



McIntosh-Anderson-Kellam
FUNERAL HOME LTD. EST. 1853

Meeting Your Family's Needs
John O. Kellam - Funeral Director

152 King St. E. 905.433.5558



Monsignor Philip Coffey
Catholic School

1324 Oxford St. Oshawa, ON L1G 3W6
Phone : 905-723-4241
Principal: Mrs Stephanie Hardy

Aegis Health And Footcare

In Home Diabetic Footcare



Nicole Pigott, RPN

289-688-4919

aegishealthandfootcare@gmail.com

One Location...One Family...One Commitment

Armstrong
Funeral Home Limited

124 King St. E. Oshawa 905.433.4711
www.armstrongfuneralhome.net



Mount Lawn Funeral Home &
Cemetery
by Arbor Memorial

21 Garrard Rd, Whitby, ON, L1N 3K4

Call Us: (905) 665-0600

Shopping
Locally
Save Gas



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
&
FUNERAL SERVICES

ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

In keeping with the catholic faith

www.catholic-cemeteries.com

Resurrection Cemetery 905-668-8912

Remember ...

Let our 
advertisers
know you saw
their ad here

TO ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS!

905-725-3275

St. PHILIP THE APOSTLE CHURCH

1314 Oxford St. Oshawa, ON. L1J 3W6

Phone: 905-725-3275 Fax: 905-434-7531

Email: stphiliptheapostleos@archtoronto.org

Website: www.stphiliptheapostle.com



@stphiliposhawa



stphiliposhawa

Pastor: Fr. Jorge Lopez

pastor.stphilip@archtoronto.org

In Residence: Sr. Maria, Sr. Cristina, Sr. Elizabeth

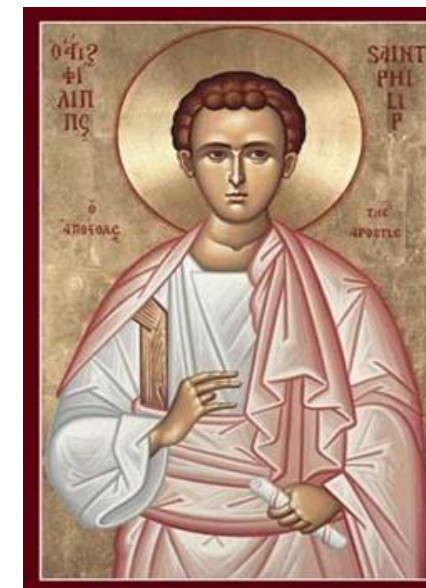
Religious Community: CMSSTCJ

Office Hours:

Mon-Fri 9am to 12pm

Church Open for Prayer:

Mon-Fri 9am to 12pm and from 1pm to 5pm



Mass Times

Weekday Masses

Tuesday: 6:00 p.m.

Friday: 6:00 p.m.

(Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament) 6:30 p.m.

Confessions: 15 minutes before each mass or by appointment

Weekend Masses

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

Baptism

Infants and young children of registered parents are eligible to have their child baptized. Baptisms are celebrated by appointment only and require a meeting with the priest.

Marriage

Weddings for registered parishioners are generally celebrated on Saturdays. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. Please contact the pastor a minimum of one year before the planned marriage date.

Ministry to the Sick

Please call the Parish Office to arrange for visits, Communion, or Sacrament of the Sick. If you are admitted to the Hospital, kindly identify yourself as "Catholic" at the time of admission

St. Vincent de Paul Society

905-431-1796

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Service

Resurrection Catholic Cemetery,
355 Taunton Rd. E., Whitby, ON
905-668-8912

Schools

Msgr. Philip Coffey - 905-723- 4241
Msgr. John Pereyma - 905-432-8470

Finance Council

Maureen Nkwenti
Walter Abela
David Burns

We welcome new parishioners. Please register in the vestibule or call the parish office



Today we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. It is a time when the Christian community gathers to remember God's personal guarantee of love and life.

It is a time when we are called to remember that there is more, **much more**, to our existence than what we have now. You and I are called to share eternal life and this has been accomplished through the Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

May we always remember.

May we never forget.

Happy Easter to All Parishioners

The Paradox of Christ

Alleluia, He is Risen! Today is the Sunday of Sundays, the Solemnity of Solemnities. Today is the day Christ broke through the chains of sin and death and triumphantly rose from the dead, winning for us our salvation. As Christians, we are an Easter people and we are called to live in the joy and peace of the Risen Christ. Let us take a moment to reflect on how Easter can profoundly impact our daily lives.

By human standards, the crucifixion was an utter humiliating defeat. It was the end of the story for the person of Jesus and His followers. Jesus would just be remembered as the influential and charismatic preacher that went too far by claiming to be God. All hope was seemingly lost. Yet, this is the paradox of the cross. The cross, the weapon of torture and death, becomes the very means of life and salvation. It was the necessary step in order for the resurrection. There simply is no Easter Sunday without a Good Friday.

This is the beautiful truth of our faith. The famous Portuguese proverb says that "God writes straight with crooked lines." When all seems lost and broken, God can use these situations to bring about great blessings. As stewards, let us not be discouraged when we face crosses and trials in life or our ministry. If God was able to bring about the resurrection out of the crucifixion, just imagine the great deeds He will bring through our crosses. So let us rejoice on this Easter Sunday and thank God for the gift of His resurrection.

