

# SAINT MARGARET, QUEEN OF SCOTLAND, PARISH

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## PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Fr. Jeremias Inoc

Pastor

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

Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Robert 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

Loretto Abbey 416-393-5510

Toronto Catholic District School Board 416-222-8282

or [www.tcdsb.org](http://www.tcdsb.org)

### **Parish Mission Church - St. Eugene's**

13 Regina Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M6A 1R2

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#### SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

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

#### WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday 7:00 p.m., 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:

MONDAY, 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

416-485-7781

### LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

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

416-485-7781

### LECTORS

Cherie Zuzarte

416-485-7781

### COMMUNION MINISTERS

Diane Dibacco

416-485-7781

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

416-342-7590

### PARISH HOME CATECHISM PROGRAM (P.H.C.P.)

Anna Di Carlo

416-788-0899

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (R.C.I.A.)

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.

PARISH LIFE

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

Fr. Jeremias will be going for Pilgrimage on **Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>** as previously planned. During these times there will be Sunday Masses on Nov. 5/6 and Nov. 12/13. But there will be **NO daily Masses at St. Margaret's**. Daily Mass resume **Wednesday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>**.

Fr. Gerardo will be celebrating Mass at St. Eugene's Chapel at regular scheduled time.

**ST. MARGARET'S LOOKING AHEAD**



Sun. Nov. 6 **32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn  
Visiting priest: Msgr. Thomas Kalarathil

• **10:30am Mass Liturgy of the Word with**

**Children**

Tues. Nov. 8 **GOOD SHEPHERDS' CASSEROLE PICK**

**UP** truck comes before noon

Fri. Nov. 11 **REMEMBRANCE DAY "LEST WE FORGET"**

Sun. Nov. 13 **33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn

Visiting priest: Fr. John Sutka

• **10:30am Mass Liturgy of the Word with**

**Children**

• Annual **SHEPHERDS' TRUST** Collection

Wed. Nov. 16 **Feast Day of our parish patron, St.**

**Margaret of Scotland**

**7:00pm Mass;** daily Mass resume

• **12nn – 3:30pm SENIORS' SOCIAL CLUB**

meets in parish hall

Sun. Nov. 20 **FEAST OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,**

**KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

Guest homilist: Fr. Michael Lehman, CSB

• **COFFEE SUNDAY** in parish hall after all the Masses

Wed. Nov. 23 **7:30pm CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION**

**MEETING** in the church

Thurs. Nov. 24 **7:00pm BAPTISMAL PREPARATION** for

registered parents with godparents

Sun. Nov. 27 **FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR A)**

Guest homilist: Fr. Michael Lehman, CSB

Mon. Nov. 28 **7:30pm FIRST RECONCILIATION &**

**EUCHARIST REGISTRATION MEETING** in

church

Wed. Nov. 30 **12nn – 3:30pm SENIORS' SOCIAL CLUB**

meets in parish hall

**BOOK OF LIFE**

The month of **November** is traditionally known as the month of the Holy Souls, having at its beginning the two great feasts – All Saints and All Souls. To commemorate your faithful departed family and friends you are invited to submit a page

for the "Book of Life". This page should be letter size, 8½ x 11" and fit into a standard three ring binder. On it you may type or print the names of whomever you would like to have remembered in a special way at all of our parish Masses during November. You may decorate your "**Family Page**" in whatever way you wish as long as it fits the above requirements.

The "Book of Life" will be left in the sanctuary during November to remind us to pray, at church and at home for our loved ones.

*May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, Rest In Peace, Amen.*

**ST. EUGENE'S CHAPEL**

☞ **Mass Intentions** ☜

**Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> - 7:00pm**

† **Filomena Di Laurenzio**

**Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> – 9:00am**

Thanksgiving Mass for the 65<sup>th</sup> Birthday of **Adora Del Rosario**

~~ **UPDATES** ~~

Sat. Nov. 19 **(Pre) ADVENT RECOLLECTION**, after the vigil

Mass of the Solemnity of the Christ the King.

Theme: "**Coming Home**"

Sharer: (Kuya) Christian Estrella from the

Brotherhood of Christian Businessmen and

Professionals (BCBP) Cathlic Lay

Movement

To all who participated in our St. Eugene's community clean-up and Advent preparation last Saturday, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>, thank you so much for taking care of our church. Special thanks to all our volunteers, sponsors, and benefactors. God bless you all!

