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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

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

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 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)

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.

PARISH NEWS

Adoration and Holy Hour

Join us for a quiet time of prayer and reflection on First Friday Feb 2nd, following the 12:10pm Mass.

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 7th** after the 12noon Novena Mass. There is no cost, however Donations are appreciated to help defray the costs of food supplies.

The Feast of St. Blaise

The feast day of St. Blaise is on **Saturday February 3rd, 2018**. Blessing of the Throats will take place after the 7:30am and 5:00pm 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 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

A look ahead at St. Pat's!

February 2018

Feb 1st - Credo: I believe, 7pm Neumann Hall
Feb 2nd - Adoration and Holy Hour, following 12:10pm Mass
Feb 3rd - The Feast of St. Blaise
Feb 4th - Bishop Robert Kasun, visiting St. Patrick's Church 12:10 pm
Feb 7th - Open Door - Lunch, Parish Hall after 12noon Novena
Feb 7th - "Journey through Grief ... Journey through Life", Choir Room
Feb 8th - Credo: I believe, 7pm Neumann Hall
Feb 9th - Table For Two, Parish Hall
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.

"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.

2018 Weekly Offering Envelopes

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

Marriage Sunday

With Bishop Robert Kasun
 Sunday February 11, 2018 – 3:00pm

As part of Marriage Sunday 2018 celebrations, Bishop Robert Kasun will preside at a special Mass to honour couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2018. If you (or a couple you know) are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th wedding anniversary this year, they are invited to join in this special celebration. The Mass will take place at 3:00pm on Sunday February 11th at Blessed Trinity Parish (3220 Bayview Ave. North York). A reception will follow Mass. All are welcome to attend – couples celebrating milestone anniversaries are asked to register online to ensure reserved seating. Registration and other important information can be found at: www.archtoronto.org/marriage Or by calling 416-934-3400 xt 523.



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY JAN 29, 2018

8:30am Gil Narag, operation
 12:10pm Agnes Ho, Thanksgiving

TUESDAY JAN 30, 2018

7:30am Holy Souls
 12:10pm Gil Narag, operation

WEDNESDAY JAN 31, 2018

7:30am Donald & Marie Therese D'Silva
 9:30am **(Deceased)** +Fr. Lawrence Mascarenas
 12:00pm +Ana Rita Vaz
 2:30pm Maria Magtangob, Thanksgiving
 5:05pm **(Deceased)** (1) +Amado Apolinario & +Alejandro Silva
 7:00pm TBD

THURSDAY FEB 1, 2018

7:30am +Leslie Nazareth
 12:10pm +Luz Macaraeg

FRIDAY FEB 2, 2018

7:30am TBD
 12:10pm Arlene Corpuz, Thanksgiving

SATURDAY FEB 3, 2018

7:30am +All Souls in purgatory
 5:00pm Luz & Freddie Chua & family

SUNDAY FEB 4, 2018

8:30am +Agrinoalda Couto
 12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church
 5:00pm +Edward Piasta

Reflective Wednesdays

Wednesday February 21, 2018

"The Sacrament of Reconciliation: Coming Clean"

Join us for some time of reflection on this pertinent topic, not only about the Lenten discipline of reconciliation, but about our understanding of Sin, god's forgiveness and Mercy, and our growth through the grace of this special Sacrament.

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)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:

Lynn Wise, Maynard Farrol, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, George Koss, Philomena Fernandez, Ralph Crasto, Salvacion Stuart, Francesca Esguerra, Robert Jose Bayani, Claire Scott, Antonio Lim, Divine Marasigan, Patricia Man, Fr. Francis, Rita Lawrence, Maria Castillo, Jesus Duque, Vivian See, Nol Tejada, Rosalia Roxas, Claudette Wilson, Camille Datiles, Efen Laserna, Pat Lescano, Nonita Deocades, Tony, Filomena Pulsinelli, Loreta Tempesta, Ernie Caramancion, Jo Enlor, Sol Almaria, Ian Small, Helen Olan, Jun Macabulos, Luningning Cataag, Roel Torres, Mary Rose Cruz, Francisco Torres, Cecilia Torres, cherry Sanger, Troy Mendoza Dela Pena, Christian Pavle, Gabrielle Brum, Vitorina Brum, Maria Brum, Myrna Modomo, Maria Hontanar, Mila & Fred Capati, Eileen Modomo, Jose & Erlinda Referente, Wendy Ryzer, Luciano, Alex, Stephanie, Rebecca, Maria Estela Yap, Antonia Dytoc, Josephina Bellesimo, Deni Iannetta, Rosa Guiam, Elray Cristomo, Fr. Ralph McQuaid, Benjie Padua, Jolly Jayaag, Eddie Jayag, Deciong Salvador, Teresita Guico, Victoria Pusung, Victoria Pusung, Estelita Trinidad, Marlene Gomez, Susan Torres, Elena & Luigi Miraglia, Michelle McKenzie, Grace Aquino, Erick Mandapal, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Krystel Agnote, Jill Lucas, Jorge Palomaria, Gladys Lucas.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:

Patrick Wood-Salomon, Antonio Cicco, Margaret McAndrew, Carmel Kiernau, Roger Balawa, Narciso Cataag, Ernesto Yulina, Mike Devine, Rosie Roy

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 31, 2018

Marian Talk: Fr. Michael Cunningham, C.Ss.R.

"The Virgin in the Rose Garden"

Homilist: Bishop Bryan Bayda, C.Ss.R.

"The Merciful Couple that Evangelizes."

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