

Our Lady of the Airways Church

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Youth Faith Formation

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Caretaker

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 4:00pm

Closed for lunch: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Saturday & Sunday: CLOSED

DEVOTIONS

Holy Rosary: before Mass

Mother of Perpetual Help: Wednesdays

Divine Mercy: Friday Evenings

First Friday of the Month:

Eucharistic Adoration 8:30am-7:00pm

Holy Hour 7:30pm-8:30pm

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For assistance please call 905-671-8382

PARISH SCHOOLS

Ascension of Our Lord High School 905-676-1287

Holy Cross Elementary School 905-677-5660

Saint Raphael Elementary School 905-677-1038

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 PM English

Sunday: 9:00 AM English

10:30 AM Italian

12:00 PM English

7:00 PM Tamil

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

English Mass

Monday to Friday: 8:00am

Mon., Wed. & Fri.: 7:00pm

Saturday: 8:30am

Italian Mass

Tues. & Thurs.: 7:00pm

Holidays: (Bilingual) 8:30am

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday: 7:30-7:50am

6:30-6:50pm

Saturday: 8:00-8:20am

4:00-4:50pm

First Friday: 7:30-7:50am

6:30-6:50pm

(or by appointment)

BAPTISM

Contact the parish office for information about the Baptismal Preparation process.

MARRIAGE

Couples must contact the Pastor **ONE year** in advance. Marriage Preparation course is required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If one of your loved ones would like to receive this Sacrament, please contact the Parish Office.

COMMUNION OF THE SICK

Visitation and/or communion for the sick upon request.

A Warm Welcome to New Parishioners!

**Please fill out a parish registration form found in the foyer of the church,
and kindly introduce yourself to the Pastor.**

Preparing for Christmas at Our Lady of the Airways



Christmas Concert
Sunday, December 10th at 4:30pm

Come out for an evening of:

- Music by all Parish Choirs • Advent and Christmas Readings
 - Children acting out the Nativity Story
- We need a little help to put it all together. We are looking for:*
- Children to help us act out the Nativity Story • Readers / Lectors
 - Costume / Wardrobe Designers

Those who are interested in participating are required to attend 3 rehearsals in the church from **1:30pm-3pm, on Sat. Nov. 25th, Sat. Dec. 2nd, Sat. Dec. 9th.**

Please contact Michelle Frizza if you would like to help.

Call or text: (416) 828-8071 or Email: michellefrizza@gmail.com

Children's Christmas Choir

Children in Grade 3 and up are invited to participate in a Christmas Choir to sing at the 5:00pm Christmas Eve Mass.

Practices Times are as follows: Sat. Dec. 16th - 6pm to 6:45pm, Sat. Dec. 23rd - 6pm to 6:45pm, and Sun. Dec. 24th - 4:15pm

Those interested are asked to meet Zabrina Villasanta in the church.



Sponsor a Christmas Poinsettia

Parishioners are invited to sponsor poinsettias for our Christmas decorations. You may make your donations by using the "Christmas Flower" envelopes which can be found in the foyer of the church or at the parish office. *Please place your envelopes in the weekend offertory collection. Thank You!*

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday: November 27th

8:00am - †Roland, Ovide & Florence Mongeon
7:00pm - †Rosanna Gilio

Tuesday: November 28th

8:00am - Mariyakutty Thomas
7:00pm - †Linda Zappa

Wednesday: November 29th

8:00am - †Jacob & Binny Thomas
7:00pm - †Ivan Andrijic

Thursday: November 30th

8:00am - †Stephen Holt
7:00pm - †Ika Mrkié

Friday: December 1st

8:00am - †Giuseppe Francesco Bava
7:00pm - †Victoria, P.S. Anthonypillai, Aloysius & Agnes Perera

Saturday: December 2nd

8:30am - †Paulina Flores
5:00pm - For the People of Our Parish

Sunday: December 3rd

9:00am - †Jose & Maria Marques
10:30am - †Ika Mrkié
12:00pm - †John Abella

MONTH OF ALL SOULS REMEMBERING THE DEAD



During the month of November, we are called to pray in a particular way for those who have died. We begin the month with the celebration of All Saints Day, November 1st, seeking the intercession of all the Saints who have provided us with such a great witness of faith. On November 2nd, we pray for all who have died, that they may be granted the gift of eternal life. A Memorial Prayer Box has been placed on the left side of the Sanctuary. The names of the deceased members of your family and friends may be written on the Envelopes provided and placed in the Memorial Prayer Box. The deceased will be remembered at all Masses celebrated during the month of November. *May the repose of the faithfully departed rest in peace.*

2018 SUNDAY MISSALS

The 2018 New... Saint Joseph Sunday Missals will be available for sale on the weekends of Nov. 25th/26th and Dec. 2nd/3rd at a cost of \$5.00.



"God is very generous and does not deny His grace to anyone. Indeed He gives more than what we ask of Him."

St. Faustina



Let us pray!

For the sick members of our parish and for those who love and minister to them.

Vocations Corner...

"Lord, when was it that we saw you ...?"

