. Have a great summer!

Fr. Francisco Fernandez, Your servant and your Pastor

Pope Francis' Homily on the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (July 7, 2019)

Today's Gospel passage (cf. Lk 10:1-12, 17-20) presents Jesus who sends 72 disciples on mission, in addition to the 12 Apostles. The number 72 likely refers to all the nations. Indeed, in the Book of Genesis 72 different nations are mentioned (cf. 10:1-32). Thus, this conveyance prefigures the Church's mission to proclaim the Gospel to all peoples. Jesus says to those disciples: "The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; pray therefore the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest!" (Lk 10:2).

In sending out the 72 disciples, Jesus gives them precise instructions which express the characteristics of the mission. The first, as we have already seen, is: *pray*; the second: *go*; and then: *carry no purse, no bag...; say, 'Peace be to this house' ... remain in the same house... do not go from house to house... heal the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you'".* And if they do not receive you, *go out into the streets and take your leave* (cf. vv. 2-10). These imperatives show that the mission is based on prayer; that it is itinerant: it is not idle; it is itinerant; that it requires separation and poverty; that it brings peace and healing, signs of the closeness of the Kingdom of God; that it is not proselytism but proclamation and witness; and that it also requires frankness and the evangelical freedom to leave while highlighting the responsibility of having rejected the message of salvation, but without condemnation and cursing.

If lived in these terms, the mission of the Church will be characterized by joy. And how does this passage end? The 72

"returned with joy" (cf. v. 17). It is not an ephemeral joy, which flows from the success of the mission; on the contrary, it is a joy rooted in the promise that — as Jesus says: "your names are written in heaven" (v. 20). With this expression he means inner joy, and the indestructible joy that is born out of the awareness of being called by God to follow his Son. That is, the joy of being his disciples. Today, for example, each of us, here in the Square, can think of the name we received on the day of Baptism: that name is "written in heaven", in the heart of God the Father. And it is the joy of his gift that makes a missionary of every disciple, those who walk in the company of the Lord Jesus, who learn from him to unsparingly expend themselves for others, free of oneself and of one's possessions.

From the Archdiocese of Toronto

If you are a lawyer, we would like to hear from you! The Archdiocese of Toronto has spent a number of years creating a network of Catholic lawyers who understand our faith and can provide professional service to other Catholics in our archdiocese with will preparation and writing. Be part of our network where you have the opportunity to integrate your spiritual and professional life.

**Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services
Annual Mass for the Departed
Wednesday, August 17, 2022 at 7pm
Resurrection Cemetery 355 Taunton Road East, Whitby
On the grounds. All are welcome!**

Parish Home Catechism Program

A learning partnership between parents and catechists to teach children about the help them grow in their Catholic faith. Children need to know about their faith and live it to receive the sacraments. Traditionally, the program is for children in public and private schools, however our program is for any child grades 1-8. The program runs from September to early May on Wednesday evenings 6:15pm – 7:15pm, taught by a wonderful group of catechists. Registration will begin in August. If you are interested in becoming a catechist, please contact the parish office.

R.C.I.A

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) provides instruction and spiritual formation to anyone 16 years of age and older who are not baptized, or baptized in another Christian community, who would like to become a member of the Catholic Church. Catholic adults who have not yet celebrated their First Eucharist or the Sacrament of Confirmation may also take part. RCIA Sessions take place on Thursday evenings from 7pm to 9pm in the Parish Centre beginning soon. Interested participants should contact Fr. Francisco at the Parish Office as soon as possible to register: (905) 668-3676.



THANK YOU!



to all of the ushers, Eucharistic ministers, cantors, organists, lectors, and altar servers who assisted with the First Eucharist and Confirmation celebrations this spring.

Your time and dedication is much appreciated.

JULY 3, 2022

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE 2022 – Call the office to book a Mass Intention

Date	Time	Mass Intention	Requested by
Sat Jul 2	5:00pm	+Brian, Ruth & William McMonagle	The McMonagle Family
Mon Jul 4	8:20am	+Terry McDonald	Pat McDonald
Tue Jul 5	8:20am	+Frederick Schranz	Ed Schranz
Wed Jul 6	7:00pm	+Eric Dulay +Raymond O'Donnell	Maria Stanley The Muller Family
Thu Jul 7	8:20am	+Harrington, Broderick & McClennan Families	Joe & Joy
Fri Jul 8	8:20am	+Paul Morgan	Pat & Vicki Morgan
Sat Jul 9	5:00pm	+Sharon Ladouceur	Jim & Rose Marie Abdee
Mon Jul 11	8:20am	+	
Tue Jul 12	8:20am	+Ante Barich	His Wife & Family
Wed Jul 13	7:00pm	+Broderick, Howard & Harrington Families +Humberto Schenflede	Joe & Joy Wife & Family
Thu Jul 14	8:20am	+Margaret Davidson	The Hannon Family
Fri Jul 15	8:20am	+Brian McMonagle	The Hannon Family
Sat Jul 16	5:00pm	In Thanksgiving for 33 rd Anniversary	Pablo & Maria Enrique
Mon Jul 18	8:20am	+Elpidio Peralta	Pablo & Maria Enrique
Tue Jul 19	8:20am	+	
Wed Jul 20	7:00pm	+	
Thu Jul 21	8:20am	+	
Fri Jul 22	8:20am	+Andrew Marioselva	Christine Marioselva
Sat Jul 23	5:00pm	+Patrick Kivlahan	Bryan & Lynne Childerhouse
Mon Jul 25	8:20am	+	
Tue Jul 26	8:20am	+Ildefonso & Leonarda Felipe	Tim & Luz Sharp & Family
Wed Jul 27	7:00pm	+	
Thu Jul 28	8:20am	+	
Fri Jul 29	8:20am	+	
Sat Jul 30	5:00pm	+Sharon Ladouceur	The Burke Family
Mon Aug 1	9:00am	+	
Tue Aug 2	8:20am	+	
Wed Aug 3	7:00pm	+	
Thu Aug 4	8:20am	+	
Fri Aug 5	8:20am	+Mario Drago	Angela Drago & Family
Sat Aug 6	5:00pm	+Margaret Davidson	The Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Mon Aug 8	8:20am	+	
Tue Aug 9	8:20am	+	
Wed Aug 10	7:00pm	+	
Thu Aug 11	8:20am	+	
Fri Aug 12	8:20am	+Harrington, Broderick & McClennan Families	Joe & Joy
Sat Aug 13	5:00pm	+Sharon Ladouceur	Bryan & Lynne Childerhouse
Mon Aug 15	8:20am	+Humberto Schenflede	His Wife & Family
Tue Aug 16	8:20am	+	
Wed Aug 17	7:00pm	+Broderick, Howard & Harrington	Joe & Joy
Thu Aug 18	8:20am	+Joan Morris	Anne Gallagher
Fri Aug 19	8:20am	+	
Sat Aug 20	5:00pm	+Ivan Belej	Ann Belej-Corrigan & Jim Corrigan
Mon Aug 22	8:20am	+Andrew Marioselva	Christine Marioselva
Tue Aug 23	8:20am	+	
Wed Aug 24	7:00pm	+Bonnie Kay Latour	Margaret Lance
Thu Aug 25	8:20am	+Grant Davidson	Evangeline Davidson
Fri Aug 26	8:20am	+	
Sat Aug 27	5:00pm	+Brian McMonagle	The Burke Family

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