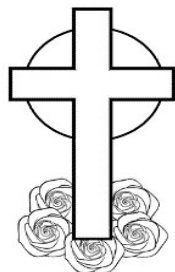


ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES
IMMACULATE HEART, OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP & ST. MICHAEL'S
& Holy Trinity & St. Francis of Assisi

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ROSE CITY CENTRAL



CATHOLIC FAMILY
OF PARISHES

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe November 23, 2025

SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Baptism: Register Online

First Communion & First Reconciliation:
Registration is open.

Confirmation - Registration is open..

SACRAMENTS OF HEALING

Reconciliation: at St. Michael's on Sat.'s from 2- 3:00 pm.
2153 Parkwood Ave.

Reconciliation: at OLPH on Tuesday's from 5-5:45 pm.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the office

SACRAMENTS OF SERVICE

Marriage: Call the office at least six months in advance

Holy Orders: Contact the office

WEEKDAY (DAILY) MASS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY TRINITY & ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Holy Trinity- 1035 Ellis Street East, : Monday to Friday at 7:00 pm. in Polish & Saturday at 8:00 am.in English
St. Francis of Assisi—1701 Turner Road : Tuesday to Friday at 6:00 pm. in Croatian

'ROSE CITY CENTRAL' CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES PRAYER

Lord, please console and protect our 'Rose City Central' family of parishes. May we become a true Catholic family.

We come to You Holy Trinity and ask You to guide our path as we become witnesses of our faith.

To Immaculate Mary our Mother, we ask for your perpetual help; and we ask Saint Francis for peace and Saint Michael for protection.
Amen.

PASTORAL TEAM FOR ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

Pastor: Rev. Glen Ball 519-258-0910 Ext. 222
gball@dol.ca

Associate Pastor: Rev. Stanislaw Izdebski
sizdebski@dol.ca

Associate Pastor: Rev. Miro Grubišić

Priest in Residence: Rev. Bill Kornacker

Pastoral Minister: Sr. Elzbieta Mruczek
emruczek@dol.ca

Pastoral Minister: Christine Toffolon, 519-966-1953
Ext. 226 (new Ext.) *ctoffolon@dol.ca*

ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES STAFF IMMACULATE HEART, ST. MICHAEL & OLPH

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olph@dol.ca

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Secretary: Miroslawa "Mirka" Rodzinka IH & OLPH

Musicians: Jim Dittmer (St. Michael & IH)

John Salalila (OLPH)

Jeff Gendron (OLPH)

Maintenance: Victor Piccolo (IH)

Paul Smith (OLPH)

MASS TIMES FOR OUR ROSE CITY CENTRAL CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

SATURDAY EVENING:

5:00 pm. at Our Lady of Perpetual Help (OLPH)

5:00 pm. at Immaculate Heart in St. Michael's

5:00 pm. at St. Francis of Assisi (in Croatian)

SUNDAY:

9:00 am. at Holy Trinity (in English)

9:00 am. at St. Francis (in English)

10:30 am. at OLPH

10:30 am. at Holy Trinity (in Polish)

11:00 am. at St. Francis (in Croatian)

12:30 pm. at Immaculate Heart in St. Michael's

12:30 pm. at Holy Trinity (in Polish)

Mass schedule for St. Michael's—

Thursday, December 25 at 9:00 am.

**"BEING A MISSION-ORIENTED CHURCH THAT
FORMS DISCIPLES OF JESUS."**

**MAIN FAMILY OF PARISHES' OFFICE HOURS: Immaculate Heart at St. Michael's Church—2153 Parkwood Avenue
Tues. to Fri. 9 am.—2 pm. Please call Shirl at 519-258-0910 Ext. 200
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church—804 Grand Marais Rd. East**



BAPTISM FOR OLPH & IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH

Once you have filled out the online baptism registration form from our website, Christine will email you with the available dates. Baptisms for OLPH and Immaculate Heart take place during our weekend Masses. Saturday evening at 5:00 pm. or Sunday morning at 10:30 am. at OLPH or at Immaculate Heart at 12:30 pm. Information about the one required baptismal prep night will be sent to you once the registration form has been received by Christine. Further information is found on our website. Please direct questions to Christine at 519-966-1953, Ext:226 or email her ctoffolon@dol.ca



To Everything there is a season... "a time to be healed..."

For our parishioners who are sick, in the hospital or awaiting surgery.

There is "a time for everything under Heaven...."

