

# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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## Mission Statement

"We are a welcoming, diverse, inner-city community of believers, united in the Catholic Faith. Through spirit-filled worship, education and outreach, we are called to live out the gospel in our contemporary world."

## Pastoral Staff

Fr. Santo Arrigo, C.Ss.R. - **Pastor**  
Fr. Edward Eherer, C.Ss.R. - **Associate Pastor**  
Irene Mihaljek - **Parish Administrator**  
Karen Keays - **Family and Children Coordinator**  
Loretta Conte - **Secretary**  
Maria Luxbacher - **German Community**  
John Pavao - **Maintenance/Caretaker**  
Nelson Franco - **Maintenance/Caretaker**



## Pastoral Assistants

Fr. William Fitzgerald, C.Ss.R.      Fr. Shijo Meppilly C.Ss.R.  
Fr. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R.              Fr. Jacek Cydzik, C.Ss.R.  
Fr. Joseph Ruta, C.Ss.R.                Fr. Francis Nguyen, C.Ss.R.

## Office Hours

Monday - Friday	9:00 am - 4:30 pm
Wednesday	9:00 am - 7:00 pm
Saturday & Sunday	CLOSED
Closed for Lunch	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

## Mass Schedule

Saturday: 7:30 am & 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am, 12:10 & 5:00 pm  
10:00 am (German Mass)  
Mon. Tue. Thu. Fri.: 7:30 am & 12:10 pm

## Mass and Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help

Wednesday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 12:00 pm  
2:30 pm, 5:05 pm, 7:00 pm

## Confessions

Half hour before Mass  
except for 7:30 am Masses  
No confessions on  
Tuesdays & Thursdays

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursdays at 7:00 pm (Entrance on St. Patrick Street)

### St. Patrick's "Open Door"

Lunch Wednesdays will now be served once a month after the 12:00 noon devotions (Parish Hall)

### Out of the Cold

Sundays November 11, 2016 – April 2, 2017

### Meditation Group

Tuesdays 5:00pm – 6:00pm Choir Room in the Parish Hall (Entrance on St. Patrick Street)

### Legion of Mary

Wednesdays at 1:30 pm

### Rosary Prayer Ministry

Monday to Friday after 7:30 am and Noon Mass  
Saturday after 7:30 am Mass

### Justice and Service Group

3rd Sunday of the month, after the 12:10 Mass in the Neumann Hall.

### Seniors Club

4th Saturday of the month, 2:30 to 4:30pm (Parish Hall)

### Courage Group

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

### Children's Liturgy

Sundays during the 12:10 pm Mass in the Sacristy

## SACRAMENTS

### Marriage

Engaged couples from St. Patrick's Parish should make an appointment with the Pastor one year prior to their wedding.

### Baptism

Parents wishing to have a child baptized should contact the parish office at least 2 months prior to the baptism.

### R.C.I.A.

Adults wishing to be baptized or received into the Catholic Church should contact the parish office.

## Redemptorist Mission Bazaar

**Wednesday November 16<sup>th</sup>, starting at 9:00am**  
**Neumann Hall (access by South Door of Church)**

Join us for great food, wonderful finds (crafts, nearly new items and clothing!) and great prizes including:

1. Stunning 2017 Colours of the Earth Europe Calendar
2. 2 Tickets to the Christmas Dinner
3. Mother of Perpetual Help Tapestry (Made in India)
4. "Trachten" Doll
5. Painting "Edward Gardens in the Fall"
6. Hand Knit Afghan
7. Shiatsu Massage Pillow
8. 2 Gift Baskets, full of goodies
9. **Grand Prize:** Greenis Multi Juicer 9008

Proceeds go towards Redemptorist Foreign Mission Programs. If you would like to make a donation of your beloved clothing and other items (in working order), please contact Maria Luxbacher at the Parish Office to arrange a time to drop off your item. Monetary donations may be made out to "St. Patrick's Church". Indicate on the memo line Redemptorist Mission Bazaar.

**PLEASE DO NOT BRING  
LARGE OR BROKEN ITEMS OR ELECTRONICS!**

## Holy Door of Mercy

We give thanks for all the blessings to the faithful who visited the Door here at St. Patrick's during this Year of Mercy. The Holy Door will close on Sunday November 13<sup>th</sup> during 12:10pm Mass. The Holy Door in Rome will close on Sunday November 20<sup>th</sup>.

