

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 Keays - *Family and Children Coordinator*

Loretta Conte - *Secretary*

Maria Luxbacher - *German Community*

John Pavao - *Maintenance/Caretaker*

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Pastoral Assistants

Fr. William Fitzgerald, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Joseph Ruta, C.Ss.R.

Fr. David Louch, 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

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.

SL ShareLife

*Helping the whole community
through Catholic agencies*

Living the Gospel by supporting vocations

"Living and studying at St. Augustine Seminary has brought untold blessings to my life," shares Matthew Gunnarson, one of 80 seminarians undergoing formation at the joint campus of St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Seminary. He adds, "The seminary could not run without the generous support of ShareLife donors." By supporting ShareLife, you are helping our future priests follow God's call.

**March 18 is ShareLife Sunday.
Please give generously.**

2017 Income tax Receipts

Income Tax Receipts for 2017 are available for pick up at the back of the Church during weekend Masses and Wednesdays. The other days of the week will be available for pick up in the office during regular hours. **Please pick up your receipt before February 27th. PLEASE NOTE: You can only pick up your own receipt, and not for someone else.**

If you would like to sign up or pick up Weekly offering envelopes for 2018, please visit the Parish Office, or email secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca

Adoration and Holy Hour

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



Stations of the Cross

Friday March 2, 2018, 5:30pm

Join us as we gather to walk the Way of the Cross with Jesus in this holy season of Lent at 5:30pm in the Church. Each week, different parish groups will animate the Way of the Cross for us. Our Ignite Young Adult Ministry will animate the Stations of the Cross this week.

OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch!

ShareLife Solidarity Soup Fast

Wednesday March 7, 2018 12:45pm – 2pm

Join us Wednesday March 7th as we raise awareness and money for the different agencies in Toronto sponsored through the annual ShareLife Campaign. This will take place after the 12pm Novena Mass with lunch in the parish Hall. Come and meet new friends, and enjoy a great meal. We ask that you contribute to the ShareLife Campaign at the lunch with whatever you would typically spend on lunch that day.

Envelopes will be available to make your donation for a charitable tax receipt.

A look ahead at St. Pat's!

March 2018

- Mar 2nd - Adoration & Holy Hour, following the 12:10pm Mass
- Mar 2nd - Stations of the Cross, animated by Ignite Young Adult Ministry
- Mar 6th - Young Adults, Bible & Beer
- Mar 7th - Open Door Lunch, ShareLife, following the 12noon Novena Mass
- Mar 11th - ShareLife Lenten Soup Lunch, Neumann Hall 11am & 1:15pm
- Mar 14th - Reflective Wednesday, 1:00pm – 1:45pm & 6:00pm-6:45pm
- Mar 18th - Justice & Service Meeting
- Mar 24th - Senior's Club Meeting

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

Stratford Festival: The Music Man

Mark your calendars for Saturday April 28th, 2018 matinee performance of The Music Man at the Stratford Festival. Dubbed 'a love story with twists and tunes' with melodies like "Seventy-Six Trombones," this musical-comedy classic will delight the whole family. Fabulous dinner to follow at The New Dundee Emporium, and comfy coach from St Patrick's Church. Total cost of the day package is \$165.00 including all taxes and tips. Reserve your spot now by calling Irene at 416-598-3269, extn 1211 or email: imihaljek@stpatrickstoronto.ca.

CALL FOR CONSCIENCE SIGN UP Sunday

Cardinal Collins and bishops across Ontario are asking for an email address from every Catholic family in their community, with a goal of 100,000 email addresses collected by the end of February 2018. This information will be used locally by Cardinal Collins and trusted faith partners to communicate periodically (approximately 6-8 times each year) on issues of particular importance for the Catholic community.

The first campaign of 2018 is the Call for Conscience, inviting our elected Members of Provincial Parliament (MPPs) and those seeking office this June to increase funding/access to palliative care, to protect health care workers wishing to abstain from any involvement in euthanasia/assisted suicide and to protect faith-based facilities from participation in euthanasia/assisted suicide. The work builds on a similar campaign in 2017.

Please visit <http://bit.ly/SignUpSundayRegistration> to register yourself for this initiative. Thank you for living a faith that acts!

