

# *St. Gregory's Parish*

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## *Feast of the Holy Family*



# The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

## MASS INTENTIONS

- Sun, Dec 29** 1Sm 1.20-22, 24-28 ~ 1Jn 3.1-2, 21-24 ~ Lk 2.41-52  
*Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*  
**9:00am** John McCullough *deceased*  
**11:00am** For our parishioners and their families
- Mon., Dec. 30** 1Jn 2:12-17 ~ Lk 2.36-40
- Tue., Dec. 31** 1Jn 2.18-21 ~ Jn 1.1-18  
*Saint Sylvester I*  
**5:00pm** Albert & Carmela Paolone,  
Charles & Fran Pedlar *deceased*
- Wed., Jan. 1** Nm 6.22-27 ~ Gal 4.4-7 ~ Lk 2.16-21  
*Mary the Holy Mother of God*  
**9:00am** Florence & Bernie Smith *deceased*  
**11:00am** Alexander & Loretta Czerwinski *deceased*
- Thu., Jan. 2** 1Jn 2.22-28 ~ Jn 1.19-28  
*Saint Basil the Great & Saint Gregory Nazianzen*  
**9:00am** Alban Mendes *deceased*
- Fri. Jan. 3** 1Jn 2.29; 3.1-6 ~ Jn 1.29-34  
*The Most Holy Name of Jesus*  
**9:00am** For the intentions of Joann Pettitt
- Sat., Jan 4** 1Jn 3.7-10 ~ Jn 1.35-42  
**5:00pm** For the souls in Purgatory  
Harvey Sazunic *deceased*
- Sun, Jan 5** Is 60.1-6 ~ Eph 3.2-3a, 5-6 ~ Mt 2.1-12  
*Epiphany of the Lord*  
**9:00am** Deceased members of the Mendes family  
**11:00am** For our parishioners and their families

Please pray for the sick especially those whose names are recorded in our Parish book of intentions and for the repose of the souls of those who have died; may the souls in Purgatory, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

*Please call the office if you would like to add an intention in our Parish book of intentions.*

## New Year Mass schedule 2024 / 2025

Tuesday	Dec. 31st New Year's Eve	5:00 pm
Wednesday	January 1st New Year's Day	9:00 am
		11:00 am



## Office Schedule for New Year's 2024/2025

Sunday	Dec. 29th	Closed
Monday	Dec. 30th	9:00am - 4:00pm
Tuesday	Dec. 31st	9:00am - 12 noon
Wednesday	Jan 1st	closed
Thursday	Jan 2nd	9:00am - 4:00pm



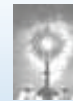
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### **FIRST Friday**

**January 3rd**

Mass - 9:00am

Holy Hour - 9:30am - 10:30am



### **FIRST Tuesday**

**January 7th**

Exposition - 6:30pm to 7:30pm

with Vespers followed by a simple Benediction

Mass - 7:30pm



Registrations for Confirmation closes on

**Friday, February 21, 2025.**

Completed forms must be submitted to the church office. If you have questions or concerns, please call the Church office at 416-239-4831

## **Sunday Readings**

*Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*  
1Sm 1.20-22, 24-28 ~ 1Jn 3.1-2, 21-24 ~ Lk 2.41-52



December 29, 2024



From Fr. Sean and staff

**2024  
Tax Receipts**

If you have moved in the last twelve months, please let us know if you have not already done so.

**Sunday envelopes**

The 2025 envelope boxes are now available. They are located in the Narthex of the Church, displayed in alphabetical order.

If you cannot find your box, please, call the Parish office at 416 239 4831.

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Thank you again for your support of the work of Good Shepherd — we wish everyone at St. Gregory's a Merry Christmas and a New Year filled with health and happiness.



**Jubilee Year 2025 - Pilgrims of Hope**



The Catholic Church worldwide will be celebrating a special Jubilee Year in 2025. This has been a tradition dating back to the year 1300 when Pope Boniface VIII announced the first Jubilee, which is also referred to as a "Holy Year". The frequency has changed over time, with a Jubilee year originally celebrated every 100 years, later every 50 years and, more recently, every 25 years or at the request of the Holy Father.

The Jubilee Year includes many celebrations within the city of Rome and also local initiatives in dioceses around the world. The theme of the 2025 Jubilee will be "Pilgrims of Hope". In the words of Pope Francis: *"We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us, and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart and far-sighted vision."*

The Holy Father will open the Jubilee Year on December 24, 2024, with the official opening of the Holy Door of Saint Peter's Basilica and continuing until January 6, 2026, the Solemnity of the Epiphany, with the closing of the Holy Door.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto, we will open the Jubilee Year with a Solemn Opening Mass taking place on Sunday, December 29, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. All are invited to join in this special celebration. Please note that the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available prior to the Eucharist from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

May this Holy Year provide a grace-filled opportunity to nurture the seeds of faith for you and your loved ones, immersing ourselves as Pilgrims of Hope into a year-long journey of prayer, witness and service drawing on the example of Jesus, our Lord.

**St. Gregory's CWL Membership Form**

2025 CWL Membership dues are \$40

To join or renew your membership, please include this completed form along with your payment, by Cash or Cheque payable to: St. Gregory's Catholic Women's League. Place in an envelope marked "CWL Membership" and drop in the collection basket at any Mass, or by mail to: St. Gregory's Catholic Women's League 122 Rathburn Rd, Etobicoke M9B 2K6

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