

# St. Boniface Church

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## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30 am; 9:00 am; 10:30 am; 12:00 pm

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday: 8:30 am  
Wednesday & Friday: 7:30 pm

## DEVOTIONS

### **ROSARY**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday:  
@ 8am before morning Mass

### **MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP**

Wednesday: 7:00 pm

### **SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

First Friday: 7:00 pm

### **ADORATION AND DIVINE MERCY**

Every Friday after evening Mass

## SACRAMENTS

### **BAPTISM**

Registered parishioners are invited to pick up a Baptism information package from the Parish Office.

### **COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION**

Please contact Parish Office for program start dates.

### **MARRIAGE**

Couples should contact the Parish Office ONE year in advance. At least one party must be a registered and practicing member of St. Boniface.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

### **ST. AGATHA - 416-393-5302**

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## Welcome Visitors and New Parishioners

A very warm welcome to all new parishioners and those who are visiting St. Boniface Parish this weekend. New parishioners are asked to fill out registration form below and put it in the collection basket or drop-off at office.

## PARISHIONER INFORMATION SHEET

MR. & MRS.  MR.  MRS.  MISS  MS.

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Last Name

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First Name(s)

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NAME(S) DD/MM/YEAR

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ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH? WOULD YOU LIKE ENVELOPES?  
YES  NO  YES  NO

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CONTACTED ABOUT PARISH INVOLVEMENT?  
YES  NO

**ONCE REGISTERED, ENVELOPES WILL BE AVAILABLE BY ENTRANCE OF CHURCH.**



**JUNE 2, 2024**  
**THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**

**CYCLE B (MARK)**

**Blood of the Covenant: Scott Hahn Reflects on Corpus Christi**

**Readings:**

**Exodus 24:3-8**

**Psalms 116:12-13, 15-18**

**Hebrews 9:11-15**

**Mark 14:12-16, 22-26**

All of today's readings are set in the context of the Passover. The First Reading recalls the old covenant celebrated at Sinai following the first Passover and the Exodus. In sprinkling the blood of the covenant on the Israelites, Moses was symbolizing God's desire in this covenant to make them His family, His "blood" relations. Quoting Moses' words in today's Gospel, Jesus elevates and transforms this covenant symbol to an extraordinary reality. In the new covenant made in the blood of Christ, we truly become one with His body and blood. The first covenant made with Moses and Israel at Sinai was but a shadow of this new and greater covenant made by Christ with all humankind in that upper room (see Hebrews 10:1). The Passover that Jesus celebrates with His Twelve Apostles "actualizes," makes real what could only be symbolized by Moses' sacrifice at the altar with twelve pillars. What Jesus does today is establish His Church as the new Israel and His Eucharist as the new worship of the living God. In offering Himself to God through the Spirit, Jesus delivered Israel from the transgressions of the first covenant. And, as we hear in today's Epistle, by His blood He purified us and made us capable of true worship. God does not want dead works or animal sacrifices. He wants our own flesh and blood, our own lives, consecrated to Him, offered as a living sacrifice. This is the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving that we sing of in today's Psalm. This is the Eucharist. What we do in memory of Him is to pledge our lives to Him, to renew our promise to live by the words of His covenant and to be His servants. There is no other return we can offer to Him for the eternal inheritance He has won for us. So let us approach the altar, calling upon His name in thanksgiving, taking up the cup of salvation.



*Thank you to Dr. Scott Hahn and the St. Paul Center for the use of the weekly Mass reflections. More resources are available at [www.stpaulcenter.com](http://www.stpaulcenter.com)*

**Mass Intentions**   
**FOR THE WEEK**

**JUNE 1ST TO JUNE 8TH 2024**

Sat	June 1st	5:00pm - David LaPlante †
Sun	June 2nd	7:30am - Roseta Racatos †
		9:00am - Alana Maurica Gerardine
		10:30am - People of the Parish
		12:00pm - Susana Atchico †
Mon	June 3rd	8:30am - Tomasi Family
Tues	June 4th	8:30am - Domenicoa Colasuonno; Mike and Antonia Colasuonno and Carlo Mercurio †
Wed	June 5th	7:30pm - Roberto "Butch" Galicia †; Mary Ann Lauzon & Joseph Arthur Lauzon †; John Taylor †; Thanksgiving to St. Anthony
Thur	June 6th	8:30am - Clayton Shillingford †
Fri	June 7th	7:30pm - Lina Batallones †
Sat	June 8th	8:30am - Thomas Charles O'Malley †; Thanksgiving to St. Anthony; and Thanksgiving to Georgina Da Costa



