

# 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 Keys - *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. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Joseph Ruta, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Shijo Meppilly C.Ss.R.

Fr. Jacek Cydzik, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Francis Nguyen, C.Ss.R.

## 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.



## Inviting New Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

We invite parishioners to consider becoming involved in our Sunday Liturgical Ministries. In particular, we are looking for more Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion. Our next schedule rotation will be in late fall, but training is provided in September and October. Register by contacting Irene at the Parish Office – [imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

## SAVE THE DATE: Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

We will be having workshops for Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion that serve on **Sunday English and Sunday German Masses, All Weekday Masses and Wednesday Novena Masses**. It is important that you save these dates to attend these workshops.

**Sunday September 24<sup>th</sup> 1:30 pm – 4 pm: LECTORS**  
**Sunday October 1<sup>st</sup> 1:30 pm – 4 pm: MINISTERS OF COMMUNION**

If you serve in both capacities here at St. Patrick's, then you are required to attend both days. These workshops are intended to provide important information for ministries here at St. Patrick's, spiritual preparation of ministry and any changes to help unify our methods of service. Please RSVP your attendance for the Lector Workshop by: September 18th by contacting Irene: [imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

**An Evening at *Sin & Redemption* ...**  
**For Young Adults (18-39)**  
 136 McCaul St. Toronto  
 Tuesday September 19, 2017 7pm-9pm

**Everything you wanted to know from a Priest or Nun, but were afraid to ask!"**

Presenters: Fr. Santo Arrigo C.Ss.R. - Pastor at St. Patrick's Church & Sr. Maureen Baldwin CND

Join us for an evening of discussion, reflection and an opportunity to ask **YOUR** questions in an open and inviting atmosphere.

**ASK AWAY!**

Please RSVP before the gathering on **MEET UP** or **FACEBOOK**, or email us at [ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

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

### September 2017

**19<sup>th</sup> PUB NIGHT for Young Adults** "Everything you wanted to know from a priest or Nun, but were afraid to ask"

**24<sup>th</sup> Ministry Workshop: All LECTORS 1:30pm-4pm**

### October 2017

**1st Ministry Workshop: ALL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS 1:30pm-4pm**

**4<sup>th</sup> Open Door Lunch Thanksgiving** following the Noon Novena Mass

**7<sup>th</sup> Living Rosary** (following the 7:30am Mass until noon)

**18<sup>th</sup> Reflective Wednesdays** "Keeping the Faith in the Family"

**22<sup>nd</sup> Benefit Concert** for Parish Renovations for Lights & Pews 2pm-4pm

**29<sup>th</sup> Out of the Cold Mandatory Orientation 2pm-4:30pm**

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

## Thanksgiving Food Drive for Good Shepherd Centre

We welcome donations of NON-PERISHABLE, unopened food donations for this year's Thanksgiving Food Drive for Good Shepherd Centre. Donations can be placed in the baskets at the entrance of the Church beginning next Sunday.

## Back to School at Ashadeep! Educational Toy Drive

Last year, St. Patrick's generously responded to a request for children's books for the English school at Ashadeep. We received beautiful books, which were transported by a group of parishioners visiting Ashadeep last November. These are currently being enjoyed by the children and appreciated by the teachers. Our request this time is for **gently used educational toys in good condition, suitable for children from 3 to 7 years**. These would include counting, matching, colour recognition, clocks, measurement materials; puzzles (no pieces missing), word matching, letter matching, alphabet recognition materials. Crayons, markers, coloured pencils and erasers could also be contributed if they are **new and unused**. **Please bring donations to the Masses on the weekend of Sept. 16/17 and Sept. 23/24**. Many thanks for your generosity from the Social Justice and Service Committee.

## OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch! Thanksgiving Celebration

Please join us for lunch on **Wednesday Oct 4<sup>th</sup>** after the 12noon Novena Mass. There is no cost, however Donations are appreciated to help defray the costs of food supplies.

## Living Rosary Devotion to Mary

Join us on Saturday October 7<sup>th</sup> following the 7:30 am Mass as the Rosary Group prays the Living Rosary to honour this special month of Devotion to Mary. The Rosary will end at 12:00 noon with the Angelus and Salve Regina. All are welcome to participate.

## Bible & Beer!



### Young Adult Bible Study

Tuesday Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7pm-8pm

We are introducing an informal "bible study" just for young adults.

Join us on a monthly basis for an informal "bible study". We will reflect on the words of scripture as they relate the liturgical season of the year to the experience of our lives and journey of faith.

We will gather for 1 hour of input and reflection and continue the conversation across the street at the pub in a friendly social atmosphere.

