Congratulations The Parishes of Holy Cross & St. Gregory's would like to congratulate all those students from St. Thomas Aquinas, St. John XXIII, Msgr. John

Pereyma & neighbouring schools who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last weekend.

May Jesus and the Holy Spirit fill your hearts and live so that you may faithfully walk with His Church. Feed on Him always in the Eucharist!

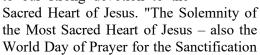
Happy Birthday, dear Parish Family!

Yes, happy birthday to our Mother Church which was 'born' on the day of Pentecost when the Holy Spirit descended powerfully on the Apostles. The same Spirit we have been receiving in the Sacraments. But is the Holy Spirit active or dormant within us? Are we similar to a lit candle or one that is not burning? The wax or oil is in both candles. But one shines brightly while another is not giving nor being in the light. St. Paul invites each one of us through St. Timothy, 'rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands' (2 Tim 1:6). May the light of faith, truth, life, love, of the Holy Spirit burn brightly within us!



June is the month of the Sacred Heart

The month of June is dedicated to our strong devotion to the



of Priests – is celebrated on the Friday after the Solemnity of Corpus Christi. This suggests to us that the Eucharist (Corpus Christi) is none other than the Heart of Jesus himself, of the One who 'takes care of us' with his 'heart'. This site was created to aid the faithful in deepening their devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus throughout the month of June, and all year long (https://www.archtoronto.org/sacredheart). Here you will find a number of prayers, resources, reflections, and both text and video of the pastoral letter issued by Cardinal Collins in April of 2021. Jesus, gentle and humble of heart, touch our hearts and make them like your own.



Marygrove Camp Collection

Marygrove Camp is a residential camp open to girls ages 5 - 13. Marygrove provides an 8-day camping experience for children who

are less fortunate. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul helps over 1,100 girls each summer.

Envelopes are available at the back of the Church. This Collection will take place on **NEXT** weekend. Thank you for your support of this work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING - PAG

If you wish to use the Pre-Authorized Giving Method for your Offertory envelopes, please pick up a form available in the foyer of the Church. Thank you!



The Youth Corner

St Gregory the Great and Holy Cross have started a



group for our youth in grades 6-8. Our LAST gathering will be Wed. June 11, 2025 from 6:15 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in St. Gregory's Hall. EDGE usually runs every Wednesday. Download registration https://linktr.ee/ymstghc or scan QR code. For more information or to register, please contact our youth minister Kim Carson at: vmstghc@archtoronto.org

Young Adults at St. Gregory The Great & Holy Cross **Faith Formation**



or

Faith Formation: WISDOM A nine-part faith formation program. Next meeting is **June 21**, 6:30pm – 9:30pm

Where: St. Gregory's Parish Hall 190 Simcoe St. N. Connect and Register: stgregsandholycrossya@gmail.com

> Instagram: @stgregsandholycrossya https://linktr.ee/stgregsandholycrossya



Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2025

The children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer. Totus Tuus is an

Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and young adults travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechesis, Mass, confession, songs and games! The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am -2:30pm, from July 7th to July 11th.

The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs July 7 to 11, Sunday-Thursday from 7pm–9pm. The cost is: \$40 for Gr. 7-12 & \$70 for Gr. 1-6 for the entire week. If not possible, freewill offering will be accepted. For more information:

www.totustuustoronto.ca For registration form, visit:

https://www.holycrossoshawa.ca/totus-tuus-2025/ contact 905-723-8141, or

stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org.

Sacrament of Baptism

If you are interested in having your child Baptized, please request a registration form from the priest after attending Sunday Mass. We ask that couples be registered with the parish and that the Catholic parent(s) be in regular attendance at Sunday Mass.

Looking for Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers at 4:30 PM Saturday vigil Mass to help with video-recording and <u>live-streaming</u> of the Mass. Contact the office at 905-723-5259.

We are looking for volunteers to help with day & evening program as well as host families and lunches and dinners for the missionaries with Totus Tuus. To find out more information, please contact our youth minister Kim Carson at: ymstghc@archtoronto.org

<u>Children's liturgy volunteers are needed for the noon</u>

Mass! To volunteer, please contact the office.

MASS Intentions

Saturday June 7 Holy Cross (Vigil of Pentecost)

4:30pm For the People of Our Parish

Sunday June 8 Holy Cross (Pentecost)

12noon †Armando Oddi

Tuesday June 10

St. Gregory the Great at 12:10 p.m.

Wednesday June 11 (St. Barnabas)

8:30am †Loretta & Vincent Kelly

Thursday June 12

8:30am Family of E.C. Greg-Chido-A. His daughter's & father's Health & Blessings for

immediate Family

Friday June 13 (St. Anthony of Padua)

Confessions at St. Gregory's – 6 p.m.-6:45 p.m.

St. Gregory the Great at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday June 14

Confessions here 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

4:30pm For the People of Our Parish

Sunday June 15

(Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity)

St. Gregory the Great at 8:00 a.m.

St. Gregory the Great at 9:30 a.m.

12noon

†Ottavio Osso

Let us pray for our priest(s) and fellow Parishioners; for the Church and holy vocations: that there may be holy bishops, priests, deacons, and religious; holy marriages, families and holy single people; for repentance, salvation and peace in the world; and for all the deceased.

MEN'S ONLINE GROUP SUMMER DISCERNMENT

July 9th – August 6th, 2025 Wednesdays from 7:00pm to 9:00pm Discernment Do's and Don'ts – Fr. George Elliott For more info, email: <u>vocations@archtoronto.org</u> Register at: <u>www.vocationstoronto.ca/mdg</u>

Corpus Christi

Procession for Corpus Christi

All are welcome to join Fr. Marijan for a Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday *June* 22, 2025 after the 12-noon Mass. The

procession will begin in the front of the Church, head north to Olive Ave., turn right onto Olive Ave., and then turning right onto Albert St. and then into the back of the Church parking lot into the Church, bringing Jesus to bless us, our families and neighbourhood, town and province, country and whole world. In case of inclement weather, procession will take place indoors.

Sunday Social The CWL monthly get together to

The CWL monthly get together for coffee and a chat, will take place after the 12-NOON Mass **NEXT SUNDAY**, JUNE 15th. All are invited to attend and have a visit with your fellow parishioners. The Ladies would like to express their gratitude for your support of their various endeavours including their bake sales, and the Bazaar. Thank you!

Free Movie Night

We are happy to announce that Fr. Marijan and our Youth Minister, Kim will be starting a monthly movie night.



The first movie night will be Saturday June 28th at 6:30 p.m. in our Parish Hall. The featured movie this month will be will be Disney's Tarzan. There will be popcorn and water for everyone. There is no cost but donations are always welcome. The next movie night will in September.

Jubilee Pilgrimage with Cardinal Leo

The Archdiocese of Toronto Jubilee 2025 Committee is organizing a week-long pilgrimage to Rome with Cardinal Leo, taking place from November 10 – November 17,



2025. The pilgrimage will include visits to Rome's major basilicas and Holy Door, daily Mass and a day trip to Assisi. Registration is now open. For registration details, to view a detailed itinerary & learn more, visit: https://bit.ly/ArchTORome2025

So far, we have raised \$15,662.25 towards our goal of \$21,000.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope or at: www.sharelife.org/donate. The third and final collection is THIS weekend. We will havever, accept donations until the end of the year.

Parish Photo Directory Volunteers Needed

We will be holding photo sessions for our parish directory from November 17-22, 2025. Session times will be 2:30pm-8:30pm on Monday to Friday and 9:30am-3:00pm on Saturday. We are looking for volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the office as soon as possible. Thank you!