

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

91 RIBBLESDALE DRIVE, WHITBY, ONTARIO CANADA L1N 6Z3

TEL: 905.665.6470 | FAX: 905.665.6651 | <https://holyfamilywh.archtoronto.org>

Email: holy.family@rogers.com | Facebook: [Holy.Family.Parish.Whitby](https://www.facebook.com/Holy.Family.Parish.Whitby) | Instagram: [#holyfamilywh](https://www.instagram.com/holyfamilywh)

Rectory Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m

PASTOR: Rev. Fr. Laszlo Nagy

ASSOCIATE: Rev Fr. Matthew McCarthy

OFFICE MANAGER: Tess Bondoc

DIRECTOR OF NEW EVANGELIZATION: Mary Kay Boase

LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT: John Reid

YOUTH MINISTER: Camille Herrera

OFFICE ASSISTANT: Sue Kanemy



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT



Monday, Dec 24

Christmas Eve Mass schedule

Tuesday, Dec 25

Christmas Day Mass schedule

Wednesday, Dec 26, 7pm

Sp Int for Fr. Marijan Sisko, Tess req by

Sophia Mikolajczyk

+Domenic Molinaro req by Anna & Paul

Colacicco & Family

+Carmine Plastina req by

Plastina Family

+Deceased Members of Yates Family

Sp Int Norman & Linda Lobo

Thursday, Dec 27, 9am

+Marguerite Gillard req by

Marguerite Gillard

Friday, Dec 28, 7pm

+Drago Zibert req by Family

+Antonino Henriques req by Maria

Henriques & Family

+Frank D`Cunha req by Nelson &

Irene Tellis

Saturday December 28

9:00am Thanksgiving for Ian &
Zonita Reid

5:00pm +Ted Mizzi req by Wife &
Mizzi Family

HOLY FAMILY GIFT STORE

2019 Sunday Missal are available for sale in the Gift Store for \$5.00 each. Make sure to visit us after Mass and brows our great selection of Christmas gift ideas as well as beautiful Christmas cards.

SURVEY FOR OUR HOLY FAMILY PILGRIMAGE

Fr. László would like to organize a 12-day pilgrimage to the Holy Land & Jordan in Oct/Nov 2019. Price is approx. \$4,020.00. If you are interested in joining, kindly fill out the form and drop it in the collection bag.



YES, I would like to come with Fr. László to the Holy Land & Jordan

Name: _____

Phone # _____

Email _____



Christmas Eve Mass, Monday, Dec 24th

6:00 pm both Church & Hall

8:00 pm Church

10:00 pm Church

12:00 Midnight (with Incense) Church

Christmas Day, Tuesday Dec. 25th

8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 12:30pm

Regular Mass schedule for Wednesday Dec. 26 to Dec 30

New Year's Eve, Mon Dec. 31 - 5:00pm

New Year's Day, Tues Jan. 1st

8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 12:30pm

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER DANCE

The Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Women's League of Holy Family Parish are once again cohosting a New Year's Eve Dinner Dance in the Parish Hall on Monday, December 31st, 2018 at 7:00pm. Tickets are available for sale at the back of the church. Ticket price is \$75.00 which includes 5 course dinner, wine, sweet table and sparkling wine at midnight. Come out and celebrate, as we ring in 2019!!



ALPHA COURSE

We are inviting everyone to our next Alpha Course beginning **on Monday, January 7, 2019 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm** in the church hall. This series of interactive sessions exploring the basics of Christian faith will run every Monday except Family Day and during March break. Each session looks at different questions



designed to create conversations. No pressure, no follow up and no fee; just an open, informal and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together! All are welcome- Catholic, Christian or not! If you have attended one of the Alpha courses before, please consider inviting you family or friend to attend. Please email holy.family@rogers.com for more information or to register.

STUEBENVILLE 2019:



SAVE THE DATE!

"BELONG" is the theme for 2019's Steubenville Toronto Conference! Steubenville is a conference that is happening from **July 12 to 14, 2019 for all high school students**. It is a chance to listen to speakers who are known around the world, attend Mass with 2,000 people, and worship with so many other teens whose hearts are on fire for Christ!! One teen has said "words cannot express how true, good, and beautiful these conferences are. I loved having the opportunity to spend the weekend growing in love for the Lord!" If this sounds like something you are interested in, please contact Camille at hfwym91@gmail.com for more details. Don't wait!!

CHRISTMAS: THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST



REBUILT BOOK CLUB

We invite you to join us for this parish-wide book club, to study **Rebuilt: Awakening the Faithful, Reaching the Lost, and Making Church Matter**. This book, written by Fr Michael White and Tom Corcoran about their Catholic parish is one of the resources informing the development of our plans to engage parishioners in our Parish Mission to **love God, love others, make disciples**.

