

Our Lady of Lourdes Community

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass:

Saturday 5:15pm (Sunday Anticipatory Mass)
8:00am, 9:45am, 11:30am, 1:30pm,
5:00pm (Tamil/English) & 7:00pm

New Daily Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday & Friday:

12:10pm & 5:15pm

Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday:

8am & 12:10pm

Live Stream

Monday through Saturday:

12:10pm Mass

Sunday:

11:30am Mass

Every First Friday:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
8:30am to 5:00pm

First Friday:

5:15pm Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 11:00am - 12:00 noon & 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Other times: by appointment

For information regarding Baptism, Marriage or the Sacrament of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office (see details below).

Unregistered & New Parishioners

If you are not yet a registered member of the parish, please contact the Parish Office at the number below.

Lourdes Jesuit Community:

Fr. William Mbugua, SJ	Pastor
Fr. Earl Smith, SJ	Associate Pastor
Fr. Michel Boutilier, SJ	Associate Pastor

In Residence:

Fr. Alan Fogarty, SJ, Fr. Trevor Scott, SJ



We are a *Spirit-filled Catholic Community of Pilgrims* gathered from different lands and different cultures.

We come together under the *Dome* of Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Downtown Toronto to celebrate our faith in Word, Sacrament and Service.

We come together to deepen our faith, to grow in care and concern for others and to act with compassion and with justice.

We come together in ministry and we include in our ministry new immigrants, the poor, the elderly, the shut-ins, those who are alone, single parents, children and youth, and those who feel alienated or unwelcome. We are also called to care for the sick and the dying in the hospitals and hostels around us. Our ministry and hospitality embrace all.

In this way we strive to live the Good News of the Lord Jesus, and we do our part in building the *City of God*.

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JESUITS SPEAK

Our sins are usually not in what we did, not in what we could not avoid, not in what we tried not to do. Our sin is usually where you and I are comfortable, where we have found a complacency, where we rest in our delusional self-understanding of how much better we are than other people.

James Keenan, SJ



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network



AUGUST

For evangelization in the city.

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.



JÉSUITES
du Canada

JESUITS
of Canada

VOCATION PRAYER FOR AUGUST

Heavenly Father,

You gave St. David Lewis a fatherly heart to love and serve the poor in Wales. Through his intercession, give us also a fatherly heart for your people, so that our life-giving ways may become a source of attraction for others to follow you in the Society of Jesus. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. *Amen.*

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.

LOURDES SANCTUAIRE

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.

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!

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.



CANADIAN MISSION COLLECTION

This weekend, August 15th and 16th, there will be an opportunity for those who wish to contribute to the Canadian Missions in Canada. The CMC goal is to advance and sustain the Catholic faith in Canada from sea to sea by prayer, awareness & education. Envelopes can be found in the pews and placed in the basket during offertory collection.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN



Many parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto offer a Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) Plan as a convenient alternative to the traditional offertory collection at Mass. Our Lady of Lourdes Parish also participates in this program. The PAG Plan allows your regular offertory contribution to be automatically withdrawn from your bank account each month, providing a simple, secure, and consistent way to support the parish and its ministries. If you would like more information or wish to enroll in the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan, please contact the Parish Office at **416-924-6257**. We would be happy to assist you.

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

If you are new to the area or have recently begun worshipping at Our Lady of Lourdes, we warmly invite you to register as a parishioner. Registration forms are available from the Parish Office, Monday through Saturday, between 10am and 4pm, from our website, lourdes.to or at the Welcome Desk in Bernadette Hall following the Sunday Masses. We look forward to welcoming you to our parish community. Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes!

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.

DEADLINE OF REGISTRATION IS ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2026.

PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

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, August 17

12:10pm Ambrosio Ramirez + [Dovie]

5:15pm Reina Rose Ulpindo's Birthday [Family]

Tuesday, August 18

8:00am David Sequeira + [Sequeira Family]

12:10pm Minda de Jesus + [Violy]

Wednesday, August 19

12:10pm Stephen Langmead + [Angela & Family]

5:15pm Helen Olmo + [Annie]

Thursday, August 20

8:00am Santic Mara + [Ana]

12:10pm Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Lourdes [Israel]

Friday, August 21

12:10pm Kachi Eloka's Birthday [Kachi Eloka]

5:15pm Marie Uwambaye & Sebastien Nzomwita + [Clothilde]

Saturday, August 22

8:00am Caupo Elias Torres + [Gloria]

12:10pm Ana Roz & Jose Madrigal + [Tess Madrigal]

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Wilfredo Rosales Sr, Florentina Palma

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