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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

Legion of Mary

Noon Mass

Wednesday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am,12:00 pm

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Wednesdays at 1:30 pm

Rosary Prayer Ministry

Saturday after 7:30 am Mass

Justice and Service Group
3rd Sunday of the month, after the

12:10 Mass in the Neumann Hall.

Monday to Friday after 7:30 am and

2:30 pm, 5:05 pm, 7:00 pm

Confessions

Begin 45 minutes before Wed & Sun Masses except for 7:30am & 10am, and on 1st Fri of the month.

No confessions Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri

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 Nov. 19, 2017 to March 25, 2018

Meditation Group

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

Marriage

SACRAMENTS

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.

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

R.C.I.A.

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

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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 9, beginning at 6:00 PM in St. Patrick's Parish Hall 139 McCaul Street. Tickets are \$75.00 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, 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Grab your party hat and join St. Patrick's Family Ministry for Mardi Gras on **Sunday February 11**, 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

ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday February 14, 2018

Ashes will be distributed at the conclusion of the Novena Masses to Our Mother of Perpetual Help: 7:30am Mass, 9:30 am Mass, 12:00pm Mass, 2:30pm Mass, 5:05pm Mass, 7:00 pm Mass.

Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available prior to the Masses (with the exception of the 7:30am Mass)

2018 Weekly Offering Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2018 will be available at the back of the Church until **Wednesday January 31**st. If you haven't picked up your box, please do so in the next couple of weeks. If you would like to receive a box please email secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca

A look ahead at St. Pat's!

January 2018

Jan 25th – Credo: I believe, 7pm Neumann Hall

February 2018

Feb 1st - Credo: I believe, 7pm Neumann Hall

Feb 4th – Bishop Robert Kasun, visiting St. Patrick's Church 12:10 pm

Feb 7th – "Journey through Grief ... Journey through Life"

Feb 8th - Credo: I believe, 7pm Neumann Hall

Feb 9th – Table For Two

Feb 11th - Mardi Gras, Pancake Sunday, Neumann Hall

Feb 14th – ASH WEDNESDAY

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

Bishop Robert Kasun CSB Visit to St. Patrick's Church Sunday February 4th, 12:10pm Mass

Bishop Robert Kasun, auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Toronto will preside at the 12:10 pm Mass on Sunday February 4th as an opportunity to meet and greet with our parish community. Bishop Kasun has been informally visiting the parishes in the Central Region of which he has pastoral oversight and works with the priests in the area. We hope that you can come and join us for this Mass to meet our local Bishop for our region.

Credo: I Believe... A Three-Part Series

The Creed represents the key beliefs of our Catholic faith. Join us for a three-part series on the Creed, its history and its meaning, **January 25**, **February 1**, **and February 8**, beginning at 7:00 p.m. in Neumann Hall. **Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss.R.** will be the presenter. Please pre-register at the parish office by Tuesday Jan 23, 2018

"Journey through Grief.... Journey through Life"

Grief Support Group begins Wednesday February 7 at 6pm for 6 weeks for those who journeying with the loss of a loved one. Lucia Gallegos, a parishioner and Registered Psychotherapist will be the facilitator. **Group size is limited to 12 participants.** Please register by contacting the parish office.

Keep Informed!

Register at the Parish Website!

Visit www.stpatrickstoronto.ca and go to "Contact Us" then Sign Up! You can sign up to receive the Parish Bulletin, news alerts, blog entries as well as Event Updates and Information based on your interest! Keep informed about all the upcoming events and opportunities at St. Patrick's.

Parish Pastoral Council & Finance Council seeking new Members

Our Parish Pastoral Council and Parish Finance Council are looking to welcome new members over the next few months as some members are finishing their terms of service. If you would like to learn more about these two important councils at the parish and to see if you might be a good fit for this, we invite you to contact Fr. Santo Arrigo C.Ss.R., our Pastor at the parish office to learn about this possibility to serve the parish in these capacities.

An Evening at Sin & Redemption ...

For Young Adults (18-39)

136 McCaul St. Toronto Tuesday January 23, 2018 7pm-9pm

Bible: Ancient Wisdom? Or Current Affairs?

For two millennia Christian Scripture has had the ability to inspire countless generations. Yet, for many people today it seems outdated and inaccessible. So, in our modern context, how can scripture communicate the Good News to an increasingly secular and skeptical society? What are the challenges? What are the benefits? Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss.R., our Associate Pastor will be our presenter. Pub Grub on us. You purchase your own drinks. Please register on MEET UP or Facebook. Or email us at ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Lynn Wise, Maynard Farrol, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, George Koss, Philomena Fernandez, Ralph Crasto, Salvacion Stuart, Hong Nguyen, Patricia Man, Robert Jose Bayani, Antonio Lim, Divine Marasigan, Claire Scott, Fr. Francis, Maria Castillo, Jesus Duque, Vivian See, Nol Tejada, Camille Datiles, Rosalina Martins, Efren Laserna, Nonita Deocades, Tony, Filomena Pulsinelli, Luigi Bertolone, Rolasse DeSouza, Ernie Caramansion, Patricia D'Souza, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Ivor England, Sol Almaria, Veri Rico, Jun Macabulos, Cecilia Torres, Francisco Torres, Angie Cantor, Gloria Ochola, Marcelina Real, Rosa Maravilla, Judith & Bob Ross, Norma Caballero, Maureen Eisen, Peter Pacione, Sophie & Greg Scott, Bill Butler, Fr. Ralph McQuaid, Myrna Modomo, Maria Hontanar, Ma. Christina Bruno, Eileen Modomo, Arthur Abey, Jerry Gomez, Maria Estela Preciosa, Mila & Fred Capati, Mr. & Mrs. Referente, Linda Modomo, Greg Pearson, Luciano, Armando, Maximiana, Danilo, Louise Hoogendoorn, Teresita Guico, Marlene Gomez, Melchor Alfonso, Leticia Matias, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Armenia Garcia, Jorge Palomaria, Krystel Agnote, Gladys Lucas, Jill Lucas, Jolly Jayag, Eddie Jayag, Lagrimas Loria, Susan Torres, Jeena Martin.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Fr. Robert Crooker, Msgn. Greg Haddock, Tobias Enverga, Melodina Gaduyon, Louisa D'Souza, Lupo Ramos, Lorna Bell, Alexis Tudodio, Rosie Roy, Sonia Envervos, Teresita Penas, Mike Devine, Cery Nolasco, Ericson Guico, Sagrada Cameron, Vince Cutrara



MONDAY JAN 22. 2018

8:30am +All Souls in Purgatory 12:10pm Raymond & Cecilia, Intentions

TUESDAY JAN 23, 2018

7:30am For the aborted child 12:10pm Willie Loares, Thanksgiving

WEDNESDAY JAN 24, 2018

7:30am Agnes Wasay

9:30am (**Deceased**) +Fr. Anthony Huang, +Hildegard Cardozo

12:00pm Protection of unborn children

2:30pm Shirley Attido, Birthday Blessings

5:05pm (**Deceased)** +Patrick-Wood Salomon, +Antonio

Cicco, +Fr. Antonio Festin

7:00pm TBD

THURSDAY JAN 25, 2018

7:30am Chantal Djossou 12:10pm +Gilbert

FRIDAY JAN 26, 2018

7:30am +All Souls in Purgatory 12:10pm +Clara Mous

SATURDAY JAN 27, 2018

7:30am Gil & Rosemarie Uy & Family 5:00pm +Noling Cariaga

SUNDAY JAN 28, 2018

8:30am TBD

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

5:00pm +Julian Zambrano

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 Jan 24, 2018
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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