



# OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD

## ASCENSION SUNDAY

## MAY 16, 2021

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### Let's Help Heal India!



India is reeling from a devastating COVID-19 outbreak. In recent days, the country has been reporting more than 400,000 of new cases and 4,000 deaths every 24 hours. International observers expect that the actual numbers are significantly higher. The medical system, funeral services and other social supports are unable to meet the country's needs at this time.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will send donations through Development and Peace to Caritas Internationalis, an international confederation of Catholic humanitarian organizations that is already in India helping those who are suffering during this COVID-19 outbreak. Since the pandemic began, India's Catholic Church, acting principally through Caritas India, has been supporting some of the most disadvantaged groups, such as those with inadequate housing, migrant labourers, persons with special needs and widows, through various relief services. To learn more about Caritas' work in India, please watch this video: <http://bit.ly/CaritasIndiaRelief>

#### There are three ways you can donate:

- **Online through OLQW website:** <https://www.olqw.com/india-humanitarian-relief>
  - **By phone through the Development Office:** 416-934-3411
  - **Through our parish by cheque payable to:** OLQW – India's COVID-19 Outbreak – Disaster Relief
- Please continue to pray for the people of India and all those who are suffering from COVID-19. Thank You!

### MASS SCHEDULE

**WE ARE CURRENTLY IN LOCKDOWN. Public Masses are currently cancelled due to directives from the government. Please stay connected with us by participating in our livestream Masses.**

**LIVESTREAMED MASSES** are available by subscribing to our YouTube Channel [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9lj9qPj6GMkn1dpxH\\_GrVg](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC9lj9qPj6GMkn1dpxH_GrVg)

- Monday: 8:30 am**
- Tuesday: 7:00 pm**
- Wednesday: 7:00 pm** (Rosary at 6:40 pm)
- Thursday: 8:30 am**
- Friday 7:00 pm**
- Saturday: 5:00 pm**
- Sunday: 9:00 am**

**Office open by appointment only.**

### Mass Intentions

**Monday May 17**  
8:30 am +Fr. Paul K. req. Daisy Fisher

**Tuesday May 18**  
7:00 pm +Fr. Isaac req. Daisy Fisher

**Wednesday May 19**  
7:00 pm +Kim Chan Soo and Ahn Bo Hwa req. Henry Kwan

**Thursday May 20**  
8:30 am +Selina Wong req. Millie Wan

**Friday May 21**  
7:00 pm +Celestino, Nicolina & Antonietta Cornacchia req. Corradino family

**Saturday May 22**  
5:00 pm Mass

**Sunday May 23**  
9:00 am Mass offered for all parishioners

### We pray for our departed

We pray for all who have died, especially, Vanessa Zentil, may they find peace in their eternal home.

### We pray for all our sick

May God ease their pain and give them peace and strength. We pray especially for Lina Cerundolo, Bart Gibbons, Helen Galeota, Theresa Gallant and all those whose names we have placed on our altar.

### NEVER ALONE

LIFE WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

### New Youth Faith Program

Every Catholic Christian is invited into a living relationship with the Holy Spirit. It is in living life with the Holy Spirit that we find answers to some of young people's deepest longings: Who am I? Where do I belong? How do I know what to do with my life? Is this all there is?

OLQW Parish is offering a new exciting 4-part online program "Never Alone - Life with the Holy Spirit" for youth (from [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org)). We will learn about the influence of the Holy Spirit in our lives, particularly from a young person's perspective. Our one hour sessions will include watching a video with reflections and testimonies, followed by group discussion.

The program begins on **Sunday May 16 and runs weekly until Sunday June 6 from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.** There will also be a special closing session on **Sunday June 13 from 1:30 to 2:30 pm.**

All youth of our parish are invited to participate. **Please contact Dorothy Whelan at [dwhelan@archtoronto.org](mailto:dwhelan@archtoronto.org) for the Zoom link.**



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## Upcoming Events, Webinars and Faith Formation Workshops

### Global Week of Prayer for China: May 23 to May 30

Full-blown persecution of Christians in China has been underway for years but has intensified under cover of the pandemic.

The president of the Federation of Asian Bishops' Conferences, Cardinal Charles Bo, announced an urgent appeal for a Global Week of Prayer for the Church and the Peoples of China, from May 23 to 30. These dates are in keeping with the tradition set by Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI designating the Feast of Our Lady Help of Christians as a day to pray especially for the Church in China.

