

OUR LADY QUEEN OF POLAND CHURCH

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Weekday Masses (in Polish):

Monday, Wednesday, Friday – 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday – 10:00 a.m.

First Friday of the Month - 10:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Weekend Masses

First Saturday of the Month – 10:00 a.m.

Saturday - 5:00 p.m. (English), 7:00 p.m. (Polish)

Sunday (all in Polish)

- 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mon., Wed., Fri., - 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday – 9:00 a.m.

First Friday of the Month – 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

First Saturday of the Month – 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 6:00-6:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00-9:45 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00-4:45 p.m. and 6:00-6:45 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00-8:15 a.m.; 10:00-10:15 a.m.;

12:00-12:15 p.m. and 7:00-7:15 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

Call the office for available date.

Godparents must be 16 years of age and confirmed.

They must submit a Sponsor Certificate from their parish priest before baptism.

Sacrament of The Sick

Please call the priest at any time.

Sacrament of Marriage

Apply one year in advance – marriage preparation classes are obligatory.

Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Office Services

Referral letters and eligibility forms can be requested only by active parish members, officially registered at the Church for a minimum of six months. Please call ahead.

Parish Registration

We are an ethnic/personal parish, which means that the members of our parish are those who are formally registered. The registration form can be obtained from Parish Office, church or on-line. Once filled, form can be thrown into the offering basket or forwarded to the office. Please inform us of any address changes.

PARISH ENVELOPES

Parishioners who wish to help the Parish financially can do so using offering envelopes. Regular users receive them once a year, usually in the month of December. New ones are asked to contact the Parish Office, fill the registration form, and check the "offering envelopes" box.

Contributions for the church are tax-deductible. Income tax return forms are distributed to Parishioners at the end of January.

Lectors and Ushers Services

If interested, contact Aggie Gomez (416-292-5707)

Masks are mandatory. A physical 2 m (6 ft) distance, will be maintained. Families from the same household may be seated together but must be 2 m from any non-household members.

Online Masses

<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>

www.dailytvmass.com

www.youtube.com/dailytvmass

First reading: **Is 40:1-5.9-11**
 Responsorial Psalm: **O bless the Lord, my soul.**
 Second Reading: **Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7**
 Gospel: **Lk 3:15-16, 21-22.**



Mass Intentions

Saturday – January 8, 2022
 5pm. †† Ronald BARBOZA, Hazel PINTO

Saturday – January 15, 2022
 5pm. In thanksgiving for blessings received, and for the souls in purgatory (R. M. Lobo)



THIS SUNDAY WE CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD. The Catechism says that the sacrament of “baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons of God; we become members of Christ, are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission.”

As we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord, we should realize that Jesus didn't need to be baptized but rather did so in order to give us an example to imitate. We are called to be authentic models of the faith so that others can be inspired by our witness.

COLLECTIVE MASS INTENTIONS

Due to the large number of requests to celebrate Holy Mass, our Mass calendar is already fully booked until July 2022. The Archdiocese of Toronto allows for Mass to be celebrated collectively – meaning that one Mass will be for several intentions.

In our church, such Masses will be celebrated on some Wednesdays:

February 9, 16, 23;	September 7, 14, 21, 28;
June 22;	October 5, 12, 19, 26;
July 6, 27;	November 16, 23, 30;
August 10, 17, 31;	December 7, 14, 21.

The intentions for these Masses will be presented prior to the commencement of Mass and during the prayers service that will be celebrated immediately after the Mass.

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

Just a friendly reminder, the family who ordered the Mass intention, needs to bring the gifts to the altar. Gifts are displayed next to the baptismal font.



A Celebration of Marriage in the Archdiocese of Toronto

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS

Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB, will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2022. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 13 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto). Due to social distancing measures, cathedral attendance is limited to pre-registered couples and a maximum of one guest per celebrant couple. Registration is now open. Please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage to register.

YEAR 2021 IN NUMBERS

Last year, in our church 19 children received the sacrament of baptism, 9 – First Communion, 5 youths were confirmed, 8 couples got married, 16 parishioners passed away; 23,960 received the Holy Communion.

THE FRIARS' STUDENT WRITING AWARD

Students aged 13-19 are invited to submit a 450-500-word essay for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, celebrated from January 18 to 25, 2022. This year, the theme and the resources for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2022 have been prepared by the Middle East Council of Churches based in Beirut, Lebanon. The theme of the contest is: “We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him” (Mt. 2:2). The deadline for the writing contest is Monday, February 14, 2022 at 2 p.m. Please check the link for more contest details: <https://bit.ly/FriarsStudentWritingContest2022>

PROVINCIAL ANNOUNCEMENT - LATEST COVID-19 UPDATES

The provincial government announced that as of Wednesday, January 5, 2022, Ontario will be moving to a modified Step 2 of the Roadmap to Reopening with most restrictions lasting a minimum of 21 days. Capacity restrictions for places of worship are set at 50% of pre-Covid capacity however distancing of 2 metres (6 feet) must be maintained by those not from the same family. Those feeling unwell should not attend Mass at this time and isolate for at least 5 days.

**IF YOU MOVED OR CHANGED YOUR PHONE NUMBER
PLEASE KEEP US UP TO DATE**