

NATIVITY OF OUR LORD PARISH

Established June 7, 1964

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OUR PARISH TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Jan Gogolewski

In Residence: Rev. John Mullins

Administrative Coordinator: David Ellis

Youth Minister: Arianne Hashim

Social Communications Coordinator: Abigail Murree

Property Manager - Custodian: Antonio Marinucci

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Last Sunday of each month at 12:45 p.m. Those concerned MUST contact the parish office well in advance, because of the general instruction.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Sundays and all other days of the week, half hour before each mass.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance.

SACRAMENT FOR THE SICK & ELDERLY

If a family member is in hospital and needs to receive the Sacrament for the sick/elderly, please approach the Nurses' Station, and request them to contact the "Priest on Duty". A priest will always be on-duty for these requests at all hospitals in the Greater Toronto Area.

DEVOTIONS

DAILY ROSARY prior to all Weekday Masses.

Mondays Chaplet of Divine Mercy after 9:30 a.m. Mass.

Tuesdays Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena @ 6:30 p.m. before the 7:00 p.m. Mass.

Wednesdays Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena @ 6:30 p.m. before the 7:00 p.m. Mass.

FIRST FRIDAYS Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:00 p.m., prayers at 6:30 p.m. and Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m.

We Welcome All New Parishioners:
Please register at the Parish Office during office hours. Thank you.

Please remember Nativity of Our Lord Parish in your will.



OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday

9:00 a.m. - noon &
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday - Sunday: closed

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS

9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday	9:30 a.m.
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
Thursday	9:30 a.m.
Friday	9:30 a.m.

OUR SCHOOLS

NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

Principal: Colleen Muzzatti
35 Saffron Crescent
416-393-5288

MOTHER CABRINI

Principal: Michael Femia
720 Renforth Drive
416-393-5340

MICHAEL POWER /

ST. JOSEPH HIGH SCHOOL
Principal: Lisa Tomeczek
105 Eringate Drive
416-393-5529

YOUTH MINISTRY

Email youthminister@nativityym.com

Website www.nativityym.com

LifeTeen Program for High School Students
every 2nd & 4th Fridays of the month

EDGE Program for Grades 6 - 8 Students
every 1st & 3rd Fridays of the month

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm (From October to June)

GROUPS

Altar Servers	Marriel Bueno
Bereavement Support Group	Linda Wisz
Bible Study / R.C.I.A.	Franklin & Anjali Louis
Caring Ministry	Karen Armstrong
Catholic Cemeteries	416-733-8544
Catholic Family Services	416-921-1163
Catholic Women's League	Donna Capobianco
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Clive Ferrao
Friendly Visitors	Kathleen Haugh
Knights of Columbus	Neville Saldanha
Lectors	Leslie Borbas
Legion of Mary	Karen Armstrong
Property/Finance R.C.I.A.	Peter Matthews
Rosary Apostolate	Frances Caulfield
Sacristans	Clive Ferrao
Social Committee	Maria Del Rizzo
St. Vincent de Paul	John Neander
St. Vincent de Paul Society (requests for assistance)	416-695-0169
Welcoming Ushers	Carol Janssen
Youth Ministry	Renee Sieczka

NOVEMBER 2, 2025

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, November 2 | 9:00 AM

PARISHIONERS OF NATIVITY
FOR THE SOUL OF NELLA JANNETTA
Offered by Carmine Jannetta
FOR THE SOULS OF EULOGIA DELA PASION
& JUANITO CHUA
Offered by Lucia Madriaga

Sunday, November 2 | 11:30 AM

FOR GERALD MARCIAL IN THANKSGIVING TO GOD
Offered by Mariel Bueno
FOR THE SOULS OF ALL THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE
D'SOUZA FAMILY
IN THANKSGIVING
Offered by D'Silva Family
FOR THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE LEGION OF MARY
Offered by the Nativity of Our Lord Praesidia
FOR THE SOUL OF HARVEY SYMSS
Offered by The Kurup Family
FOR THE SOUL OF RICARDO DEL ROSARIO ON HIS 2ND
DEATH ANNIVERSARY AND THE SOUL OF
WLADYSLAWA BAGAN
Offered by Pawel & Rachele Bagan

Monday, November 3 | 9:30 AM

FOR THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE REMSIK
& DOTZKO FAMILIES
FOR SILVANO BARBOSA ON HIS BIRTHDAY, FOR THANKS-
GIVING AND BLESSINGS
FOR THE SOUL OF GLORIA MCKAY
Offered by Barbara Mess
FOR THE SOUL OF JOHN CRAENEN
Offered by Barbara Mess

Tuesday, November 4 | 7:00 PM

FOR THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY OF
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
Offered by Santan De Mello
FOR THE SOUL OF SALOME BRANDAO
Offered by Dorvalino Brandao
FOR MARIEL BUENO ON THE EVE OF HER BIRTHDAY IN
THANKSGIVING
Offered by Joan Seales
FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION FOR JULIE SUTHERLAND
Offered by Chris & Sharon Bullock

Wednesday, November 5 | 7:00 PM

FOR THE SOULS OF EMELIA & SANTAN FERNANDES
Offered by Anthony D'Souza
FOR MARIEL BUENO ON HER BIRTHDAY
Offered by Mary Mother of Carmel Community
FOR HEALTH & HEALING FOR MICHELLE LANGLOIS
Offered by Chris & Sharon Bullock

Thursday, November 6 | 9:30 AM

FOR HEALTH & HEALING FOR RON SANNUTO
Offered by the Ornella Family
FOR THE LIVING AND DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE
D'CUNHA FAMILY
Offered by Cassie D'Cuhna

