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# **MASSES**

Monday 7:00 pm (St. James)

Tuesday 9:30 am (St. Francis)

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Friday 7:00 pm (St. James)

Saturday 10:30 am (St. James)

Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm (St. James)

Sunday 8:30 am (St. Mary's), 10:00 am (St. James) & 11:30 (St. Francis)

# **PARISH DIRECTORY**

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St. James Elementary School (905) 936-4191 **Monsignor Ronan Elementary School (905) 729-3473** Father F.X. O'Reilly Elementary School (905) 936-3364 St. Thomas Aquinas High School (905) 936-4743

# Catholic Women's League (CWL):

Helene Compeau (president) (647) 522-3346 or helenecompeau2@gmail.com

# **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 2:00 - 5:00 pm

Email: stjamesco@archtoronto.org

Phone: 905-936-4266

Website: www.stjamesco.archtoronto.org

#### CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 pm—5:15 pm at St. James

#### **BAPTISM**

Once a month on Sundays at St. James Contact the office for more details

#### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Registration for 2025/26 will open in September 2025

#### **ADORATION**

Sign up at the office for the code to St Francis Xavier for access to Adoration

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

Masses can be offered for loved ones, living or deceased. We can accept Mass intentions up to one year before the intention, please contact the Parish Office to book

# **CATHOLIC LATTE**

Parish Priest: Fr. Eric Mah Check out Fr. Eric's podcast, Catholic Latte, on YouTube, iTunes, Spotify, Podbean, Stitcher, Facebook, Instagram, and TikTok!





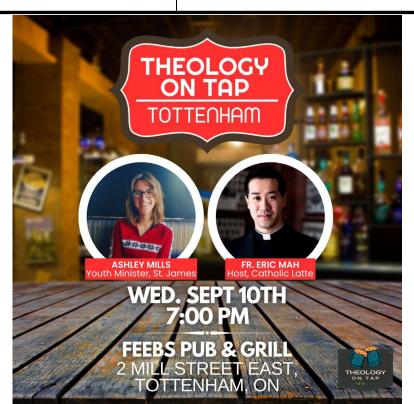
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Weekly Mass Intentions	
Monday September 1 at 7 pm	For personal intentions
Tuesday Sept 2 at 9:30 am	For the special intentions of Dasha Hrkal
Wednesday September 3 at 9:30am	For the people of God, vocations to the priesthood, the holy souls in purgatory, and a special intention
	Rosalina and Francisco Brum +
	Rita and Vittorio Lombardi +
	Available for Mass Intention
Friday September 5 at 7 pm	For the people of God, vocations to the priesthood, the holy souls in purgatory, and a special intention
	Phillip Pras +
	Available for Mass Intention
Saturday Sept 6 at 10:30 am	Gene and Pauline Piscione + and Bruno Randon +
Saturday Sept 6 at 5:30 pm	Carla Suppa +
Sunday Sept 7 at 8:30 am	Chad McGoey +
Sunday Sept 7 at 10 am	Joe Ostrowski +
Sunday Sept 7 at 11:30 am	For the people of God



# **Praying for the Sick**

If you or a family member is sick, please let the office know and we will add their name to the prayers of the faithful.

Please pray especially for Sharon Duggan, Olga Stanczyk, Victoria Reid, Tom Kennelly, Christina Burke, Jennifer Leclerc, Jennifer Trott, Joe Cirianni, Joe Gaudio, Maria DeFatima Rego, Eduarda Raimundo, Rita Webber, Lynda Pollice, Liliana Zuniga, Esmer Isip, Shane Power, Margaret Milne, Katherina La Fuente, Colleen Butler, and Aiden Booth, Anne Van Dyk, Janette Wallace, Jose Oliveira, and Lui Marianni.

Please also pray for those who have recently passed away, especially Mary Bertao, Rev. James P. Adams, and Father Phillip Ray Smith.

# **Volunteers Needed—Church Cleaning**

Our parish community is looking for ongoing volunteers to help clean our Churches!

St James is cleaned Wednesdays at 10:30am until noon

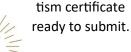
St Francis is cleaned Wednesdays after morning Mass from 10am until noon

St Mary's is cleaned the First Monday of the month at 10am

Volunteers who would like to join can contact the office for volunteer screening.

## **Sacrament Registration**

Registration for First Communion and Confirmation will be opening this September! If you are planning to register, please have a copy of your Child's Bap-





# **Chaplaincy Connect**

Are you a university or college student? This school year, open your heart to an exciting journey of spiritual growth and community. Join campus ministry to grow deeper in your faith, form lasting friendships and experience university/college life in a more meaningful way. Connect with campus ministry anywhere in Canada and find your Catholic home on campus! Scan the QR code or visit chaplaincyconnect.ca.



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## **CWL**

The CWL is celebrating our 30th anniversary! We are having a luncheon at the Tottenham Legion on Sunday September 28th at 1230. All women of the parish are welcome to attend.

Tickets are \$30 each and will be available after all the masses next weekend or call Helene Compeau at 647 522 3346. Hope you can come celebrate with us.



## **Youth Ministry**

In October, St. James Parish is going to have two youth ministries launching! Edge is for grades 6 through 8 (ages 11-14). LifeTeen is for grades 9 through 12 (ages 15-18).

Both youth ministries will feature games, talks, snacks, and group discussions. And both are completely free - there is no cost to attend or registration fee!

Edge and LifeTeen will run on alternating Friday nights from 5:30 - 7 pm for October through June. A schedule is coming soon!

We're also working on creating a youth ministry option for younger kids (below gr. 6), as well as young adults (older than 18) - more details coming soon!

To sign up as a participant or volunteer, and for more information, please contact the parish office! Volunteers are invited to share their interests and skills to find the best avenue to volunteer (i.e., leading small group discussions, giving talks, running games etc.)



## **Back to School Prayer**

We offer special prayers for the teachers and students who head back to school next week:

Loving God, Our creator, our saviour, our companion, bless this journey of a new school year that we undertake today. Refresh our souls and renew our spirits as we embrace the beautiful ministry you have called us to. We welcome those who are new to this community and ask that you strengthen them to share the wonderful gifts you have given them. Lord, make our hearts pure as we prepare for the return of students to this school, and may you guide them to return with open hearts and minds eager to learn. We ask this in Your name, Amen.



#### First Friday

Next Friday is the First Friday of the month. There will be Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following the regularly scheduled 7pm mass at St. James.



# St. Mary's Cleaning

Due to the Labour Day long weekend in September,
the cleaning of St. Mary's on the first
Monday of the month will be moved to
Monday September 8th.

