St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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National Shrine of our Mother of Perpetual Help Served by the Redemptorists since 1881

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 Irene Mihaljek - Parish Administrator Sarah Miller - Lay Pastoral Associate Loretta Conte - Secretary Maria Luxbacher - German Community

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Pastoral Assistants

Fr. William Fitzgerald, C.Ss.R. Fr. Edward Eherer, C.Ss.R. Fr. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R. Fr. Joseph Khai, C.Ss.R. Fr. Joseph Ruta, C.Ss.R. Fr. Francis Nguyen, C.Ss.R

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm 9:00 am - 7:00 pm Wednesday Saturday & Sunday CLOSED Closed for Lunch 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Confessions

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 7:30 am & 5:00 pm 8:30 am, 12:10 & 5:00 pm Sunday:

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

Thursdays at 7:00 pm (Entrance on **Legion of Mary** St. Patrick Street)

Wednesdays at 1:30 pm

St. Patrick's "Open Door"

Charismatic Prayer Group

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

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.

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

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

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.

Marriage

Engaged couples from St. Patrick's Parish should make an appointment with the Pastor one year prior to their wedding.

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)

Sacraments: Our Encounter with God (Mini Course)

St. Augustine said. "Sacraments are the visible sign of invisible Grace". Come and explore each of the seven Sacraments of the Church and discover how they draw us into participation in the life of God as a community of faith. This course is the continuation from the Fall Session. In these winter Sessions, we will explore the Sacraments of Healing (Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick), and the Sacraments of Service (Marriage and Holy Orders). Fr. Sarath Maddineni C.Ss.R. will be our presenter. Sessions will take place on Thursday evenings from 7 pm - 9 pm on the following dates: Jan 17, 24, 31, Feb 7 and 14 in the Neumann Hall. If you participated in the Fall, please confirm your attendance for this Winter Session. If you are new to the course, please contact the Parish Office to Register. Registration for this course is Please register by January 11th. required. materials \$25.

Ashadeep Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

It is wonderful news to announce that, thanks once again to the tremendous generosity of St. Patrick's parishioners, \$11,500.00 has been sent to Ashadeep to develop the Outdoor Education facilities for 2019. This will be a great addition to the programme at Ashadeep and will provide the children with increased opportunity for participation in sports and recreation. This is the 10th year that St. Patrick's has given to a project at Ashadeep, a remarkable, ongoing support. As Fr. Anish reported in his thanks, when he visited on the fourth Sunday of Advent, the parishioners of St. Patrick's are remembered with gratitude, daily in the prayers of the children of Ashadeep. Bishop John and Fr. Francis (the Director of Ashadeep) have both expressed their gratitude and send prayers and God's Blessing to St. Patrick's parishioners.

Santo Niño: Celebration of the Infant Jesus (Traditional Filipino Feast Day)

Join us on Saturday January 26th at 11:30 am for the celebration of Mass, Blessing of Statues and the Children. Lunch to follow in the Parish Hall and the Novena Prayer for Infant Jesus of Prague. Dance Procession with your Statue will conclude the day. This event is sponsored by the St. Patrick's Senior's Club. For more information, contact Alannah 647-528-2933

A look ahead at St. Pat's

Jan 2019

16th – Reflective Wednesdays, following the 12noon Novena Mass and following the 5:05pm Novena Mass.

17th – Sacraments: Our Encounter with God (Mini Course), registration is required before January 11th.

20th - Justice & Service Group Meeting, Neumann Hall 1:15 - 3pm

26th – Santo Niño, Mass beginning in the Church at 11:30am

Feb 2019

15th - Table For Two, Parish Hall 6pm -9pm

19th - Redemptorist Vocations, 4:30- 9pm, contact Fr. Santo Arrigo

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

An Evening at Sin & Redemption ...

For Young Adults (18-39)

136 McCaul St. Toronto Tuesday January 22nd 7pm - 9pm

"Starting the Year off with a new Cat-itude"

Start over with a new "Cat-itude": Catholic Attitude"! Seeing how we can shed our old ways of being judgmental by living more deeply in the joy that we celebrated at Christmas.

Join us for evenings of discussion, reflection, and an opportunity to raise your questions about faith and the Catholic Church in an open and inviting atmosphere. Bring a friend, an open mind and an open heart! This evening will be facilitated by **Fr. Santo Arrigo C.Ss.R.**, Pastor, St. Patrick's Church. No admission at the door! Pub Grub Snacks will be provided, beverages are at the guest's expense.

RSVP for this event by January 18th on MEET UP "Ignite – Young adult Programs" or on Facebook, or simply email at ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca

Justice and Service Commission Meeting Sunday January 20th 1:15pm – 3pm Neumann Hall

The theme for the January meeting is Option For and With the Poor, this will include prayer, video and theological reflection. Join us as we focus on the social justice mission of the Church through education, support and action. Rooted in the Catholic Social Teachings of the Church, we engage and empower parishioners and the community to live their Catholic faith through hands on justice and service initiatives. For more information contact justice@stpatrickstoronto.ca. All are Welcome!!

