

# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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*Feast of the Holy Family*

# PARISH NEWS

## OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch! Celebrating New Year's

Join us Wednesday January 2<sup>nd</sup>, after the 12pm Novena Mass for lunch in the Church Hall. Come and meet new friends, enjoy a great meal. There is no cost, however your 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 Fri January 4<sup>th</sup>**, following the 12:10pm Mass. Confession will be available from 11:30am-12pm. Come and pray with us!

## Epiphany Party

**Sunday January 6<sup>th</sup>, 1:15pm – 3:00pm**  
**St. Patrick's Neumann Hall**

Join other parish families as we celebrate the Christmas season with traditional holiday food, activities, and crafts from around the world.

Please RSVP by January 4<sup>th</sup> by contacting Sarah Miller, [familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

During the Christmas Season

Monday December 31 – 9 AM – 12noon

Tuesday January 1 – CLOSED

Wednesday January 2 – 9 AM – 4:30 PM

## Bible & Beer!

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

**Tuesday January 8<sup>th</sup>, 7pm-8pm**

Join us for an informal "Bible Study" just for young adults! We will reflect on the words of scripture as they relate the liturgical season 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. Sarath Maddineni, C.Ss.R. will lead the reflection with the Ignite Team.

Please RSVP by January 4<sup>th</sup>, on **MEET UP** or **FACEBOOK**, or email us at [ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca)

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

Jan 2019

2<sup>nd</sup> - Open Door Lunch, following the 12noon Novena Mass

4<sup>th</sup> - Adoration and Holy Hour, following the 12:10pm Mass

6<sup>th</sup> - Epiphany Party, following the 12:10pm Mass, Neumann Hall

8<sup>th</sup> - Young Adults! (18-39) Bible & Beer, Neumann Hall

16<sup>th</sup> - Reflective Wednesdays, following the 12noon Novena Mass and following the 5:05pm Novena Mass.

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

## 2019 Weekly Offering Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2019 are available for pick up at the back of the Church. If you used envelopes this year there will be a box set for you with the same number. Please make sure you pick up only the box with your name on it. If you don't have a box and would like one, please contact the Parish office or email at [secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca). **ALL 2018 TAX RECEIPT DONATIONS** must be received by December 31, 2018. After January 1, 2019, all donations go toward 2019 taxes. Thank you for your understanding.

## WANTED: Piano Accompanist for Sunday 8:30 am Mass

We are currently looking for a regular accompanist for the Sunday 8:30 am Mass as early as the new year. Our Sunday 8:30 am Music consists of Piano and Cantor. If you are interested in this position, please contact Fr. Santo Arrigo at the Parish Office to learn more about this opportunity. We are grateful to Helen who has been playing at the 8:30 am Mass for almost 10 years, and wish her God's blessings as she moves outside of Toronto.

## Reflective Wednesdays

Wednesday January 16, 2019

*"Hope in the Midst of Brokenness –  
Being Bold as a Pilgrim People"*

We see brokenness in our Community and Church. How do we move forward with trust, confidence and in unity as a pilgrim people? Our Presenter is Fr. Ed Eherer, C.Ss.R. The first talk will follow the noon Novena Mass (1pm – 1:45pm) and will be repeated following the 5:05pm Novena Mass. (1pm-1:45pm or 6pm-6:45)

## Keep Informed!

**Register at the Parish Website!**

Visit [www.stpatrickstoronto.ca](http://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.



## When in Church...



*Be aware of your surroundings  
Keep your belongings safe and with you at all times  
Report any concerns immediately to the Office.  
We have seen a recent increase  
in thefts on Church Property.*



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### MONDAY DEC 31, 2018

7:30am +Perlita Tongson  
12:10pm +Pasqualino Cedrone  
12 midnight +Edna & +Piedad Almonte

### TUESDAY JAN 1, 2019

8:30am +Albert Rozario  
12:10pm +Aqualina Bermejo

### WEDNESDAY JAN 2, 2019

7:30am +Sandra Boodlal  
9:30am +Procopio & +Sofia Parazo & +Flor Arceo, +Vincenzo Jimmy De Leo,  
12:00pm +Deceased members of the Kiley & McLaughlin Family  
2:30pm +Maria Athenna  
5:05pm +Holy Souls, +Nilda Ortiz  
7:00pm Le-Hoang Family, Blessings

### THURSDAY JAN 3, 2019

7:30am Thanksgiving  
12:10pm Thanksgiving to Sacred Heart of Jesus blessings received.

### FRIDAY JAN 4, 2019

7:30am +Holy Souls  
12:10pm +Baldomero Gomes

### SATURDAY JAN 5, 2019

7:30am +Esther E. Aldana  
5:00pm Pray to Virgin Mary for protection

### SUNDAY JAN 6, 2019

8:30am +Deceased members of Alfredo Gurtiea & Family  
12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church  
5:00pm Luz & Freddie Chua & Family

## Archdiocese of Toronto Living with Christ Daily Reading

Parishioners throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto can now find the Canadian daily readings on their archdiocesan and parish websites.

Working with our publishing partners at *Living with Christ/Novalis*, the Archdiocese of Toronto has been able to include this new feature on the [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org) website and all parish websites within the archdiocesan website network. There are currently 159 parishes in the network.

Securing access to these online readings for the day, thanks to the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops – including the First Reading, Second Reading (when appropriate), Psalm and Gospel Reading – is significant because the vast majority of daily readings found online are from the United States Lectionary. There are some key differences between the American and Canadian Lectionaries in translations, the arrangements of some readings and feast days, as well as some differences in the instructions for readers. By partnering with *Living in Christ*, we are ensuring website visitors will find the same readings they would hear in their local parish Mass.

The Daily Readings tab can be found under the Our Catholic Faith drop-down menu on the archdiocesan and parish websites within the [archtoronto.org](http://archtoronto.org) network

### PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:

Dorothy Grimaldi, Francesca Caccamo, Joe Caira, Salvacion Stuart, Baby Mary Angel, Patricia Man, Deanna Andrew, Lope Sacayanan, Dulce Goodfellow, Aquino Tobias, Julie de la Cruz, Zenny Dinnick, Jesus Duque, Maria Castillo, Pio & Flor Martillano, Daniel Balanay Jr., Loreta Isopo, Anna Maria, Michelina Ciocciola, Rosalina Parale, Linda Verzosa, Regina Wina Hartandie, Preetie, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Jo Enlord, Dina Buen, Romulo Encinares, Luciano Matias, Delfin Pascua, John McGarry, Maria Luxbacher, Sol Almaria, Pat D'Souza, Jun Macabulos, Eglantine Gomes, Ivan Mihaljek, Imma Venus, Ana Vicente, Arsenia Reyes, Patricia Mogina, Nenancio Amistad, Loui Pascua, Jadee Ballena, Kit Ballena, Jim Meyer, Jovi & Nenita Flores, Concepcion Amistad, Brum Family, Fred Rempel, Antonietta Morra, Glorai Matthias, Regina Hurtandi, Lina Cageles, Nancy Yap, Palma Family, Louise Hoogendor, Angie Cantor, Peter Pacione, Maureen Eisen, Mr. & Mrs. Referente, Barbara Boyle, Merlita de Guzman, Luis Collaco, Jess Ponce, Daisy Latif, Aidan Smith, Angelita, Joshua, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Krystel Agnoe, Galdys Lucas, Armenia Garcia, Jorge Palomaria, Jimbo Prollamante, Ana Lino

### FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:

Raul Sioson, Penafrawcia Escote, Joselito Balotro, Melinda Prudenciano, Amado Pastorfide, Fr. Francis Voorwerk, Michal Gaidos, Milan Paracka, George Thomas, Ng Sau Lin, Eugenia Bartolome.

**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 January 2, 2018*

*Marian Talk: Deanna Andrew*  
*"Answered Prayers"*

*Homilist: Fr. John Kingsbury, C.Ss.R.*  
*"Pope Francis' Style: Seeking Council"*

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