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Rev. Fr. Jeremias Inoc

Pastor

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

Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Robert Kinghorn

Permanent Deacon

Cheryll Varona

Office Manager

Ruel Gutierrez

Custodian

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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

Evening Receptionist: Wednesday & Friday 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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Toronto Catholic District School Board 416-222-8282

or www.tcdsb.org

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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

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

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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

Parish Office

416-485-7781

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.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

PARISH FAMILY POTLUCK LUNCHEON – THANK YOU!

Our Potluck was a huge success! We would like to thank all the volunteers (including the spouses and parishioners) who helped with the set up and cleanup. Good job! We appreciate all the parishioners who brought food to share. *Food brings people together!*



BULLETIN AND E-BULLETIN NOTICE

We hope you are enjoying a refreshing summer so far and taking moments to relax and enjoy the sun.

During the months of July and August the Bulletin will not be printed and no E-Bulletin will be send. Please hold on to this Bulletin since it be the last until Sunday, August 27th. It will be handy if you need to refer to any information or phone numbers listed.

WARM WELCOME TO FR. L. NEYOMAL SILVA OUR NEW ASSOCIATE PASTOR!

I am Father L. Neyomal Silva, was born in Sri Lanka on March 13th 1981. My parents are living and I have only one brother 3 years younger than me.

I did my seminary studies in Sri Lanka and was ordained on January 28th 2012 for the diocese of Kurunegal (Sri Lanka).

After serving for 4 years for the above mentioned diocese, I came to the Archdioces of Toronto in May 2016 and served different parishes (St. Patrick's (Markham), Guardian of Angels (Orilla), St. Mary's (Barrie) and Good Shepherd (Thornhill) under different pastors as the associate.

Please pray for Fr. Neyomal in this time of transition.

IT'S VACATION TIME!

Fr. Jeremias will be away on vacation **August 8th to 28th**. During this time there will be slight changes to the weekday Masses:

Tuesday to Friday – 8:20am

Wednesday – 8:20am (no 7:00pm)

Fr. Neyomal will be celebrating the Masses at St. Margaret's and Eugene's Chapel at regular time. The weekday Mass schedule at St. Margaret's resumes **Tuesday, Aug. 29th. Have a great summer!**

✿ **MASS INTENTIONS** ✿

Tuesday, July 4th – 8:20am

✠ **JULIE TELLIS**

Wednesday, July 5th – 7:00pm

THANKSGIVING MASS – SUMASTRE FAMILY

Thursday, July 6th – 8:20am

✠ **LIBRADA ADDUN**

Friday, July 7th – 8:20am

S.I. **IDA SALEM**

UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendar*
EVENTS

- Sun. July 2 **13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Antonello Murgia
- Mon. July 3 **Parish Office closed** for holiday
- Sun. July 9 **14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc
⇒ **1:30pm BAPTISM** – Madayag, Moraleda, Oculam, Maurano and Makinwa family
- Sat. July 15 **1:00pm WEDDING** – Hernandez & Malan Rodriguez
- Sun. July 16 **15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn
⇒ **1:30pm BAPTISM** – Juarez, Ancheta & Morrison family
- Sun. July 23 **16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Daniel Malingumu
Mission Co-Op – Tabora Mission
- Sun. July 30 **17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc
- Sun. Aug. 6 **THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD**
Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc
- Mon. Aug. 7 **Parish Office Closed** - Civic Holiday
- Sun. Aug. 13 **19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn
⇒ **CANADIAN (CATHOLIC) MISSION COLLECTION**
- Wed. Aug 16 **7:00pm Annual Mass in Catholic Cemeteries** (*check bulletin boards for more information*)
- Sun. Aug. 20 **20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Msgr. Thomas Kalarathil
- Sun. Aug. 27 **21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. John Sutka
- Sun. Sep. 3 **22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc

TABORA MISSION APPEAL – July 22/23

Dear good people of Saint Margaret's, on behalf of my Archdiocese of Tabora we thank you for the opportunity for Father Daniel Malingumu to visit your parish and make an appeal. Father Daniel is the pastor of Church of the Ascension in Virginia Beach, Virginia and has been in America for almost twenty years.