Thank You Gifts

Pew & Lighting Campaign

If you made a contribution to the Pew and Lighting Campaign and have not received your "Thank You Gift", it

might be because we don't have your contact information, and are unable to identify you face to face in the Church. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange to pick up your "Thank You Gift" if you have not received it already.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Jerry Marshall, Helen Swim, Tess Pami, Anna Meyer, Ed Soriano, Maxine Glover, Dick Balagtas, Rosie Roy, Sr. Caritas, Mike Devine, Anthony Monteiro.



Bible & Beer!

Young Adult Bible Study (18-39)

Tuesday March 6th, 7pm-8pm

Join us for another informal "bible study" just for young adults.

We will be reflecting 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@stpatrikstoronto.ca



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY FEB 26, 2018

7:30am +George Lazarus
12:10pm Christian Morey, Birthday Blessings

TUESDAY FEB 27, 2018

7:30am +Matthew Snyder
12:10pm Mike PietrooAntonio

WEDNESDAY FEB 28, 2018

7:30am Chantal DJossou
9:30am **(Deceased)** +Marcello Garcia, +Consuelo Malabanan
12:00pm +David Galbraith
2:30pm +Maria Rosario Cabrera
5:05pm **(Deceased)** +Eduardo Modomo, +Jaime R. Alarcon, +Dhoser, Imelda, Adrian & Chantel, +Giovanna Baptista & +Pasqualina Barrone
7:00pm TDB

THURSDAY MARCH 1, 2018

7:30am Maria Georgina Jose, Blessings
12:10pm Paulina Gidade

FRIDAY MARCH 2, 2018

7:30am +All Souls in Purgatory
12:10pm Teressa Angelillo

SATURDAY MARCH 3, 2018

7:30am Alfredo Mabugat
5:00pm Luz & Freddie Chua & Family

SUNDAY MARCH 4, 2018

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

ShareLife Lenten Soup Lunch

Sunday March 11, 2018

Beginning at 11:00am (following the 10am German Mass)
And continuing at 1:15pm (following the 12:10pm Mass)

Join us in Solidarity with our brothers and sisters in need as we share in a simple Lenten Lunch. The cost of this lunch is whatever you typically pay for your lunch on Sunday. Proceeds from this event will go towards the Parish ShareLife Campaign. Come and join us in the Neumann Hall at St. Patrick's Church (131 McCaul St.), enter near the accessibility entrance.

All are welcome!!!

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Lynn Wise, Maynard Farrol, Jo-Lynn Grimaldi, George Koss, Philomena Fernandez, Antonio Lim, Edwin Calvag, Salvacion Stuart, Nova Wasay, Patricia Man, Robert Jose Bayani, Ralph Crasto, Divine Marasigan, Romeo Manuel, Fred Olase, Fr. Francis, Erick Mandapat, Grace Aquino, Michelle MacKenzie, Jesus Duque, Maria Castillo, Efen Laserna, Nena Chavez, Jun Geyaw, Celestino Luczon, Ida Casilag, Claudette Wilson, Vivian See, Camille Datiles, Nol Tejada, Janet Deocades, Tony & Ching Prudenciano, Tony, Filomena Pulsinelli, Luigi Bertolone, Loreta Tempesta, Ernie Caramancion, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Jo Enlord, Sol Almaria, Tenny Soriano, Myrna Soriano, Jhong Tan, Jun Macabulos, Arthur Abhayaratha, Rosemary Nakuya, Carla Rose Okumu, Mark Okia, Winnie Okumu, Flora Okumu, Cecilia Torres, Katherine Tate, Francisco Torres, Kathryn Horns, Declong Salvador, Eddie Jayag, Felix See, Gabrielle Brum, Vitorina Bum, Maria Brum, Gregory McEachern, Myrna Modomo, Maria Hontanar, Daniel Balhany, Wendy Ryzek, Daisy Macatangay, Jolly Jayag, Luciano, Delores Cummings Winston Bennett, Mary Rose Cruz, Flocerfida Villarosa, Angelita, Maria Estela Preciosa, Irma Gutierrez, Larry & Eva Crain, Concordia Capiral, Florentina Palma, Joel Palma, Estelita Trinidad, Jill Lucas, Sergio Bristkitska, Maria Paik, Marlene Gomez, Sosimo Bool, FR. Tamerlane Lana, Jorge Palomaria

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 Feb 28, 2018

Marian Talk: Fr. Rich Luberti, C.Ss.R.
"Theotokos"

Homilist: Sr. Elizabeth Davis, RSM
"Radical Inclusion"

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