

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 9, 2024



ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

MASS INTENTIONS

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SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 2024 (5:00 PM)



For the People of the Parish

SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2024 (9:00 AM)

†Alan Sr. & Alan Jr. del Puerto

SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2024 (11:00 AM)

†Emidio Piergiovanni

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 2024

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2024 (7:00 PM)

Special intentions of Dinorah McCash

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2024 (9:00 AM)

Special intentions of Annamaria Piraino & Robert Walton, Duane Fernandes and Grace Jones

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2024 (9:00 AM)

†Renato Binotto

FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2024 (9:00 AM)

†Alberto and Stella Severin

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2024 (9:00 AM)

Special intentions of Stephen & Diya Lim Hoye Yee and family and Louise Wilson

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wed. & Thurs. 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Friday 9:30 am to 12:00 noon

DAILY DEVOTIONS

(after Mass)

Tuesday – Sts. Anne & Joachim

Wed. – Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday - St. Jude

Friday – Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday – St. Michael

Confessions: Sat. 9:30 to 10:30 am

Support Your Parish:

1. Drop off or mail your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office.
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3. Contribute through Pre-Authorized giving (PAG). You can obtain a form from the parish office or [click here](#) to download the form.
4. You can contribute to the offertory via on-line banking. Email campaign@archtoronto.org

Sound the alarms! (If you know, you know...) This is Adriene writing the blog this week. Prepare for my sentiments and reflections as I gush over the coming together of our parish family this past Sunday. We had an incredibly beautiful Corpus Christi Sunday. Similar to last year, our Sunday began with pouring rain but praise the good Lord, by the time it came for the procession, the weather was clear and we were able to proceed as planned.

I wanted to take this time to first give a huge, huge thank you to all of those involved in preparing for this celebration! From gathering rose petals, to donating groceries and offering financial support, to organizing the procession itself, to grilling the patties and sausages, to setting up for the BBQ, to the support that was given to Fr Michael for Mass and the procession, my heart was particularly moved at the many hands that were involved in making this event happen through the willingness and generosity of our parish family.

I witnessed members of our parish family step into the breach and help wherever they could even if it meant learning on the spot and trying something new for the first time. Though we as a parish staff are here to support the needs of the parish, this sense of leadership is meant to be shared with our parish family. Where together, as a family, we show up and learn with and from each other, inviting others into a deeper encounter with our Lord through these kinds of days. This coming together of the parish family is truly what makes these events a *parish* event.

It was also so special to see a few of our First Communicants join the procession alongside their families, throwing rose petals before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Thankfully the rain steered clear and we were able to have the BBQ outdoors following the procession. These opportunities for fellowship are pockets of time for life-sharing moments which truly are very life-giving for me.

Thank you again to everyone involved. Your time, willingness, and generosity has not gone unseen and thank you to those who participated! We look forward to having more of these life-sharing & life-giving events as a parish family. Please send us any photos you took from the procession.

Wedding Updates - We are three months away!

- We have one more session left in marriage prep. We loved diving deeper into understanding the sacrament and some of the realities that come with marriage.
- Adrian is suit shopping.
- I learned how expensive wedding cakes are & the different terminology associated with wedding cakes alone.
- I am creating and constructing my bridesmaids' bouquets & the groomsmen's boutonnieres out of ribbon roses for a personalized touch. (I dreamed of doing this since high school hehe)
- My mom picked out her dress! It is a beautiful traditional filipiana gown.

Have a great week!
Adriene

SSVP – THIS WEEKEND JUNE 8/9 MARYGROVE CAMP COLLECTION

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul helps over 1,000 girls attend an 8-day camp at Marygrove Camp near Penetang each summer. Each applicant is screened by an SSVP member, and each camper's holiday is fully subsidized through the generous support of the annual Camp Collection held in the parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto. This collection will take place at St. Mary's on June 8/9. As we look ahead to the joys of the summer, let's share that joy with others in need. Please be as generous as you can.

SSVP HELPLINE:

For assistance, please call 647-628-2058

Leave your name, number and a brief message and someone will get back to you at the earliest.

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toward our goal of \$108,000**

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THIS WEEK'S VOTIVE LAMP DEDICATIONS

TABERNACLE

In loving memory of Renato Binotto
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SACRED HEART OF JESUS

In thanksgiving
In thanksgiving

OUR BLESSED MOTHER

In loving memory of Anita Coleman
For the souls in purgatory

ST. JOSEPH

For the conversion of sinners

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Contact the Development Office 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 or development@archtoronto.org for more information.

YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATES

TOTUS TUUS IS BACK!

The youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus Summer Camp this summer the week of July 15th! For those of you who may not know, Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and young adults travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechesis, Mass, Confession, songs and games! The Day camp is for children entering grades 1-6 and runs Monday to Friday and the Evening Program is for youth entering grades 7-12 and runs Sunday to Thursday. The cost is only \$125/child for the whole week for the day program and \$25/child for the whole week for the evening program. Registration is now open and you can find it online on the Parish Website or at the exits of the Church. For more information, please contact Sam, the Youth Minister!

Sacramental Preparation 2025



If your child will be preparing to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation, First Communion or Confirmation next year, registration and enrolment will begin in the fall.

Mark your calendars! We are planning ahead and have set dates for the preparation programs. Please see the schedules attached. Note that there is a faith formation series for parents that are scheduled for the fall.

To receive more information about registration and updates, kindly fill out the forms on our parish website to join our emailing list. More information will be sent out in the fall.

For First Reconciliation/First Holy Communion:

<https://stmarystarofthesea.ca/first-holy-communion>

For questions pertaining to First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion, contact Adriene at aadona@archtoronto.org

For Confirmation:

<https://stmarystarofthesea.ca/confirmation>

For questions pertaining to Confirmation, contact Samantha at scameron@archtoronto.org

Please [click](#) here for the calendars.

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