**OUR SICK:**

Rosemary Ferrer, Evelyn Santiago, Edgardo Ramos, Dina Sorbera, Joan Fitzgibbon, Virginia Johnson, Derek John Taylor, Donna Mesic, Oliver Malinowski, Derek Rosario, Maria Theresa, Maria Johanna Tizon, Linda Morgan, Sally Benadetto, Maverick Valle, Richard Stockman, Don O'Shaughnessy, Alana Maurica Gerardine, Bette McDermott, Josephine Lavecchia, Romeo Dimalanta, Mara Ezgeta, Fredrick Martyn, John Rodriguez, Sabrina Achaibar, Sharon Garisto, Elizabeth Singh, Richard Rodriguez, Kenny Gonsalves, Kris Gonsalves, Carlo Tomasi, Anna Tomasi, Evelyn Gatila, Judith Ritch, Rita Clemenz, Estela Pett, Steve McAuley, George Paramby Varghese, Emmanuel Carpio, Ligaya Carpio, Holly Macinnis, Ursula Solomon, Jennifer Solomon, Randeer Kumar Hulooman, Norma Dulnuan, Bill Filipchuk, Kathleen Filipchuk, Colleen Balgobin, Dionne Hastings, Sonia Miranda, Kevin Andrey Morales, Rhaquel Elizabeth Jojan, Ramona Labo, Ruth Claire Alinas, Andre Baksh, Alicia Alvares, Anna Ardurini, Lolita Ramos, Rose Marie Sorbera, Alice Rego, John Jansen In De Wal, Mary Foulkes, Lorraine Fraser, Jean Griffin Davis, Stephanie Solomon, Shirley Ecclejton, Kathleen Copeland, Conchita Estolano Paran, Giacomina Genova, Frosa Karakolis, Rosa Lim, Vera Conway, Joe D'Souza, Claudio Borgono, Jennifer Young, Glenda McNeil, Liam Matthews, Benigno Jose Jr., Irene Bituin, Leonisa G. Albaran, Innes Potgieter, Rebecca C. Baltazar, Monica Bouchard, Harold Hunt, Antonio Sorbera, Julia Genova, Christina Lochan, Ronaldo Maravilla, Lucas Sorbera, Sheryl Watson, Stanley de Freitas, Peter Pinto, Marina Sequeira, Ofelia Magat, Paul Swoffer, Minoli Paul, Isabel Grosvenor, Marie Herrera, John Germain, Ms. Dalhoo, Carla Di Cecco, Wynn Young, Mary Rocha, Eric Hudder, Marguerite Watson, Duverney Family, Mr. & Mrs. Cerami, Simon Fernandes, Arnold Uy Cruz, Charles Gill, Patrick Doty, Debra Fernandes, Marina Jose, Frances Schober, William Schober, Marie Dignum, Ahilla Kissoon.

## **THANK YOU!**



We wish to acknowledge and thank the following local businesses for their generous financial sponsorship of this year's St. Boniface Parish Picnic. Their donations have made it possible to keep the ticket price affordable for many families in our parish.

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Dear Parishioners,  
Marygrove Camp yellow donation envelopes are available, in the side pockets of the church and in your Sunday Offertory boxes. Their annual collection is on **June 8th. and 9th. 2024.** Marygrove Camp offers girls from less-fortunate families an opportunity to attend sleep-away summer camp and experience all the joys that this offers. Thank you for your support of this important Special Work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Many girls will benefit from your generosity.



## **FR. PETER'S FAREWELL RECEPTION**

We will say good-bye to Fr. Peter on **Sunday, June 23rd after the 12 noon Mass.**

You are all welcome to a reception in the Parish Hall from 1pm to 3pm.

Thank you!



## **12 Men Ordained into the Permanent Diaconate**



On Saturday, May 25, 2024 at 10 a.m. the Vicar for Permanent Deacons, the Most Reverend Vincent Nguyen, ordained 12 men to the Permanent Diaconate for the Archdiocese of Toronto. The Rite of Ordination took place during Mass at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica following the Liturgy of the Word.

Ordained to the Permanent Diaconate were:

Rev. Mr. Norberto Javier Aquino, Rev. Mr. Joel N. Bangalan, Rev. Mr. Michael Cesare Carrera, Rev. Mr. Choy Yat Pang Max Anthony, Rev. Mr. Joseph Oliver D' Mello, Rev. Mr. Ferdinand Aloysius John D'Souza, Rev. Mr. Christopher Elliott, Rev. Mr. Daniel Andrew Humphries, Rev. Mr. Robert Wijaratnam Nevins Selvadurai, Rev. Mr. Floro Santiago, Rev. Mr. Ferdinand O. Valera, Rev. Mr. Ronald Alex Vaz,

As outlined by Deacon Ed Faulk, "a deacon is a clergyman who assists the bishop and priests. He is ordained, not to the priesthood but to service. He has a three-fold role of service: *Charity* in which he is of service to the community; *Word* in which he proclaims the Gospel and preaches; and *Liturgy*, in which he assists at Mass, is an ordinary minister of the Eucharist and baptism, witnesses marriages, leads the community in prayer, especially funeral services and the Liturgy of the Hours.

Please join us in praying for these deacons as they begin their ministry to the people of the Archdiocese of Toronto.

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