St Francis Xavier Parish

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Pastor: Fr. James Cherickal ◆ Associate: Fr. Eduardo Lopez

Deacons: Mr. Anthony Wong, Mr. Ryan Fernandes ◆ Parish Secretary: Joanita M.

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 8pm ◆ closed 1pm to 2pm

Daily Masses

Monday to Friday Saturday

8:00am and 7:00pm

7:30am

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

7:30am ♦ 9am ♦ 10:30am ♦ 12pm ♦ 1:30pm Sunday

Sacrament of Confession

Monday to Saturday 30 min before Mass Morning: Monday to Thursday 6:30pm - 6:50pm Evening: Evening: Friday 6:15pm - 6:45pm Evening Saturday 4:00pm - 4:50pm

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction

Fridays 6:00pm-7:00pm

Devotions

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wednesdays after Masses Our Lady of Velankanni Precious Blood St. Anthony of Padua

Saturdays after 7:30am Mass Thursdays at 9:00pm Tuesdays after 7:00pm Mass

<u>Baptism</u>

- Celebrated on the first and last Saturday of the month
- Information in the parish office or on website

<u>Marríage</u>

- Contact Parish Office at least one year in advance
- Information in Parish office or on website

Pastoral Care of the Sick & Homebound

- For Sacrament of the sick contact Parish Office
- For Holy communion contact: sfxlaypastoral@gmail.com

Rite of Initiation of Adults into the Catholic Faith

Interested in becoming Catholic?

Please contact: rciaministrysfx@gmail.com

<u>Funerals</u>

Death of a family member can be a very traumatic experience; preplanning can ease the burden on the family. When death happens please contact the parish and the funeral home.

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Advisory Committees

Building Committee Finance Council Parish Council Stewardship Committee

Organizations

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Welcome New Parishioners

To register please contact the Parish Office

Fr. Andrew Cyruk

A SHORT BIO

Blessings to a great St. Francis Xavier parish family! I am Father Andrew Cyruk, (called by all "Father Andrew"). I feel so blessed to be appointed by His Grace, Archbishop Leo to serve in Mississauga as of June 26,

2024.

I was born in Poland in 1969 and came to Canada as a university student in 1993. After completion of my seminary/ theological studies I graduated from St. Paul University in Ottawa, and was ordained Priest on May 31, 1996 at the age of 27.

My priestly ministry called me first to serve people in Saskatchewan (city of North Battleford) for 9 years. In 2005 I begun my ministry in the Archdiocese of Toronto at Guardian Angels Parish in Orillia. I spent nearly 14 years of priestly service, first as associate, then very briefly parish administrator, and then pastor and for 12 years.

In 2019 I was appointed pastor at Holy Family in Bolton. I have been blessed to minister in this parish through the challenges of the covid pandemic for nearly five years. I particularly enjoyed serving our youth ministry teams, and our lovely seniors.

I am archdiocesan priest of Toronto and my pleasure is to be of service to the People of God wherever I am sent.

I am truly looking forward to meeting all of you, and as I read the story of our beautiful Saint Francis Xavier, I like what I had learned about him, namely that he walked with cheerful and joy-filled heart and loved the Lord whom he faithfully served.

My dear friends at St. Francis Xavier, I entrust myself to your prayers and may God bless you in this Easter Season.

Warm blessings and prayers,

Father Andrew



Silver Jubilee Parish Event

Silver Jubilee Gala Night

Saturday November 9, 2024 ♦ 6pm



Pearl Banquet Hall & Convention Centre

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Attire: Formal
Dinner: Continental
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Ticket Inquiries:

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Kristoffer Toledo, Oscar Valbuena, Anthony D'Souza, Pepiito D'Souza, Christopher Lawrence, Michael Pinto, Jeanette Hershel & Derrick Whonder.

Holy Communion Masses

April 20, 2024 at 10am April 20, 2024 at 1pm



Kindly arrive 45 min prior to Holy Mass

Confirmation Masses

Confirmation Retreat:

Saturday April 27, 2024 9am to 2pm

May 24, 2024 at 7pm May 31, 2024 at 7pm June 1, 2024 at 10am June 1, 2024 at 12:30pm

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March For Life 2024



Stand Up & March for the Sanctity of Life & Protection of the Unborn Thursday May 9, 2024 in Ottawa

Bus pickup: May 9th ♦ 6:30am ♦ \$40 for bus to Ottawa

Pickup Location: St Francis Xavier Church

Contact person: Stephen Gomes stephengomes@hotmail.com



Parish Silver Jubilee Photo Book

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VISIT The parish website to book a date for picture taking through Eventbrite & **GET A FREE PARISH PICTORIAL DIRETORY!**

Pastoral Reference Requests

Kindly check the following requirements prior to requesting a pastoral reference

- ♦ Live within the parish boundaries
- ◆ Registered parishioner for at least one year
- ◆ Be actively involved in a parish ministry for at least a year

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday April 15, 2024

Thanksgiving Derek & Karen Vegas

†Ralph Chandler 7pm

8am

Tuesday April 16, 2024

8am †Ignatius Falope

†Merlyn & Gonzago Fernandes 7pm

Wednesday April 17, 2024

†Dorothy Elvira Soares 8am Special intention Mesina 7pm

†Apoline Lasrado & Harry D'Souza

†Florina Estor †Cesar Landrito

†Olinda & Poniciano Fernandes

†Patrick Young

Thursday April 18, 2024

8am †Manuel Ong Ban †Joselito Espiritu 7pm

Friday April 19, 2024

8am †Daisy Pimentel

Thanksgiving Oliveros family 7pm

Special intention Maria Bloom

Special intention Brian, Caroline & Kids Mcginley

†Gracy Serrao

†Christopher Carreon

†Domingo Carreon

†Necitas Gagatiga

†Philomena & Sebastian Fernandes

†M.P. Thomas

†Thomas Fernandes

†Jose Medeiros

†Msgr. Dennis Morris

Saturday April 20, 2024

730am Thanksgiving Ellis Guimba

5pm †Loretta Rocha

Sunday April 21, 2024

730am Special intention Irene & Alwyn Mendes

†Francisco Jabier

1030am Thanksgiving Magdalena Cecilia Thorando

12pm †Ronald Thomas

130pm †Pro Populo

Gardening Volunteers Needed

Do you need volunteer hours? Join us for some gardening! Saturday April 20th (7am to 10am)



Please bring your gardening gloves tools volunteer forms

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