



WEEKDAYS MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesdays and Fridays
12:00 pm (English) -
in the main church.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

10:30am (English)
12pm (Portuguese)

The Office is opened
Tuesdays and Thursdays

DONATE for the
upkeep of our
building, support
activities, and
operations.



“For what does it
profit a man to gain
the whole world, and
forfeit his soul?”

-Mark 8:36

The words of the Popes

Today, Luke's Gospel presents to us the parable of the rich man and poor Lazarus (Lk 16: 19-31). The rich man personifies the wicked use of riches by those who spend them on uncontrolled and selfish luxuries, thinking solely of satisfying themselves without caring at all for the beggar at their door. The poor man, on the contrary, represents the person whom God alone cares for: unlike the rich man he has a name: "Lazarus", an abbreviation of "Eleazarus", which means, precisely, "God helps him". God does not forget those who are forgotten by all; those who are worthless in human eyes are precious in the Lord's. The story shows how earthly wickedness is overturned by divine justice: after his death, Lazarus was received "in the bosom of Abraham", that is, into eternal bliss; whereas the rich man ended up "in Hades, in torment". This is a new and definitive state of affairs against which no appeal can be made, which is why one must mend one's ways during one's life; to do so after serves no purpose.

-Pope Benedict XVI



UPCOMING EVENTS



Sep
28

Special collection for
the needs of the church
in Canada

Sep
29

Women's Prayer
Group

Oct
06

Mass at Maynard
Nursing Home

Oct
07

Memorial of Our
Lady of the Rosary

"The rich usually imagine that, because they have more than others, they are worth more than others."

-St. Teresa of Avila

First communion and Confirmation

We are excited to announce that registration for First Communion and Confirmation is now officially open!

- Registration Deadline: **October 19**
- Classes Begin: **October 26**
- Class Time: Every Sunday at 9:30 AM
- At the end of each class, children will be taken to the 10:30 AM Mass as part of their faith formation.

Don't miss this important opportunity to help your child grow in their Catholic faith.

Please contact the parish office for more information or to register.

Mass at Maynard Nursing Home

We warmly invite the entire community to join us for Holy Mass

to be celebrated at Maynard Nursing Home.

- Date: **Sunday, October 6**
- Time: **10:00 AM**
- Location: 28 Halton St, Toronto, ON, M6J 1R3

Let us come together in faith and fellowship to bring the joy and presence of Christ to our brothers and sisters in the nursing home.



Our Lady's Circle – Women's Prayer group

Monday, September 29h at 6:30pm



You are warmly invited to join our women's prayer group; a place to come together in faith, share in prayers, and encourage one another on our spiritual journey. With Mary, our mother and model of faith, guiding us, we seek to grow closer to God and support and support each other in love and prayer. Whether you are new or have been walking with the Lord for years, this group is a welcoming place for all who want to deepen their relationship with Christ. We hope you'll come and be a part of this community of faith and friendship.

FOOD DRIVE

**WE WILL HAVE A
THANKSGIVING FOOD
DRIVE TO SUPPORT THE
GOOD SHEPHERD
MINISTRIES.**

**LET US BE PRESENT TO
THE HOMELESS AND MOST
NEGLECTED MEMBERS OF
OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH
THEM.**

**BRING FOOD DONATIONS TO THE CHURCH
UNTIL OCTOBER 05.**

MOST NEEDED ITEMS

- TUNA & CANNED MEAT
- COFFEE & TEA BAGS
- SOUPS & STEWS
- CONDIMENTS
- JAMS
- BEANS & CHICKPEAS
- CANNED TOMATOES, CORN & VEGETABLES
- PASTA SAUCE
- SUGAR, SALT, PEPPER, AND SPICES
- SALAD DRESSING
- COOKING OIL
- PANCAKE MIX BAGGED RICE
- MINI-SIZED JUICE BOXES
- GRANOLA BARS & PACKAGES SNACKS



"It is to the weak and imperfect that Jesus gives His love. These are the little flowers He gathers for His glory."

St. Therese of Lisieux