Fr. Ed C.Ss.R. will lead the reflection with the Ignite Team

Please **RSVP** by the Friday before the gathering on **MEET UP** or **FACEBOOK**, or email us at [ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca)



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### MONDAY SEPT 18, 2017

7:30am +Adolfo Cruz  
12:10pm Patrick Ryan

### TUESDAY SEPT 19, 2017

7:30am +Adolfo Cruz  
12:10pm In Honour & Glory of St. Joseph

### WEDNESDAY SEPT 20, 2017

7:30am Our Mother of Perpetual Help & Divine Mercy  
9:30am **(Deceased)** +Paulette, Mario & Remi LeBlanc, +Victor & Henry Chandrawarnam  
**(Sick)** Milagros Vicente  
12:00pm For the protection of unborn children  
2:30pm +Felipe Siy & +Eusebia Romero Siy  
5:05pm **(Deceased)** +Isabel Modomo, +Rosalinda Arcega, +Suzette & +Harold Cayetane  
**(Sick)** Tammy Beldia  
7:00pm Xavier Ignes & Desmond Pereira, Thanksgiving

### THURSDAY SEPT 21, 2017

7:30am +Adolfo Cruz  
12:10pm Lopes, Faria, Morey & Gomes families

### FRIDAY SEPT 22, 2017

7:30am +Sofroniad, +Natalio, +Renato & +Elias Garcia  
12:10pm +Alcestis Lazaro

### SATURDAY SEPT 23, 2017

7:30am Inparajan & Anna, Intentions  
5:00pm Felix & Christina Uy & Family

### SUNDAY SEPT 24, 2017

8:30am +Thomas Mau  
12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church  
5:00pm Living & deceased members of the Kiley & McLaughlin families.

## Reflective Wednesdays

Wednesday October 18, 2017

"Keeping the Faith...in the family.  
Hope for fallen-away children"

Join us for some time of reflection on topics and issues that are close to the heart for us in our spiritual journey.

These 45 minute presentations will follow the 12:00pm Novena Mass and will be repeated following the 5:05pm Novena Mass. (1pm-1:45pm or 6pm-6:45)

Presenters will be announced closer to the date of the talk.

### PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:

Helen Swim, Maynard Farrol, Jerry Cylbuski, Aquino Tobias, Robert Jose Bayani, Philomena Fernandes, Audrey Athavale, Salvacion Stuart, Lambert Apayao, Danilo de Guzman Sr., Kim Talibas, Bernarda Adao, Rene Camerino, Jane Charity Almero, Nol Tejada, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, Hong Nguyen, Jesus Duque, Maria Castillo, Marilyn MacLang, Fortunata Givera, Russel Campo, Ernest Padila, Angie Cantor, Maureen Eisen, Vivian see, Camille Datiles, Efen Laserna, Celestino Luczon, Tony, Joe Caira, Wayne Pinney, Laszlo Maria, Madelaine Pereira, Filomena Pulsinelli, Nonita Deocades, Nattie Gibson, Lannie Bartolome, Sigrid Plamenco, Jun Macabulos, Cezarina David, Edith Del Rosario, Margaret Hanlon, Sol Almaria, Janey Tavares, Sandra, Pat D'Souza, Eva Garcia, Noling Cariaga, Gloria Tangsinco, Bernadette Tran, Rosalina Parale, Antonio Cena, Mark Okia, Simon Kara, Winnie Okumu, Flora Ukumu, Simon Peter Okanya, Dr. Imelda Alcala Ong, Maria Hontanar, Myrna Modomo, Virginia Lasambra, Rodrigo Doroja, Rosabelle Lo, Maria Raso, Mila Capati, Wendy Ryzer, Leticia Aman, Kathryn Culek, Pauline Culek, Violeta Caballero, Rosario Guiam, Annalisa Morales, Angelito de Jesus, Jose Reyes Sr., Norman Fernandes, Maria Yumul, Florentina Palma, Joel Palma, Antonia Dytoc, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Armenia Garcia, Jill Lucas, Jorge Palamaria, Gladys Lucas, Lisbeth Teodosio, Stewart Wallace, Lorna Bello, Shermaine Peters

### FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:

Eluterio Leal, Maria Tolentino, Rosanna Mary Kehoe, Edwin Aranilla, Marion Lambert, Manny Dia, Jose Losadas, Simon Copon, August Lerch

**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 Sept 20, 2017*

*Marian Talk: Fr. Philip Dabney, C.Ss.R.*

*"Blessed is she who Believed"*

*Homilist: Fr. David Purcell, C.Ss.R.*

*"An Invitation to a Vocation"*

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