

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. Thomas O'Rourke, C.Ss.R. - **Pastor**

Fr. Steve Morrissey, C.Ss.R. - **Associate Pastor**

Fr. John Le, C.Ss.R. - **Associate Pastor**

Irene Mihaljek - **Parish Administrator**

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Loretta Conte - **Secretary**

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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. Joy Thottamkara, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Joseph Khai, C.Ss.R.

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 17, 2019 – March 29, 2020

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

For meeting information,
please email at
couragetoronto@yahoo.ca or
call us at 416-928-5094.

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.



Bible & Beer!

Young Adult Bible Study (18-39)

Tuesday October 1st, 7pm-8pm

St. Patrick's Church – Neumann Hall, 131 McCaul Street

Join us on 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. Santo Arrigo, C.Ss.R. will lead the reflection with the Ignite Team. Please RSVP by September 28 before on **MEET UP** or **FACEBOOK**, or email us at ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca

An Evening at *Sin & Redemption* ...

IGNITE! Young Adult Ministry (17-39)

136 McCaul St. Toronto

Tuesday October 22, 2019 7pm - 9pm

PUB NIGHT: "Mary, a Woman of Her Times"

Mary is one of the most intriguing women of the past 2000 years. She was gentle, meek, mild, but most influenced by her times. But she also knew of war, abuse, injustice, and recognized that her child would bring Good News to a world hungering for Good News.

Matthew Marquardt, Chair of St. Patrick's Justice & Service Commission, and Catholic Conscience will help us to reflect on the life and times of our Mother. This 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 email us at ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca

A look ahead at St. Pat's

October 2019

1st - Bible & Beer! Young Adult (18-39) Bible Study

2nd - Open Door, following the 12noon Mass, Parish Hall

4th - Adoration & Holy Hour, following the 12:10pm Mass

5th - Living Rosary, following 7:30am Mass

20th – Fr. Thomas O'Rourke, Installation, following the 12:10pm Mass

22nd - Pub Night "Mary, a Woman of Her Times"

26th – Male Choir Harfentöne, 1:30pm, in the Church

27th - Mandatory Volunteer Out of the Cold, Church Hall 2pm-4:30pm

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

OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch!

Thanksgiving Celebration

Please join us for lunch on **Wednesday Oct 2nd** 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 Fri Oct 4th**, following the 12:10pm Mass. Confession will be available from 11:30am-12pm.

Thanksgiving Day

Mass & Office Schedule

There will be one Mass celebrated on Monday October 14th at 9:00am. The Church will close soon after Mass in lieu of the holiday Monday. The Parish Office will be closed and will reopen on Tuesday October 15th

Out of the Cold Volunteer

Mandatory Orientation

Sunday October 27, 2019 2 pm – 4:30 pm

For over 30 years, St. Patrick's has opened the hall doors to welcome our brothers and sisters on the streets to provide food and shelter on a cold winter night from November 17 to March 29. If you are looking to volunteer this coming year with Out of the Cold, you are asked to pre-register as a volunteer through our Parish Website: www.stpatrickstoronto.ca and attend the mandatory Orientation session for all new and returning volunteers. The commitment for volunteering is about 10 weeks per season, spread out every second Sunday. To learn more and to pre-register as a volunteer, please visit the parish website. Please note that with the demand of interest, pre-registration may close prior to the Orientation Session.

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in October 2019 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

Installation Ceremony of our new Pastor, Fr. Thomas O'Rourke C.Ss.R

On Sunday October 20th at the 12:10pm Mass, Bishop Kasun will be coming to preside over the installation of our new pastor, Fr. Thomas O'Rourke, C.Ss.R. All are most welcome to join us for this special Mass and Installation ceremony. This will also be an opportunity to welcome our new members to our Pastoral Staff, Fr. Steve Morrissey, C.Ss.R. our Associate Pastor, and Fr. John Le, C.Ss.R. our Associate Pastor. Reception to follow in the Parish Hall.

Fr. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R.

Blessings on his 60th Year of Priesthood.

Congratulations to Fr. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R. on his 60th Anniversary of Priesthood. May his heart be filled with the Holy Spirit and grant him strength to keep doing God's Will.

