

MASS Intentions

Saturday June 20 (Holy Cross)

4:30pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday June 21 (Holy Cross)

(Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

12noon †Armando Oddi

Tuesday June 23

St. Gregory the Great Adoration at 11:10am

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

Wednesday June 24 Holy Cross

(Nativity of St. John the Baptist)

8:30am

Thursday June 25 Holy Cross

8:30am †John Beaudette

Friday June 26

Confessions & Adoration at

St. Gregory's – 5:45 p.m.-6:45 p.m.

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

Saturday June 27 Holy Cross

3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Adoration & Confessions

4:30pm For the People of Our Parish

Sunday June 28 (Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

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

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

12noon In Thanksgiving of Our Lady of Fatima

The month of June is traditionally dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.



ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS.

Please note that the office will be closed from June 29th to July 14th. To this end, the phones will be redirected to St. Gregory's. There will be a priest on duty, so you can also email: stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org

St Gregory's is leasing the 2nd floor of the school. If interested, visit: <https://bit.ly/rentstgsch>



Rosary for Our Priests

Saturday, July 25, 2026

Please join us at Resurrection Cemetery to pray for our Priests, past and present. We will gather at the Priest's burial section at 1 pm. In the event of rain, the rosary will be held in the mausoleum. For more information, call: 905-668-8912.

Annual Outdoor Mass for the Faithful Departed

Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby

Wednesday, August 12, 2026, 7:00 pm

Celebrant: Most Rev. Bishop Vincent Nguyen



Pope Leo XIV New Encyclical Magnifica Humanitas

on human dignity, <https://bit.ly/leo14mh>

RENEW TORONTO YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE - November 20-21, 2026

Join us for our annual RENEW Toronto Young Adult Catholic Conference for young adults ages 19-39.

SAVE THESE DATES!!

June 1st – Early bird registration is now open!

July 1st – Regular Registration begins (prices go up)

October 2 – Late Registration Pricing in Effect

November 4th – Registration Closes

Please visit: <https://www.renewtoronto.org>



NEW! St. Gregory's Young Adults' Book Club. Every Friday: 8:00 p.m. at the same time as volleyball in our Parish Hall.

Dead Man Walking

This is a young adult program designed for the High School Graduates of '26. It will grapple with a wide variety of topics. **October 16-18, 2026 at Valley of the Mother of God, Orangeville.** Email to inquire or to register: dmw.ontario@jesusyouth.ca.

Link: <https://jyon.life/dmw1>

NEW! Ultimate Frisbee for grades 8-12!

Calling all students currently in grades 8-12! Join us for some ultimate frisbee fun! Starting in June, we will meet on Thursdays from 7-9 pm in the field behind R.S. McLaughlin High School. Please bring running shoes and a water bottle. For more information and updates, please visit [stg_ultimate](https://www.instagram.com/stg_ultimate) or email us at: stgregsandholycrossyoungadults@gmail.com. Students of all skill levels are encouraged to join!

Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2026

The Totus Tuus faith-based camp will be taking place at St. Gregory the Great Parish from **August 9th-13th** for grades 7-12 (evening 6-9 pm). **August 10th-14th** for grades 1-6 (day 9 am-2:30 pm). The cost is \$70 per child for the day camp, and \$60 per additional child. The evening camp is \$50. Teen and adult supervisors are needed to help supervise students, host missionaries and provide meals during the week. For more information, please contact Kim at: ymstghc@archtoronto.org, or www.totustuutoronto.ca For registration form, visit: <https://www.holycrossoshawa.ca/totus-tuus-2026/>



Our **young adults, 18 to 39, will watch some of the soccer games** on Saturdays: June 27, 5 pm; July 4 at 5 pm; July 11 at 5 pm; and July 18 at 5 pm.

2026-2027 FIRST COMMUNION (grades 2-6) & CONFIRMATION (grades 7 and up) CLASSES WILL BEGIN IN THE FALL.

NOW IS THE TIME TO LOOK FOR BAPTISM CERTIFICATES IF YOU HAVE A CHILD WHO IS TO RECEIVE THE SACRAMENTS.



To all fathers, grandfathers,
great grandfathers,
stepfathers, foster fathers,
and those who have lost their fathers...



