



# THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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## **Pastor**

Rev. Anthony Iacobelli

**Deacons:** Michael Gennaro  
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## **Celebration of The Eucharist**

Saturday: 4:30 pm  
Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:30 am  
Thursday: 12:00 noon

**Eucharistic Adoration** (First Friday - following the 8:30 am Mass and closing with Solemn Benediction at 12:00 noon)

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.  
Or by appointment.

## **Sacrament of Baptism**

Second Sunday of the Month  
By appointment only.

## **Sacrament of Marriage**

By appointment only - Contact the pastor at least one year in advance.  
An approved preparation course is mandatory.

## **Parish School**

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# THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY – JUNE 12, 2022



## June 14<sup>th</sup> – June 18<sup>th</sup>

- Tuesday - Fernan Gomez Sp. Intention
- Wednesday - Father Ben Jobin †
- Thursday - Kevin D'Mello †
- Friday - John Cheung Sp. Intention
- Saturday - Christopher Jardine †

## READINGS FOR – June 19<sup>th</sup>

- 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 14.18-20
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Corinthians 11.23-26
- Gospel: Luke 9.11b-17



## CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Sunday June 19

“Processions teach the heart to follow unswervingly.”

This is our witness to Christ

Jesus our King.

Please bring your family and friends and join your fellow parishioners, on the Church grounds, for a small procession immediately after the 11:00 am Mass to celebrate The Feast of Corpus Christi. This tradition is ardently followed around the world, as well as in many Canadian parishes, and we are pleased to celebrate it in the Good Shepherd Parish.



## E-MAIL UPDATE

In future, when sending an email to Good Shepherd, please note the new address:

[GoodShepherdTH@archtoronto.org](mailto:GoodShepherdTH@archtoronto.org)

The current address is still active, it will gradually be phased out and then cancelled. Thank you for your co-operation.

## THE WORD THIS WEEK

***"Everything the Father has is mine: all the Spirit tells you will be taken from what is mine."***

This Sunday is all about the “Divine Community” - in other words, the way in which our God is in himself a communion of love: Father, Son and Spirit, distinct yet perfectly united - three persons, one God. We hear of the perfect union between Father and Son, revealed in the mysterious poem of the First Reading, where the Son is “Wisdom” joining the Father in the act of creation. This union bears fruit in the Spirit, who pours this perfect love into our hearts, so that we may imitate the “Communion of Love” by living together and hoping for our place within the Divine Community.

Why is this feast celebrated at this particular time? It may be interpreted as a finale to all the preceding feasts. All three Persons contributed to and shared in the work of redemption. The Father sent His Son to earth, for "God so loved the world as to give His only-begotten Son." The Father called us to the faith. The Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, became man and died for us. He redeemed us and made us children of God. He ever remains the liturgist *par excellence* to whom we are united in all sacred functions. After Christ's ascension the Holy Spirit, however, became our Teacher, our Leader, our Guide, and our Consoler.

This feast, should make us mindful that actually every Sunday is devoted to the honor of the Most Holy Trinity, that every Sunday is sanctified and consecrated to the triune God. Sunday after Sunday we should recall in a spirit of gratitude the gifts which the Blessed Trinity is bestowing upon us. The Father created and predestined us; on the first day of the week He began the work of creation. The Son redeemed us; Sunday is the "Day of the Lord," the day of His resurrection. The Holy Spirit sanctified us, made us His temple; on Sunday the Holy Spirit descended upon the infant Church. Sunday, therefore, is *the* day of the Most Holy Trinity.



**The Goal for the 2022 ShareLife Campaign is \$13.8M**

“Our goal can be met, but only with your help. I invite you to join today's generation of heroes by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife. As you contemplate the blessings God has entrusted to you, please join me in giving to ShareLife to the best of your ability.” – Cardinal Thomas Collins

If you have not yet donated and wish to, you can do so online on the parish website or at Sharelife.org.

**Please give generously.**

**MARYGROVE CAMP**

The Marygrove Camp Special Collection will be taken up on this weekend after Communion at all Masses. Many girls from less-fortunate families will be attending camp this summer. Envelopes are attached to the bulletin today. Please support this important work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Each and every child's camping experience is fully subsidized through this collection. Thank you for your support.

**Ministry with Maturing Adults**

**Men and Women 55+**

**Thursday June 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.**

When Covid-19 arrived unexpectedly, we moved to Zoom mode, recognizing the need to meet and pray as a community. We have done the Life Story Writing Program and even participated in Zumba dance and stretch routines, to name a few of our activities. The most recent topic was “Spirituality and Change.” The blessings this ministry generates outweigh the concerns of aging.

June is Senior's Month and our next Zoom meeting will be on Thursday, June 16, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. Through CHATS, Jacqueline Bitanyi, a nurse practitioner will talk about “Physical Activity to Boost Energy for Older Adults.” Email or call the church office 905-881-1534 to register.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS**

The Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League are actively organizing charitable events in support of our communities. With their ongoing efforts, we are providing meals, clothing and financial support to those in need.

**CASSEROLE COLLECTION**

Casserole trays and recipes will be handed out after Mass this weekend (June 11&12). You can also visit the office during business hours (Monday – Thursday from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm) to pick up pans. Frozen casseroles will be collected before each Mass on June 18/19. Good Shepherd Ministries remain at the service of the poor and homeless of our City. Heartfelt thanks to those who have faithfully supported this program.



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Mary Williams: [williamsjoma@gmail.com](mailto:williamsjoma@gmail.com)

Carol VonZuben: [carolvonzuben@me.com](mailto:carolvonzuben@me.com)

**WHEELCHAIR PROGRAM**

The Knights are collecting “refundable” beer, wine, liquor bottles and cans as well as pop cans which can be redeemed for wheelchairs for the needy. This program will commence with collections on the fourth Sunday of every month. We thank you for your support of this project.



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