



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.

Pastor: Fr. Damian Young-Sam-You

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Office Hours:

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Mon/Wed/Fri: 11:40am-12 noon
Tue/Thurs: 7:30-7:50am
Sat: 9:30-9:50am; 4-4:40pm
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/

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 4TH

12:10 P.M. +Francis Chan &
for Joseph Chan's friends
Req. Joseph Chan

TUESDAY, JULY 5TH

8:00 A.M. +Teresa Scully & the Living &
Deceased Members of her Family

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6TH

12:10 P.M. +Francis Wun Yin Chan
& +Elizabeth Chan
Req. The Chan Family

THURSDAY, JULY 7TH

8:00 A.M. +Marco Antonio Lagdameo
Req. Mitzi Lagdameo

FRIDAY, JULY 8TH

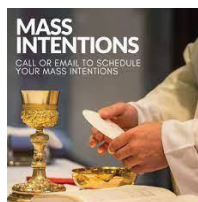
12:10 P.M. Living & Deceased Members
of The Klaya Family
Req. Margaret Medon

SATURDAY, JULY 9TH

10:00 A.M. +John Kavanagh
Req. Laura Williams

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.



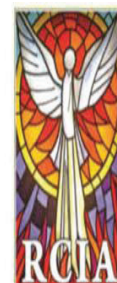
DID YOU KNOW?

You can submit your prayer
requests online through our parish
website:

www.stmonicasto@archtoronto.org.

RCIA

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).



ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED WEDNESDAY AUGUST 17, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services –
Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the
Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual
Mass for the Faithful
Departed. Mass will take
place at Mount Hope
Cemetery, Toronto.
Celebrant: Rev. Msgr.
Paul Zimmer. *In the event of rain, Mount Hope
Cemetery will celebrate Mass at St. Monica's Parish,
44 Broadway Ave. Toronto.*



ORDERS ACCEPTED UNTIL JULY 10, 2022 FOR 2022-2023 SUNDAY MISSAL

If you would like to have your own copy of the 2022-
2023 Sunday Missal, please put your \$5
cash or cheque donation (payable to St.
Monica's Parish) in an envelope
marked "**2023 SUNDAY MISSAL**" with
your name & phone number and/or email address.
Kindly drop your donation in the collection basket or
through the mail slot on the parish office door on or
before Sunday, July 10th.



We need
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to serve as
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Communion, Lectors, and Garden Volunteers!***
If you are interested, please contact the Parish
Office by phone at (416) 483-1513 or email at
stmonicatoronto@gmail.com.

St. Monica's Feast Day

August 27, 2022

Celebrate 116 years with us!



- Pray our [Novena to St. Monica](#) during Mass from August 18 to 26, 2022.
- Participate in our [parish community picture-taking](#) after the 10 am Mass on August 27, 2022. *Wear a plain blue shirt - any shade of blue will do!*

PERPETUAL NOVENA TO SAINT MONICA

Dear Saint Monica, you were once the mournful mother of a prodigal son. Your faithfulness to prayer brought you and your son so close to God that you are now with him in eternity. By your intercession and God's grace, your son Saint Augustine became a great and venerable Saint of the Church. Please take my request to God with the same fervor and persistence with which you prayed for your own son.

(Mention your intentions here.)

With your needs, worries and anxieties, you threw yourself on the mercy and providence of God. Through sorrow and pain, you constantly devoted yourself to God. Pray for me that I might join you in such a deep faith in God's goodness and mercy.

Above all, dear Saint Monica, pray for me that I may, like your son, turn from my sin and become a great saint for the glory of God. Amen.

THE HARVEST IS PLENTY

In the Gospel reading, Jesus commissions the disciples who were following him and sent them out two by two to all the places which Jesus intended to go. They were sent to prepare the way, and to prepare the hearts of the people, that they will be able to receive Jesus and his message when he comes. However, there are two stark realities that Jesus conveys to the disciples about their journey.

First, the harvest is plenty, but the laborers are few. The world is ripe for the harvest, but unfortunately, the number of people willing to go out and work for the sake of building up the Kingdom of God are few. This reality was present in Jesus' time and continues to be a reality today. Jesus calls many yet only few answer the call. The second reality is that when we are sent, we are like lambs in the midst of wolves. Jesus knew that the preaching of the Gospel would come with opposition and persecution.

Jesus knows that the work will be difficult and warns his disciples of the challenges they will face. However, he also promises to be with them and extends this promise to us as well. As the Lord speaks through Isaiah in the first reading, he tells us that as a mother comforts her child, so the Lord will comfort those who are doing his will. As stewards, we are called to labor for God's kingdom, a work that can be difficult and lifelong. The harvest is plenty, but the laborers are few. Let us spend time to reflect on the ways that the Lord calls us, asking God to open our hearts to his invitation of sharing our time and talent with our parish community. Let us also pray in a special way this week for those who are laboring, and that even more people may hear the Lord's call and work in his harvest.

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



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