For those who have died from our families and from our Rose City Central Catholic Family of Parishes.

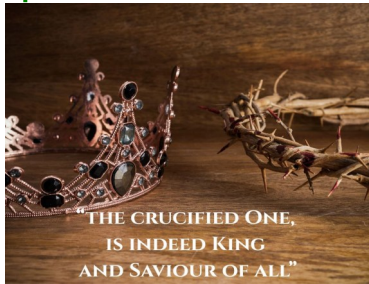
Pope's Prayer Intentions for November: For the prevention of suicide: Let us pray that those who are tempted to commit suicide might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Gospel Background: Luke 23:35-43

Jesus is crucified under the title King of the Jews.

Today as a Church, we conclude our liturgical year and celebrate the Feast of Christ the King. The Gospel we proclaim shows the great mystery of our faith: In the moment of his crucifixion, Jesus is shown to be King and Savior of all.

Luke's Gospel has been loaded with surprises: the poor are rich, sinners find salvation, the Kingdom of God is found in our midst. Here we see the greatest surprise of all. We are confronted with the crucified Jesus, whom faith tells us is King and Savior of all. The irony is that the inscription placed on the cross, perhaps in mockery, contains the profoundest of truth. As the leaders jeer, the thief crucified by his side recognizes Jesus as Messiah and King, and finds salvation.



"THE CRUCIFIED ONE, IS INDEED KING AND SAVIOUR OF ALL."

Jesus is King, but not the kind of king we might have imagined or expected. His kingship was hidden from many of his contemporaries, but those who had the eyes of faith were able to see. As modern disciples of Jesus, we, too, struggle at times to recognize Jesus as King. Today's Gospel invites us to make our own judgment. With eyes of faith, we, too, recognize that Jesus, the crucified One, is indeed King and Savior of all. *from <https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/>

ANNIVERSARY Blessings to...

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH AS THEY CELEBRATE THEIR 75TH ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEKEND.



ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR IMMACULATE HEART/ST. MICHAEL & OLPH CHURCHES



Tues. Nov. 25 at 6:00 pm. at OLPH

- + **Larry & Brian Blain**... *by Lynn Blain*
- + **Tom & Betty Mailloux**... *by Family*
- + **Roger Miron** ... *by Paulette Houle*
- + **Armando, Assunta & Alfonso Pagliarella**... *by Giovanna Pagliarella*
- + **Maria Filipina S. Mantala** ... *by Family*
- + **Anna Maria Tulli** ... *by Giovanna Pagliarella*

Wed. Nov. 26 at 12:00 pm. at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael

- Intentions of John Nabben** ... *by Family*
- Intentions of Elizabeth Chemel** ... *by Family*
- + **Adam Chemel** ... *by Family*
- + **Herman Nabben** ... *by Nabben Family*
- + **All Souls in Purgatory** ... *by Tony Barbic*
- + **Lorenz Thier** ... *by Parishioner*

Thurs. Nov. 27 at 6:00 pm. at OLPH

- + **Domenico & Virginia Cristini & Family** ... *by Giovanna Pagliarella*
- + **Guillermo Aguirre & Delia Aguirre**... *by Elizabeth Rosete*
- + **Maria Filipina S. Mantal** ... *by Family*
- + **Rowena & Ruben Rigor** ... *by Family*
- + **Ma Purificacim Mantala Jr.** ... *by Rem & Aileen Manalang*
- + **Pasquale, Assunta & Luigi Cocco**... *by Giovanna Pagliarella*

Fri. Nov. 28 at 8:00 am. at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael

- Special intention** ... *by Tony Barbic*
- + **Michael Hardstone** ... *by Silvio Corrente*
- + **John Dufour** ... *by Susan Richard*
- + **All Souls in Purgatory**

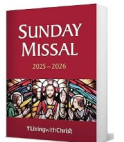
REMEMBERING OUR LOVED ONES

The **BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE** is on display at both our parishes. In memory of our loved ones who have died, you are invited to write their names down in our Book of Remembrance. During the month of November we will pray for all those names inscribed in our Book of Remembrance at both parishes.



LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS

The new Missals for 2025-2026 are available for purchase at both Churches. At OLPH they are at the Welcome Desk. Please leave the \$5.00 in the envelope provided and put the envelope in the Collection basket. At Immaculate Heart the Missals are \$5.00. There is a jar at the back of the church on the usher's counter with a sign.



