# St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Feast of the Holy Family



#### New Year's Eve/Day Mass

Tues Dec 31<sup>st</sup> New Years' Eve 7:30 am (Regular Mass) 5:00pm (English)

Wed Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 Feast of Mary Mother of God 8:30am (English) 10:00 am (German) 12:10 pm (English) No evening 5:00pm Mass

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

There will be <u>NO</u> scheduled times for the Sacrament of Reconciliation on New Year's Eve & New Year's Day. Regular Confession times will resume Saturday January 4<sup>th</sup>.

## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

**During the Christmas Season** 

Monday December 30 – 9am-4:30pm Tuesday December 31 – 9am-12noon Wednesday January 1 – CLOSED Thursday January 2 – 9am-4:30pm Friday January 3 – 9am-4:30pm

#### **2020 Weekly Offering Envelopes**

Offertory envelopes for 2020 are available for pick up at the back of the Church until December 31st after this date they will be available for pick up in the office during regular hours.

## 2019 Tax Receipts

ALL 2019 TAX RECEIPT DONATIONS must be received by December 31, 2019. After January 1, 2020, all donations go toward 2020 taxes. If you have moved please call the office to update your records.

## Keep Informed!

#### **Register at the Parish Website!**

Visit <u>www.stpatrickstoronto.ca</u> 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.

A look ahead at St. Pat's

January 2020

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Adoration and Holy Hour, following the 12:10pm Mass
- 7<sup>th</sup> Bible & Beer Young Adults! (18-39), Neumann Hall
- 8th Open Door Lunch, following the 12noon Novena Mass
- 11th The Black Jesus of Nazarene, Church
- 25th The Infant Jesus of Prague, Church
- 25th "Only the Lonely" Young Adults (18-39), Neumann Hall

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

## **Adoration and Holy Hour**

Join us for a quiet time of prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament. **First Fri January 3<sup>rd</sup>**, following the 12:10pm Mass. Confession will be available from 11:30am-12pm. Come and pray with us!

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

Join us **Wednesday January 8**<sup>th</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.

#### Come and Celebrate the Black Jesus of Nazarene

#### (Traditional Philippine Feast Day)

Join us on Saturday January 11, 2020 at 11:00 AM for the celebration of Mass, blessing of Statues, Novena Prayer and Procession. Pot luck lunch to follow in the Parish Hall and Divine Mercy Chaplet. This event is sponsored by the St. Patrick's Senior's Club. For more information, contact Alannah (647) 528-2933

#### Come and Celebrate the Infant Jesus of Prague (Santo Niño) (Traditional Philippine Feast Day)

Join us on Saturday January 25, 2020 at 12:00 PM for the celebration of Mass, Blessing of Statues and 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

#### **Bible & Beer!**

Young Adult Bible Study (18-39)

**Tuesday January 8<sup>th</sup>, 7pm-8pm, Neumann Hall, 131 McCaul St.** 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. Santo Arrigo**, 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 <u>ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca</u>

#### **"ONLY THE LONELY"**

Day of Reflection, Young adults (18-39) Saturday January 25, 2020, 12pm-4pm St. Patrick's Church-Neumann Hall, 131 McCaul St. Only the Lonely: Getting real about the experience of loneliness in life! A workshop and day of reflection for young adults (age 18-39) (Lunch is included) Facilitator: Christina Simonetti, MA Counselling Psych, RP (www.consciouscounselling.co)

Let's get real about the experience of "Loneliness" that many face in their life. Through presentation, interaction, and reflection, we will address the complexity of "feeling lonely", while exploring strategies to beat the feeling of isolation, loneliness and abandonment. Cost by free will offering To register, please sign up on Meet Up or Facebook, "Ignite – Young Adult Ministry" or email us at ignite@stpatrickstoronto.ca

**PRAY FOR THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:** Salvacion Stuart, John Viscardi, Helen Sanchez, Dulce Goodfellow, Ewins Fred, Matthew Kwan, Lita Orayenza, Alfredo de Leon, Jean Roy, Sr. Carmel Kavanugh, John McGarry, M.K. Enright, Margaret Helen Hanlon, Chris Opoka-Okumu, Angie Cantor, Maureen Eisen, Yves Park.

**FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED, ESPECIALLY:** Joseph Tri Ngo Bao, Aderito Augusto, Melba Gladys Delgad, Clarity Guisin Jolsen, Eusebio Perilla, Pascual Domingo.



MONDAY DEC 30, 2019 7:30am +Josephine Kaminie & +Sandra Boodlal 12:10pm +Jack Ryan

**TUESDAY DEC 31, 2019** 7:30am Emily Salvador, Intentions 5:00pm For the Parishioners

WDNESDAY JAN 1, 2020 8:30am For the Parishioners 12:10pm For the Parishioners

#### THURSDAY JAN 2, 2020

7:30am Albert Rozario 12:10pm Maria Luxbacher, Birthday Blessings

FRIDAY JAN 3, 2020 7:30am +Vivian Daylusan 12:10pm Maria Athenna Punzalan

SATURDAY JAN 4, 2020 7:30am Special Intentions 5:00pm +Aginoalda Couto

SUNDAY JAN 5, 2020 8:30am Deceased members of +Diezon & +Canay families 12:10pm For the Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church 5:00pm Dimagiba & Lopez families, thanksgiving

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 1st, 2020 Marian Talk: Deanna Andrew "Answered Prayers" Homilist: Fr. John Kingsbury, C.Ss.R. "Pope Francis' Style: Seeking Council"

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