

St Timothy Church

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MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday and Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

Thursday: 9:00 a.m.

Friday: 9:15 a.m.

PARISH STAFF

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The office is located in the church vestibule.

Prayer Group: prayergroup@sttimothychurch.ca

Knights of Columbus: www.kofc8851.org

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SCHOOLS:

Saint Andrew	519-942-0262
Saint Benedict	519-942-5980
Saint Peter	519-941-2741
Robert F. Hall	905-584-1670

BAPTISM

Celebrated weekly.

Pick up application form in the vestibule.

Contact Mary Chiasson for more information.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

Anytime by appointment.

MARRIAGE

Contact Parish Priest one year in advance.

Marriage course required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact Parish Priest to make an appointment.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Contact Mary Chiasson, Pastoral Assistant

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Holy Hour on Fridays at 7:00 p.m.

HOLY ROSARY

20 minutes before all Masses

BEQUESTS: In your kindness, please remember your parish family in your bequests. Contact Lenore Ulrick at the office.

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

For emergency food assistance contact
519-941-2424 (extension 230)

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Individual, couple and family counselling.
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New To The Parish: Welcome! Registering as a parishioner of St Timothy Church offers you and your family members a number of benefits. Kindly contact the church office to complete a registration form and receive your parish registration number.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tues. Jan. 28 7:00pm	
Wed. Jan. 29 7:00pm	†Betty Lou Desjardins
Thurs. Jan. 30 9:00am	Intentions of Helena Mervart
Fri. Jan. 31 9:15am	
Sat. Feb. 1 5:00pm	†Deceased & Living members of the Farrugia & Zammit families
Sun. Feb. 2 9:00am 11:00am	For the people of St Timothy Church †Maggie & Paul Kannampuzha Varghese
PARISH ACTIVITIES/MEETINGS	
Wed. Jan. 29 10:00am 6:00pm	CWL Crafts ~ hall Music Practice ~ church
Thurs. Jan. 30 9:30am 9:00am-1:00pm	Prayer Group ~ hall Eucharistic Adoration ~ church
Fri. Jan. 31 7:00pm	Holy Hour ~ church
Sat. Feb. 1 7:00am	TMIY ~hall
Sun. Feb. 2 10:00am 2:00pm	Coffee Sunday ~ hall Baptism ~ church

ST VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

A heartfelt thank you to all the parishioners of St Timothy's who donated so generously to our SSVF Christmas drive. Many people in our community benefited from your kindness at this special time of year. Thank you!

The 2024 Parish Tax receipts are being processed, assuming Canada Post is on time, you will receive then the mail on or before February 9th, 2024



From the desk of Fr. Gustavo

MARY'S MODESTY

St Ambrose holds up Mary as an example of modesty. She spent her time alone with Scripture, and instead of being proud to be chosen by God she became even more humble.

Ask yourself, how can I imitate Mary's example of humble and selfless service?

God sees us on the inside, but the outside is for all other people to judge. The way we present ourselves should convey an image of the soul inside. As St Ambrose tell us, there is no better example to follow than the Virgin Mary.

Pray today to her and invite her into your heart.



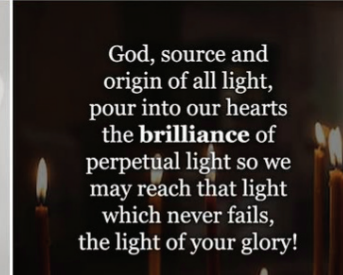
FEBRUARY 2 *Feast of the Presentation of the Lord*

"Our lighted candles are a sign of the **divine splendour** of the One who comes to expel the dark shadows of evil and to make the whole universe radiant with the brilliance of His eternal light. Our candles also show how bright **our souls** should be when we go to meet Christ. The Mother of God, the most pure Virgin, carried the true Light in her arms and brought Him to those who lay in darkness. **We too should carry a light for all to see and reflect the radiance of the true Light as we hasten to meet Him.**"