## Religious Articles Store

The Religious Articles Store is now selling Christmas cards, Sunday Missal, 2017 calendars and Nativity Sets. Great gift ideas for everyone. Open every Wednesday 10am – 7pm and first Sunday of the month 11am – 5pm.

## Youth Ministry

Become part of our new Youth Ministry Initiative here at St. Patrick's for Youth in Grades 8-12! We have had a great year having many youth involved in the parish in so many ways. Now we invite them to be a part of a great group among their peers for Fun, Socialization, and Faith Development. Our next gathering is on Saturday November 12, 6pm-9pm.

## Shepherds' Trust

As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, we remember how they have been tangible instruments of the Lord's mercy in our lives. Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds' Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

The Shepherd's Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 12/13. This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it represents a very tangible gesture of thanks for the blessings we have received. Your generosity is greatly appreciated

*A look ahead at St. Pat's!*

Watch for more upcoming

**Events and Programs here at St. Patrick's!**

**Nov 9 – Talk, Bl. Francis Selos C.Ss.R. at 1pm and 6pm**

**Nov 12 – Youth Ministry!**

**Nov 13 – Holy Door Closing during the 12:10pm Mass**

**Nov 16 – Redemptorist Mission Bazaar**

**Nov 20 – Santa Claus Parade, "After Party"**

**Nov 27 – Thrive – Family program 1:30 – 4:30pm**

For more information on these upcoming events visit  
[www.stpatrickstoronto.ca](http://www.stpatrickstoronto.ca) or the Parish Bulletin

## Our Hands, God's Work

God's work needs helping hands. Please pick up a copy of the 2016/2017 Volunteer Stewardship booklet. You can fill in the Registration form found in the booklet, or a Welcome Newcomers form. A member of Volunteer Ministries Committee will get in touch with you, to get you connected. Everyone is welcome. For more information, visit <https://stpatrickstoronto.wordpress.com/get-involved/> or contact Irene at 416-598-3269, or by email at [imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca).

The St. Patrick's Contemporary Choir is welcoming new members to sing at the Sunday 12:10pm Mass in all sections: soprano, alto, tenor and bass. Rehearsals are on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm. If you are interested in joining the choir or would like more information, please speak to Mark Wood-Salomon, Choir Director after the 12:10pm Mass, or by email at [markwood2011@hotmail.com](mailto:markwood2011@hotmail.com).

Community Life Commission is a group of volunteers that helps with preparing, setting up, serving food and drink, and cleaning up after parish celebrations like seminars, parish dinner dances, and the social on the final evening of the Mother of Perpetual Help Triduum. If you are interested in helping, please contact Irene at the parish office, who will get you connected with Linda.

## Praying with Redemptorist Saints and Blesseds

**Wednesday November 9<sup>th</sup> 1pm and 6pm**  
**Bl. Francis Seelos C.Ss.R.**

We have celebrated 150 years of the Mission of the Redemptorists to make her known under the title of Our Mother of Perpetual Help.

Come and learn more about the Redemptorists Saints and Blesseds whose lives and commitment to the Good News of Plentiful Redemption continue to speak to the hearts of Redemptorists and the faithful throughout the world.

Join us every month as we reflect and pray through the intercession of Our Mother of Perpetual Help and a Redemptorist Saint and Blessed.

Each 45 minute presentation will take place in the Church on Wednesdays at 1pm and 6pm (in between devotion masses)

NOVEMBER 6, 2016

## Santa Claus Parade "After Party"

Sunday November 20, 2016 after the parade around  
2:00pm – 4:30pm

Santa Claus is coming to town!!!  
Are you going to see him?

Why not come over to St. Patrick's after the parade and warm up with Hot Chocolate, snacks and have some fun with Face Painting, Cookie Decorating, Christmas Crafts, Movies and Songs and more!

This is a wonderful opportunity for families to gather after the Parade which passes right near St. Patrick's along University Av

Invite your friends and family!

