

# 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. Sarath Maddineni, C.Ss.R. - *Associate Pastor*  
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## Pastoral Assistants

Fr. William Fitzgerald, C.Ss.R.      Fr. Edward Eherer, C.Ss.R.  
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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

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  
No confessions Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri  
Holy Hour: Confession on 1st Friday 11:15am. Adoration and Holy Hour following 12:10pm Mass

## Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursdays at 7:00 pm (Entrance on St. Patrick Street)

## St. Patrick's "Open Door"

Lunch is served on Wednesdays once a month after the 12:00 noon devotions (Parish Hall)

## Out of the Cold

Sundays Nov. 18, 2018 – March 31st, 2019

## Meditation Group

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

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### 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

Sunday Children's Liturgy during the 12:10pm Mass

## 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. Classes begin in Fall.

An Evening at **Sin & Redemption ...**

For Young Adults (17-39)

136 McCaul St. Toronto  
Tuesday September 18<sup>th</sup>, 7pm - 9pm

**"Starting Fresh with Faith: Getting Back to Basics"**

Are you feeling disconnected between religion and your ideas of faith? Do you wonder why we need Church? Isn't being good, good enough? Sometimes we need to get back to basics to rediscover the roots of Jesus' teachings and His invitation to follow. Let's start fresh with faith. **Fr. Santo Arrigo C.Ss.R.**, Pastor of St. Patrick's Church, will be the facilitator for the event. The event is geared to young adults age (17-39). Free admission at the door! Appetizers on us! Bring a friend, an open mind and an open heart! RSVP on MEET UP "Ignite - Young adult Programs" or on Facebook, or simply email at [ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

*A look ahead at St. Pat's*

**Sept 2018**

18<sup>th</sup> - Young Adult (17-39) Pub Night: Sin & Redemption  
"Starting Fresh with Faith: Getting Back to Basics"

23<sup>rd</sup> - Early Catholic Family Life Program Begins

30<sup>th</sup> - "Letting Christ Take Charge" Three Part Series on Catholic Social Teaching

**Oct 2018**

2<sup>nd</sup> - Bible & Beer! Young Adult (18-39) Bible Study

3<sup>rd</sup> - Open door Lunch, Thanksgiving Celebration

5<sup>th</sup> - Adoration & Holy Hour

6<sup>th</sup> - Living Rosary

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

**Early Catholic Family Life**

**Sunday September 23 - Sunday November 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**9:30am - 11:30am, St. Patrick's Church Choir Room**

Early Catholic Family Life (ECFL) is an engaging catechetical formation program for parents and young children. ECFL seeks to help families grow in faith together, and to support parents in their vocation as their child's first teacher of faith. Through discussion, discovery centers, and activities, families will deepen their faith, strengthen their Catholic identity, and form relationships with other families on a similar journey.

To learn more about this exciting initiative and to register, please contact Sarah Miller at [familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

**"Letting Christ Take Charge"**

**Three Part Series on Catholic Social Teaching**  
**Sundays: Sept 30<sup>th</sup>, Oct 14<sup>th</sup>, Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1:15pm - 3:30pm**

Being Catholic means putting Christ in charge, letting him lead us to the different ways we can serve him by looking out for one another. Are you ready to let him guide you? The world is full of opportunities for evangelization through action. Come learn about some of them, and about the nature of our call to serve. St. Patrick's Justice & Service Group will host a three-part mission in the Neumann Hall following the noon Mass on Sundays: Sept 30<sup>th</sup>, Oct 14<sup>th</sup> & Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 2018. We will learn about the social teachings of the Church, distilled from decades of Papal Encyclicals, and meet organizations seeking volunteers to help carry their missions forward - by serving the poor, helping newcomers, and promoting peace, among others. Who knows where it might lead?

Please RSVP for this series by contacting the Parish Office.

**Oktoberfest Celebration**

with M.C. Harfentöne Choir

**Under the direction of Linda Marcinkus Featuring the Blaskapelle Hemslingen: Conductor: Susanne Holtermann**

Presents an Oktoberfest Atmosphere with lots of Music and Entertainment. Saturday September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018, 12:00pm - 4:00pm Neumann Hall 131 McCaul St. Admission includes dinner, dessert, entertainment. Adults: \$35, Youth under 18: \$20, Children under 10: Free. Order tickets before Sept 21<sup>st</sup> [wolfgang@trautmann.ca](mailto:wolfgang@trautmann.ca) or call 905-471-2216.

**Bible & Beer!**

**Young Adult Bible Study (18-39)**

**Tuesday October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7pm-8pm**

**Join us for another 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. Santo Arrigo** will lead the presentation 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)

**Good Shepherd Thanksgiving Food Drive**

We are collecting "non-perishable", unopened Food Items for this year's Thanksgiving Food Drive for Good Shepherd Centre. Food items can be brought to the entrance of the Church and deposited in the baskets provided.

**"Living Rosary" - October 6**

Join us Sat Oct 6<sup>th</sup> following the 7:30 am Mass for the Living Rosary in the Church until noon. Join us in our celebrating our Love and Devotion to Mary our Mother of Perpetual Help.

**OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch!**

**Thanksgiving Celebration**

Please join us for lunch on **Wednesday Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>** after the 12noon Novena Mass. There is no cost, however Donations are appreciated to help defray the costs of food supplies.

**Adoration and Holy Hour**

Join us for a quiet time of prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament. **First Friday October 5<sup>th</sup>**, following the 12:10pm Mass. Confession will be available from 11:30am-12:00pm.

