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**National Shrine of our Mother of Perpetual Help
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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

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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.

SL ShareLife

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“Living and studying at St. Augustine’s can bring untold blessings into the lives of those entering ministry,” shares Matt McCarthy, a current Seminarian. Matt’s interest in sports and his desire to enter the priesthood and minister to those in his community, gives him an opportunity to serve the Church in a unique way. At ShareLife-funded agencies such as Serra House, St. Augustine’s and Redemptoris Mater Seminaries, individuals undergo extensive theological education and practical field training. Through ShareLife, you are helping to sustain vocations to the priesthood and inspire discernment for God’s call.

Last year ShareLife helped support 70 seminarians in their formation studies.

**Sunday April 2, 2017 is ShareLife Sunday
Please give generously**

Stations of the Cross

To help mark this special season of Lent, join us each week on Fridays at 5:30pm to journey with Jesus on the Way of the Cross. Friday March 17, will be animated by The Justice and Service Group.

Call for Conscience Campaign

Canada legalized euthanasia/assisted suicide in June 2016. Between June and December, 2016, more 740 people across the country died from what is now being referred to as “medical aid in dying.” Meanwhile only 30% of Canadians have access to quality palliative (end of life) care.

Please visit www.CanadiansforConscience.ca to join learn more, join the “Call for Conscience” and write directly to your Member of Provincial Parliament asking them to protect conscience rights.

Stratford Festival

“Gilbert and Sullivan’s HMS Pinafore”

Mark your calendars for Saturday June 17th, 2017 matinee performance of Gilbert and Sullivan’s HMS Pinafore at the Stratford Festival. Dubbed ‘A Pinafore for all ages’, director Lezlie Wade promises fun and gems in this fresh new production of this delightful operetta. Fabulous dinner to follow at The New Dundee Restaurant, and comfy coach from St Patrick’s Church. Total cost for the day is \$160.00. Reserve your spot now by calling Irene at 416-598-3269, extn 1211 or email: imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca

A look ahead at St. Pat’s!

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

Mar 10 – Stations of the Cross, 5:30pm, animated by Justice & Service Group

Mar 15 – 28, Appeals of Our Lady Exhibit

Mar 19 – 22 Parish Mission, with Megan McKenna, Theologian, Author, Storyteller – See Website or Bulletin Insert for details

Mar 26 – Family & Children Ministry, Appeals of Our Lady

Apr 13 – 17, Easter Triduum

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

Appeals of Our Lady Exhibit

March 15-28, 2017

St. Patrick’s Church

Join us during this period on Sundays and Wednesdays to view the Exhibit and to learn more about the power and impact of Mary’s intercession for us, Her children. It displays more than 150 Marian shrines around the world that tell stories of mass conversions, miraculous healings and Divine prophecy. **The Schedule for the Exhibit will be announced in advance.**

On Sunday March 26, join St. Patrick’s Family Ministry and Ignite Young Adult Ministry for a special exhibit tour following the noon Mass.. Our special family viewing includes children’s activities and take-home ideas and resources to inspire Marian devotion in your family. Your RSVP is most appreciated by Friday March 24, 2017 to assist us in our planning: familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca



Holy Week

Schedule for Holy Week!



Holy Week

Thursday April 13 – Holy Thursday
7:00pm (English/German)

Friday April 14 – Good Friday
Service 3:00pm (English/German)
Stations of the Cross – 7:00pm

Saturday April 15 – Easter Vigil
8:00pm (English/German)

Sunday April 16 – Easter Sunday	
8:30 am English	10:00 am German
12:10 pm English	5:00 pm English

Monday April 17 – Easter Monday
9:00 am English/German

MARCH 12, 2017

"I Call You Friends" Jesus

Parish Mission with Megan McKenna
Theologian, Author and Storyteller

March 19 – March 22, St. Patrick's Church

Join us these days to reflect on the power and impact of our Gospel message for us today, allowing the Good News to move us deeper into relationship with Jesus, which calls us to become servants and friends of the Good News to our world.

Megan McKenna is currently speaking on Mission throughout Canada in many places where Redemptorists are serving, and will join us for these days of prayer and reflection.

Sunday March 19

1:30pm – 3pm: "Leaving Your Pitcher at the Well"

6:30pm – 8pm: "Lent – The Springtime of Our Souls and of the Earth: Death & New Life"

Monday March 20

7pm – 8:30pm: "Are we Blind? Or Can We See?"