"The Lord sits as King for ever. The Lord will bless his people with peace." Psalm 28



SSVP GIVING TREE

Gift Cards from Walmart
\$10.00 or \$20.00
denomination

Please mark the amount on the card.
No little envelopes are needed.

Return by Dec. 14
in the Collection Basket
 Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Church Conference



Although, tags are no longer hung on a Christmas tree at **OLPH Church**, the tradition of the **GIVING TREE** still continues. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at OLPH, we are asking for donations of gift cards in increments of \$10.00 and \$20.00 from Walmart. *(please mark the amount on the gift cards. The little envelopes are not required)* The gift cards will be distributed to local families who are in need to assist them in Christmas shopping for their own children.

ADVENT REFLECTION MATERIALS

Next weekend on the First Sunday of Advent we will be offering to our parishioners at Immaculate Heart/St. Michael's & OLPH Church free Advent Reflection booklets. We invite you to take one home and use it during the four weeks of Advent. We have Waiting in Joyful Hope daily devotions - Prepare Him Room, Gospel Crafts for children & more. There are resources online as well. You can get a direct link to some of the resources from our website at olph.dionet.org including Dynamic Catholic, Bishop Barron (Word on Fire), the Hallow app, the Amen app & Holy Heroes.



THANK YOU EVERYONE

Who attended our Breakfast.
 We had the best attendance since 2020.

FROM THE MOTHER TERESA
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Together, let's call for the cancellation of unjust debts in the Global South!

Last June, we were present at the G7 in Alberta in response to Pope Francis's call to Turn Debt into Hope in this Jubilee Year.

Help us reach our goal of 60,000 signatures on the global petition for cancelling the unjust debts in the Global South and reforming the global financial system to prevent debt crises from recurring. Sign the petition at devp.org/debt to help us amplify this message at COP30 and the G20 this fall. Together, let's ensure that everyone has the right to a future free from unjust and crippling debt. <https://devp.org/en/campaign/turn-debt-into-hope/act-debt-2025/>



OLPH SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

If you would like to make a monetary donation to the SSVP we offer the option for you to make an e-transfer to ssvpolph@hotmail.com in the memo line please put your name & address. The answer to the question is : SSVPOLPH or you may leave a donation in the offertory basket. The SSVP green envelopes are found next to the offertory basket. Calls to the SSVP can be reached at **519-966-1953 EXT. 236**



IMMACULATE HEART GIVING TREE

Did you know that the request for baskets and children's gifts are sent to us by our feeder schools? This allows us to ask for a gift for a particular age and gender. The total number of tags out on the tree is based on the total number of children in our program.

We have a **NO CLOTHING POLICY** because no two children of the same age and gender are the same size. Receiving a gift of clothing that doesn't fit would be disappointing to any child.

Here are a few simple guidelines when taking a tag from our tree

- **ONLY NEW UNWRAPPED GIFTS**
- **NO CLOTHING**
- **PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPLYING BATTERIES IF THE GIFT REQUIRES THEM**
- **WHILE IT IS THOUGHTFUL AND GENEROUS TO INCLUDE SOME SORT OF CANDY OR TREAT, WE ASK THAT YOU REFRAIN AS SOME CHILDREN HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES**
- **IF DONATING A "GIFT CARD" PLEASE LEAVE IT ON THE USHER'S BENCH IN A SEALED ENVELOPE WITH THE TAG INSIDE, AND MARK IT GIVING TREE**

RETURNING THE GIFT WITH THE TAG ATTACHED AND BY THE RETURN DATE AS SPECIFIED, ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT PARTS OF THE PROGRAM.

We hope these guidelines have answered some of your questions. The Immaculate Heart CWL members thank you in advance for all your support this Christmas. God Bless all of you.



GIVING TREE IMMACULATE HEART



- 1** CHOOSE A TAG FROM THE TREE
- 2** SHOP FOR THE CHILD ON THE TAG
- 3** DO NOT WRAP THE GIFT
- 4** KEEP THE TAG AND ATTACH TO THE GIFT
- 5** RETURN GIFT AND TAG TO THE CHURCH BY DEC. 14



BINGO & GAMING—OLPH CHURCH

Our next assigned session at the **All Star Gaming Centre** on Walker Rd. is on **Sunday, December 7 from 10:00 pm—12:00 am..**

We purchased the Sunday Missal for Young Catholics from our cbingo bank account.

OLPH MEMORIAL FLOWERS

There is a Christmas Flower Donation Envelope in your offertory envelope boxes. If you would like to donate towards the Christmas Flowers in memory of a loved one, just fill out the front of the envelope and enclose your donation. You can put your envelope in the collection basket.