The Sanctuary Lamp
burns this week for:
Vincenzo Cappuccitti

Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G.)

This is a great time to consider registering for **Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G.)** to ensure continuous support during the summer months. Please pick a form from the vestibule or download it from our website to begin.

Offertory Envelopes for 2026. If you are new to our parish and would like to have a box issued to you, please get in touch with the office during the week, and a box will be assigned to you and placed on the table in the vestibule the following weekend.

**CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD
SUMMER FORMATION: JULY 13-18, 2026**

With formation in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, you don't just learn a method, you become a catechist: "a keeper of the memory of God" (Directory for Catechesis, 2020)

Come...deepen your understanding of the covenant relationship; delight in the miraculous design of the child; practice "listening to God with children"; prepare a Montessori catechetical environment for children aged 3-6; become part of a community of catechists

COURSE INFORMATION

July 13 – 18, 2026, 9:00 am to 4:30 pm – IN-PERSON

LOCATION: St. Philip the Apostle, Oshawa

REGISTER at <https://www.archtoronto.org/cgsformation>

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS

We kindly ask you not to park in front of the garage doors, as we have a tenant. He needs to be able to get out to attend to his own parish. Thank you.

The staff of The Refuge has asked us not to park on the west side of their parking lot, at the front, as those spots are for tenants of the building. If you do park there, your vehicle will be towed.

Guest Speaker from The Chalice

On August 22/23, we will welcome Deacon Thomas, who will speak to us about sponsoring a child on behalf of The Chalice, a Catholic international aid charity focused on child, family and community development.

SHARELIFE

Thanks to your generosity, we have raised **\$17,830.00** towards our goal of **\$25,500.00**. If you would still like to donate, envelopes are located at the back of the Church, or please donate at: www.sharelife.org/donate.

St Carlo and brown scapular

St. Carlo's mother writes, "When [St. Carlo] was four, I gave him a gold chain with a medal with the scapular of the Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel. It had been given to me by one of my great-grandmothers on the day of my baptism. From that moment on, he never took it off, and he told me, 'This way, I will always have Jesus and the Virgin Mary close to my heart.'

He later gave medals to many people. The scapular was one of the devotions to which my son was especially attached. He alternated the cloth scapular with the gold one that he had been given.

Pope Saint Pius X had given permission to the faithful to substitute the cloth scapular with a medal with the Sacred Heart on one side and the Virgin Mary on the other where necessary. Scapular devotion began on July 16, 1251, when the Virgin Mary appeared to St. Simon Stock, prior of the Order of Carmelites. The Virgin Mary showed him the scapular and said: 'Take this scapular. Anyone who dies wearing it will not experience the fires of hell. It will be a symbol of salvation, protection from danger, and a promise of peace.' This great promise was confirmed about eighty years later, when the Holy Virgin appeared to Pope John XXII, telling him, 'Those who have worn this holy garment will be removed from purgatory on the first Saturday after their death.' At Fátima and Lourdes, the apparitions concluded with a vision of the Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel with a scapular in her hand. And the Virgin Mary confirmed to Sister Lucia that the Rosary and scapular are inseparable".

(<https://bit.ly/mysoncarlo>, 100-101).

Blessing and investiture with the Brown Scapular

Next Sunday, June 28, during his homily, Fr. Marijan will offer any Catholic the opportunity to be invested with and receive a cloth brown scapular of the Blessed Virgin Mary. In the article on St. Carlo above, we may see some of the benefits of wearing the brown scapular with faith. The parishioners will be free to stand and so express their desire to receive and be invested with the scapular. We will give the scapulars to those who want to be invested with it for free during this Sunday's Masses. To cover the expenses of the scapular, an optional suggested donation is \$5. As your pastor in the Lord, I invite you to place yourself under the special protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary by receiving her brown scapular. My ministry is to help you go to Heaven. Blessed Virgin Mary will lead you safely to Jesus, who is the only way to Heaven.

Catholic Yacht Party for Young Adults (ages 19-39)

Saturday, July 4, 2026

Check-in and boarding: 7:00 PM;

Set sail: 7:30 PM sharp, return: 10:30 PM

Tickets: \$80 per person.

Please see the poster for more info.