

### FIRST COMMUNION REGISTRATION NIGHT

Tuesday, Sept. 16 @ 5:30 pm - Parish Hall

#### Requirements:

- Baptismal Certificate
- Child must be entering grade 2 or higher grade
- Child/Family attends regularly at St Wilfrid's Church
- Registration fee of \$75

Registration forms available in the office

### CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION NIGHT

Thursday, Sept. 18 @ 5:30 pm- Parish Hall

#### Requirements:

- Baptismal Certificate
- Child must be entering grade 7, 8 or high school
- Child/Family attends regularly at St Wilfrid's Church
- Registration fee of \$75
- Confirmation Certificate of the Sponsor

Registration forms available in the office



#### Candidates are:

- you are not a Baptized Catholic...
- you are Catholic but not confirmed
- You are not Catholic but baptized in other recognized religion and wants to have a full communion in the Catholic church

Please come or call the office to register @ 416-840-3111

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EACH TIME YOU COME TO  
MASS



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THANK YOU FOR HELPING OUR COMMUNITY!

# Gigantic Garage SALE

7th Annual Indoor Garage Sale

Sept. 27 & 28; October 4 & 5 2025

from 8 am to 7 pm

It's a great time to donate items you do not need any more.

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Please donate gently used—or even brand new items sitting in your storage room, basement or under your bed!

We are accepting small appliances, kitchenware, clothes, toys, etc. — anything you think other people in our community might need.

Please, no books, no furniture or full-size appliances.

#### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR GARAGE SALE.

Please sign in the sign up sheet in the lobby.

September 21, 2025

Steward Sunday

Listen to Archbishop Leo's homily which is available in video, audio and written format and is posted online. Please download at: [www.archtoronto.org/stewardship](http://www.archtoronto.org/stewardship) in the "Stewardship Sunday" tab.

"Calling all youth ages 12 to 18!"

Our youth ministry is starting up again.

Join us for our first Youth Night on

Friday, September 26, from 6 to 7:30 PM

in Mother Teresa Hall. Come for

an evening of prayer, fellowship, and community."



### Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, September 13

5:00 PM – † Manolita Suntay

SUNDAY, September 14 – Exaltation of the Cross

8:00 AM – † Jill Tejano; Catalino & Amparo Melon

10:00 AM – Guarigione per Denise D'Avella; Anime abbandonate del purgatorio † Giovanna Coccia; Yolanda Baldinelli, Umberto Recine

12:00 PM Sanctification of all Priests & Religious; Birthday Thanksgiving for Sara Pineda & Alejandro Urbina † Vilma Montemayor; Genaro Ragasa Sr., Herminia Ducay; Ceasar Urbina; Geradio Gonzalez; Rogelio Sanches, Forintino & Faith Flores; Deceased members of Abejero & Enojo Family, Apas & Buhia Family; all souls

5:00 PM – † Manolita Suntay; Aurelia Calixtro

MONDAY, September 15 – Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00 am – † Jill Tejano

7:00 pm – † Thavamany Kanesan; abandoned souls in purgatory

TUESDAY, September 16

8:00 AM - †

10:00 AM – Humber Meadows Mass

7:00 PM -

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 17 – Sts. Robert Bellarmine & Hildegard

8:00 AM †

7:00 PM Recovery of Denise D'Avella † Clodualdo Diamante; all souls

THURSDAY, September 18

8:00 AM – †

10:00 AM – Downsview Nursing Home Mass

7:00 PM – † Thomas D'Souza

FRIDAY, September 19 – St. Januarius

8:00 AM – †

7:00 PM – † Abandoned Souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY – September 20

8:00 AM †

1:30 pm - Baptism

5:00 PM – †

Sept. 14, 2025 – EXALTATION OF THE CROSS

Today, we affirm that we are people of the Cross. The Cross is a fundamental aspect of our faith. Jesus' suffering, death, and resurrection transformed the cross from a symbol of pain to one of hope. It's a constant reminder of our faith journey, from the moment we come to the church to be baptized, our foreheads are marked with the sign of the cross -- signifying that we are claimed for Christ.

The cross is not just a symbol, but a part of our daily lives, connecting us to our faith and to each other. The Cross always leads us to hope in the power of Jesus' outstretched arms, which embrace us all and point us towards eternal life.



During the Season of Lent, we often say, "We adore you, O Christ, and we praise you, because by your Holy Cross, you have redeemed the world."