Our Mission is to preach the Good News to all people, to enhance evangelization through a participatory approach. To empower the Tabora community by involving the faithful in the identification of issues and helping them solve their own social problems. To make this mission possible we focus on widespread evangelization, furthering social-economic development, provision of health services for all, notably HIV/AIDS Victims, education of orphans/ vulnerable children, building small Christian

Communities and supporting the poor and the marginalized. In summary, the Archdiocese of Tabora carries out its mission under two major sections: pastoral and development offices.

This year the Archdiocese of Tabora focuses on **education and protection of albinos, orphans and children from poor families and improvements of water and sanitation.**

With a grateful heart, we thank you for your prayers and financial support,

Fr. Daniel Malingumu,
US representative Virginia Beach, VA

**SURVEY OF INTEREST FOR
BEDTIME BIBLE STORIES**

This proposal is to see if members of our St. Margaret's Parish would be interest in supporting their children, ages 6 to 12, learn about some of the great stories found in the Bible. This story telling hour would put Bible stories into languages that children can easily understand.

Dates: the last Friday of the month, September 2023 through May 2024

Time: 7:00 to 8:00pm

If you are interested in this program, please list the ages of your children.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Please note: **this is a survey, not a registration.**

If interested, fill in this form and drop it in the collection basket next Sunday, Or, you can email this form to the parish office: stmargaretofscotland@archtoronto.org

ST. MARGARET'S SENIORS SOCIAL CLUB

St. Margaret's Seniors Social Club would like to extend a warm invitation to join our friendly group. Events include our regular biweekly meetings with bridge and bingo. Special events and trips are planned throughout the year. Our first meeting of the new year will be on **Wednesday, September 13th** beginning at 12noon. For more information you may call the parish office (416) 485-7781.

SHARELIFE

Help homeless youth through ShareLife

Covenant House is one of the agencies you support through ShareLife. It's located in Toronto, but its young clients – largely homeless youth – arrive from throughout the archdiocese.

"The money raised by ShareLife directly impacts the youth at Covenant House because it goes to a wide array of programming," says the agency. "That funding goes directly to the youth to have them be able to reach out and get the support they need."

**2023 PARISH GOAL \$121,800
COLLECTED \$86,761.95**

Please give at the parish using the ShareLife envelope at sharelife.org/donate

PARISH HOME CATECHISM PROGRAM (PHCP)

***Does your child attend Public School?
Would you like your child to participate in a faith formation program?***

Beginning in September, St. Margaret's is again offering the Parish Home Catechism Program. Your child will be prepared to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist or Confirmation and will learn about our wonderful loving God.

If you are interested, early registration is important so that the teachers can prepare resources for anticipated enrollment. The program would run one Saturday morning per month from September to June. **Registration is open.**

For enquiries or registration please call parish office at 416-485-7781

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

"Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes the one who sent me." Accept the invitation that is being extended, an invitation by the one who sent him. If you feel you are being called to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-4968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

FINANCIAL REPORT – JUNE 25, 2023

Budget **\$10,405.00**

	St. Margaret's	St. Eugene's
<i>Offertory</i>	4,465.10	2,600.30
<i>PAG</i>	787.50	62.50
Total	5,252.60	2,662.80

Thank you for making a gift to your parish!

CHUCKLES FROM THE PEWS

Hearing Issues

An elderly gentleman had serious hearing problems for a number of years. He went to the doctor and the doctor was able to have him fitted for a set of hearing aids that allowed the gentleman to hear 100%.

The elderly gentleman went back in a month to the doctor and the doctor said, 'Your hearing is perfect. Your family must be really pleased that you can hear again.'

The gentleman replied, 'Oh, I haven't told my family yet. I just sit around and listen to the conversations. I've changed my will three times!'



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