

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 4:30 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: 7:00pm

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

First Friday: 8:00pm

ADORATION AND DIVINE MERCY

Every Friday at 6:15pm

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

49 Cathedral Bluffs Drive, M1M 2T6

ST. BONIFACE - 416-393-5277

20 Markanna Drive, M1M 2J1

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Help Line: 416-261-3528

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 the office.

PARISHIONER INFORMATION SHEET

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

Last Name

First Name(s)

STREET# AND NAME/APARTMENT# OR UNIT #

CITY

POSTAL CODE

TELEPHONE#

EMAIL ADDRESS

NAME(S) AND DATE(S) OF BIRTH OF CHILD/CHILDREN:

NAME(S)

DD/MM/YEAR

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.**



OCTOBER 17TH 2026
29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME

CYCLE A (MATTHEW)

Readings:

Isaiah 45:1,4–6
Psalms 96:1,3–5, 7–10
1 Thessalonians 1:1–5
Matthew 22:15–21

The Lord is king over all the earth, as we sing in today's Psalm. Governments rise and fall by His permission, with no authority but that given from above (see John 19:11; Romans 13:1). In effect, God says to every ruler what He tells King Cyrus in today's First Reading: "I have called you . . . though you knew me not." The Lord raised up Cyrus to restore the Israelites from exile, and to rebuild Jerusalem (see Ezra 1:1–4). Throughout salvation history, God has used foreign rulers for the sake of His chosen people. Pharaoh's heart was hardened to reveal God's power (see Romans 9:17). Invading armies were used to punish Israel's sins (see 2 Maccabees 6:7–16). The Roman occupation during Jesus' time was, in a similar way, a judgment on Israel's unfaithfulness. Jesus' famous words in today's Gospel, "repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar," are a pointed reminder of this. And they call us, too, to keep our allegiances straight. The Lord alone is our king. His kingdom is not of this world (see John 18:36) but it begins here in His Church, which tells of His glory among all peoples. Citizens of heaven (see Philippians 3:20), we are called to be a light to the world (see Matthew 5:14)—working in faith, laboring in love, and enduring in hope, as today's Epistle counsels. We owe the government a concern for the common good and obedience to laws—unless they conflict with God's commandments as interpreted by the Church (see Acts 5:29). But we owe God everything. The coin bears Caesar's image. But we bear God's own image (see Genesis 1:27). We owe Him our very lives—all our heart, mind, soul, and strength, offered as a living sacrifice of love (see Romans 12:1–2). We should pray for our leaders, that like Cyrus they do God's will (see 1 Timothy 2:1–2)—until from the rising of the sun to its setting all humanity knows that Jesus is Lord.



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



Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK



OCTOBER 17TH 2026 TO OCTOBER 24TH 2026

Sat	Oct	17th	5:00pm	-	Mary Foulkes +
Sun	Oct	18th	7:30am	-	Alana Maurica Need
			9:00am	-	Andrew and Janice Da Costa-Schwab
			10:30am	-	People of the parish
			12:00pm	-	Tony Raviele +
Mon	Oct	19th	8:30am	-	Andrew and Janice Da Costa-Schwab
Tue	Oct	20th	8:30am	-	Andrew and Janice Da Costa-Schwab
Wed	Oct	21st	7:30pm	-	Thanksgiving for Elizabeth Santos; Paul Tremblay +; 40th death anniversary for Aida Florentino +
Thur	Oct	22nd	8:30am	-	Birthday Blessing and Thanksgiving for Ursula Stanislaus
Fri	Oct	23rd	7:30pm	-	Roque Fernandes +
Sat	Oct	24th	8:30am	-	K.M. Thomas; Benjamin, Cecilia and Jeffrey Lugos; Rosita Montemayor +



OUR SICK:

