

SAINT MARGARET, QUEEN OF SCOTLAND, PARISH

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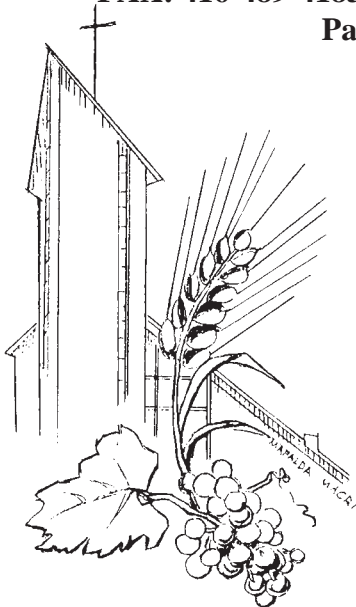
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PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Fr. Jeremias Inoc
Rev. Fr. Neyomal Silva
Rev. Mr. Robert Kinghorn
Ruel Gutierrez
Jeff Glover

Pastor
Associate Pastor
Permanent Deacon
Custodian
Secretary

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
Loretto Abbey 416-393-5510
Toronto Catholic District School Board 416-222-8282
or www.tcdsb.org

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 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

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.

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT – YEAR B

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, December 12th – 8:20am

† **EUNICE WHITEHEAD**

Wednesday, December 13th – 7:00pm

† **CATHERINE MARY PALMER**

† **ANTONIETTA & GIOVANNI PRATO**

Thursday, December 14th – 8:20am

† **EZIO IZZACCHERO**

Friday, December 15th – 8:20am

† **MARCOS ADDUN**

UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendar* EVENTS

Sun. Dec 10 **2nd SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn

Sat. Dec 16 **“O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL”**

A Parish Christmas Concert. **7:30 PM**

Music for the Season of Advent and Christmas

Sun. Dec 17 **3rd SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

GAUDETE SUNDAY

Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc

⇒ **1:30pm BAPTISMS**

Macapagal & Reyes Families

Sun. Dec 24 **4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Homilist: Fr. Ray Douziech

Mon. Dec 25 **CHRISTMAS DAY**

Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc

Sun. Dec 31 **FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY**

Homilist: Deacon Robert Kinghorn

FINANCIAL REPORT – December 03, 2023

Budget: \$10,405.00

ST. MARGARET'S		ST. EUGENE'S	
OFFERTORY	PAG	OFFERTORY	PAG
6284.30	787.50	2460.45	87.50
7071.80		2547.95	
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1015.00			

Thank you for making a gift to your parish!

DAY OF CONFESSIONS

St. Margaret of Scotland

Wednesday, December 13, 2023 – 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM

St. Eugene Chapel

Friday, December 15, 2023 – After 7:30 PM Mass

ST. EUGENE'S CHAPEL UPDATES

CHRISTMAS NOVENA MASSES (SIMBANG GABI)

December 15 – 23, 2023 – Mass 7:30 PM

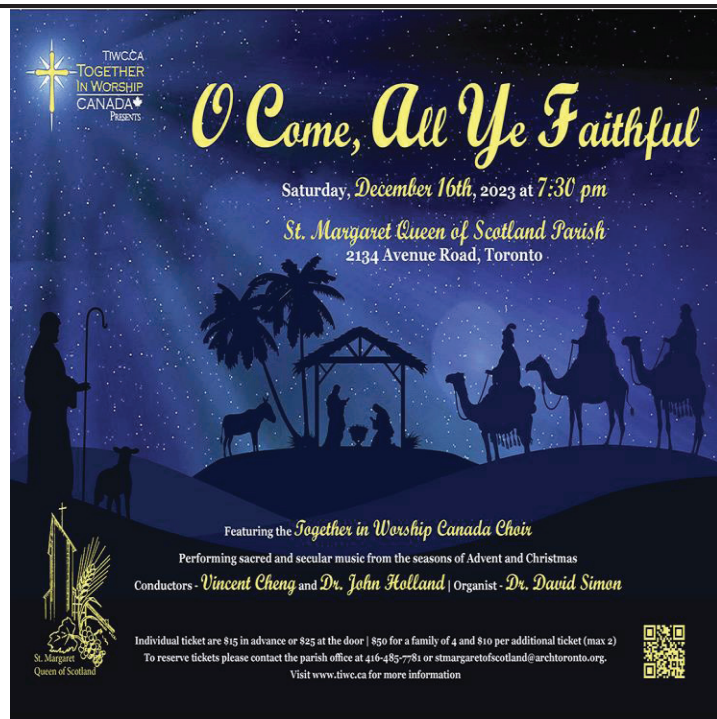
No morning Masses during this time.

