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Rev. Fr. Jeremias Inoc

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Rev. Fr. Gerardo V. Laguartilla, C.P.P.S.

Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Roberto Kinghorn

Permanent Deacon

Cheryll Varona

Office Manager

Richard Kitchen

Custodian

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 12noon; 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Evening Receptionist: Monday & Wednesday 5:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

BULLETIN DEADLINE - Monday 12 noon in writing

SCHOOLS IN THE PARISH

St. Margaret's 416-393-5249

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Parish Mission Church - St. Eugene's

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SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 10:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday & Thursday 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday & Friday 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

By appointment

BAPTISM - By appointment

SUNDAY MASSES:

SATURDAY

4:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES:

TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY

8:20 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:45pm - 4:15pm

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 Catholic marriage preparation course.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

It is highly recommended that parents contact the parish office at least two months in advance of the birth of their child. Parents are obligated to participate in our baptismal preparation program. Baptisms generally take place on the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of each month at 1:30 p.m.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Please notify the Rectory Office when a member of your family is seriously ill and/or would like to receive Communion or the Sacrament of the Sick.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

PASTORAL COUNCIL

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Joe Longpre (Vice-Chair)

ALTAR SERVERS

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LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

(Sunday 10:30 a.m.) Priscila Domanay

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LECTORS

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416-485-7781

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Diane Dibacco

416-485-7781

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416-342-7590

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Anna Di Carlo

416-788-0899

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Parish Office

416-485-7781

SENIORS GROUP

Miriam Hastings

416-483-7659

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY (Ushers)

Parish Office

416-485-7781

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

Parish Office

416-485-7781

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

416-733-8544

PARISH MEMBERSHIP ... Welcome new parishioners! To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Please introduce yourself/family to the pastor and register as soon as possible.

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. Please notify the parish office if you change your address or family information.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, January 24th – 8:20am

✠ GIUSEPPE FIGLIOLI

Wednesday, January 25th – 7:00pm

Special Intention for **FR. ANDY MACBETH**

Thursday, January 26th – 8:20am

✠ LEONORA ROQUERO

Friday, January 27th – 8:20am

✠ CHITA BABARAN

share your home-baked goods to your parish community. **Everyone is welcome.**

HOUSE BLESSING

On **Jan. 28th/29th** Sunday Masses we invite you to pick up your house blessing kit in the parish hall (**one per household**). Use this as a confession of faith and a prayer for God's blessings, guidance and protection for the members

of your family. It is a custom to invite "peace" in the homes we live in. This house blessing has been a tradition for Christian families for a yearly Epiphany to bless their homes.

What's in the kit? House Blessing Prayer and a bottle of Holy Water (Donation is welcome)



ST. MARGARET'S SENIORS' SOCIAL CLUB

If you are over 50 years of age! Join Now!

Seniors' Social Club meets together for a time of bingo, bridge, and social in a friendly environment.

Gathering biweekly (Wednesdays) • 12nn – 3:30pm

St. Margaret's Parish Hall

Next meeting: **Feb. 1st & 15th**

CONFIRMATION - RETREAT DAY

This retreat is mandatory for all those who have children doing their Confirmation this year.

Location: **St. Margaret's parish hall**

Confirmation (Gr 7) – Thurs. Feb. 16, 2023

9:15am – 2:30pm

WE'RE RESEARCHING FOR VOLUNTEERS

Do you count your nickles?

Do you like calculators?

Ministry of Money Counters is currently in need of some awesome volunteers who can work with weekly collections for couple of hours once a month. Our awesome

volunteers will train you on the counting process. Feel free to contact **Charles** at charlesaquilina@gmail.com if you're interested or call the parish office for more information.



PARISH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publication will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in May 2023 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422

LOOKING AHEAD

- Sun. Jan. 22 **THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Gerardo Laguardilla, C.P.P.S.
- Thurs. Jan. 26 **7:00pm BAPTISMAL PREPARATION** for PARENTS & GODPARENT(S)
- Sun. Jan. 29 **FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Guest homilist: Fr. Ray Douziech, C.Ss.R.
⇒ **COFFEE SUNDAY** after all the Masses in the hall
- Sat. Feb. 4 **10:00-11:30am PARISH HOME CATECHISM PROGRAM** in parish hall
- Sun. Feb. 5 **FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn
- Sun. Feb. 12 **SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc
- Sun. Feb. 19 **SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Guest homilist: Fr. Michael Lehman, CSB

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT – January 15, 2023

Regular Collection **\$7,804.85** PAG **\$848.75**

Budget **\$8,300** \$353.60

Thank you for making a gift to your parish!

COFFEE SUNDAY

**January 29, 2023 • parish hall
after all the Masses**

*Join us for fresh coffee, cookies
and chat with your fellow
parishioners!*



We are also looking for **Bakers** to help out with our Coffee Sunday events. If you are willing to contribute, please call the parish office and add your name to our baker's list. Thank you for the parishioners who signed up. This is wonderful ministry to meet new people and

PARISH OFFICE NEW SCHEDULE

Effective January 16, 2023

Monday – 9:00am to 5:00pm **NEW**

Tuesday – 9:00am to 5:00pm

Wednesday – 9:00am to 8:30pm

Thursday – 9:00am to 5:00pm

Friday – 9:00am to 8:30pm **NEW**

Closed 12noon to 1:00pm for lunch

Saturday & Sunday Closed



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING



There will be a training for new and existing altar servers on **Wednesday, Feb. 1st** right after the 7:00pm Mass in the church.

2022 TAX RECEIPTS DONATION



Thank you to our parishioners and visitors for their support and generosity over the last year. The 2022 tax receipts donation will be available in the church at St. Margaret's, for pick up after each weekend Masses on **Feb. 11th & 18th** During the week, you may pick them up at the parish office during regular hours.

All receipts for donations of \$50 or more have been printed. Receipts for less than \$50 will be printed upon requests.

- **For St. Eugene's please give you complete name to Fr. Gerardo.**
- **All remaining receipts will be mailed on March 1st**
- **If you moved or change your information please send email to:**
stmargaretofscotland@archtoronto.org

2023 SUNDAY ENVELOPE – REMINDER!

If you already have used your initial envelope without your complete information, please make sure to **write your complete name, mailing address and phone number clearly on your next three (3) envelopes.**

Otherwise we have no way of knowing who the number belongs to. We ask that you **disregard your 2022 and older envelope.** **DO NOT use past years'** envelopes otherwise your donation will be credited to someone else.

- If you're visiting or forgot your envelope use pink envelope.

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

If you are a new parishioner of St. Margaret's or St. Eugene's we offer you a warm welcome. Please take time to register with the parish. You may wish to

choose to support the parish through Sunday Envelopes or pre-authorized giving (PAG). PAG forms, Sunday envelopes and parish registration forms are available from the parish office or at the back of the church.

We thank you for your support and we're glad you're here!



A Celebration of Marriage

in the Archdiocese of Toronto

MASS WITH BISHOP VINCENT NGUYEN

Sunday, February 12, 2023
2:30 p.m. Mass

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica
65 Bond Street, Toronto

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Special recognition for married couples celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ anniversaries in 2023.

Everyone is required to register as seating is limited. Designated seating available for milestone anniversary couples only.

Visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage for more information and registration.



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