If you do not have offertory envelopes, please put your donation in the Christmas Memorial envelopes on the Welcome Desk.

Please return the envelope by Sun. Dec. 14 (no later), in order for us to include your loved ones' name in our Christmas Booklet.

IMMACULATE HEART CWL

Members your dues are being collected now for the 2026 year.



They are \$35.00. You can put them in an envelope with your name on it and give the dues to Mary, put them into the Collection basket or drop them off to the office.

OLPH CWL PADDLE AUCTION

Join in the fun with the OLPH CWL Paddle Auction on Fri. Dec. 5. The paddle auction will take place during our Pasta Dinner. Bring your quarters for a friendly bidding competition against others for your desired prize. Paddles are \$10.00 each with \$2.00 in quarters given to you to begin your fun.



PASTA SAUCE CONTEST—PASTA DINNER

We are inviting parishioners to enter into the CWL Pasta Sauce Contest on Fri. Dec. 5. Make a batch of your favourite sauce and you could win a William's Food Gift Certificate and bragging rights for the best pasta sauce in the parish! Sign up sheet at the Welcome Desk.



(Immaculate Heart/St. Michael's chefs are invited to enter the contest as well)

IMMACULATE HEART PARISH CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL BOOKLET

We will remember at all our Christmas Masses all of our beloved deceased. If you would like your loved one to be remembered in our Memorial Booklet, please PRINT the names of your loved ones whom you wish to include and as you want them to appear in the booklet on the special envelopes found at the back of the church. Donations will be used for Christmas flowers and decorations. Place this envelope in the Collection basket or deliver it to the office. The deadline to submit the envelope is December 14.



BINGO COMMITTEE AT IMMACULATE HEART

Please do not forget to support our Church Bingo's from Immaculate Heart Church. They are held at **All Star Gaming Centre** on Walker Rd. The Bingos are very important to Immaculate Heart parish. A big thank you to all the volunteers and participants who continually make the effort to support Immaculate Heart parish. Our next assigned dates are **Wednesday, November 26 from 2—4:00 pm. & Wednesday December 17 from 2—4:00 pm..**



SSVP AT IMMACULATE HEART

Tuesday December 2nd has been proclaimed **"GIVING TUESDAY"**. If you are able please consider making a non perishable food donation or a monetary donation to help feed those in need.



St. Vincent de Paul food calls: **519-258-0910 Ext. 235**
God Bless all of you.

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers

All current Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers from Immaculate Heart, St. Michael's & Our Lady of Perpetual Help are required to attend one training date.



Thurs. Nov. 27 at 6:30 pm. at OLPH or Sun., Nov. 30 at 1:30 pm. at St. Michael's.

Call Shirl in the office or email Christine with your chosen date & time.



YOU ARE INVITED TO A Christmas TURKEY LUNCH

Sun, December 14 at 1:30 pm.
IMMACULATE HEART/ST. MICHAEL'S HALL
TICKETS ON SALE BEGINNING NOV.29 AT BOTH CHURCHES.

\$15.00/PERSON, \$5/KIDS UNDER 13 OR \$40/FAMILY OF FOUR.

PROCEEDS TO SVDP.

ENJOY TURKEY, DRESSING, VEGETABLES, SALAD AND DESSERT.



FEAST & MEMORIAL DAYS

November 24—St. Andrew Dűng-Lac & Companions
November 25—St. Catherine of Alexandria
November 29—Our Lady’s Saturday



READINGS OF THE WEEK



Monday— Wisdom 3:1-9; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 125; Gospel, Matthew 10:17-22
Tuesday— Daniel 2:31-45; Responsorial Psalm, Daniel 3; Gospel, Luke 21:5-11
Wednesday— Daniel 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Responsorial Psalm, Daniel 3:62; Gospel, Luke 21:12-19
Thursday—Daniel 6:12-28; Responsorial Psalm, Daniel 3:68; Gospel, Luke 21:20-28
Friday— Daniel 7:2-14; Responsorial Psalm, Daniel 3:75; Gospel, Luke 21:29-33
Saturday— Daniel 7:15-27; Responsorial Psalm, Daniel 3:82; Gospel, Luke 21:34-36
Sunday— First Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5; Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 122: Second Reading: Romans 13:11-14 Gospel, Matthew 24:37-44



Immaculate Heart/
St. Michael’s Church

Friday, Dec. 5
8:30 am. - 5:00 pm.

