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"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."

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Office Hours

Monday - Friday

Wednesday

Saturday & Sunday

Closed for Lunch

9:00 am - 4:30 pm

9:00 am - 7:00 pm

CLOSED

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.

OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch! Celebrate Winterlude!

Yes, temperatures can be sub-zero, and yes, there is snow, come and get warm and enjoy a delicious meal. Please join us for lunch on **Wednesday February 1st** after the 12noon Novena Mass. There is no cost, however Donations are appreciated to help defray the costs of food supplies.

Adoration and Holy Hour

Join us for a quiet time of prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament. **First Friday February 3rd**, following the 12:10pm Mass.

The Feast of St. Blaise

The feast day of St. Blaise is on **Friday February 3rd, 2017**. Blessing of the Throats will take place after the 7:30am and 12:10pm Mass.

TABLE FOR TWO!

An evening for Engaged and Married Couples!

A night to rekindle, enliven, and celebrate each other! We invite engaged and married couples for a candlelit, intimate and reflective evening of good food and wine. **Friday February 10**, beginning at 6:00 PM in St. Patrick's Parish Hall 139 McCaul Street. Tickets are \$70.00 per couple and are available for purchase from the Parish Office from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday to Friday. There is limited space available for this event, so you are encouraged to book and purchase your ticket early. Ticket sales will close when event is full, or by February 1st. For more information, contact the parish office at 416-598-3269 or visit the website: stpatrickstoronto.ca

Mardi Gras Pancake Sunday

Party for families, friends, and pancake lovers of ALL AGES

Grab your party hat and join St. Patrick's Family Ministry for Mardi Gras on **Sunday February 26**, in the Neumann Hall following the 12:10pm Mass. Enjoy lively music and atmosphere along with "Shrove Tuesday" style pancakes. Take home some family resources to kickstart your Lenten journey. Prizes awarded to those wearing festive hats or masks.

Your RSVP is most appreciated to assist us in our planning: familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca

Ignite! Young Adult Ministry Invite you to Dinner and a Movie "Houston We Have a Problem!"

We will watch together the film, "Gravity"
And enjoy some Tex-Mex! **Saturday Feb 25th 6pm**
St. Patrick's Parish Hall 139 McCaul St.

A look ahead at St. Pat's!

Watch for more upcoming Events and Programs here at St. Patrick's!

Feb 1 – Open Door Lunch – following the 12:00noon Mass

Feb 3- Adoration & Holy Hour

Feb 3 – Feast of St. Blaise – Blessing of the Throats

Feb 10 – Table For Two – An Evening for Engaged and Married Couples

Feb 25 – Young Adults, Houston we have a Problem, Dinner & Movie

Feb 26 – Mardi Gras – Pancake Sunday

For more information on these upcoming events visit www.stpatrickstoronto.ca or the Parish Bulletin

YOUTH ALTAR SERVERS



We invite our Youth who have already received their First Communion to become involved as ALTAR SERVERS at all of our Sunday Masses.

We will provide training as they begin their ministry.

We also have activities and events outside of Sunday Mass to build community, grow in faith and fellowship, and fun!
Parental Permission will be required.

Training will begin as early as February. To enroll your son or daughter as an Altar Server, please contact the Parish Office. (416) 598-3269. Parental Permission will be required.



When in Church...



*Be aware of your surroundings
Keep your belongings safe and with you at all times
Report any concerns immediately to the Office.
We have seen a recent increase
in thefts on Church Property.*

2017 Weekly Offering Envelopes

Please pick up your offertory envelopes for 2017. If you used envelopes last year there will be a box for you with the same number. Please check the table even if you think you don't have a box. The boxes will be available until January 29 then they will be removed from the Church. The donation boxes are listed in last & first names & box numbers only. If you would like to sign up for 2017 Weekly Offering envelopes, please contact the parish office at 416-598-3269 or e-mail: secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca. Thank you!

World Day Prayer – Consecrated Life

On Thursday, February 2nd, the Church celebrates the World Day for Consecrated Life

In the Archdiocese of Toronto we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 900 religious men and women of 100 different religious congregations. This World Day of Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these religious sisters, brothers and priests and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience.

Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will preside at a special Mass on Sunday January 29 at 3:00pm at St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto in celebration of the vocation and witness of these special men and women religious who are such vital and important part of our life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese. All are welcome to attend.