ShareLife

Thank you for being a beacon of hope

On Easter Sunday, we thank you for being a beacon of hope for our brothers and sisters in need by supporting ShareLife. In their darkest hours, you are right behind them. As we rejoice in the resurrection of our Lord this Easter Sunday, let us open our hearts to all.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, or at: www.sharelife.org/donate.

Collection Dates for ShareLife: May 4th & June 8th

Mass Intentions

A reminder that we are taking bookings for Mass Intentions for 2023. Please come to the office or call the office during office hours and book a Mass to be said for your own particular intentions.

CONFIRMATION

Confirmation Prep Meetings

Confirmation Prep will start on April 29th at 6:45pm. Confirmation will be on Tuesday, June 17th at 6pm, unless otherwise indicated!



Baptism Catechises

Our next session will be on **September 13 from 10am-12pm.**

Please Remember

For those wishing to donate through the **Pre-Authorized Giving Progame**, forms are available on our website at: www.stphiliptheapostle.com or you can find them at the back of the Church.

Natural Family Planning

You know the Church's teachings, but can a married couple really follow them to space their family? To register or ask questions go to: <https://www.naturalfamilyplanning.ca/>

Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2025

The Totus Tuus (meaning Totally Yours) summer camp will be taking place at L'Assomption for both St. Philip's and L'Assomption Parishes from **August 10th to August 15th** for students in grades 1-12. **Registration Fee: Gr. 7-12: \$75; Gr. 1-6: \$125 (Discount for siblings: 50%).** Deadline to Register is: August 1st, 2025. Registration Forms can be found on our website.



Gift of Securities

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities. When you donate securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt. For further information, contact the Development Office: email to development@archtoronto.org

Register Today for "A Day with Mary"

This **FREE** outdoor event is taking place Saturday, May 31 on the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Villanova College in King City. There will be food, music, fellowship, and Holy Mass celebrated by our Archbishop, His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo. For more information and to register: www.archtoronto.org/mary

There will be a bus for us leaving from Assomption de Notre-Dame Parish for the cost of \$25. Please sign up at the back of the church. The deadline to sign up will be May 18.

Jubilee 2025: Lenten Pilgrimage

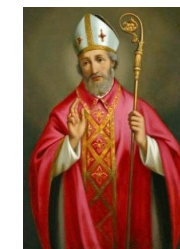
Why not consider a Lenten Pilgrimage to one of our designated Pilgrimage Churches in the Archdiocese of Toronto during this special year of blessings? A listing of these churches and resources for your visit can be found at: www.archtoronto.org/jubilee. The site also provides information for those wishing to receive a Plenary Indulgence through their visit to a Pilgrimage church. Please note that it is not necessary to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation on the same day as your visit to the Pilgrimage church, but can be celebrated in your own parish "within several days before or after your visit."



Saints of the Week

Saint Anselm (April 21)

Born in 1033, Anselm was motivated to enter the monastery of Bec in Normandy due to the reputation of the great teacher, Lanfranc. Anselm became a monk at the age of 27, and a student and close friend of Lanfranc, eventually succeeding him as a prior and abbot of Bec.



After the Norman Conquest of England in 1066, William I replaced the English hierarchy with Normans, and Lanfranc was sent as archbishop of Canterbury. Three years after Lanfranc's death, Anselm was in England (1093) and was forcibly made archbishop. Neither an administrator nor a politician by nature, he persevered nonetheless. Through his encouragement of English devotions, he helped heal the wounds of the Conquest on the English.

Anselm's fame lies in his role as theologian and philosopher. His argument for the existence of God still holds strong appeal. In his concern for the oppressed, he was one of the first opponents of the slave trade.

Anselm died in 1109. Never formally canonized, he was made a Doctor of the Church in 1720.

Saint Adalbert (April 23)



Born in Bohemia (Czech Republic) around 956, Adalbert was consecrated bishop of Prague in 983. The task proved too onerous because of fierce political opposition, and he withdrew to a Benedictine abbey in Rome. He engaged in several very successful preaching missions to Poland, Prussia, Hungary and Russia. Dubbed the Apostle of the Slavs, he was martyred near Gdansk on this date in 997.

MASS Intentions

Easter Sunday April 20

9:30am Blessing & Thanksgiving
Req. by: Van Trung

Tuesday April 22

6:30pm Blessing & Thanksgiving
Req. by: Van Trung

Friday April 25

****6:00pm** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
6:30pm

Sunday April 27

9:30am (1) †Ronald & Rose Serge
Req. by: Joseph

(2) †Cheryl-Anne Ciccarelli
Req. by: Shirley

(3) †Sharron Sauvie
Req. by: Frenette Family

Sunday Offerings for:

April 13: \$1,950.00

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!



If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the office either by phone at: 905-725-3275 or email us at: stphiliptheapostleos@archtoronto.org

Serra House

The Lord is risen, it is true! Through our baptism He calls us to proclaim new life to the world. Pray for those who herald the Good News as priests, deacons and religious brothers and sisters. If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email: vocations@archtoronto.org Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca