

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

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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	Mariel 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 28, 2026

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 28 | 9:00 AM

PARISHIONERS OF NATIVITY

FOR THE SOUL OF CELIA ROSA OLIVERA OCHOA

Offered Laura Cassini

FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION OF ERIC PINTO

Offered by Elfriede Frey

FOR THE SOUL OF JEROME HINDS

Offered by his Siblings

FOR HEALTH & HEALING FOR GERALD MARICIAL

Offered by Myrtle

FOR THE WILTSHIRE FAMILY

Offered by all the Wiltshire Family Members

Sunday, June 28 | 11:30 AM

FOR THE SOUL OF RUTH ANN ROSS

Offered by Dannie Mirecki & Roman Bekus

FOR ALL SOULS OF LESZEK CIESLUKOWSKI &

MARIAN RZEPECKI

Offered by Helen Cielukowski

IN THANKSGIVING FOR DAVID ELLIS ON

HIS RETIREMENT

Offered by the Parishioners of Nativity

Monday, June 29 | 9:30 AM

FOR THE SOULS OF MARCELINA & ADRIANO REYES

Offered by Mariel Bueno

FOR ALL SOULS OF ALFREDA & ROMUALD BOROWSKI

Offered by Barbara Wrobel

Tuesday, June 30 | 7:00 PM

FOR THE INTENTIONS OF DENIS ADAMICK

Offered by Maria McEvenue

Wednesday, July 1 | 7:00 PM

FOR THE SOUL OF HELEN BORG

Offered by Selvina & Antoinette Pace

FOR THE SOUL OF JULES FERNANDES

Offered by Tonia & Romano Gonsalves

Thursday, July 2 | 9:30 AM

FOR THE SOUL OF CELESTE McEVENUE

Offered by Maria McEvenue

Friday, July 3 | 9:30 AM

FOR THE SOULS OF ALESSANDRA RUSCIO &

ROCCO & CONCETTA LOMORO

Offered by The Ruscio & Lomoro Families

Friday, July 3 | 7:00 PM

FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION

Offered by Maria McEvenue

MARIA PEREIRA

Offered by Maria McEvenue

Saturday, July 4 | 5:00 PM

FOR THE SOUL SALOME BRANDAO

Offered by Dorvalino Brandao

FOR THE SOUL OF JOE/INA REYS &

JOE /INGRID HANCOCK

Offered by Reys Family

FOR THE SOUL OF JULES FERNANDEZ

MAY HE REST IN PEACE

Offered by Mela & Cassie

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ShareLife

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Three months after welcoming her baby, young mother Annie was overwhelmed—physically exhausted, emotionally drained, and feeling completely alone. Thanks to you, she found Vita Centre, a Catholic

Charities agency you support through ShareLife, where young parents receive counselling, education, and a supportive community to navigate life's challenges.

Counselling and practical programs became her lifeline. Today, with renewed confidence and a sense of possibility, she is considering going back to school. You made this possible. You can help young mothers like Annie find hope, healing, and a brighter future.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

My Dear Parishioners,

Sadly, we at Nativity Parish, will have to say "GOODBYE" to David Ellis, church secretary. David served our Parish faithfully for 5 years, I had the pleasure of enjoying his help and friendship for two of those years. I know that David served parishioners politely, efficiently, with respect and more often than not, with a smile.

On Sunday, June 28, 2026, there will be a coffee Sunday and opportunity to say "Happy Retirement" to David. Everyone is welcome. Now dear David, the Parishioners and I wish you a quiet, peaceful and happy retirement. We pray that our GOOD LORD may bless you and keep you.

Fr. Jan.

First Friday Devotion

Please join us for Adoration this week!

Friday, July 3rd, 2026. Exposition will be at 6:00 p.m.

Prayers at 6:30 p.m. and Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m.

Retirement Celebration for David Ellis

Our Parish Office Administrative Coordinator, David Ellis, will be retiring next month after five years of dedicated service. We are deeply grateful for his care, commitment, and the many ways he has supported the parish community of Nativity of Our Lord Church.

Please join us as we celebrate David and wish him a happy, healthy, and fulfilling retirement.

Sunday, June 28, (at coffee Sunday)

Following the 9:00 am 11:30 a.m. Mass

Parish Hall. The 11:30 a.m. Mass will be offered in thanksgiving for David's service. If you would like to share your good wishes, a card box will be available at the entrance of the hall.

Nativity Pastoral Council

PARISH LIFE

Nativity of Our Lord CWL 2026

Thank You To everyone who supported, donated or attended the Nativity CWL Spring Sale. Your ongoing support is very much appreciated.

Please note there is no CWL General Meeting scheduled in June

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

Nativity Seniors Connection

Nativity Seniors Connections thanks all participants who came out to enjoy fellowship and activities at our monthly gatherings. It was fun and we appreciate your presence. We will reconvene on Friday, September 4 after the summer. NSC is a monthly gathering designed to bring our parish seniors together for fellowship and connection. We meet on the first Friday of each month, immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass, in the church hall. Upcoming dates are

September 4, October 2, November 6,
December 4

The goal for this group is to support and appreciate our parish seniors by providing a welcoming space to enjoy conversation, coffee, and cookies. All seniors are invited and warmly encouraged to join us! See you Friday, September 4 for coffee, chat and some line dancing.

The Social Committee

Knights Of Columbus

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.

Our Lady of Nativity – Legion of Mary

Do you seek to enrich your prayer life and deepen your Catholic faith? Do you feel called to grow closer to Jesus and His Mother Mary? The Legion was founded in 1921 and is a global ministry focused on the spiritual growth of its members and parish community. Here at Nativity of our Lord we meet weekly on Saturday mornings at 10am for prayers, spiritual reflection and apostolic work: visiting the sick, teaching the rosary in the schools, bringing the Pilgrim Virgin statue to homes and enthronement of the Sacred Heart, visits to nursing homes and all for the glory of God.

We need new members to join us in our work in assisting the parish priest in the work of Evangelization. Please contact the Parish office to join and be part of our group. All to the glory of God through Mary.

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