Have you heard the Lord as well? If God is calling you to serve as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Website: ww.vocationstoronto.ca



WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Last week Collection \$ 4,879.00
Building Fund \$ 4,457.00

Thank You For Your Generosity

FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING



We celebrate today what is popularly and traditionally called the Feast of Christ the King. This is also the beginning of the last week of our Catholic Liturgical Year, as the New Year begins with Advent next Sunday. We often mention that time is a gift to us; this idea of measuring Church time is also a gift, but do we truly appreciate it?

People tend to say "I go to church." In reality, Christ does not call us to "go" to church; He calls us to be Church. We should live our lives in such a way that it is clear we are Catholic and Christian and part of Christ's Kingdom, for He is our King. Were you aware that the name "Christ" is a royal title in itself? In Greek it means "the anointed king."

St. Paul referred to the Lord as "king of kings and lord of lords," a phrase with which we are familiar. If we accept Christ as our King, and if we live our lives as His disciples and followers we are certainly part of His Kingdom. Pope Pius XI instituted today's solemnity in 1925 at a time when many countries were struggling with total loyalty to secular royalty. Pius XI wanted Catholics to recognize that their loyalty was to a higher power, their spiritual king in heaven. Pius XI wrote at that time, "For Jesus Christ reigns over the minds of individuals by His teachings, in their hearts by His love, in each one's life by the living according to His law and the imitating of His example."

Conosciamo questo testo che, ai giorni nostri, è uno dei più citati e discussi. Per alcuni esso riassume quasi tutto il Vangelo. Questa tendenza non dipende da una moda o da una certa ideologia, ma corrisponde a qualcosa di assai più profondo che già esiste in noi. Quando siamo colpiti e sorpresi da un'idea, da un avvenimento o da una persona, sembriamo dimenticare tutto il resto per non vedere più che ciò che ci ha colpiti. Cerchiamo una chiave in grado di aprire tutte le porte, una risposta semplice a domande difficili. Se leggiamo questo passo del Vangelo con questo spirito, il solo criterio di giudizio, e di conseguenza di salvezza o di condanna, è la nostra risposta ai bisogni più concreti del nostro prossimo. Poco importa ciò che si crede e come si crede, poco importa la nostra appartenenza o meno a una comunità istituzionale, poco importano le intenzioni e la coscienza, ciò che conta è agire ed essere dalla parte dei poveri e dei marginali. Eppure, questa pagina del Vangelo di san Matteo è inscindibile dal resto del suo Vangelo e del Vangelo intero. In Matteo troviamo molti "discorsi" che si riferiscono al giudizio finale. Colui che non si limita a fare la volontà di Dio attraverso le parole non sarà condannato (Mt 7,21-27). Colui che non perdona non sarà perdonato (Mt 6,12-15; 1-35). Il Signore riconoscerà davanti a suo Padre nei cieli colui che si è dichiarato per lui davanti agli uomini (Mt 10,31-33). La via della salvezza è la porta stretta (Mt 7,13). Per seguire Cristo bisogna portare la propria croce e rinnegare se stessi. Colui che vuole salvare la propria vita la perderà (Mt 16,24-26). San Marco ci dice anche: Colui che crederà e sarà battezzato, sarà salvato. Colui che non crederà sarà condannato (Mc 16,15-16). Queste parole ci avvertono di non escludere dal resoconto finale la nostra risposta ai doni soprannaturali e alla rivelazione. Guarire le piaghe del mondo, eliminare le miserie e le ingiustizie, tutto questo fa parte integrante della nostra vita cristiana, ma noi non rendiamo un servizio all'umanità che nella misura in cui, seguendo il Cristo, liberiamo noi stessi e liberiamo gli altri dalla schiavitù del peccato. Allora solamente il suo regno comincerà a diventare realtà.



Adult Faith Formation
at Our Lady of the Airways
Thursday, November 30th at 7:45pm

Why Do I Need the Church?
The Mystery of the Catholic Church

Speaker: Fr. Thomas Lim

THIS SESSION WILL COVER:

- The mystery of the Church and what it means in our lives
- How the Church has two dimensions: human and divine
- The three ways the unity of the Church is made manifest
- The four marks (or chief characteristics) of the Church
 - Why Jesus established only one Church
 - How the Church can be holy when it is filled with sinners
- What it means when we say the Church is apostolic
 - Why we call the Church "Catholic"

All are welcome to attend.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION **2017-2018**



Young people who missed the information sessions and are interested in receiving the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion, or the Sacrament of Confirmation are asked to call the office for more information. Forms are still being accepted until the end of the month. All forms are available at the parish office or in the church foyer.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding these Sacraments please email: olasacraments@bellnet.ca or contact the parish office at 905-677-4615.

OLA Youth



EDGE *Are you in grade 6, 7, or 8?*

All students in **grade 6 - 8** are welcome to our next **EDGE Night** on **Friday, December 8th**, from 7pm - 9pm.

All grades 9 - 12 are invited! **LIFE TEEN**

All Teens in grade 9 - 12 are welcome to our next **Life Night** on **Saturday, December 2nd**.

'Life Teen' begins with the **5:00pm Mass**
6:00pm: Dinner (in the parish hall)
6:30pm - 8:30pm: Life Night

Follow us on Instagram: [ourladyairwaysyouth](https://www.instagram.com/ourladyairwaysyouth)

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