

Month of July 2025

THE BLESSED UPPER ROOM

Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto, has released *"That Blessed Upper Room,"* a pastoral letter inviting the faithful of the archdiocese to reflect together on the significance of The Upper Room in our lives, our families and in our communities of faith as this story is so directly connected to pivotal events in the life of Jesus and of the early Church. The letter is divided into nine chapters, drawing on dimensions of our Catholic Christian life. In the words of Cardinal Leo:

"This resource can be the object of a parish sharing group or an informal gathering of friends. The reflections can be used as inspiration for summer reading or for Advent or Lenten activities or for a personal retreat. You can, for instance, take one question per day and let it accompany you or set some quiet time per week, a short 15 minutes, to read a paragraph and ask yourself a question that is proposed. Studied and reflected upon individually or in community, whether in families, parishes, schools and religious houses, I pray that this small contribution will help readers and faithful come to a more profound sense of faith, a more mature relationship with the Lord and to a transforming experience of grace."

A short video introduction and the full pastoral letter can be accessed by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/thatblessedupperroom

NEW PARISH SECRETARY

Father Silva is pleased to announce that Ellie LeBlanc will be taking over the role as Parish Secretary. Ellie has been a member of our parish family for the past 8 years, and a retired teacher from Good Shepherd School.

MONTHLY BULLETIN

For the months of July and August we will be producing 1 bulletin per month. **Weekly Mass intentions will be posted on the bulletin board and the parish's website.** We will not be producing a monthly calendar; please refer to the church's online calendar on the parish website.

REFERENCE LETTER FOR SCHOOL

Father Silva would like to remind all parents, that if they need a reference letter for their children to attend school, he needs that a year in advance.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS – June 29, 2025

Total Weekly Donations -	\$ 3240.00
Total Offertory	\$ 2350.00
Maintenance	\$ 300.00
Funeral	\$ 500.00
Marygrove	\$ 70.00
SHARELIFE	\$ 20.00

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

July 6 – Maintenance
August 3 – Maintenance
August 17 – Canadian Missions

SHARELIFE 2025

Congratulations! We are at 93.2% of our goal of reaching **\$28,000. As of June 29, you have donated \$26,101.00.**

If you still wish to donate you can submit your donation through the archdiocese. Please follow the link below and [make sure you put in our parish name.](#)

<https://sharelife.org/donate/>

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Thank You for all of those that have volunteered so far. We have added **1 Lector, 1 Eucharistic Minister, 4 Ushers, 3 people to help count the weekly donations, 1 person who volunteered to help cut the grass and 1 person who will help with the cleanup around the church.**

We are still in need of:

1. Eucharistic Ministers for the Sunday at 9:00 AM mass and weekday masses.
2. people to help with gardening, yard cleanup and general maintenance tasks.

If you would like to help, please contact the office for more information at 905-985-7071 or icchurch10@gmail.com



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Upcoming Events

- Executive Planning Meeting - July 8, 7:30 pm
- Executive Planning Meeting – Aug 12, 7:30 pm
- General Meeting on August 26 7:30 pm

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES & FUNERAL SERVICES

The Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the diocese to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed.

Date: Wednesday August 13, 2025

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby

In the event of rain, the service will be held in the Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum Chapel at the cemetery.

PRAY FOR THE SICK - Baby Elias, Emelda Jackson, Mavis, Patti Reilly, Brooklyn, Ruth Kenny, Lily Cosette, Lillian Partington, Kim Smith, Michele Baptiste, Rudy Hart, Zak Adams, Barbara Thompson, Dharen Dieterich, Veronica Kirk, Bonnie Johnson, Mary Theresa Rutledge, Shirley Harvey, Jose Chavez, Lucy Salvador, Anna Zambito, Mike McKernan, Wanda McGill, Loretta Escote, Inge Hentrich, Bob Partington, Truss Van Uden, Jeanette Klus, Maggie McDonald, Elaine Robins, Annetta Chin, Veronica Kingston, Christina Jol, Barry Wallace, Ed Johanson. Mrs. Hewitt, Joyce Janssen, Eileen MacDonald, Mary Lou Elliott, Paul Robinet, 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 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 icchurch10@gmail.com with the details including date, time, purpose, any church facilities you wish to use.

DONATIONS ON-LINE

The Archdiocese of Toronto has created the ability to use your debit or credit card for donations. These can be done on a one-time or on-going monthly basis.

You can access this on the parish's website by hitting the Donate button or following this link:

<https://immaculateconceptionpo.archtoronto.org/en/cont-act-us/donations/>

Please see the office if you need any assistance.

ESTATE PLANNING

Have you considered including the church in your will. Contact the parish office or the Archdiocese of Toronto 416-934-0606 for more details.

Parish Weekly Schedule

Office Open –Monday/Wednesday/Friday – 9:30 am to 3:00pm

Rosary to precede every mass by 30 minutes

Weekday Masses

Monday – No Mass

Tuesday – 7:00 PM

Wednesday/Thursday/Friday/Saturday – 9:00 AM

Adoration – Friday – 9:30am to 4:00pm

Holy Hour - Friday 4:00 to 5:00 PM

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena – Saturday 9:25 AM

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday – 9:00 & 11:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation – Saturday 9:30 to 10:30am

MASS INTENTIONS – Week of July 6

Tuesday, July 8

7:00 pm Mass – + Joe & Lena McGriskin

Req. by Joe & Kathy McGriskin

Wednesday, July 9

9:00 am Mass – + Agnes Haugen

Req. by Vince & Regina Gedge

9:00 am – Intentions of Fr. Marco

Req. by Loretta Escote

Thursday, July 10

9:00 am Mass – Intentions of Mary Lou Elliott

Req. By Pat Baldwin

Friday, July 11

9:00 am Mass – + Olyvia Testa

Req. by Mary Lou Elliott

Saturday, July 12

9:00 am Mass – + Abbie Ahern

Req By Earl & Joan

9:00 am – + Victor Karwacki

Req. by Mike & Deedi McKernan

5:00 p.m. Mass – To End Abortion

Req. By AM & B Tuzi

5:00 p.m. Mass + Peter Rabello

Req. by Mike & Deedi McKernan

Sunday July 13

9:00 am Mass – + Agnes Haugen

Req. by A.M. Taillon

11:00 am Mass – Intentions of Johan Royce

Req By Alvin Royce