ST. MONICA'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Joyfully bringing Christ to the world & intentionally bringing the world to Christ!

PARISH

Bulletin



44 Broadway Ave, Toronto, ON M4P 1T4

Office Staff

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Joseph Baal
In Residence: Rev. Fr. John Egbert Dumali
Parish Secretary: King Solomon

Sacraments

Baptisms: 1st & 3rd Sundays. Register via parish website.
RCIA: Contact the Parish Office or Peter Gavin-Griffin: pete.gavin.griffin@mail.utoronto.ca (Registration is Open)
First Holy Communion: Registration in Sept. Classes one Saturday per month. First Reconciliation scheduled during Lent. First Eucharist Masses during Easter season.
Confirmation: Registration in Sept. Classes during Easter. ROC on Pentecost.
Weddings: Contact office one year in advance. Saturdays 11 AM - 1 PM.
Anointing & Communion to the Sick: Call during office hours. Funerals (on weekends) 11am - 12pm, weekdays (contact office)
Memorial Masses: Contact the Office

Parish Office

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
Closed for Lunch 1:00 - 2:00 PM
Closed on Public Holidays & Weekends
Phone: 416-483-1513
Email: stmonicatoronto@gmail.com or StMonicasTO@archtoronto.org
Web: stmonicasto.archtoronto.org





Church Schedule

Sunday Masses: Sat Vigil 5 PM, 9 AM & 11 AM
Mon/Wed/Fri 12:10 PM
Tues/Thurs: 8 AM
Sat & Holidays: 10 AM
Confessions: Before every Weekday Mass except Thursday's & Sat: 4:00-4:40 PM
Weekday Church Hours (9am - 4pm)
Adoration
First Friday: 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wednesday & Friday: After Mass until 2:00 PM

Parish Ministries

Altar Servers: stmonicatorontoas@gmail.com
Lectors: stmonicatorontol@gmail.com
EMHC: stmonicatorontoemhc@gmail.com

Contact the office to volunteer for:

Ministers to the Sick & Homebound (EMHC email)
Faith Formation Team
Choir (5pm Vigil, 9am Choir, 11am Choir)
Offering Collectors
Sacristian
Certified First Aid/CPR Volunteers
Garden Ministry
Young Adults Group (Sydel & Maria - Co Leaders)
Men's Group (COR & other!)

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

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All Saints Solemnity | Nov 1st, 2026 | Ordinary Time - Year A

Pastor's Reflection



In today's Gospel, Jesus proclaims the Beatitudes, teaching us that true blessedness is found not in worldly success or comfort, but in a heart that is humble, merciful, pure, and devoted to God. He encourages us to remain faithful through hardship, to work for peace, and to trust that those who seek righteousness will be comforted and rewarded in the Kingdom of Heaven. May the Beatitudes shape our daily lives and help us recognize Christ in those who are poor, grieving, gentle, and longing for justice. I am grateful to be back and reunited with you. Thank you for your prayers and patience during my time away. If you have any questions or concerns, please inform our parish secretary, King, who will be happy to assist you and arrange an appointment to meet with me.

Fr. Joseph Baal

The Summary at St. Monica's Parish

The 47th Cardinal Dinner is upon us, tickets are $225 per person and is happening on November 17th, 2026. Please contact the office if you are interested in joining with our Parish



First Holy Communion and Confirmation registration is now open online on our website under 'Office and Registration Forms'. Any additional questions can be directed to the Parish Office. Thank you!





As many of you have probably noticed, we have a new St. Anthony's Statue at the back of the Church closest to the crying room. Check him out!

Sunday Offering

Last Week's Total Collections: $4,657.05

Thank you for your generous support. Donations can be made online, by envelope in foyer, or through pre-authorized giving and are greatly appreciated to fund the various needs within our Parish. Contact the parish office for details and stay alert for Second Collections.

Want to include something within our Bulletin? Submissions are due on Wednesday by 12pm. Anything past this date will not be accepted. Thank you!

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Mass Intentions

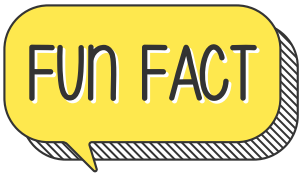
Mon. Nov. 2nd, 2026 *at 12:10pm (**Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)**): + All Deceased of the Parish*
Tues. Nov. 3rd, 2026 *at 8am: + Maria Kokotovic*
Wed. Nov. 4th, 2026 *at 12:10pm (**St. Charles Borromeo – M**): Open Intention*
Thurs. Nov. 5th, 2026 *at 8am: + Manuel Couto*
Fri. Nov. 6th, 2026 *at 12:10pm: + Frances Gaudet*
Sat. Nov. 7th, 2026 *at 10am: The Unborn & Victims of Abortion*



November is the Month remembering the souls of all the faithful departed. For this year, we will have a book placed in the front of the Church where you can write your loved ones name in. All Souls Day envelopes will be collected for the Month of November as well and can be left in the basket under the book



We would like to thank your kind efforts in supporting our clothing drive for Good Shepherd, there are a ton of clothes for those who are in need. Keep it up!



Did you know that "Halloween" originates from All Hallow's Eve, which is observed as the Eve for All Saints

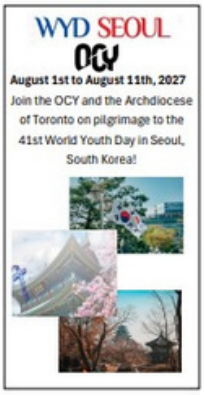


Blessed All Saints Day to you and you family!

Adults interested in becoming Catholic or completing their initiation are invited to register for RCIA, which meets Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m.; contact Peter Gavin-Griffin or visit the parish website for details.









Remember your Parish in your Will. A charitable bequest is a meaningful way to reflect your Catholic values and support the future of the Church. Estate planning guides are available to help you include your parish or an archdiocesan charity in your plans.



We are always looking for dedicated parishioners to serve in our many ministries. Whether you want to be a Sacristan, Counter or other, there is a place for you! Contact the parish office to learn more.

Please check stmonicasto.archtoronto.org for the latest news and parish events. The Parish Announcements online are the most up to date form of information, please refer to it in cases of events that are subject to change.