Tuesday March 21

7pm – 9pm: **For Young Adults** – Pub Night at Sin & Redemption, "Are You One of Them?"

Wednesday March 22

1pm – 1:45pm & 6pm -6:45pm: "Mary, Woman of Passion"

There is no fee for these talks, but free-will offerings will be taken up.

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Cecil Stein, Helen Swim, Rosina Saragosa, Salvacion Stuart, Rene Camerino, Maynard Farrol, Philomena Bong, Christina del Rosario, Charles Stearn, Anne Crasto, Rosario Guiam, Jo-Lyn Grimaldi, Ho Nguyen, Analiza Valherio, Alvino Pardinez, Jane Lacalamita, Nol Tejada, Helen Loteyro, Zenaida Valencia, Jesus Duque, Maria Castillo, Babe Florendo, Christina Bustos, Antonio Quibraltar, Elenita Colaba, Camille Datiles, Efen Laserna, Vivian See, Eddie Jao, Larry Brenner, Eveline Lin, Sonny Rojo, Tony, Wayne Pinney, Filomena Pulsinelli, Sara Pinto, Maria Bretzinger, Cezarima David, Robert Yu, Tess Capili, Natalie Gibson, Lannie Bartolome, Eddie Carreon, Marie France, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Lori Ata, Sol Almaria, Danny Lopez, Jun Macabulos, Sandra, Eva Garcia, Bernadette Tran, Gloria Tangsinco, Tom Cardozo, Judy Cruz, Bill Butler, Flocerfida Villarosa, Rosemarie Ortanez, Helen Weir, Myrna Modomo, Jesen Doroja, Manuel Bravo, Ma. Christina Bruno, Maria Hontanar, Thelma Surerus, Rowena Torres, Sonia Sayao, Perla Maravilla, Sr. Gabriela Campestne, Antonia Dytoc, Leonore Lee, Jovita Reyes, Jose Reyes Sr., Salvador Matias, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Armenia Garcia, Raymond Arinallo, Manuel Parra, Roel Umadto, Basil Bennette, Norma Torres, Gladys Lucas, Jill Lucas, Sergio Britskitskaya, Galina Britskitskaya

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Joseph Gleason, Brigida Luczon, Giuseppe Lodato, Cieilo Bautista, Patrick Jordan Rosos, Mario Acchione, JB Bermudez, Ed Soriano, Gloria Pineda, Linda Mariano, Aqui Quilang, Corazon Quilang, Asrterio Gabriel, Melvin Critch, Koichie Tanaka, Sidney Douglas, Alice Omelko, Leslie May, Gloria Torres Ignacio, Fr. Stanislaw, Br. Jerry, Alexis Teodosio



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY MAR 13, 2017

7:30am +Holy Souls

12:10pm +Br. Edgar Hoffman, C.Ss.R.

TUESDAY MAR 14, 2017

7:30am Salvacion Stuart

12:10pm Living & deceased members of the Kiley & McLaughlin families

WEDNESDAY MAR 15, 2017

7:30am Joan McKitterick, Special Intentions

9:30am **(Deceased)** +Ruby Boosooboy, +Bholan

Heeralal, +Edward Nelson Gorospe, +Antonio Culembe **(Sick)** Robert Ziger

12:00pm Antonia Agbame, Special Intentions

2:30pm +Emiliano Marmeto Sr.

5:05pm **(Deceased)** +David Meaney, +Zenaida Ferrer

(Sick) Krizzel Tulagan, Jerson Piamat, Teodoro Manalo

7:00pm +Mary Buncic

THURSDAY MAR 16, 2017

7:30am Chen Family, Special Intentions

12:10pm Declan D'Souza & +Charlotte Monteiro

FRIDAY MAR 17, 2017

7:30am Arthur & Ana Seto

12:10pm Pearce Family

SATURDAY MAR 18, 2017

7:30am Clarina Bucsit

5:00pm Gil & Rosemarie Uy & family

SUNDAY MAR 19, 2017

8:30am In honour & glory of St. Joseph

12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church

5:00pm Lopes, Faria, Morey & Gomes Families

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 Mar 15, 2017

Marian Talk: Archbishop Gerard Pettipas, C.Ss.R.

"Icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help"

Homilist: Fr. Santo Arrigo, C.Ss.R.

"St. Patrick's Shrine Church – Brief History"



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