*L'esaltazione della santa Croce ci fa conoscere un aspetto del suo cuore che solo Dio stesso poteva rivelarci: la ferita provocata dal*

*peccato e dall'ingratitudine dell'uomo diventa fonte, non solo di una sovrabbondanza d'amore, ma anche di una nuova creazione nella gloria. Attraverso la follia della Croce, lo scandalo della sofferenza può diventare sapienza, e la gloria promessa a Gesù può essere condivisa da tutti coloro che desideravano seguirlo. La morte, la malattia, le molteplici ferite che l'uomo riceve nella carne e nel cuore, tutto questo diventa, per la piccola creatura, un'occasione per lasciarsi prendere più intensamente dalla vita stessa di Dio.*

*Con questa festa la Chiesa ci invita a ricevere questa sapienza divina, che Maria ha vissuto pienamente presso la Croce: la sofferenza del mondo, follia e scandalo, diventa, nel sangue di Cristo, grido d'amore e seme di gloria per ciascuno di noi.*

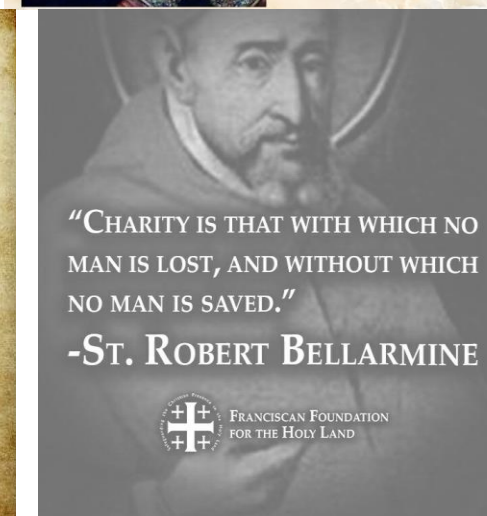
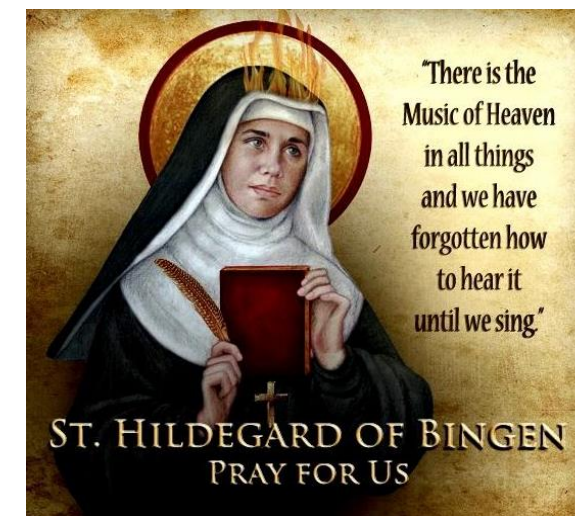


Our Lady of Sorrows, pray for us. Teach us how to bear our own sorrows. Amen

Catholic Prayers



O Vergine Maria Madre Addolorata stendi su di noi il tuo manto di stelle, sostienici nella prova e nel dolore e un giorno l'anima nostra accogli benigna nel Cielo stellato di Dio!



Mass Readings for Sunday, 14 September 2025

#### Exaltation of the Holy Cross Feast

First Reading: Numbers 21: 4b-9

Psalms: Psalms 78: 1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38

Second Reading: Philippians 2: 6-11

Gospel: John 3: 13-17

#### On the Lighter side....

It was Christmas and the judge was in a merry mood as he asked the prisoner, "What are you charged with?"

"Doing my Christmas shopping early", replied the defendant.

"That's no offense", said the judge.

"How early were you doing this shopping?"

"Before the store opened."

Confession is an act of honesty and courage - an act of entrusting ourselves, beyond sin, to the mercy of a loving and forgiving God.

— Pope John Paul II —





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Let us Together  
PRAY THE ROSARY for World Peace!!!

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

**Monday to Friday**

8 am – Italian; 7 pm English

**Saturday**

8 am – Italian; 5pm - English

**Sunday:**

10:00 am – Italian

8:00 am, 12:00 pm, 5:00 pm - English

**CONFESSION**

Every Saturday @ 4 – 5 pm, other days please call for appointment

**MEMORIAL MASS**

Please call the office @ 416-840-3111

**Monday - Saturday**

9am – 12 noon

1 pm – 5 pm

**Sunday:** 9 am – 1 pm



Those who are interested to have Our Lady Of Fatima Statue to visit their home for a week, please call: Edith @ 416-420-5185



**PRAY TOGETHER**

Come and join us to pray the Holy Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 6:00 PM Monday to Friday in the chapel.

**Priests**

Rev. Paolos F. Beraki – PASTOR

Rev. Eugene D'Avella – In Residence (Retired)

Rev. Binyan Yacob Kebedi – Chaplain in Humber Hospital

Rev. Henry Alva – OFM Capuchin – Counsellor

(please call: 416-371-8648)

**Welcome, new parishioners!**

We invite new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms and donation envelopes are available in the entrance of the church and at the parish office.

**Adoration**  
of the  
**Blessed Sacrament**



**Every**  
**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**  
**8:30 am – 6:45 pm**

"Nowhere does Jesus  
hear our prayers more readily  
than in the Blessed Sacrament."

**Devotion to**  
**Our Lady of**  
**Perpetual**  
**Help**  
Every  
Wednesday  
@ 7 pm  
Mass



**BAPTISM**

Contact parish office 2 months in advance of anticipated baptismal date.

**MARRIAGE**

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance.

**COMMUNION OF HOUSEBOUND & ANNOINTING OF THE SICK**

The Eucharist is brought regularly to the sick and shut-ins. Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation are also available. Please notify the parish office.

**MARRIAGE** – please contact the office one year before the scheduled wedding



**ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING**  
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