

NATIVITY OF OUR LORD PARISH

Established June 7, 1964

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OUR PARISH TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Jan Gogolewski

Administrative Coordinator: David Ellis

Youth Minister:

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	Marisel 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
Knights of Columbus	Neville Saldanha
Lectors	Leslie Borbas
Legion of Mary	Karen Armstrong
Property/Finance	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

JUNE 7, 2026

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 7 | 9:00 AM
PARISHIONERS OF NATIVITY
FOR THE SOUL OF MARG GOMBITA
Offered by Wilma Van den Hurk
FOR THE SOUL OF COR VAN ZANTVOORT
Offered by Wilma Van den Hurk

Sunday, June 7 | 11:30 AM
FOR THE SOULS OF LOIS PINTO
Offered by Josepha Martyres

Monday, June 8 | 9:30 AM

Tuesday, June 9 | 7:00 PM
IN THANKSGIVING FOR BLESSING RECEIVED
Offered by Robert & Magda Renta

Wednesday, June 10 | 7:00 PM
IN THANKSGIVING TO THE LORD FOR HIS
DIVINE MERCY
Offered by a Grateful Parishioner

Thursday, June 11 | 9:30 AM
FOR THE SOUL OF DORVALINO LIMA BRANDAO
Offered by Maria Del Rizzo & Family
FOR JOANNA ANDREWS, ON HER BIRTHDAY AND IN
GRATITUDE FOR BLESSING RECEIVED
Offered by Myrtle
FOR THE SOUL OF DEREK DOTZKO

Friday, June 12 | 9:30 AM
FOR THE SOULS OF NELLA JANETTA &
ANTONIETTA & MARIANO MICELI
Offered by Frances Jacques
THE SOUL OF IGNATIUS DINEESHKUMAR
Offered by the Dineeshkumar Family

Saturday, June 13 | 5:00 PM
FOR THE SOUL OF THERESA SMITH
Offered by The Manuk Family
FOR THE SOUL OF JAMES MCPHEE
Offered by Phyllis McPhee
FOR THE SOULS OF JOE & IAN REYS AND
JOE & INGRID HANCOCK
Offered by The Reys Family
FOR GOD'S BLESSINGS ON ANDREW AND
THE LEMOS FAMILY
Offered by a Grateful Friend

"Do you realize that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you – for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart...don't listen to the demon, laugh at him, and go without fear to receive the Jesus of peace and love." "Receive Communion often, very often. There you have the sole remedy, if you want to be cured. Jesus has not put this attraction in your heart for nothing."

- St. Therese of Lisieux

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ShareLife

Your gift to ShareLife carries out the mission work of the Church ShareLife agencies, like the Office of Catholic Youth, are carrying out the mission work of the Church. Your gift supports the journey of those who guide, serve and uplift within the Catholic community. "We are deeply grateful for ShareLife's continued partnership in this mission. Your support enables us to build a vibrant, faith-filled future for our young people, parishes, and the Archdiocese of Toronto. Thank you for making this work possible."
– Fr. Paul Magyar, Director, Office of Catholic Youth, Archdiocese of Toronto Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

PARISH LIFE

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul provides support to those in need. Our diverse outreach addresses food insecurity in local communities, and includes professionally run shelters, recovery programs, summer camps and much more. The Nativity Conference, part of an international organization, helps more than 100 families in the immediate area to cope with financial insecurity. This includes providing families or individuals with food and clothing vouchers and basic furniture. To request assistance, the phone number is (416) 695-0169. For more information about the organization, please see ssvptoronto.ca. Donations can be made via our poor boxes in the parish or by e-transfer to SSVPNativity480@gmail.com.

Knights Of Columbus

It's time to renew your membership. Rising costs and steep increase in per-capita assessment from our Supreme and State Council necessitated our first membership dues increase in 26 years to \$50/-. Payments can be made by cash or cheque to 'Knights of Columbus Council 12735', place it in a sealed envelope marked Knights of Columbus, drop off in the parish office or bring it to our meeting. Knights of Columbus are always looking for new members and welcome Catholic men 18 yrs and over to join our fraternity. We can be reached at by email council12735@outlook.com or call Br. Neville 416 620 5976.

Nativity of Our Lord CWL 2026

CWL ANNUAL SPRING MARKET AND CAFÉ

SAVE THE DATE – Saturday June 13th from 9am to 2 pm. We are currently seeking vendors. If you have crafts &/or products to sell and would like to join us, please contact us at NativityCWL@gmail.com before May 10th , 2026.

Please note there is no CWL General Meeting scheduled in June

CALLING ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH

If you are interested in joining this group of like-minded Catholic women you can contact us at nativitycwl@gmail.com.

Coffee Sunday

Upcoming Coffee Sunday dates are: June 28. All are invited to join us in the parish hall after the 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. We look forward to seeing you there!

Marygrove Camp – June 13-14, 2026

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Toronto Central Council, helps over 1,000 girls each summer, registering eligible campers through home visits. Marygrove Camp is a residential camp situated on Georgian Bay in Ontario, open to eligible girls ages 5-13. Marygrove provides a camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy a camping adventure. Families who are experiencing financial or domestic hardship may contact the Society directly to determine their eligibility.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Edge Camp Registration 2026

Established in 2009, EDGE Camp is a Catholic overnight adventure camp. A 5 day Catholic adventure camp for students currently in grades 6-8 who participate in the EDGE program at our parish. With sports & activities including canoeing, kayaking, giant rope swing, water sports and more! Catechesis, Mass, praise & worship and fellowship with Parishes across the Archdiocese of Toronto everyday. A fun and exciting Christ-centered camp experience! We will be hosting camp at beautiful Camp White Pine in Haliburton, ON. We will be attending Edge Camp West on August 15th - 19th 2026. The parish Youth Minister, as well as trained EDGE team volunteers will be with the campers all week long.

Early Bird (Before April 30th) \$500 per camper
Regular (May 1st until May 31st) \$575 per camper

You can register your child online at edgecamp.camp-brainregistration.com. Please select "EDGE Camp WEST" and "Parish Name". Submit non-refundable \$100 deposit to YM or Parish to complete registration.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Registration open from March 1st until May 31st |
Early Bird Price ends April 30th. Balance due on June 15th | Deposits are non-refundable

QUESTIONS? CONTACT:

Merite Irede | youthminister@nativityym.com |
416-621-2732

Nativity Summer Day Camp 2026

Registration for the Nativity Summer Day Camp is now open! The Camp dates are July 13-17 and July 21-24. The price is \$160 per week.

You can register by visiting the nativityym.com website under the summer camp tab. Full payment in cash or cheque must be submitted April 15th - June 15th to complete registration (Payable to: "Nativity of Our Lord Parish" Memo: "Summer Camp")

"The most beautiful and stirring adventure that can happen to you is the personal meeting with Jesus, who is the only one who gives real meaning to our lives."
- St. JP II

EVENTS

Ignite Ministry - Holy Smoke: S'mores & More!

Ignite! Young Adult Ministry (ages 18-39)
St. Patrick's Rectory Garden (enter off St. Patrick Street)

Join us for Holy Smoke: S'mores & More, a summer BBQ and bonfire right in the heart of the city. Gather around the fire for delicious make-your-own s'mores, food, and fellowship with other young adults.

Admission is free – donations welcome.

Register and get your ticket HERE: <https://bit.ly/IgniteBQ-June16> Bring a friend and join us for a meaningful, joy-filled summer evening! (Kindly register to help us plan for the number of attendees.) Hosted by St. Patrick's Ignite Young Adult Ministry

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