

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**“In your goodness, O God, you provided
for the needy.”**

AUGUST 31, 2025

MONTHLY OFFERINGS – August 3 - 24th, 2025

Total Donations -	\$ 19,966.00
Total Offertory	\$ 15,937.00
Maintenance	\$ 2,559.00
Canadian Missions	\$ 1,455.00
Mission Priest	\$ 2,621.00
SHARELIFE	\$ 15.00

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

September 6/7 – Maintenance Fund

September 27/28 – Needs of the Church in Canada



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Upcoming Events

- Executive Meeting – September 9th at 7:30 p.m.
- General Meeting – September 23rd at 7:30 p.m.
(Sacred Heart Parish)
- Thanksgiving Food Drive Begins – September 28th



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Upcoming Events

- Executive Meeting – September 3rd at 6:00 p.m.

PRAYING FOR OUR PEOPLE

Please note that the names of parishioners in need of prayers, will be published on a per month basis. If you would like to have a name added or continued on the list, please call or send an email to the parish office. Thank you.

Shirley Harvey, Kim Smith, Teresa Louvelle.



CHURCH ON-LINE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

We now have an on-line calendar, which shows all the activities for each day. Below is the link to the calendar. It is located on the home page of the parish website.

<https://immaculateconceptionpo.archtoronto.org/>

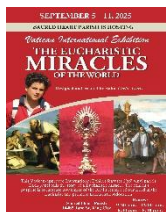
If you wish to add an event, please send an e-mail to immaculateconceptionpo@archtoronto.org with the details including date, time, purpose, and any church facilities you wish to use.

SHARELIFE: FROM THE HEART OF THE CHURCH

As food insecurity worsens across the GTA, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto (CCAT), and two generous anonymous donors, have pledged a combined \$800,000 in Food Security Grants for 2025—building on previous commitments of \$500,000 in 2023 and \$750,000 in 2024.

Living the Gospel means caring for those who are hungry and vulnerable every single day. Please help fight hunger through <https://sharelife.org/donate/> (make sure you include our parish's name) or by giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your kind generosity!

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES OF THE WORLD EXHIBIT - SACRED HEART PARISH, KING CITY



You are invited to join **Sacred Heart Parish in King City** from **September 5th – 11th** as they host the Vatican approved Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit. The exhibit, which was designed and created by St. Carlo Acutis, features panels that each tell the story of a

Eucharistic miracle and allow you to “virtually visit” the places where the miracles took place. The exhibit's purpose is to increase awareness of the real presence of our Lord in the Eucharist and promote Eucharistic Adoration.

On **Sunday, September 7, 2025**, the day of the double canonization, the relics of St. Carlo Acutis and St. Pier Giorgio Frassati, will come to Sacred Heart Parish for blessing and veneration from **11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** For more information, please see the poster on the church bulletin board.

PASTORAL REFERENCE LETTER FOR TEACHERS

Teachers seeking pastoral reference letters for employment with a Catholic school board, are reminded that you must be a practicing Catholic. Any requests need to be made to Father Silva one year in advance.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to the following parishioners who celebrated a wedding anniversary during the month of August.

Frank and Marie Armstrong	(69 years)
Henry and Beatriz	(53 years)
Kevin and Michelle O'Connor	(50 years)
Rick and Monique Kleuskens	(38 years)
Robert and Ellie LeBlanc	(29 years)
Polycarp and Chantal D'Silva	(20 years)
Ralph and Jeline DeGuzman	(15 years)

Father Silva will acknowledge August wedding anniversaries with a special blessing after each of the weekend Masses on September 6th and 7th.

There is a sign-up sheet for September wedding anniversaries located on the bulletin board by the side door entrance.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Brooklin, will be hosting a marriage preparation course in the evenings on **April 30th, May 1st and May 2, 2026**. For more information, please contact their parish office at (905) 655-3286 ext. 1.

CHOIR

The 9:00 a.m. choir will commence on **Sunday, September 7th**. Practices will take place at **8:00 a.m.** in the church's choir loft.

R.C.I.A.

If you or someone you know in our community who would like to enter the Catholic faith, please speak to Fr. Silva or contact the parish office. We would like to begin the RCIA program in January. Catholic adults who have not yet celebrated their First Eucharist or the Sacrament of Confirmation, may also take part.

MASS INTENTIONS

To ensure that all parishioners can have mass intentions said, we are requesting a maximum of 12 mass intentions per calendar year per household. Thank you in advance for your co-operation.

A BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER

*Father Almighty,
We ask that you bless our students, staff, and their families
in this new school year,
As they seek to grow in knowledge,
may they also grow in faith,
Guide them and protect them we
pray. Amen*



Parish Weekly Schedule

Office Open – Monday/Wednesday/Friday – 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. **(The office will be closed on Monday, September 1st.)**

Rosary to precede every Mass by 30 minutes.

Weekday Masses

Monday — No Mass

Tuesday — 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday/Thursday/Friday/Saturday – 9:00 a.m.

Adoration – Friday - 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Holy Hour - Friday - 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena – Saturday 9:25 a.m.

Divine Mercy Chaplet – Saturday 9:30 a.m.

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation – Saturday 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

MASS INTENTIONS – Week of August 31st

Tuesday, September 2nd

7:00 pm Mass – Intentions of David Robertson

Req. by Mary Lou Elliott

Wednesday, September 3rd

9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Murray Guisti

Req. by John and Shelley Brock

Thursday, September 4th

9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Loretta and Sam Traynor

Req. by Mary Lou Elliott

Friday, September 5th

9:00 am Mass – All Souls in Purgatory

Req. by A.M. and B. Tuzi

Saturday, September 6th

9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Kevin and Michelle

O'Connor

Req. by Faye and Shelley

5:00 p.m. Mass – Intentions of Robin Rogers

Req. by Mary Lou Elliott

Sunday, September 7th

9:00 am Mass – + Gerald "Ged" Carr

Req. by Andy and Cathy Spohn

11:00 am Mass – In Thanksgiving of the Healing Grace of Our Lord

Req. by Ifeoma Morgan