



## Reflection

The search seems endless. We are often looking for more and better things. For many, there is an unhealthy obsession with getting ahead and getting richer in the materialistic sense. We can desire and enjoy these blessings, but did we share them and love others? Did we see Christ in others' suffering? On this World Day of Migrants and Refugees, the readings remind us of the irreversible tragedy that results from worshipping physical riches.

This message is brought home in the Gospel, contrasting the rich man's life of comfort, including daily sumptuous feasts, with the impoverished man's life of anguish. The poor man was named Lazarus, which fittingly means "the one whom God helps." God wants to comfort those who are suffering. However, when we are self-centred, we create a great chasm between ourselves and God.

Let us honour God's gift of salvation through acts of compassion, love, and mercy. Let us give thanks to God's invitation to enrich ourselves spiritually by living more selflessly and welcoming those less fortunate to our sumptuous feasts. May we respond to the plight of migrants, refugees, and others like Lazarus at our gates. May we find true joy and priceless spiritual riches in God's kingdom.

*Christl Dabu; Hamilton, ON*

**First Reading:** Amos 6.1a, 4-7

**Responsorial Psalm:**

*Praise the Lord, O my soul!*

**Second Reading:** 1 Timothy 6.11-16

**Gospel:** Luke 16.19-31

## Second Collection

This Weekend – Needs of the Church in Canada  
Thank you for your support.

## – THIS WEEKEND –

### The Sacrament of Baptism

Through the sacrament of baptism, the following children will be initiated into the Catholic faith and welcomed into the parish community. We congratulate their parents and Godparents.

**Christian Jan Alexander,**  
son of Chelsey and Justin

**Jack Anthony Ford,**  
son of Angelika and Tyler

**Lucas Jaroslaw Krajniak,**  
son of Caroline and Jaroslaw

**Mateo Peter Holder-Campana,**  
son of Linda and Vincent

**Matteo Artur Szpila,**  
son of Aleksandra and Artur

**Maya Elvira Malicki,**  
daughter of Lauren and Gibrian

### Children's Liturgy

Liturgy of the Word for children takes place on Sundays at the 9:30 a.m. Mass.

### Coffee and Donuts

This **Sunday, September 25**, coffee and donuts will be served by Secular Franciscans.

### The Sacrament of Marriage

Please join us in praying for...

**Margaret Bancercz,**  
daughter of Grazyna and Wieslaw



**Ian Engson,**  
son of Annie and Amande

...who have recently entered into Holy Matrimony.

### Special Collection

The Archdiocese of Toronto will hold a special collection the weekend of October 1/2 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The fund will support both local and national programs proposed by Indigenous communities to nurture the ongoing reconciliation journey.

## – COMING UP –

### Upcoming Devotions

**First Saturday of the month, October 1<sup>st</sup>**  
Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary after the 8 a.m. Mass

**First Sunday of the month, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Holy Rosary Devotion at 7:15 a.m.

### Mass Intentions for 2023

Mass intentions for 2023 can be requested in person, in the parish hall on **Wednesday, October 5** from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Each family/household can order one Sunday Mass and two weekday Masses (pending availability.)



### R.C.I.A.

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the way that a non-baptized person is brought into full communion with the Catholic Church. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Roman Catholic, please call the parish office to register. **Meetings begin on October 5.**

### Jericho Rosary

"Saving Families through Mary"  
October 7 – 13, 2022

Seven days of non-stop prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Eugene de Mazenod Church in Brampton.

**Friday, October 7, 7 p.m.** – opening Mass  
**Monday, October 10, 6 a.m. to 10 a.m.** – prayerful vigil held by parishioners of St. Maximilian Kolbe Church

**Thursday, October 13, 7 p.m.** – closing Mass and Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima

### Marriage Preparation Course

Marriage Preparation Course for couples who were never married begins on **October 10 at 8 p.m.** and takes place on 7 consecutive Mondays in the parish hall. To register, please call the parish office.

Marriage Preparation Course for couples where one or both partners were previously married is facilitated by Catholic Family Services. Contact [www.cfstoronto.com](http://www.cfstoronto.com) to register.

## – COMING UP –

### Catechesis – First Lesson

Students who have registered for sacramental preparation classes will meet in the parish hall on the following days:

First Communion:

- **Tuesday, October 11**, 6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.
- **Saturday, October 15**, 1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Confirmation:

- **Thursday, October 13**, 6:30 p.m.-8 p.m.

Sister Halina (coordinator): (647) 205-7297

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Divine Mercy Congress in Canada October 13 – 16, 2022

- St. Gabriel Parish, Burlington
- St. Peter's Mission Church, Mississauga
- St. Eugene de Mazenod Parish, Brampton
- St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish, Mississauga

### SPEAKERS:

Bp. Radoslaw Zmitrowicz OMI  
Fr. Mariusz Kasperski OMI  
Sister of Our Lady of Mercy  
(from s. Faustina Congregation)

Stay tuned for more information.