2019 Weekly Offering Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2019 are available for pick up at the back of the Church. If you used envelopes in 2018 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.

Redemptorist Vocations

Witness of the Redeemer ...

Sharing joy, hope, and mercy in a wounded world Tuesday February 19, 2019 4:30pm — 9pm

Join us for a "Come and See Evening" for young men (high school age to 40 years) to learn about life and Ministry as a Redemptorist. It is an evening of Prayer, Reflection, discussion and Discernment.

Please contact Fr. Santo Arrigo C.Ss.R. to learn more about this event and to register: 416-598-3269 ext #1209, or email sarrigo@stpatrickstoronto.ca.

Learn more about Redemptorist Priests and Brothers: Redemptoristvocations.ca

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 15, 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 8th. For more information, contact the parish office at 416-598-3269 or email at secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Dorothy Grimaldi, Francesca Caccamo, Joe Caira, Salvacion Stuart, Patricia Man, Shui Yung Chan, Devon McIntosh, Deanna Andrew, Anthony Carvahlo, Doreen Young, Collin Cox, Aquino Tobias, Maria Hontanar, Jesus Duque, Selina Deocades, Maria Castillo, Pio & Flor Martillano, Nol & Angie Tejada, Tony & Ching Prudenciano, Myrna Modomo, Loreta Isopo, Anna Maria, Michelina Ciocciola, Rosalina Parale, Linda Verzosa, Vlasta Vosika, Jocelyn Meneses, Maria Luxbacher, Sol Almaria, Romulo Encinares, Pat D'Souza, Jun Macabulos, Eglantine Gomez, Barb Hurst, Ana Vicente, Arsenia Reyes, Imma Venus, Eileen Pratt, Wina Lejarde, Luciano Matias, Delfin Pascua, Stefanie Murano, Lina Parale, Venancio Amistad, Concepcion Amistad, Ballena Family, Tolentino Family, Rob Patterson, Jack King, Myrna Soriano, Brum Family, Mr. Mrs. Referente, Maria Hontanar, Daniel Dalany, Luigi Miraglia, Angie Cantor, Peter Pacione, Luis Collico, Jesse Ponce, Emeraldo Paulino, Wawo Alfonso, Maureen Eisen, Barbara Boyle, Myrna Alforte, Macrina Herrera, Catherine Clarke, Angelita, Joshua, Palma Family, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Krystel Agnote, Armenia Garcia, Jill Lucas, Gladys Lucas, Maria Paik, Jorge Palomaria, Antonio Mancilla, Jimbo Prollamante.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Thelma Busch, Frank Luxbacher, Deacon Desmond Carroll, Apolinaria Wagan, Rosalina Martins, Juliana Sy, Antonio Sy, Alfredo Puncion, Francesco Gucciardi, Rosa Mallini, Ann Flor Jayag, Vekilio Bosas, Don Miguel Alviar, Armando Mamangon, Genarao Garcia, Walter Simon, Severina Macatagnay, Teresita Penas, Elena Miraglia, Noel dela Cruz, Mario Spiquillo, Nilda Ortes, Edward Poblete, Nancy Yap, Marina Albano Cadiz, Stefano Huang, Jamir Vergara, Anthony Mohan, Richard Agnote, Fred Olase



MONDAY JAN 14, 2019

7:30am Blessings on the Rosary Ministry in this Parish, its members, and all their intentions.

12:10pm Thanksgiving & Special Intentions

TUESDAY JAN 15, 2019

7:30am Vera Hendricks & Family 12:10pm +Holy Souls

WEDNESDAY JAN 16, 2019

7:30am Emma, Thanksgiving

9:30am (Sick) Andrea Poopalapillai & Emma Luz

(Deceased) +Benny Chuang

12:00pm For the protection of unborn children

2:30pm +Anton Kozdas

5:05pm (Deceased) +Jose Branco Camara, +Rodolfo David,

+Cesar Bucago

7:00pm +Palma Lavalle

THURSDAY JAN 17, 2019

7:30am +Holy Souls

12:10pm Connie Dias

FRIDAY JAN 18, 2019

7:30am Thanksgiving

12:10pm +All Souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY JAN 19, 2019

7:30am In Honour & Glory of St. Joseph

5:00pm St. Patrick's Charismatic Prayer Group, Thanksgiving

SUNDAY JAN 20, 2019

8:30am Gil & Rosemarie Uy & Family 12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church 5:00pm Paul C. Haley

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 16, 2019 Marian Talk: Loretta Conte "Working with Mary" Homilist: Fr. John Kingsbury, C.Ss.R. "Pope Francis' Style: A Healthy Schedule"

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