Stephanie Walls, Robert Selvadurai, Daniel D'Alimonte, Robert Atkinson, Joan Sheahan, Arnold Uy Cruz, Maria Simbajon, Patricia Guerrieri, Fiore Tomasi, Marites Andrion, Nida Carandang, Rodante Imperial, James Patrick Stephens, Rosemarie Atkinson, Andre Hastings, Rodrigo Garcia, Frank Franco, Normelito Ramirez, Fausto Tomasi, Margaret Horvath, Magdalene Trotman, Holly Macinnis, Inacia Rodrigues, Carol Morra, Tonya Medelkowski, Ray Acayan, Romeo Florentino, Anne Dyer, Joan Fitzgibbon, Virginia Johnson, Derek John Taylor, Oliver Malinowski, Anunciacion Chang, 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, Fredrick Martyn, John Rodriguez, Sabrina Achaibar, Cheryl Garisto, Elizabeth Singh, Richard Rodriguez, Kenny Gonsalves, Kris Gonsalves, Carlo Tomasi, Evelyn Gatila, Judith Ritch, Rita Clemenz, Steve McAuley, George Paramby Varghese, Emmanuel Carpio, Ligaya Carpio, Dionne Hastings, Sonia Miranda, Kevin Andrey Morales, Rhaquel Elizabeth Jojan, Ruth Claire Alinas, Andre Baksh, Alicia Alvares, Anna Ardurini, Lolita Ramos, Rose Marie Sorbera, Alice Rego, Jean Griffin Davis, Shirley Eccleton, Ursula Solomon, Kathleen Copeland, Giacomina Genova, Rosa Lim, Vera Conway, Joe D'Souza, Claudio Borgono, Jennifer Young, Liam Matthews, Benigno Jose Jr., Irene Bituin, Leonisa G. Albaran, Innes Potgieter, Rebecca C. Baltazar, Dina Sorbera, Monica Bouchard, Antonio Sorbera, Julia Genova, Ronaldo Maravilla, Lucas Sorbera, Sheryl Watson, Stanley de Freitas, Peter Pinto, Isabel Grosvenor, Marie Herrera, John Germain, Stephanie Solomon, Ofelia Magat.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION ENROLLMENT CEREMONY

The enrollment ceremony for receiving your Confirmation cross is next weekend **October 24th & 25th at all Masses.**

Please remember to bring your dove with your name written in the space provided.



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ST. MICHAEL'S
COLLEGE SCHOOL
BASILIAN FATHERS

The office of Admissions of St. Michael's College School is now considering applications for September 2027. St. Michael's College School is Ontario's only independent Catholic School for young men from Grades 7 to 12.

Open houses for prospective students and their families will be held on **Thursday, October 15 and Tuesday, October 20 beginning at 7:00pm.**

Please register at apply.smcs.com

St. Michael's College School offers a generous Financial Assistance Programme that provides financial aid to qualifying students.

LAPTOP DONATION APPEAL



Do you have a laptop in good working condition that you no longer use?

These devices can make a meaningful difference in the lives of students, educators, and families in Africa.

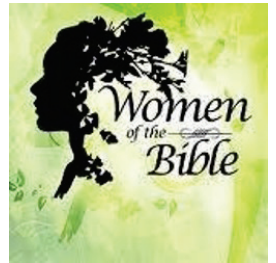
We are collecting gently used, fully functional laptops to be donated to those in need. If you would like to support this initiative, please drop off your laptop at the parish office during office hours.

Thank you for your generosity and for helping bridge the digital divide through this act of kindness and solidarity.

"WOMEN OF THE BIBLE" STUDY

Come and discover the lives and impact of the WOMEN of the BIBLE.

How can we relate or learn from them?



This study will be held every 3rd Monday of the Month (starting Oct 19th) from 7:00p.m. – 8:30p.m.

Each month is an independent study, so you are welcome to attend any of the individual nights.

No registration is necessary.

ARCHDIOCESE ANNUAL MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT

The Archdiocese is requesting your participation in its annual parishioner attendance survey for all parishes.

This year, the count will take place on the weekends of **October 17/18 and October 24/25.**



THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD PROGRAM



The Children's Liturgy of the Word program is on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sunday of the month at the 10:30 am Mass.

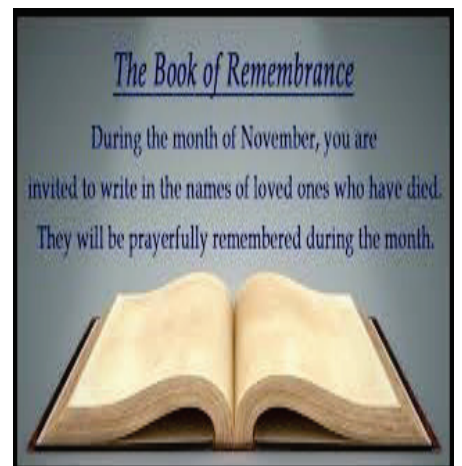
The next one is on **Sunday, October 18th at the 10:30am Mass.**

It is offered for children from ages 4 to 7 years.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The Book of Remembrance will be out in front of the altar on **November 1st** for the month of November.

You are welcome to write down the names of your loved ones who you would like remembered.



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