Friday, November 7 | 9:30 AM

FOR THE SOUL OF DIARMUID HORGAN
Offered by Chris & Mark Creedon
FOR THE SOULS OF THE SIMBULAN FAMILY
Offered by Ricardo & Marivic Simbulan
FOR ALL SOULS
Offered by the Fernandes and Barbosa Families

Friday, November 7 | 7:00PM

FOR THE SOULS OF THE DEL BANDO FAMILY
Offered by Ricardo & Marivic Simbulan
FOR THE SOULS OF THE RAMOS FAMILY
Offered by Richardo & Marivic Simbulan
FOR THE SOULS OF THE JACINTO FAMILY
Offered by Richardo & Marivic Simbulan

Saturday, November 8 | 5:00PM

FOR THE SOUL OF SARAH PINTO
Offered by Thaddeus & Virginia Pinto
FOR THE SOUL OF JOHN GILLIGAN ON HIS
100TH BIRTHDAY
Offered by Jackie Gilligan
FOR THE SOUL OF VINCENT PERALTA
Offered by Elsa Peralta
FOR THE INTENTIONS OF JEANETTE COELHO
Offered by Rita & Denzil Fernandez
FOR THE INTENTIONS OF ANGELINA & HANNA COELHO
Offered by Rita & Denzil Fernandez
FOR THE SOUL OF LOLITA REGALADO ON HER 1ST DEATH
ANNIVERSARY
Offered by her Children and Grandchildren

ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Friday Devotion

Please join us for Adoration this week! Friday, November 7th, 2025. Exposition will be at 6:00 p.m. Prayers at 6:30 p.m. and Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited!

First Holy Communion & Reconciliation Program

Grade 2 or higher. The Information Package is now available (Please type exactly as you see this link) <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DOE4Wmf5Za5Z1YxH0jSly-dl3G302QExi/view?usp=sharing> OR go to the Nativity of Our Lord Website >Parish Life> Sacraments.

Online Registration will be held Oct 6th - Dec 12th. To register you will need: an English copy of your Child's Baptismal Certificate and \$60 to help cover the costs of the program. If your child needs Baptism, please contact Fr Jan Gogolewski at the Parish Office 416 621 2732. If you have specific questions about the program, email the Program Coordinator: miriam.fhc.rec@gmail.com Or call the Parish office and ask to have Miriam Hennessy call you back

Shepherds' Trust Collection

There will be a second collection for The Shepherds' Trust on the weekend of November 15/16, 2025. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work

PARISH LIFE

Nativity of Our Lord CWL

CWL ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER

Back by popular demand!! This year we are selling fruitcakes and shortbread cookies. Limited supply so pre-ordering is recommended. To place your order, please email us at nativitycwl@gmail.com.

For more information on items and ordering, please see the flyers on all bulletin boards. Your support is very much appreciated.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 8TH

NATIVITY CWL ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

In the Parish Hall from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm – Great Bargains, Silent Auction, Country Kitchen, Tamboli Game, a variety of vendors and much more.

CWL Members – SAVE THE DATE

SUNDAY DECEMBER 14 TH NATIVITY CWL CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

More details to follow. Be sure to check your emails and/or visit the CWL bulletin board outside the parish hall for CWL News and updates.

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, Nativity of Our Lord Conference

This is the SSVP Bundle Up Weekend.

The Society will be collecting gently used clothing, footwear, bedding, drapes, towels, and children's toys (new toys only), on the above weekend. No mattresses, dishes, video/audio cassettes, books, furniture (small dressers are accepted), or construction material will be accepted. Please bring your donations to the Society's container at the rear parking lot. Volunteers will be available to assist you an half hour before, during, and after each mass. Secondary school students are most welcome to join us and share in the work and will be eligible for credit for Community Involvement hours. Please give your name and contact info to any members of the SSVP to acknowledge this.

KOC Communion Breakfast - 23rd. Nov 10 am

Eggs, Sausages, Bacon, Pancakes, Toast, Juice, Coffee, Tea. Tickets at \$10/- in Church foyer after all weekend Masses 7,8,14,15 Nov. & daily at Church office

The Knights Of Columbus

The Nativity Knights of Columbus is a fraternal organization with the mission to empower Catholic men to live their faith at home, in their parish, at work and in their community. They volunteer their time in service to Nativity Church, Families and the Community. The KOC are always looking for new members, Catholic Men, 18 and over are eligible to join. Please contact council12735@outlook.com

The Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary is a Lay apostolate of the church. Here at Nativity of Our Lord we meet weekly on Saturday mornings at 10:00 a.m. We need new members to join us in our work of Evangelization. Please contact the Parish office to join and be part of our group. Pilgrim Virgin Statue is taken to homes and Enthronement of the Sacred Heart is done. All to the glory of God through Mary.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Nativity of Our Lord Youth Ministry

2-3 hours doesn't always feel like much, but it's enough time to make a meaningful impact in someone's life. Do you have 2-3 hours of time to give every other week? Would you like to make an impact building up your parish community? Nativity Youth Ministry is looking for adult volunteers to join our core team- maybe that's you! We're calling out all young adults, adults, parents, teachers, aunts, uncles, ministers, grandparents, friends who have a heart for Jesus to reach out and learn more about what we do at Youth Ministry! Email Arianne at youthminister@nativityym.com for more info!

EVENTS

Embrace Motherhood Workshop for Moms of Young Children

On Saturday, November 8, 2025, from 10am to 12pm at All Saints Parish, 1415 Royal York Rd. Etobicoke. We are inviting expectant moms and moms who have young children to a short interactive workshop with Kayleigh Meneses Garcia. Registration fee: \$20 includes coffee, muffins, full colour 65 page publication and more! To Register: E-transfer to catholicmomsgrouphmj@gmail.com, please include your complete name. Email k.zasowski@hotmail.com for more information. <https://catholicmomsgroup.com>

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