*Adoration
of the Blessed Sacrament*



2153 Parkwood Ave.

HOLY FAMILY RETREAT HOUSE

READY – SET – GO! Catholic Men’s Retreat—November 28 to 30, 2025 As the Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee draws to a close, join us as Fr. John Shiha explores with us how Hope empowers us to move ahead with courage, faith, and purpose and enables us to recommit living out that virtue as a steady, spiritual strength rooted in Christ. Experience inspiring talks, celebration of the Sacraments, quiet reflection, and meaningful comradery. Cost is \$300 per person. To register or for more info call 519-738-6136 or visit www.hfrh.ca/upcoming-retreats.

**Immaculate Heart/
St. Michael Church**
*Healing
Mass*
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5 AT 7:00 PM.
PRAYER TEAMS AFTER MASS
CONFESSIONS AT 6:15 PM

Anniversary
BLESSINGS TO...
THE POLISH SCHOOL AT HOLY TRINITY ON THEIR
100TH ANNIVERSARY
The Ursuline Sisters SJK in Canada on their
60th Anniversary at Holy Trinity

Confirmation Registration

Register today on our website at olph.dionet.org for the 2026 preparation classes. They will begin in Jan. 2026.
**Registration will close on
Dec. 14, 2025**
Email Christine with questions or concerns - ctoffolon@dol.ca

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND
OLPH CWL
PASTA DINNER & PADDLE AUCTION
FRIDAY DEC. 5
At 6.00 pm. OLPH Church hall
Adults - \$15.00
Child - 5- 11 yrs. - \$7.00
Tickets on sale Nov. 29/30
Email Christine to reserve your tickets after Nov. 30. No tickets sold at the door

PARISH COMMITTEES & GROUPS at

IMMACULATE HEART

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Anna St. Antoine; President

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Pat Rondot; President

SACRISTAN

Vicky Masotti

HOMEBOUND

Paulette DesRosiers

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Pat & Michelle Rondot

DECORATOR

Maricar Nicolas

PARISH COMMITTEES & GROUPS at OLPH

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Pat Power, Grand Knight

Steven Pellarin, Deputy Grand Knight

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

Janis McIsaac; President

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:

Phil Anderson; President

PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY

Dory Jimenez

SOCIAL JUSTICE



Welcome! We are glad you joined us! Registration forms are available online- on our website or in the narthex or back of the Church. If you need to update your information on record, please email or call the office .



**Mass Intentions at OLPH can be made with Christine by emailing her, or leaving an envelope in the offertory basket,. Mass Intentions for Immaculate Heart or St. Michael's can be made by leaving an envelope in the offertory basket or calling Shirl at 519-258-0910 or by emailing her. .Mass Intentions are \$10.00 each.

** Please note that if you are asking for a certain date please send in your request at least three weeks in advance. Thank you.

Pastoral Family of Parishes Council

Father Glen Ball * Father Stanislaw Izdebski Holy Trinity * Father Miro St. Francis of Assisi * Sister Elzbieta Mruczek Holy Trinity * Christine Toffolon Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Chris Sak (Chair) Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Tony Blak Holy Trinity * Angie Mora St. Michael * Tina Papac St. Francis of Assisi * Steve Pellarin Our Lady of Perpetual Help * Michelle Rondot Immaculate Heart * Victor Wolanski Holy Trinity * Nancy Charron (recording secretary) Our Lady of Perpetual Help

AA meetings are held every Tuesday at 10:00 am. in the small hall at Immaculate Heart Church.

Follow & Like us on Facebook at Rose City Central Catholic Family of Parishes



All families from Immaculate Heart & OLPH are invited

TO OUR
Nativity Party

RSVP on our website if your family will be joining us for this FREE event
DEC. 14 | 2:00 PM
at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church - in the hall

Your family must be registered to attend olph.dionet.org

Rose City Central Catholic Family of Parishes

First Reconciliation & First Communion

Register now for the preparation classes for Immaculate Heart & OLPH Church. Go to our website olph.dionet.org .

Registration closes **Dec. 14 2025.**
Questions or concerns email Christine at cteffolon@dol.ca

WINTER 2026 CLASSES:

- Catholicism and Dialogue
- Directed Readings in Catholic Studies
- Major Paper in Catholic Studies

Deadline to Apply: December 12, 2025
Scholarships Available
Deadline to Apply: November 28, 2025 at Noon

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