To make this opportunity available to as many people as would like to participate, we will be taking a short break from Bible Study and Faith Formation programs for January and February. Dates are:

**Mondays: January 21, 28,
February 4,11,18,25**

Morning sessions at 10:00am and
Evening sessions at 7:30pm.

**Tuesdays: January 22,29
February 5,12,19,26**

Morning sessions at 10:00am and
Evening sessions at 7:00pm.

We ask that you please sign up at the back of the church, collect your book and study guide (*offered at no charge*), and start reading! We look forward to studying this book with you, and we're even more excited to engage in the deep discussions which it will inspire.

The good news of Christmas is the Gospel of Jesus Christ! God gave us Jesus Christ, His Son, who brings great love and joy to everyone who receives Him. The purpose of Christmas is to share this gift.

As we adore the Child in the manger, we anticipate the empty tomb; but we also, if our faith is anything more than an empty shell, unite ourselves to Christ in every aspect of His life- the suffering and pain, the rejection and death. Our gaze falls on a Child, but we see the face of a Man crucified. That is the heart of the Christian mystery.

Yet it is a mystery that cuts both ways. When we gaze upon Christ on the Cross, we see the face of the Child and of the Man who conquered death. When we see Mary, in depth of her sorrow, holding her dead Son in her arms, we see her happiness when she held her newborn Child, and incomprehensible joy of their reunion in Heaven.

When we look at the Child in the manger, we cannot help but see the Man on the Cross and we know that our redemption has been accomplished. On Christmas day, Bethlehem and Calvary are united as we, like the centurion, proclaim, "Truly this is the Son of God."

May your hearts be lifted in praise this Christmas for the wonderful gift of Jesus and the joy He brings.

In behalf of Fr. Matthew and the staff, I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year!

Fr. László Nagy, Pastor

2019 Church envelopes are ready for pick up at the back of the church. Those with #s 1048 and up have been re-assigned to a lower number. Please ask the ushers to assist you this Sunday.

TAAFE LAW
 Family Law, Real Estate, Wills & Estates
 25 Colborne St. W. **905-240-6616**
 info@taafelaw.ca www.Taafelaw.ca

Anthony Frances
Hair & Estetica
 1200 Rossland Rd. E.
905-430-0966

Pringle Creek PHARMASAVE
 All Day City Wide Delivery
 Pringle Creek Plaza
 728 Anderson Street
905-666-9922

OSHAWA FUNERAL HOME

 847 King Street West 905-721-1234

Knights of Columbus INSURANCE
 YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE
 Alexander Sgroi MBA FIC
 416-894-7233
 alex.sgroi@kofc.org
 Life Insurance • Disability Insurance • Long-Term Care • Retirement Annuities
 Protecting Catholic families since 1882.

Freeman & Lourenco LLP
 Chartered Professional Accountants
 511 Bond St. W. 905-576-4619
 (Bond & Stevenson Rd.)

Armstrong Funeral Home Limited
 Reunited by the Journey
 124 KING ST. E., OSHAWA 905.433.4711
 www.armstrongfuneralhome.net

Glen Hill Pharmacy
 Edward Pang, B.Sc.Pharm.
 80 Thickson Rd. S. 905-666-0044
 (next to Walk-in Medical Clinic)

PhysioCare
 Physiotherapy • Massage • Chiropractic
 Osteopathy • Graston • Shockwave
 1801 Dundas St. E. #10, Kendalwood Park Plaza
905-240-6566
 www.physiocarewhitby.com

Aerial Truck Services
 Network Cabling Fire Alarm
 LED Lighting
 Est. 1953
McTEAGUE ELECTRIC
 Industrial • Commercial • Residential
905-434-2400

NEUBAUER LAW OFFICE
 Josef Neubauer B.A., LL.B.
 Colin Neubauer B.Sc., LL.B.
 Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries Public
 106 Stevenson Rd. S.
 Bus: 905-433-1991 Fax: 905-433-7038

TEAM FENNESSEY
 The team you will recommend!
TOBY FENNESSEY
 Broker | Residential/Investment Properties
 Direct: 905-622-3667 | toby@teamfennessey.com
 www.teamfennessey.com | teamfennessey.com
 Royal Heritage Realty Ltd., Brokerage

DE STEFANO
 Funeral Home
 Services Inc.
 1289 Keith Ross Drive
 Oshawa, ON L1H 7K4
 (905) 440-3595

MEDability
 Inspired Healthcare Solutions
 Sales - Service - Rental
 Home Medical Supplies
 and Equipment
 www.medability.com
905-471-5224

CALIBRE SIGNS
 Design • Manufacture
 Install • Service
CalibreSigns.com
905.665.5666
 600 Garden St., Whitby, ON L1N 7B3

