




JESUITS SPEAK

No one can grow if he does not accept his smallness.

Pope Frances, SJ



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network 

JULY

For respect for human life

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

Lourdes Food Bank: Summer Volunteers

The Parish Office, in partnership with the Lourdes Food Bank Management, invites men and women to generously volunteer their time from Monday to Thursday in support of our mission to provide meals to those in need. If you are interested in helping, please register by calling 416-924-6257 or 416-972-0630, or by emailing info@lourdes.to



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VOCATION PRAYER FOR JULY

Heavenly Father,
You filled the heart of St. Bernardine Realino with the virtue of humility. Through his intercession, grant us the same humble and inspire others to do the same. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. *Amen.*

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE



OUR LADY OF LOURDES IS OFFERING THE MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE OVER 2 SATURDAYS: **SEPTEMBER 26 AND OCTOBER 3, 2026 FROM 9AM - 4PM.** FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER, PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 416-924-6257.



Join the Jesuits of Our Lady of Lourdes and the Jesuits of Canada for the Eucharistic celebration of the Solemnity of St. Ignatius Loyola, founder of the Society of Jesus

Friday July 31, 2026

Mass Celebration
10:30am

There will be NO
12:10pm & 5:15pm Masses.

All are welcome to the Mass and Reception



VISIT OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES & RELICS OF ST. BERNADETTE, NEVERS, FRANCE AUGUST 19, 2026 8:30am - 6:30pm



PROGRAM OF THE DAY

- 8:30am - 8:45am - Welcome address and opening prayer by Fr. William Mbugua, SJ Pastor**
- 8:45am - 12 noon - Veneration of the Relics**
- 12:10pm - 12:50 pm - Mass**
After Mass, sprinkling of Lourdes Water from France to congregation
- 12:50 pm - 1:15 pm - Recitation of the Holy Rosary**
- 1:30pm - 5:00 pm - Veneration of the Relics**
- 5:15pm - 6:00 pm - Mass and sprinkling of Lourdes water from France to congregation followed by candlelight procession & recitation of the Holy Rosary. The procession will take place around the Parking lot and Sherbourne St.**

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS
First Reconciliation & First Communion

Registration is open for First Reconciliation/First Communion. Please register your child by calling the Parish Office at 416-924-6257 or email info@lourdes.to with details to follow.

RCIA: Begin Your Journey of Faith This Fall

Are you interested in becoming Catholic, learning more about the faith, or completing your Sacraments of Initiation?

Our parish **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** program begins this September. RCIA is for adults who are unbaptized, baptized in another Christian tradition, or baptized Catholics who have not yet received Confirmation.

Join us for a prayerful journey of faith, learning, and spiritual growth, leading to full reception into the Catholic Church at Easter.

To register or learn more, please contact the Parish Office on 416-924-6257 or send an email to info@lourdes.to. All are welcome!

HUMANITARIAN RELIEF – VENEZUELA EARTHQUAKE

Please keep the people of Venezuela in your prayers following the devastating earthquakes of June 24, which have claimed many lives, injured thousands, and left countless families homeless.

This weekend, **July 4th and 5th**, there will be a collection for the **Humanitarian Relief – Venezuela Earthquake Fund**. Donation envelopes are available in the pews. Please place your envelope in the offertory basket. You may also donate:

- Online at www.archtoronto.org
- By phone: 437-529-1287

Thank you for your prayers and generosity.

SUMMER BREAK FOR OUR MUSIC MINISTRY



During the months of July and August, the musicians and singers who serve at the 5:15pm and 8am Masses will be taking a well-deserved summer break. As a result, these Masses will be celebrated without the benefit of our regular Music Ministry. We would also like to take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to all who contribute to the Music Ministry at Lourdes—our musicians, singers, choir directors, and everyone who supports this important ministry. Through their dedication and generosity, they help to enrich our worship and lead our community in prayer and praise. We thank them for their faithful service and wish them a restful and enjoyable summer.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN



Our Lady of Lourdes Parish offers a Pre-Authorized Giving Plan (PAG) for parishioners who wish to make their offertory donations through automatic monthly bank withdrawals. Participation is entirely optional and provides a convenient, secure way to support the parish on a regular basis. For more information or to enroll, please contact the Parish Office at 416-924-6257.



PILGRIMAGE TO CANADIAN MARTYRS' SHRINE

Our Annual Pilgrimage to Canadian Martyrs' Shrine in Midland, Ontario, is scheduled for **Saturday, September 26th, 2026**. Tickets are \$55.



PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

July 26 – Grandparents & Elderly Day

July 31 – Solemnity of St. Ignatius Loyola

August 19 – Relics of St. Bernadette visit OLOL Toronto

September 7-19 – Parish Pilgrimage

September 19-20 – Parish Ministry Fair

September 26 – Pilgrimage to Canadian Martyrs

Sept 26 & Oct 3 – Marriage Preparation Course

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 6

12:10pm Pedro, Asuncion, Nemecia Inguengan + [Rose A]

5:15pm Daniel Charbonneau + [Sr. Hazel]

Tuesday, July 7

8:00am Melanie, Ernesto & Myrna + [Floraida]

12:10pm Boogin Gamboa's Birthday [Family]

Wednesday, July 8

12:10pm Veronica Tolentino's Birthday [Veronica]

5:15pm Cesar Fallore + [Fallore Family]

Thursday, July 9

8:00am Dorothy Fogarty +

12:10pm Ela Kryla's Birthday [Friends]

Friday, July 10

12:10pm Nadur Balatero + [Cora Balatero]

5:15pm Luis Fernando Villasenor's Birthday [Estela V]

Saturday, July 11

8:00am Mary Joseph & Mary George + [Jithin & Roslinda]

12:10pm Bogumila Kielar's Birthday [Friends]

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:
Caridad Martinez, Beatrice Echanova, Joel Montenegro