



St. Monica's Roman Catholic Church

“Joyfully bringing Christ to the world and intentionally bringing the world to Christ.”



Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 9:00am & 11:00am

Weekday Masses:

Mon/Wed/Fri: 12:10pm
Tue/Thurs: 8:00am
Saturday: 10:00am
Public Holidays: 10:00am

Baptisms:

Every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30pm.

RCIA:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Weddings:

Please contact the Parish Office at least one year before the wedding date.

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Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
1:00pm - 5:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Mon/Wed/Fri : 11:40 am-12 noon
Tue/Thurs : 7:30-7:50 am
Sat: 9:30-9:50 am
Private Confession:
Contact the Parish Office

Anointing of the Sick:

Please contact the Parish Office.
Upon request, Communion can be administered with this sacrament.

Funerals

Please contact the Parish Office

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER.

Catholic Women's League:

Meets online until further notice.
cwlstmonica@gmail.com

Society of St. Vincent de Paul:

416-322-2797(message centre)
sanvincentdepaul@yahoo.com

Elementary School

St. Monica Catholic Elementary School
Phone: 416-393-5224
Website: www.tcdsb.org/schools/stmonica/

SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH
12:10 P.M. MASS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15TH
8:00 A.M. MASS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH
12:10 P.M. MASS

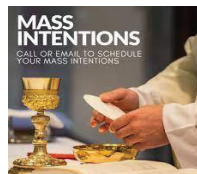
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH
8:00 A.M. MASS


FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH
12:10 P.M. +Abrehet Bahta Tekle
req. Amleset & Family

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH
10:00 A.M. +Ernest Ricketts

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to **Offer a Weekday Mass**, please call the Parish Office at 416-483-1513 or send an email to stmonicatoronto@gmail.com.



 **CWL VIRTUAL ROSARY** will take place on Fri., Feb. 11th & Fri., March 25, 2022, 7-7:30 p.m. Visit <https://cwl-st-monica.mailchimpsites.com/>.

(FRFE) FIRST RECONCILIATION CATECHETICAL PREPARATION CLASS

The ***First Reconciliation Catechetical Preparation Class*** will take place **online** on Saturday, February 26, 2022 at 6:45 pm. For more information & the schedule of classes, please visit our Parish website: www.stmonicasto.archtoronto.org.



2022 (ROC) RITE OF CONFIRMATION



REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN for the 2022 (ROC) Rite of Confirmation preparation program. Visit www.stmonicasto.archtoronto.org for the online registration form. The first of six virtual classes is on Wed., Feb. 16 at 4 pm.

RCIA 2022

Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested in becoming Catholic or if you are already Catholic but have not completed the Sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation & receiving Eucharist for the first time).



VIRTUAL CHILDREN'S LITURGY

We invite all children 3 to 7 years old to join us in discovering the Gospel through music, dancing, storytelling, arts & crafts, & much more! Visit www.littleliturgy.ca to access videos & great craft ideas!

ASH WEDNESDAY: MARCH 2, 2022



SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Happy are those who know they need God. Happy too those who live faithfully the vocation of the life-commitment God calls them to, be it married, single, religious or priesthood. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-968-0997, www.vocationstoronto.ca, vocations@archtoronto.org.



CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE – FEB. 12/13, 2022

First celebrated in the Archdiocese of Toronto in 2011, His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins designated the weekend prior to the Family Day long weekend in Ontario as "Marriage Sunday." This year, Bishop Robert Kasun will preside at the Celebration of Marriage Mass on Sunday, February 13, 2022, 2:30 p.m., St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. In-person attendance is limited - only couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, and 60+ wedding anniversaries & one (1) guest per couple will be able to register to attend. For more information & resources, please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

Pope Francis has launched the Synod on Synodality: a two-year global process of listening to the faithful that will help the Church reflect on how we can do God's will in the world today. The comments of the faithful will ultimately be discussed at a meeting of the bishops in the Vatican in 2023. To learn more about the Synod on Synodality and to share your thoughts, visit www.archtoronto.org/synodality.

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For more information, please visit www.tcdsb.org/careers. Email inquiries can be sent to hr.recruitment@tcdsb.org.

Please note: Applications will not be accepted by email.

BLESSED IS THE ONE WHO TRUSTS

In the first reading this Sunday, we learn all about the importance of trust. The Lord says to the prophet Jeremiah, "Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord ... That person shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green." Let us take some time to reflect on the role of trust in our lives as stewards.

Being a steward involves the total gift of our time and talents to our parish community for the good of the Church. However, despite all our good deeds, we may not always see the fruit of our labours. The parish vitality may still seem bleak or people may still seem to lack interior conversion. However, this is where the need for trust comes in.

We must trust that God will surely bless our stewardship and bring about great graces, even though we do not see them. Whenever we begin to lose hope because of the slow progress in our ministry, we can look to our own lives for reassurance. We ourselves probably didn't have a conversion experience the first time we heard the Gospel. All of those moments were instead slow and gradual movements the Lord used to bring us to where we are now. Let us trust that God is silently doing great things through the gift of ourselves and strive to work ever more ardently.

SUMMARY

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From: Archdiocese of Toronto, Office of Formation for Discipleship, Stewardship Reflections, Year C.

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