DR. J. D'SOUZA
 FAMILY DENTIST
 New Patients Welcome
 185 Brock St. N (at Mary)
905-430-0118

Hot Rocks creative diner
 728 Anderson St.
 905-668-8600 www.hotrocksdiner.com

Chris Leahy
DURHAM SECURITY
 905-556-1801
 Turn your home into a Smart Home!
 \$50 donated to Holy Family
 for every new contract.
 chris@durhamsecurity.ca

BETTY BRITE CLEANERS
 Environmental Dry Cleaning
 Alterations/Repairs/Dry Cleaning
 Shirt Laundry/Drapes & Wet Cleaning
 Suedes & Leathers
 864 Brock St. N. **905-668-7775**

BARNES MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME
 Family owned and operated since 1863
905.655.3662

Melissa Barnes
 Funeral Director
 Richard Barnes
 Managing Director
 5295 Thickson Rd. N., Whitby
 (one minute North of Taunton on Thickson)

ONTARIO DUCT CLEANING
 Do it for your home
 do it for the health of
 your family.
 For a FREE No Obligation
 phone estimate, call:
905-655-1099

TRINITY FAMILY DENTAL
 185 Thickson Rd. N.
905-579-5551
 www.trinityfd.com

TOYOTA Co.
 SALES • PARTS • SERVICE
 david.marshall@whitby.toyota.ca

La Rosa's NOFRILLS
 won't be beat®
 3100 Garden St.

Stafford Monuments Limited
 Granite & Bronze Family & Civic Memorials
 Inscriptions & Cemetery Restoration
 318 Dundas Street East **905-668-3552**
 ~ 6 Generations of Service, Quality & Trust ~

David Marshall
 Sales & Leasing
 1025 Dundas St. W.
1-866-386-4792
 david.marshall@whitby.toyota.ca

WET BASEMENT?
 Call: **ACCL WATERPROOFING**
 Leaky Basement Foundation Repair
 Internal Dewatering Window well Installation
 Sump Pump Installation Repair of Weeping Tile
 Crawlspace Waterproofing Foundation Underpinning
 Repair of Concrete Crack Inspection/Repairs of Storm Drains
905-448-5909 • www.acclwaterproofing.ca

TAPWORKS KITCHEN & BATHS
 Retail and Renovations
 3355 Kingston Rd. 416-266-9111
 www.bathroomscanada.com

BELLA NOTTE RISTORANTE
 3570 Brock St. N. **905-430-5744**
 www.BellaNotte.ca

DURHAM MASSAGE
 Auto/Sport Injuries
 Neck & Back Pain
 728 Anderson St. @ Pringle Creek Plaza
905-493-7687
 www.DurhamRMT.com

Funeral Director – Michael Lodge
W.C. Town Funeral Chapel
 110 Dundas St. E., Whitby **905-668-3410**

Pringle Creek FOODLAND
 Your Hometown Advantage
 QUALITY • SERVICE AND VALUE
 Fresh Food & Friendly Neighbours
 PRINGLE PLAZA
 (Next to Holy Family Church)
 728 Anderson St. **905-668-6374**

pdenta
DENTURE CLINIC & DENTAL LABORATORY
 Jun Padua RDT, DD
 905.493.9004 • pda.dent@gmail.com
 paduadentalarts.com
 1121 Dundas St. E., Unit B5

the musicscene
 INCORPORATED
905-240-9008

Music & Dance Lessons
 1916-3B Dundas St. E.
 Dundas & Garrard (back of plaza)
 www.thedancescene.ca

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
 FUNERAL SERVICES
 In keeping with your Catholic faith
 www.catholic-cemeteries.com
 Resurrection Cemetery **905-668-8912**

Victoria Sullivan
 SALES REPRESENTATIVE
 647.309.1319
 VictoriaSullivan.ca
RE/MAX ROUGE
 Make your next move Victoria's!

Benjamin Moore®
 Whitby Paint + Decorating
 605 Brock St. N. **905-430-6543**
 www.whitbypaint.com

Chambers FOOD
 "Groceries Delivered Right To Your Home"
 Call **905-427-3584**

Step BY Step PRO DJ
 Professional DJ & MC Services
Shawn Walsh
905-409-7998
 www.StepByStepDJ.ca

HALIBUT TIME
 Award Winning Fish & Chips
 All Day Breakfast
1645 Dundas St. E.
905-438-0100
 We Deliver

THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS!

TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

COLLABORATIVE LAW PRACTICE
 Resolving Disputes Respectfully.
J. Thomas Hamer
 Barrister and Solicitor
 COLLABORATIVE FAMILY LAW
 Wills • Powers of Attorney
 Estate Administration
 www.collaborativepracticetoronto.com
 jthamer@ehpnl.com
 105 Consumers Dr., Ste. 524
905-665-0221