

**EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**



After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem and asked, “Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him.”

*-Matthew 2:1-2*

**SACRAMENT OF FIRST COMMUNION**



Sacrament of First Communion class will begin on Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor upstairs Halls.

Our Lady of Lourdes celebrates

**Feast of Sto. Niño**

on Sunday, January 21, 2024 @ 3pm



The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shone.

Please bring your Sto. Niño for blessing.

**THAI PONGAL**

Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, the Tamil community of Our Lady of Lourdes will celebrate **THAI PONGAL**. The celebration will begin at 4:30pm with a Mass at the church followed by a Tasty Tamil Treats in Lynch Hall to celebrate PONGAL. All are welcome.

*Win this*  
**2024 Honda HR-V LX-B**

**Toronto Honda**

**1ST PRIZE:**  
2024 HONDA HR-V LX-B 2WD  
VALUED AT 34,707.27  
OR \$30,714.40 CASH

**2ND PRIZE:** \$2,000.00  
**3RD PRIZE:** \$1,000.00

**8 PRIZES OF \$100.00 EACH**

*Proceeds of the raffle will go toward the on-going improvements in the church.*

Draw Date: Saturday, April 6, 2024  
9pm at Our Lady of Lourdes School  
444 Sherbourne St., Toronto, ON  
Lic. # M824123  
10,000 Tickets Printed


• Participants must be residents of Ontario and 18 years of age to purchase a ticket.  
• Prizes will be drawn from highest to lowest value.

Please help us make this raffle a HUGE success! Pick up a book (or two) after Mass from our Welcome desk, at the front entrance of the church and the Parish office during the week.

**Church Bulletin Advertising:**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2024 & supports the bulletin service. Please support your bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

**Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes**  
**February 11, 2024**



**Mass times are:**  
**8am**  
**10:00am -**  
**Main Celebration**  
**Officiated by:**  
**Archbishop Frank Leo**  
**1pm**  
**3pm**  
**5pm**  
**7pm**

**Novena Prayer**  
February 2<sup>nd</sup> - February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
at 11:30am  
followed by 12:10pm mass and Rosary  
except Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>  
at 2:45pm

### Invitation from Holy Name Church

Father Vijai and the Holy Name Truth and Reconciliation group would like to invite you to a special event at Holy Name church on Sunday, Jan. 14<sup>th</sup>. The guest speaker will be Deacon John Brown from St. Ignatius of Loyola Parish in Mississauga. He is a lawyer at McCarthy Tetrault and chairs the firm's Reconciliation Committee. Deacon John also works in an advisory capacity with the Toronto Archdiocese. He offers guidance on Indigenous issues, including the Indigenous Healing and Reconciliation fund which supports local and national initiatives that assist in the journey of healing. Deacon John will serve on the altar at the 10 am Mass. You are invited to meet him over coffee in the church hall after Mass, starting at approximately 11 am. We hope you'll join us in giving Deacon John a warm welcome on Jan. 14<sup>th</sup>. Holy Name is located at 71 Gough Ave. on the corner of Danforth. Thank you!

Joan Melanson- for the Holy Name Truth and Reconciliation group.

### UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2024

January 21, 2024  
Feast of Sto. Niño

February 11, 2024  
Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes

Pilgrimage to Mexico  
February 26 - March 6, 2024

Car Raffle Event  
April 6, 2024

First Communion  
April 27, 2024

Confirmation  
June 2024

Parish Bazaar  
June 2024

Jesuit Ordination  
June 2024

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### **Monday, January 8**

8:00am Maria Bentijaba + [Violy Bentijaba]  
12:10pm Rosemary Msuky + [Mildred Manyimo]  
5:15pm Joselito Ramos + [Ramos Family]

#### **Tuesday, January 9**

8:00am Samera Caldillero + [Celia Boggs]  
12:10pm Erlinda Baltazar + [Gloria Baltazar]  
5:15pm Samera Caldillero + [Celia Boggs]

#### **Wednesday, January 10**

8:00am Samera Caldillero + [Celia Boggs]  
12:10pm Mary Li + [Cynthia Chu]  
5:15pm Samera Caldillero + [Celia Boggs]

#### **Thursday, January 11**

8:00am Souls of the Faithful Departed [Violet Balanyo]  
12:10pm Samera Caldillero + [Tanate Family]  
5:15pm Mademero Federis + [Amy Federis]

#### **Friday, January 12**

8:00am Cresencia & Adriano Boncayao + [Salve Boncayao]  
12:10pm Lilia Catarroja + [Mopera Family]  
5:15pm Caroline + [Narcis Pates]

#### **Saturday, January 13**

8:00am Fr. Adelmo Dunghe's Intention [Celia Boggs]  
12:10pm Thanksgiving [Yvonne Branganzas]

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

*Anita Quinzon, Marilyn Del Castillo, Jordan Martin,  
Fr. John Pungente, SJ, Maria de Lourdes Melo, David Langen  
Thambirajan Yogarajah, Calixta A. Ramelo*