St. Sophronius; Office of Readings, Liturgy of the Hours, February 2

WHAT:
The commemoration of the presentation of Jesus in the Temple and the purification of Mary after his birth, in fulfilment of the Law of Moses

ALSO KNOWN AS:
"Candlemas" because of the tradition of blessing and lighting of candles on that day, in recognition of Jesus being the light of the world

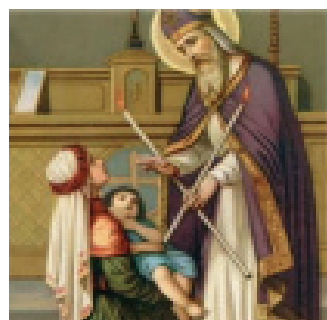


God, source and origin of all light, pour into our hearts the **brilliance** of perpetual light so we may reach that light which never fails, the light of your glory!



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Purchase your Presentation of the Lord candles on the weekends of Jan. 26th & Feb. 2nd, in the vestibule for \$4.00. Bring them with you (or bring your own from home) to Mass on Feb. 2nd weekend for the Candlemas Celebration.



On Monday February 3rd we will be celebrating the Memorial of St Blaise, the Patron Saint of Throats.

A blessing of the throats with the St Blaise candle will be given at the 10:00am Mass.



The first Building Improvement Fund Collection for 2025 will take place on February 2nd.

These funds are used to make necessary repairs and improvements to both our church and rectory. The BIF (green) envelopes are included in your offertory box and are also available at all the church entrances. The collection will be taken up after Holy Communion. *We thank you for your generosity.*

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

St Timothy Parish Mass Celebrations Including the rite for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick on:
Saturday, 8th February 2025 at 10:00am

&
Tuesday, 11th February 2025 at 9:00am
Celebrant: Fr Gustavo Campo



Who may be anointed?

This sacrament is not for those only who are at the point of death. Hence, as soon as anyone of the faithful begins to be in danger of death from sickness or old age, it is fitting for them to receive this sacrament. It is also fitting to receive the Anointing of the Sick prior to a serious operation.

St. Timothy's CWL Valentines Bake Sale

Feb. 8/9 after all Masses



Anyone wishing to contribute their favourite baked goodie, please bring your donation to the church on Saturday February 8th, from 12noon to 2pm. We will be sorting, wrapping & pricing items at this time. Thank you for your support, which is greatly appreciated.

Ps. Please make any items containing nuts.



In the modern Christian era, a so-called "ordinary" jubilee year occurs once every 25 years. During these years the faithful are invited to take advantage of an expanded opportunity to experience the transformation that God's holiness makes possible. During this particular jubilee year, Pope Francis invites all to reflect upon the virtue of hope as an important aspect of the Christian Life. In the period between ordinary jubilee years, the Pope can choose to proclaim an "extraordinary" jubilee. This is what Pope Francis did with the 2016 Jubilee of Mercy. The Holy Doors of Saint Peter's Basilica at the Vatican are open until 6 January 2026. Jubilee celebrations are observed around the world until 28 December 2025.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto, several churches have been designated as pilgrimage sites for the duration of the Jubilee, including Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica in Toronto; Saint Paul's Basilica, Toronto; Saint Padre Pio Parish, Kleinburg; Martyrs' Shrine, Midland; Saint Mary's Parish, Brampton; St. Mary's Parish, Barrie; St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough; St. Edward the Confessor Parish, North York; St. Mary's Parish, Toronto, Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Etobicoke; and St. Gregory the Great Parish, Oshawa. *The usual requirements to gain an indulgent is to visit one of the above Churches, go to Confession and to receive Holy Communion.* Visit <http://archtoronto.org/jubilee> for resources across the archdiocese.

Further information will be forthcoming regarding pilgrimage opportunities this year with Fr Gustavo and his parishioners as well as information relating to plenary indulgences as part of pilgrimages during the Jubilee Year.

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

Parents of male children ages 8 and up, who are interested in serving at the altar are asked to sign up their child's name on the Sign-Up sheet located in the church vestibule or contact Mary Chiasson.

Training will be provided by our parish priest: Fr Gustavo.

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