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# St. Monica's Toronto

44 BROADWAY AVE, TORONTO, ON

## PARISH BULLETIN

JOYFULLY BRINGING CHRIST TO THE WORLD & INTENTIONALLY BRINGING THE WORLD TO CHRIST!

### MASS TIMES & SACRAMENTS

THE LORD'S DAY: SATURDAY VIGIL: 5 PM

SUNDAY: 9 AM, 11 AM

### WEEKDAYS

MON/WED/FRI: 12:10 PM ; TUES/THURS: 8 AM

SATURDAYS & HOLIDAYS: 10 AM

ADORATION: FIRST FRIDAY: 7 PM-8 PM

WED & FRI: AFTER MASS TO 2 PM

### CONFESSION

MON/WED/FRI: 11:40 AM-NOON

TUES: 7:30 AM-7:50 AM

SATURDAY: 9:30 AM-9:50 AM, 4 PM-4:40 PM

**PASTOR:** FR. JOSEPH BAAL

**PARISH SECRETARY:** KING SOLOMON

### OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

8:30 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M.

CLOSED FOR LUNCH (1-2 P.M.)

CLOSED ON PUBLIC HOLIDAYS AND  
WEEKENDS

**Contact us:** 416-483-1513

[stmonicatoronto@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicatoronto@gmail.com)

[www.stmonicasto.archtoronto.org](http://www.stmonicasto.archtoronto.org)



**Baptisms:** Held 1st & 3rd Sundays;  
register on the parish site.

**RCIA:** Reach out in September.

**First Reconciliation & Communion:**  
September registration, monthly  
classes. FR in Lent, HC in Easter.

**Confirmation:** Register early in the  
year. Easter classes. Mass on  
Pentecost.

**Weddings:** Contact the office one  
year before. Saturdays 11am-1pm.

**Anointing & Sick Visits:** Call during  
office hours.

**Funerals:** Sat. from 11am - 12pm or  
other days, contact Parish Office.

### PARISH MINISTRIES

#### Altar Servers:

[stmonicatorontoas@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicatorontoas@gmail.com)

#### Lectors:

[stmonicatorontol@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicatorontol@gmail.com)

#### Communion Ministers:

[stmonicatorontoemhc@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicatorontoemhc@gmail.com)

For all other ministries,  
please contact the Parish  
Office and please consider  
volunteering!

### PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Monica Elementary Catholic  
School

14 Broadway Ave, Toronto, ON  
M4P 1T5  
416-393-5224

Marshall McLuhan Catholic  
Secondary School  
1107 Avenue Rd, Toronto, ON  
M5N 3B1  
416-393-5561

May 24, 2026 (Pentecost)

## ***MASS INTENTIONS***

Sat. May 23rd, 2026 at 5pm: **Pro Populo**

Sun. May 24th, 2026 at 9am: +Nicole Cosgrove, by  
Heather & Don Beard

Sun. May 24th, 2026 at 11am: +Dan Paul Jean  
Masaj, by Ann Mari Gaya

Mon. May 25th, 2026 at 12:10 pm (The Blessed  
Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church): Larry Smith, by  
Erin Carrique

Tues. May 26th, 2026 at 8am (St. Philip Neri): + Dr.  
Eduardo Baltazar, by Roberto Blanco-Pador

Wed. May 27th, 2026 at 12:10pm (St. Augustine of  
Canterbury): +William Ryder, by The Family

Thurs. May 28th, 2026 at 8am: + Manuel Couto, by  
Adrienne Couto

Fri. May 29th, 2026 at 12:10pm (St. Paul VI): Aura  
Maria Guerrero Ortega, by Rossmely Garcia

Sat. May 30th, 2026 at 10am: +Ana Ivonne Islas  
Perez, by Maria del Carmen Perez Alvarado

*If you would like to **Offer a Weekday Mass**, please use the Mass Intentions form in our Parish Announcements (Online) or email the Parish Office. **Please note, we are accepting multiple Mass Intentions on Wednesdays and Fridays (and one intention per Mass on for Sunday Masses).***

### **Calling on all the Adorers of Saint Monica's**

Adoration is on **Wednesdays and Fridays weekly from 12:45pm – 2pm**. If interested, please sign up using the form posted in the foyer. First Friday Adoration is June 5, 7-8pm. All are invited to participate.



***Appointments with Fr. Joseph:***  
*A gentle reminder to those booking appointments with Father, please use the google form found online under 'Parish Announcements / Resources' ! Thank you!*

**Confirmation Date:**  
**On Saturday May 23<sup>rd</sup> at the 5pm Mass is our Confirmation Mass for those enrolled (Grade 7's). Congratulations to those being Confirmed!**

**Corpus Christi:** We will be having an on-property Corpus Christi procession on Sunday, June 7, 2026, directly following the 11am Mass. If you are interested in assisting in anyway, please contact the Parish Office.

## **Pentecost Sunday - May 24, 2026**



“Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.” Send forth workers into your vineyard. If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

[vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca).

LOOKING FOR A FULL-TIME SUMMER JOB IN A CATHOLIC PARISH?

ST. MONICA'S IS HIRING!

OFFICE ASSISTANT FOR THE SUMMER!

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE SEND YOUR RESUME AND COVER LETTER USING THE EMAIL LISTED BELOW

STMONICATORONTO@GMAIL.COM



## **Blessed Pentecost to all at St. Monica's this Sunday!**

Pentecost reminds us that the Holy Spirit is not distant or abstract, but alive and active in our lives today. The same Spirit that gave courage to the disciples continues to guide and strengthen us, especially in moments of uncertainty, fear, or doubt. Through the gift of the Holy Spirit, we are called to live with peace, mercy, and compassion, bringing hope and kindness into a world that so often needs it. Each of us has been given unique gifts, and those gifts are meant to be shared in service of others. Whether through a simple act of kindness, encouragement to a friend, or helping someone in need, the Spirit works through ordinary people in extraordinary ways.

Our parish community is strengthened when people generously offer their time, talents, and presence. There are many opportunities to become involved through ministries, outreach, music, hospitality, and parish events, and every contribution—big or small—helps build up the Church and serve others with Christ's love. Pentecost reminds us that faith is not meant to be lived alone or hidden away, but shared courageously through joyful witness and loving service. May the Holy Spirit renew our hearts, deepen our faith, and inspire us to become instruments of peace, mercy, and hope in our parish and in the world around us.

*Are you between 16-28 and looking for a summer job as an Office Assistant at our Parish? Please apply via [stmonicatoronto@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicatoronto@gmail.com) before June 1st! (Cover Letter and Resume)*



**Next Sunday, May 31 is the third ShareLife Sunday collection of the year.**

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).