Let us know that you plan to attend!  
[familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

## "Thrive!"

**A New Program for Families!!!!**

**Sunday November 27<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm – 4:30pm**

**Faith & Friendship for the entire Family!**

Join us whether you have teens or toddlers. Topics and activities will be facilitated in large groups, as well as age appropriate activities in small group settings To RSVP or to be added to the family ministry mailing list for future events, contact [familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

**PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:** Cecil Stein, Hong Nguyen, Nita Diocales, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, Alannah Valherio, Rene Camerino, George Koss, Rosario Guiam, Ariel Santana, Jojo Camerino Galupo, Kris Lamigo, Alvino Pardinaz, Jane Charity Almero, Nol Tejada, Helen Loteyro, Larry Brenner, Sonny Rajo, Jesus Duque, Christina Bustos, Maria Castillo, Camille DAtiles, Efren Laserna, Tony & Ching Prudenciano, Maria Pacres, Reynaldo Eser, Rina Rivera, Lawrence Nassy-Wong, Marilyn Shalla, Susan Keen, Margaret Hanlon, Aguido de la Cruz, Sandra, Sol Almaria, Danny Lopez, Jun Macabulos, Israel Chavez, Judy Cruz, Bruce Hurst, Virginia D'Souza, Diana Worts, Noling Cariaga, Gloria Tangsinco, Bernadette Tran, Elvie Garcia Lopez, Kevin Thompson, Fredda Dayon, Mark Okia, Flora Okumu, Simon Peter Okanya, Faith Ikiring, Salvador Garcia, Myrna Modomo, Mary Hontanar, Laurie Alonzo, Jesen Doroja, Angie Cantor, Maureen Eisen, Luigi Diperdomenico, Joel Palma, Marie Gomez, Bill Butler, Peter Pacione, Alda Medeiros, Jeremy Melo, Jamie Melo, Bonita de Sagun, Aiza Aro, Jose Reyes Sr., Ernesto Anza, Salvacion Stuart, Marc Gagnon, Clarita Zantua, Michelle McKenzie, Luigi Calitre, Evelyn & Randy Audias, Fr. tamerlane Lana, Armeia Garcia, Gladys Lucas, Sergie Britskitskaya, Jorge Palomaria, Alex Sambas, Helen Torres

**FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:** John Lee, Bruce Locke, Adelaida Rojo, Frank Weica, Rick Harris, Alexis Teodosio, Mario Corpus, Francis Stanley, Pasqua Fiorini



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### MONDAY NOV 7, 2016

7:30am Rambarom & Ranpersad Families, Thanksgiving  
12:10pm +Jose Faller

### TUESDAY NOV 8, 2016

7:30am Mihakail Harra, speedy recovery  
12:10pm +Mercy Rozario

### WEDNESDAY NOV 9, 2016

7:30am Special Intentions & Prayers  
9:30am **(deceased)** +Melvyn Fernandes, +Felix & +Esperanza Yumol, +Poor souls in purgatory, +Luz Corrie  
**(Sick)** Gerrilyn Gozar  
12:00pm +Deceased members of St. Patrick's German Congregation  
2:30pm +Karl Wah Tong & +Maria Antonia Lam  
5:05pm **(Deceased)** +All souls in purgatory, +Theresa McGowan, +Peral Fadriquela, +Minervino Garcia  
**(Sick)** Jirik Beysovec  
7:00pm +Santiago Lam & Andrea Hernandez Vargas

### THURSDAY NOV 10, 2016

7:30am +Tan Se Eng  
12:10pm +Grace Rozario

### FRIDAY NOV 11, 2016

7:30am +Holy Souls  
12:10pm Lorenzo Udtojen Jr.

### SATURDAY NOV 12, 2016

7:30am Pearce Family  
5:00pm Luz & Freddie Chua & family

### SUNDAY NOV 13, 2016

8:30am Teresa Domingo  
12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church  
5:00pm Felix & Christina Lee Uy & family

**ON VISION TV - DAILY MASS at 8:00am & 12:00noon**  
*Devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help,*  
**Wednesdays at 8:30 am and 12:30 pm This Week:**

*Wednesday November 9, 2016*  
**Marian Talk: Fr. Ako Walker, C.Ss.R.**  
*"Marian in My Spirituality"*  
**Homilist: Fr. Mark Miller, C.Ss.R.**  
*"The Ethics of the Christian Community"*



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