St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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



"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 Morrisey, C.Ss.R. - **Associate Pastor** Fr. John Le, C.Ss.R. - **Associate Pastor** Irene Mihaljek - **Parish Administrator** Sarah Miller - **Lay Pastoral Associate** Loretta Conte - **Secretary**



Maria Luxbacher - German Community John Pavao, Nelson Franco, Paolo Almonte - Maintenances/Caretakers

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 HoursMonday - Friday9:00 am - 4:30 pmWednesday9:00 am - 7:00 pmSaturday & SundayCLOSEDClosed for Lunch12:00 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

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)

Marriage

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

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

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.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Parents wishing to have a child baptized should contact the parish office at least 2 months prior to the baptism.

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

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

R.C.I.A.

Adults wishing to be baptized or received into the Catholic Church should contact the parish office. Classes begin in Fall.

Redemptorist Mission Bazaar

Wednesday November 13th, 9am – 5pm Neumann Hall (access by South Door of Church)

Join us for great food, wonderful finds (crafts, nearly new items and clothing!) and great prizes including:

1st Prize: Greenis Slow Juicer
2nd Prize: Coffee & Espresso Bar
3rd Prize: Pastel Painting "Kananaskin"
4th Prize: Zapf Creation Collector Doll
5th Prize: Kitchen Aid Mixer
6th Prize: Afghan
7th Prize: Food Gift Basket
8th Prize: Glass Cordless Water Kettle
9th Prize: Erzgebirge Volkskunst Nativity Candle Holder
10th Prize: Italian Gelato Set
Plus many more Prizes!!!!

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Proceeds go towards Redemptorist Foreign Mission Programs. If you would like to make a donation of your beloved clothing and other items (in working order), please contact Maria Luxbacher at the Parish Office 416-598-3269 ext #1205 to arrange a time to drop off your item. Monetary donations may be made out to "St. Patrick's Church". Indicate on the memo line Redemptorist Mission Bazaar.

Please Do Not leave items in the Church or the front steps of the office. Please make arrangements with the office to drop off your items.

PLEASE DO NOT BRING LARGE OR BROKEN ITEMS OR ELECTRONICS!

Remembering our Loved Ones in the Month of November

You are invited to inscribe the names of your loved ones who have died in our Book of Life at the front of the Church. This is an opportunity to share in the prayer of the community for those who have died and those that we still hold close to our hearts. You are invited as well to write the names of the deceased in the prayer slips at the back of the Church and place them before the lcon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, or in the Intentions Boxes at the back of the Church. The All Souls Day Mass envelopes are also available at the back counter for your use.

Santa Claus Parade "After Party" Sunday November 17th, following the parade 2:30pm – 4:00pm, Neumann Hall

Head on over to St. Patrick's Neumann Hall following the Santa Claus Parade and warm up with hot chocolate as well as other hot beverages. Enjoy crafts and activities for the whole family! This is a wonderful opportunity to gather after the parade, which passes right near St. Patrick's, along University Avenue.

RSVP by Friday, Nov 15 by contacting Sarah Miller, <u>familyministry@stpatrickstoronto.ca</u>

A look ahead at St. Pat's

November 2019

13th – Redemptorist Mission Bazaar, Neumann Hall 9am-5pm

15th – IGNITE! Young Adult Event, Board Games for Catholic Singles 16th/17th Shepherd's Trust

17th - Santa Claus Parade "After Party", Neumann Hall

17th – Out of the Cold Begins

26th - Bible & Beer! Young Adult (18-39) Bible Study

For more information on these upcoming events visit <u>ww.stpatrickstoronto.ca</u> or the Parish Bulletin

St. Patrick's Out of the Cold Begins Sunday November 17th

Out of the Cold is an opportunity for St. Patrick's community to welcome our brothers and sisters who call the streets their home for Sunday dinner, a warm place to share in fellowship, and for some, a warm place to sleep. We typically welcome up to 250 people for dinner and house 80 people for overnight. Support for our program is entirely through the generosity of donors that help to make our program one of welcome and compassion. One evening costs \$1500. We also welcome donations of <u>NEW</u> gloves, hats, underwear, socks, toiletries (travel sizes). Financial contributions to the program can be made to "St. Patrick's Church – Out of the Cold Program." You can use the envelopes provided at the back of the Church.

Are you bored? Board Games for Catholic Singles Ignite! Young Adult Ministry (age 18-39)

Friday November 15th, 6pm – 10pm

Location to be confirmed upon registration Come and meet fellow Catholic Singles in a fun and relaxed environment. Individuals will rotate to new groups and board games, while refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be served between rounds. This event is for young adults (age 18-39), and will have a maximum number of participants with equal gender representation. REGISTER SOON. Registrants who are accepted will receive an email invitation with further

details. Register online at: https:/www.surveymonkey.com/r/Ignite Singles

by November 1st Cost: \$10. Cash Bar. This event is sponsored by St. Patrick's Ignite! Young Adult Ministr

Religious Articles Store

The Religious Articles Store is now selling Christmas cards, Sunday Missal 2020, Calendars 2020 and Nativity Sets. Great gift ideas for everyone. Open every Wednesday 10am – 7pm and first Sunday of every month 11am – 5pm

Bible & Beer!