To learn more visit: <https://globalprayerforchina.org>

### St. Teresa of Avila – Spiritual Life Series

Hosted by Newman Centre Catholic Mission

A new spiritual life series based on the book, *The Interior Castle*, by St. Teresa of Avila. A six part series: **Mondays, May 31; June 14, 28; July 12, 26; and August 9 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

presented by Fr. Peter Turrone, pastor of the Newman Centre. There will also be time for group discussions.

**Register:** <https://stteresaofavila.eventbrite.ca>

**Contact:** [lenita.lopes@newmantoronto.com](mailto:lenita.lopes@newmantoronto.com)

**Website:** [www.newmantoronto.com](http://www.newmantoronto.com)

**Poster:** <http://bit.ly/StTeresaWebinar>

### To browse faith workshops:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/our-community/programs--workshops/>

### To browse all events:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/calendar-of-events/event-listing/>

## Sacramental Programs of Preparation for 2021/2022.

If your family is registered at Our Lady Queen of the World Parish and have a child who will be in Gr 2 or above, who would like to participate in the **First Communion** program that begins in the Fall of 2021, or have a young person starting in Gr.7 or above in September, who would like to participate in the Sacramental preparation program for **Confirmation** contact [dwhelan@archtoronto.org](mailto:dwhelan@archtoronto.org) to receive information on the registration process. Please include: Candidate's full name, grade in September, School attending in the fall and a contact phone number.

## Have you signed up for FORMED?

FORMED is a wonderful website that has been called a "Catholic Netflix." FORMED has inspiring movies and video based studies, audio talks and e-books from the Church's most compelling speakers and authors.

Our parish has invested in FORMED, so that each of us might grow in our faith and share the Gospel with others. It's EASY and FREE to sign up for FORMED! Follow these steps:

1. Go to <https://formed.org/signup>
2. Enter our parish name or postal code, click Next
3. Enter your name and email address and you are in.
4. Want access on the go? FORMED is also available on MyParish App.

Some picks on FORMED for this week:

- [Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord \(Year B\)](#)
- [Fatima Gems](#)
- [The Fruits of the Holy Spirit](#)

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Living the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy.

### Bundle-Up Collection



Let's be thankful for our blessings and continue to be generous to all those in need especially during this pandemic. There are many ways we can continue to help. One is to bring your extra gently used clothing and linens to our **Bundle-up Collection** on the weekend of **May 22/23** in the OLQW parking lot.



## My Parish App - Your Faith at your fingertips!

- List of Traditional Prayers
- Daily Readings and Reflections
- Access to Livestream Mass
- Submit Prayer Requests to the Parish
- Access to FORMED (and other Catholic websites with helpful faith resources)
- Ability to sign up for parish groups to stay connected with the parish.

Learn more or download our parish app at [myparishapp.com](http://myparishapp.com) (Available on Apple or Android phones)

## Liturgy of The Word with CHILDREN

Open to all children (JK to Gr. 4)



Sundays at 11:30 am (on ZOOM)

For a secure link please email: [lwcatolqw@gmail.com](mailto:lwcatolqw@gmail.com)

Our amazing team continues their devotion to keep our dear children in close touch with God and our faith.

Together in Spirit!  
Walk with Hope

Thank You!  
for your support

OLQW Parish Team was able to raise over \$6,500 for L'Arche Daybreak.

## Support Our Parish

Mail: 10411 Bayview Avenue, Richmond Hill, ON L4C 3P2

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Pre-Authorized Giving

For more information visit [www.olqw.com/donation](http://www.olqw.com/donation)

To support our local businesses visit: <https://www.olqw.com/commercial>

Thank you for your dedicated support.

## VOCATIONS

### Where is the Holy Spirit leading you?

Before the Ascension, Jesus tells His Apostles not to leave Jerusalem to wait to pray for the Holy Spirit to show them God's will for their future. Where is the Holy Spirit leading you? If you feel that you are being led to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact:

**Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997** or email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) or visit: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

We pray for our newly ordained priests **Rev. Arthur Lee** and **Rev. Andrew Taylor**. We also pray for all who are discerning and who are currently in formation in all our seminaries.

### Ascension Prayer - [mycatholic.life](http://mycatholic.life)

**O Lord Jesus, I adore you, Son of Mary, my Saviour and my Brother, for You are God. I follow You in my thoughts, O first-fruits of our race, as I hope one day by Your grace to follow You in my person into heavenly glory.**

**Until then, do not let me neglect the earthly task which You have given me. Let me labour diligently all my life with a greater appreciation for the present. Let me realize that only by accomplishing true human fulfillment can I attain Divine fulfillment and ascend to You at the completion of my work. – Amen.**