Glory to the Blood of Jesus now and forever. Amen.

~ Fr. Gerardo Laguardilla, CPPS

**WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT – October 30, 2022**

Offertory \$5,364.40 PAG \$839.50

Budget \$8,300.00 Diff (\$2,096.10)

**Thank you for making a gift to your parish!**

**PARISH HOME CATECHISM PROGRAM (PHCP)**

**2022-2023**

This year we will again be offering a sacramental preparation program for children attending public schools who wish to receive First Reconciliation/Eucharist and Confirmation. The program started **Saturday, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> in parish hall at 10:00 to 11:30am.**

**There will be only 2 classes:**

First Reconciliation/Eucharist for grade 2 and up students  
Confirmation for grade 7 and up students

If you wish your child to participate in these classes, please register in the parish office with a copy of baptismal certificate as soon as possible.

**SACRAMENTAL REGISTRATION FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION/EUCHARIST & CONFIRMATION**

If your child doesn't go to Catholic school please register your child in our PHCP or call parish office.

**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER FOR PARENTS/LEGAL GUARDIAN**

**First Reconciliation/Eucharist:**

- Registration Meeting - **Mon. Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm**
- St. Margaret's church
- Catechetical Sessions - **Thurs. Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:30pm**
- St. Margaret's parish hall

**Confirmation**

- Registration Meeting - **Wed. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:30pm**
- St. Margaret's church
- Rite of Enrolment - **Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> All Masses**
- Catechetical Sessions - **Thurs., Apr. 20<sup>th</sup> 2023 at 7:30pm**
- St. Margaret's parish hall

**MESSAGE FROM YOUR FRIENDS AT THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

The annual collection of The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be held on **December 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 2022**. The Christmas envelopes will be available on the weekend of November 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>. Just a reminder that when contributing, please use **The Society of St. Vincent de Paul envelope provided. Remember to write your complete contact information on the envelope so we can issue tax receipts for donations of \$20.00** or more.

The Christmas distribution will help families give their children the kind of Christmas everyone deserves. All donations gathered will be used exclusively for neighbours in need in this parish. Funds will help families with grocery vouchers, new beds or other essential goods. The funds are used throughout the year to provide food vouchers every other months to those most in need.

**You've been very generous in the past, for which we are enormously grateful.** The need continues to grow so we ask for your prayers and for your generosity at Christmas time and throughout the year.

You can also donate through the CanadaHelps.org website which allows you to make a secure on-line donation. Thank you for your support.

**SHARELIFE**

**Your helping hand is the answer**

**NEW:** Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million.

"Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal of \$13.8 million. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part." – Cardinal Thomas Collins

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

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**TOGETHER IN WORSHIP CANADA PRESENTS**

**Lessons & Carols**

Featuring the *Together in Worship Canada Choir*  
 Conductor - *Vincent Cheng*; Organists - *David Simon and Diego Iapacolo*

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18TH, 2022 AT 4 PM**

**ST. MARGARET QUEEN OF SCOTLAND PARISH**  
 2134 AVENUE ROAD, TORONTO

Reception to follow in the Parish Hall

Adults - \$20, 60 plus/under 18 - \$10, Family (2 Adults/2 under 18) - \$40  
 250 Tickets Available on First Come Basis.  
 To order tickets please contact the parish office  
 at 416-485-7781 or [stmargaretofscotland@archtoronto.org](mailto:stmargaretofscotland@archtoronto.org).

Visit [www.tiwc.ca](http://www.tiwc.ca) for more information

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**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL, ARCHANGEL**

*St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.  
 Be our protection against the wickedness  
 and snares of the devil.*

*May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou,  
 O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust  
 into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits,  
 who prowl about the world  
 seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.*

**SUNDAY MISSALS**

2023 Sunday Missals are available  
 at the parish office at a cost of  
 \$5.00 each  
 OR  
 Monthly Missalette for \$3.00 each



**CHUCKLES FROM THE PEWS**

**By the Sweat of the Brow**

- ☺ Employee: *I have been here 11 years doing three men's work for one man's pay. Now I want a raise.*  
 Boss: *Well, I can't give you a raise but if you'll tell me who the other two men are, I'll fire them.*
- ☺ An executive came home and slumped in his favourite chair with a discouraged look. His wife asked what was wrong. "You know these aptitude tests we're giving at the office? Well, I took one today for fun. It's good thing I own the company!"



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