For further information, please contact the Office of Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs at 416-934-3400 ext. 344.

Out of the Cold 30th Anniversary & Celebration of Life for Sr. Susan Moran OLM Co-Founder of Out of the Cold

Join us on **Sunday February 5th at 6:30 PM at St. Patrick's Church** for a celebration of the 30th Anniversary of Out of the Cold, and a celebration of the life of Sr. Susan Moran OLM, who passed away last month.

It is a time to give thanks for the generosity of so many throughout the years who have given their time and talents to the Out of the Cold Program as we have welcomed so many Guests each day for fellowship, safe shelter and hot meals at different places of worship throughout the City of Toronto and beyond.

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:

Cecil Stein, Helen Swim, Rosina Saragosa, Salvacion Stuart, Aida Belen, Rene Camerino, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, Cristy Umali, Anna Liza Valherio, George Koss, Lucie Owen, Julie Grimaldi, Alvino Pardinaz, Jane Charity Almero, Nol Tejada, Helen Loteyro, Marianita Manlapat, Jesus Duque, Paulette Quibraltar, Maria Castillo, Vivian See, Christina Bustos, Camille Datiles, Efren LaSerna, Pankat Roy, Eddie Haw, Tony, Wayne Pinney, Fernando LaPosta, Filomena Pulsinelli, Luciano Carini, Nenita Ignacio, Danny Lopez, Sandra, Lori Ata, Jun Macabulos, Bruce Hurst, Diana Worts, France Gagnon, Noling Cariaga, Bernadette Tran, Gloria Tangsingo, Fe Gaduyon, Patricia Escano, Angie Cantor, Rhodora Jimenez, Glory Real, Jennifer Pasion, Tomasina Aziel, Jan, Craig & Kevin, Mike Anileri, Myrna Modomo, Maria Hontanar, Ma. Christina Bruno, Jesen Doroja, Pio Modomo, Maureen Eisen, Bill Butler, Wendy Ryzek, Peter Pacione, Tony Mariotti, Glenn Bell, Cecilia Torres, Henry Smith, Mila Capati, Maria LeBeau, Basil Bennette, Antonia Dytoc, Joseph Dytoc, Kinza Shoukat, Edwardo Yu, Jose Reyes Sr., Rosario Guiam, Joel Palma, Aurora Matias, Ramona Joy Mabanes, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Gladys Lucas, Jill Lucas, Jorge Palomaria, Jessie Ponce, Valencia Orce, Roger Dizon, Berto Diaz, Armenia Garcia, Galina & Sergei Briskitskaya

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:

Aldo Conte, Phan Xuan Trinh, Maximo Fernandez, Nena Tan, Mila Del Rosario, Emmanuel Cuaresema, Martha Magdaong, Ekaterina Alria, Sally Rigodon, Theresita Casbuan, Linda Mariano, Gloria Pineda



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY JAN 23, 2017

7:30am Pearce Family
12:10pm Ellen Mariano, Thanksgiving

TUESDAY JAN 24, 2017

7:30am +Agnes Wasay
12:10pm Special Intentions

WEDNESDAY JAN 25, 2017

7:30am Thanksgiving to Our Mother of Perpetual Help & Divine Mercy
9:30am **(deceased)** +Corazon Angeles
12:00pm Leo Gupac & family
2:30pm For the protection of unborn children
5:05pm **(Deceased)** +Jose Melo, +Antonio P. Festin, +Nena Tan
7:00pm +Ignatia Arrigo

THURSDAY JAN 26, 2017

7:30am +Joseito J. Medrano
12:10pm +Clara Mous

FRIDAY JAN 27, 2017

7:30am Thanksgiving
12:10pm +Milagros Cayetano

SATURDAY JAN 28, 2017

7:30am +Julian Zambrano
5:00pm Gil & Rosemarie Lee Uy & family

SUNDAY JAN 29, 2017

8:30am +Joseph Mary Cassar
12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church
5:00pm Puring Zamora

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 January 25, 2017
Marian Talk: Fr. David Purcell, C.Ss.R.
"Mary, a Light to the Nations"
Homilist: Archbishop Gerard Pettipas, C.Ss.R.
"Virgin Most Merciful"



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