Young Adult Bible Study (18-39) Tuesday November 26, 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.

Please RSVP by November 22nd before on **MEET UP or FACEBOOK**, or email us at <u>ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca</u>

The Shepherds' Trust Nov 16/17

The Shepherd's Trust supports the needs of the retired diocesan clergy of the Archdiocese of Toronto who served our family of faith, bringing us the sacraments and enriching our parishes, homes, schools, hospitals and countless other gatherings through their ministry. The Trust was started by lay people who recognized the needs of our retired priests and helped to establish the Trust as a reflection of the gratitude and appreciation of the faithful parishioners in our parishes. Through your support of the Shepherds' Trust, our retired priests are given the dignity of adequate monthly allowance, health care and other assistance in their golden years-often well beyond the recognized retirement age of 75. The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 16/17. Shepherds' Trust envelopes can be found at the back of the church. This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it represents a very tangible gesture of thanks for the blessings we have received. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY: Dorothy Grimaldi, Patricia Pineau, Salvacion Stuart, Victor Andrew, Deanna Andrew, Matthew Kwan, Zeny Obay, Aquino Tobias, Eduardo Baleria, Fely Sanchez, Drysdale Sanchez, Norma Cuevas, Pascual Domingo, Lolita Lescano, Jesus Duque, Tony Chang, Tony & Ching Prudenciano, Pio & Flor Martillano, Maria Castillo, Michelina Ciocciola, Maria La Posta, Maria Pacres, Jean Roy, Maria Muchova, Helen Olan, Lucy Satkiewicz, Liz Magner, Ann Bialynicki, Margaret Stepinski, David Kerrie, Cynthia Prez, Margaret Helen Hanlon, M.J. Enright, Heidi Singer, Sol Almaria, Pat D'Souza, Jun Macabulos, Vivian del Mundo da Rocha, Trixie, Brigitte Jurkiewicz, Joven San Pedro, Ama Vicente, Doris Sirvas-Castro, Chris Opoka, Mark Okia, Winnie Okumu, Flora Okumu, Caroline Liza Okumu, Concepcion Amistad, Venancio Amistad, Marcelina Real, Ballena Family, Oscar Chua, Mimie Capati, Angelita, Joshua, Antonia Dytoc, Arlene Mendoza, Zinnia Milburn, Marlene Gomez, Josephine Gomez, Palma family, Lita Orayenza, Nomer Alfonso, Jesse Ponce, Angie Cantor, Maureen Eisen, Louis Hoogendorn, Mr. & Mrs Referente, Cecilia Torres, Airie Santiago, Carmen Jacinto, Arsenia Reyes, Jayag family, Fr. Tamerlane Lana, Krystel Agnote, Gladys Lucas, Andrew Palomaria, Jorge Palomaria, Amy Pe Benoto.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY: Matthew Silva, Melba Gladys, Alberto sousa, Fatima Pereira, Jose Brillo, Rose Luke, Walter Murillo, Bridget Ugadirya Paul, Evelio Bautista Tirona, Mary Jones, Jovemiana Sotelco, Gregoria Evangelista



MONDAY NOV 11, 2019 7:30am +Lorenzo Udtojan Jr. 12:10pm +Gilbert

TUESDAY NOV 12, 2019

7:30am Aurelio Porciuncula 12 :10pm +Rebecca J. Medrano

WDNESDAY NOV 13, 2019

7:30am Special Intentions

9:30am (Deceased) +Julitte Roy, +Walter Murillo, +Teresa Domingo, +Felix & Tomasa Gamurot, +Violeta & +Babiana Garcia 12:00pm Antonia Agbame

2:30pm +Randolph & +Pearl Ludowyk

5:05pm **(Deceased)** +Lerma Gonzales, +Michael Blythe Kesterton, +Wilfred Harold Kesterton, +Maurice Hughes Kesterton, +Kathleen Mary Kesterton

7:00pm +Maria Christina Reyes & +Rosita Jaquias

THURSDAY NOV 14, 2019

7:30am +Man Chee Chan 12:10pm +Robert L.T. Lee

FRIDAY NOV 15, 2019

7:30am +Romeo Caballero & +Rolando & +Cecilia Calero 12:10pm +Norma Rodrigues & +Pedro Cruz

SATURDAY NOV 16, 2019

7:30am Special Intentions of Thanksgiving 5:00pm +Kerry Stratton & Intentions of his family

SUNDAY NOV 17, 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 +Frances Sanci Borg

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 November 13, 2019 Marian Talk: Katia & Alessandro Tewfik "Early Thoughts on Mary" Homilist: Fr. Mark Miller, C.Ss.R." "The Saints and Mercy"

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