## Back to School at Ashadeep! Educational Toy Drive

Last year, St. Patrick's parishioners generously responded to a request for educational materials for the English School at Ashadeep. We received many appropriate and useful materials, which are currently being used and appreciated by the children and teachers.

Last year Ashadeep English School had 185 children, this year there are 307 enrolled from Kindergarten to Grade 2. Once more, the request is for **gently used** educational toys in good condition, suitable for children from **3 to 9 years**. These would include counting, matching, colour recognition, clocks, word matching, letter matching, and alphabet recognition materials. Puzzles suitable for the older children 7-9 years, children's atlases and maps, **metric** measuring materials including tape measures, and skipping ropes and small balls.

Crayons, markers, coloured pencils and erasers could also be contributed if they are **new and unused**. **Dry erase pens would be especially welcome.**

**Please bring donations to any of the Masses on the weekend of Sept. 22/23, and Sept. 29/30. There will be containers at the back of the church as you come in.**

**Many thanks for your ongoing generosity from the Justice and Service Committee.**

## Sunday TV Mass

For the past 30 years the Sunday Mass for the TV community has been on CFTO Toronto. This Mass will no longer be broadcasted on CFTO. The Archdiocese of Toronto and the National Catholic Broadcasting Council (NCBC) are partnering to make Sunday TV Mass available on Vision TV at 8am and Yes TV at 10:30am. Please check your local listings. For more information visit [www.dailymass.com](http://www.dailymass.com) or call NCBC toll-free 1888-383-6277

### PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:

Cindy Gisel, Dorothy Grimaldi, Rosalie-Ann Kettle, Salvacion Stuart, Patricia Man, Dolores Paredes, Joe Caira, Pasquale Cedrone, Angie Cantor, Peter Pacione, Maureen Eisen, Salvacion Stuart, Aida Belen, Aquino Tobias, Tobias Pesino, Noemi Villegas, Percy Colchera, Maria Castillo, Jesus Duque, Pio & Flor Martillano, Rosario Chang, Loreta Isopo, Anna Cook, Monica de Melo, Lucretzia Fantozzi, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Jo Enlord, Michael Caruso, Natalie Hayden, Dr. Bob Gough, Clement Edwards, John McGarry, Jun Macabulos, Sol Almaria, Patricia D'Souza, Anna Vicente, Mila Baliat, Arsenia Reyes, Romulo Encinares, Robert Fulford, Rosalia Venancio Amistad, Concepcion Amistad, Clarissa Angles Torres, Cecilia Torres, Chris Opoka-Okumu, Rosemary Nakuya, Hellen Amuge, Liza, Carla, Winnie & Flora Okumu, Ballena & Tolentino Family, Brum Family, Nenita Flores, Palma Family, Saturina Ebero, Cecilia Pagnan, Daisy Latif, Manuel Family, Elena & Luigi Miraglia, Nancy Yap, Emerald Paulino, Jessie Ponce, Lita Orayenza, Frank Gallo, Fred Olase, Michelle MacKenzie, Grace Aquino, Nancy Ong, Nilda Ortiz, Armand Lontok, Angelita, Joshua, Jayag Family, Maria Paik, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Krystel Agnote, Armenia Garcia, Jill Lucas, Gladys Lana Lucas, Jorge Palomaria, Sergei Brystkitska, Galina Brystkitskaya, Silva Family, Apolinario Family.

### FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:

Perlina Canite, Eduardo Perez, Florentina de la Cruz, Fr. Peter Coughlin, Adelina Udarbe, Deacon Tab Charbonneau, Chi Dumilon, John Manion, Victor Camayudo Suarez, David Dahanet, Dawn Webley, Walter Simon, Elena Chan, Velasio De Paolis, Dremio Mabanag, Marino Crisostomo, Erwina Mcname, Agnes Lacsamana, Leonides Flor Banez.



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### MONDAY SEPT 17 2018

7:30am +John Mous  
12:10pm +Myrtle Taylor

### TUESDAY SEPT 18, 2018

7:30am Ellen Mariano, Thanksgiving  
12:10pm +Jaime Rosales Alarcon

### WEDNESDAY SEPT 19, 2018

7:30am Living & Deceased members of the Kiley & McLaughlin Families  
9:30am **(Deceased)** +All Souls in Purgatory, +Conrado & +Elisa Atido, +Dr. Alicia Federis Adorna,, +Paul Frendo-Cumbo, +Anita Tan Andoloy  
12:00pm +Kostela & +Mika Families  
2:30pm In Honour & Glory of St. Joseph  
5:05pm **(Deceased)** +Cesar Quijano, +Antonella Vocaturo, +Maria Lole Abella Tariman, +Rita Josefa De Leon  
7:00pm +Sebastian Flores

### THURSDAY SEPT 20, 2018

7:30am +Poor Souls in Purgatory  
12:10pm Justiniano GoRama Sr.

### FRIDAY SEPT 21, 2018

7:30am Thanksgiving  
12:10pm Mr. & Mrs. Don Casey, Thanksgiving

### SATURDAY SEPT 22, 2018

7:30am +Benjamin Fuentes  
5:00pm Buslon Family & Juan Magistrado Sr.

### SUNDAY SEPT 23, 2018

8:30am +Eulogio Poks Sr.  
12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church  
5:00pm +Matilde Jaron

**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 September 19, 2018**

**Marian Talk: Jim & Marilyn Cameron**

**"Marriage with Mary"**

**Homilist: Fr. Mark Miller, C.Ss.R.**

**"Don't be Afraid of Death – or Dying!"**

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