### Jubilee Banquet

St. Eugene Foundation – "Hope for the Future" – is hosting a banquet on the occasion of the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Foundation. The banquet takes place on **October 16 at 2 p.m.** and includes a hot meal and wine, a lottery, a scrumptious buffet, and dancing and music by Polanie. Tickets and details:

- Bozena (647) 213-6493
- Halina (647) 333-0279
- Sep. 25 – St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish
- Sep. 25 – St. Eugene de Mazenod Parish

### Youth Meetings

Grade 8 and High School students:  
Thursdays at 8:20 p.m.

College and University students:  
Fridays at 8:20 p.m.

**Holy Rosary will be led by Rose #49.**

## – DON'T MISS –



**September 28 – November 6**

**7 a.m. – 7 p.m.**

For the 11<sup>th</sup> time, the pro-life movement is organizing a prayer campaign in Mississauga to defend the unborn. The 40 Days for Life campaign means that for the next 40 days, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., we pray in silence in front of the abortion clinic, or we fast for those who suffer harm, for children at risk of abortion.

Canada is one of the few countries where unborn children have absolutely no legal protection, which allows abortions to be performed practically up to the moment of delivery.

Prayer is needed to change that. We invite you to one selected hour (or more) and join us in praying in front of the Women's Abortion Clinic at 101 Queensway, across the street from the hospital. In addition, consider fasting during the campaign. Together, let us help those whose lives are in danger, let us help mothers preserve the life of their unborn child.

More information, directions, map, and to sign up for an hour of prayer, please visit: [www.40daysforlife.com/en/mississauga](http://www.40daysforlife.com/en/mississauga)

Contact Kolbe Pro-Life Group by email: [kolbeprayprolife@gmail.com](mailto:kolbeprayprolife@gmail.com)

The Lord Jesus said: "Whatever you did for one of the least of these my brothers, you did for me." Can we give them an hour of prayer?

### Life Chain

**Sunday, October 2, 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.**  
**Cawthra Rd. and Meadows Blvd.**

### Sunday Mass Obligation

As of March 31, dispensation from attending Mass in-person is no longer in effect. However, it does not apply to those who are sick or self-isolating.

### Intentions for Wednesday Mass

Wednesday evening Mass is celebrated in multiple intentions. These can be submitted by calling the parish office before 5 p.m. Mass offering should be placed in any envelope, marked "Wednesday", and placed in the collection basket on Sunday or in the collection box beside the parish office.

## – MASS INTENTIONS –

### MONDAY September 26<sup>th</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ○ In thanksgiving for all graces received and for God's continued blessing, Mother Mary's protection and health for Magdalena and Jaroslaw Sawarski on their 13<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary – mother
- 19<sup>00</sup> ○ In thanksgiving on the 31<sup>st</sup> anniversary of marriage of Zofia and Kazimierz Wszebrowski and for God's providence for the family  
✚ Blazej Graff – mother Anna

### TUESDAY September 27<sup>th</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ✚ Stefania Wojciechowska – Bubacz family
- 19<sup>00</sup> ○ For God's continued blessing for Dorota Skorupski on her birthday – parents  
✚ Emilia and Stefan Pikula (anniv.) – son and family

### WEDNESDAY September 28<sup>th</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ✚ Souls in purgatory  
✚ Antoni Maksimowski – son Edward and family
- 19<sup>00</sup> ○ Group Intentions

### THURSDAY September 29<sup>th</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ✚ Anna Mielnik – daughter and family
- 19<sup>00</sup> ○ For God's grace, faith, hope and love for children and grandchildren through the intercession of St. Michael the Archangel  
✚ Helena Czubyj

### FRIDAY September 30<sup>th</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ✚ Parents Genowefa and Franciszek, Jolanta Antonczak – son and family  
○ For God's blessing for Iris and John Paul Sawicki – family
- 19<sup>00</sup> ✚ Witold Klimowicz (2<sup>nd</sup> anniv.) – family  
✚ Weronika and Bronislaw Czaniecki

### SATURDAY October 1<sup>st</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ○ For members of the Holy Rosary Family and Knights of Mary Immaculate
- 17<sup>00</sup> ✚ Genowefa and Michael Koltowski – children
- 19<sup>00</sup> ✚ Filip Bojan (13<sup>th</sup> anniv.) – mother  
○ For God's blessing and continued protection of Mary, Star of the New Evangelization, on the 22<sup>nd</sup> anniv. of the Rose of the Living Rosary from the Family of Radio Maria

### SUNDAY October 2<sup>nd</sup>

- 8<sup>00</sup> ○ For members of the Holy Rosary Family and Knights of Mary Immaculate
- 9<sup>30</sup> ✚ Stanislaw Kosinski (9<sup>th</sup> anniv.)
- 11<sup>00</sup> ○ For Parishioners and Benefactors
- 13<sup>00</sup> ○ For God's grace, blessing, gifts of the Holy Spirit and Mother Mary's protection for Tomasz and Izabela and their families
- 14<sup>30</sup> ✚ Olga, Tadeusz, Boleslaw Kaczmarek – daughter and husband
- 19<sup>00</sup> ✚ Maria and Wincet Skretkowicz – granddaughter