Mass will take place at 7:30 PM with Rosary at 7:00 PM.

Bishop Robert Kasun will say Mass on December 20.

We are blessed to witness and experience the waiting and celebrating the coming of Jesus Christ. May our families be ready to receive and welcome Christ.

Novena Masses start with the Rosary @ 7 PM followed by Mass @ 7:30 PM Wednesdays & Fridays Novenas to the Perpetual Help & Sacred Heart will be continued @ 6:45 PM. Please see bulletin board for more information.



We are just under a week away from our Musical Extravaganza “O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL”. Tickets are still available, and we are encouraging families to take advantage of family pricing: Family of 4 \$50, Family of 6 \$70, and \$15 in advance. Your support of this event is greatly appreciated and encouraged. Here is what you are supporting by attending and or making a donation. First and foremost, you are supporting a world class musical and cultural event in our parish community, you are also supporting musicians who make music in this parish community. Please consider attending and or making a donation to support this event. Tickets are \$25 at the door. Please take advantage of advance ticket pricing. Tickets can be purchased at the parish office. 416-485-7781

Yours Gratefully,

Diego Iapalo

Founder of Together in Worship Canada www.tiwc.ca

416-414-8092

2024 SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The **2024** Envelopes are available for pick up. All parishioners are encouraged to use Sunday envelopes:



1. **Take any numbered box.** Please write your **full name, complete mailing address and phone number clearly** on the **first three envelopes** you use and you will be assigned the number on the box.
2. **Starting January 1st 2024, you can start using your 2024 envelopes.** **DO NOT** use past year envelopes otherwise **your donation will be credited to someone else.** If you're visiting or forgot your envelope **DO NOT** take one envelope from the numbered box – please use a **pink envelope** instead.

THE PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving Plan (PAG) to assist you in your support of the work of the parish through your regular parish offerings. To accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ, the parishes depend entirely on the generosity of their parishioners. PAG giving allows you to give to your parish through scheduled monthly transfer from your bank account or credit card. It's completely secure and the funds are then deposited directly to the parish account.

DONATION ENVELOPES

The following envelope numbers have not been properly identified with parishioners' information. Please call the office If you see your envelope number listed below or write your complete name and address information on your envelope for the next couple of weeks.

Envelope Numbers: **91, 123, 232, 250, 261, 438, 517, 564, 698, 819, 1044**

Thank you!

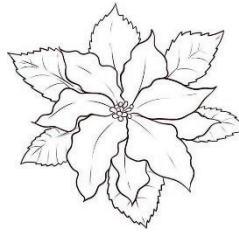


SOCK IT – 2 - ME DRIVE

in support of the
Good Shepherd
Let's help Good Shepherd
ministry put cold feet into warm



socks, by donating new socks & underwear for our homeless brothers. **This drive ends this weekend, Dec 10.** Please bring your items to the parish and place them in the designated box for pick up. Suggested sizes for undies M – XL. **Thank you for your generosity!**



We are inviting you and your family if you're able, to contribute one pot of poinsettias "Christmas Flower" to decorate our church. BIG or small...All sizes are welcome!

Bring your poinsettia plant donation starting **Sunday, December 17** and leave them in the St. Joseph Altar.



CHRISTMAS LITURGIES

St. Margaret of Scotland

- Sun. Dec. 24th - Christmas Eve
7:00pm & 10:00pm
(No 4:30pm Mass)
- Mon. Dec. 25th - Christmas Day
9:00am, 10:30am & 12nn
- Dec. 26th – 28th - No Daily Mass
- Sun. Dec. 31st - 4:30pm Vigil Mass
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Your Compassion Helps People With Disabilities



Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until December 31, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife Campaign will be up to \$500,000. Through your compassionate generosity, Mary Centre partners with adults with a developmental disability in its mission of "building a good life." This ShareLife-funded agency offers integrated support services, providing respite for clients and their caregivers.



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