Male Choir Harfentöne

90th Anniversary Celebration

October 26, 2019, 1:30pm St. Patrick's Church

Please come and join us on October 26, 2019 at St. Patrick's Church. The celebration starts at 1:30pm with the entrance of the Choir Flags. We are delighted to be joined by the German-Canadian Choirs from across Ontario to make this a truly outstanding celebration of Choral Music! **Tickets at the door \$20**

Federal Election Debate from a Catholic Perspective

Thursday October 3, 2019 – 7:30pm

John Bassett Theatre Metro Toronto Convention Centre

A federal election will be held on October 21, 2019. To help Catholics learn more about important issues, the Archdiocese of Toronto has prepared a series of short one-page doubled-sided resources, inviting us to reflect on the election through the lens of our faith. Short video vignettes and other resources are also available online. These non-partisan tools will help us to discern the path forward as we elect those who will lead our community and country.

For more information, to access the election resources, visit:
www.archtoronto.org/election

“Living Rosary” – October 5

Join us Sat Oct 5th 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.

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Dorothy Grimaldi, Deanna Andrew, Victor Andrew, Salvacion Stuart, Bernie Alabastro, Marina Manuel, Julia Balbin Mati, Anthony Carvalho, Seny Obay, Barbara Chrzanowska, Dulce Goodfellow, Aquino Tobias, Marika Szentgyorgyi, Antonio Chang, Pio & Flor Martiallano, Jesus Duque, Maria Castillo, Maria Hontanar, Marcil Schyer, Michelina Ciocciola, Maria Pacres, Ephraim Aniceto, Cynthia Perez, Pat D'Souza, Sol Almaria, Rosetta Luke, Margaret Helen Hanlon, John McGarry, Trixie, Brian Wilson, Jun Macabulos, Arsenia Reyes, Anna Vicente, Liz Magner, Lucy Satkiewicz, Helen Olan, Ann Bialynicki, Ted Brankiewicz, Angie Cantor, Mauren Eisen, Fr. Bill Comerford, Dale Sanchez, Concepcion Amistad, Venancio Amistad, Anita Sicam, Marcelina Real, Oscar Chua, Ballena Family, Cecilia Torres, Catherine Daconay Dai, Simon Dai, Max Kasius Liu, Clement, Thelma Solinap, Fely Gaduyon, Lita Orayenza, Nardo Fulgado, Ronnie Espiritu, Meryanne Caedac, Palma Family, Mellie Montano, Quiesmondo Family, Jesse Ponce, Mila Bonidicto, Antonette Quinagon, Marlene Gomez, Arthur Trinidad, Richelle del Rosario, Alex Sambas, Helen Torres

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Filipa Balbin Foronda, Maryanne DeSouza, Anna D'Souza, Jay Keystone, Anthony Richard Galano, Gloria Mabanes, Pedro Duran, Eugene Bryk, Ronald Fortin



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY SEPT 30, 2019

7:30am +Michael O'Driscoll
12:10pm +Leonila Escobar

TUESDAY OCT 1, 2019

7:30am +Gloria Lorio de Ocon
12:10pm +Tham Ying Chee

WEDNESDAY OCT 2, 2019

7:30am In thanksgiving to St. Joseph
9:30am **(Deceased)** +Procopio & +Sofia Parazo & +Flor Arceo, +Angie Pineda-Tejada, +Lamberto Datiles, +Peter Shea
12:00pm +Deceased members of St. Patrick's German Congregation
2:30pm +Andrea Duran
5:05pm **(Deceased)** +Jan Lakomcik, +Hazel Hughes, +Lalitha de Alwis
7:00pm +Santo Sr., & +Ignatia Arrigo

THURSDAY OCT 3, 2019

7:30am Thanksgiving
12:10pm Intentions to St. Anthony

FRIDAY OCT 4, 2019

7:30am +Agrinoalda Couto
12:10pm Thanksgiving to Sacred Heart of Jesus, blessings received

SATURDAY OCT 5, 2019

7:30am Prayer to God for permanent employment in the OPS
5:00pm Luz & Freddie Chua & family

SUNDAY OCT 6, 2019

8:30am Living & deceased members of the Kiley & McLaughlin families
12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church
5:00pm +Josefina Bala

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 October 2, 2019

Marian Talk: Sr. Moira Quinn, O.Ss.R.

“Mirror of Love: Our Mother of Perpetual Help”

Homilist: Fr. John Kingsbury, C.Ss.R.”

“Pope Francis’ Style Modelling One’s Values”

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