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Convenient ways to provide financial support St. Patrick's Parish at this time:

- The **regular offertory collection** at Sunday and Wednesday masses
- **Drop off or mail** your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office (there is now a mail slot in the office door).
- **Credit card donations can now be made through the parish office.** Please call to make an appointment. Unfortunately, we are not able to take credit card donations over the phone.
- Visit our parish website and click the **Donate Now** button on the top right-hand side. You will be asked to select the region of our parish from the map. You will be taken to a page that allows you to choose your parish, the amount of your gift, one-time or recurring, and payment method – credit card or chequing account.
- You can contribute to the offertory via **On-line banking** – similar to how you may be paying your utility bills. To do this, please email the Archdiocese at campaign@archtoronto.org. In the body of the email provide them with your name, address, parish name and municipality. They will email you your account information which you can use to set up the Archdiocese of Toronto as a payee in your on-line banking. Your gift will be forwarded to the parish. There is an option to make a one-time or recurring gift. This is the most cost-effective way to donate electronically

If you have any questions please contact St. Patrick's Parish Office at 416-598-3269 or secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca, or, for online banking contact the Development Office at the Archdiocese of Toronto, [416-934-3400, ext. 540](tel:416-934-3400) or development@archtoronto.org.

Thank you for your many contributions and generous support of our parish community.



ShareLife Sunday: Last weekend to contribute to our Parish Campaign

People with addictions are among the many marginalized groups supported by your gift to ShareLife.

"These uncertain times are especially difficult for our addiction clients who already face isolation, food and housing insecurities, and struggle with mental wellness," reports St. Michael's Homes, a ShareLife-funded agency. "We suspect the need will continue to increase throughout the pandemic and into a post-Covid environment."

Your gift to ShareLife ensures St. Michael's Homes can continue to help people overcome addiction, as demand for their programs grows.

This weekend is ShareLife Sunday and the final day to make your donation to our parish campaign. If you give by the end of the weekend, you can double the impact of your donation. A generous donor is matching gifts up to \$500,000. Please give during the special collection or anytime using the ShareLife envelopes in the pews. You can also give securely online at sharelife.org/donate.

Parish Office

The parish office is open Tuesday – Friday 9am-12pm and 1pm-4pm **by appointment only!** The office will remain closed on Mondays. To make an appointment please call us at 416-598-3269 or email the parish office at secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca Please do not come to the office without an appointment. Only one person would be allowed to enter in the office at one time because of social distancing. Due to municipal by-law, and the Archdiocese of Toronto masks or face coverings are **mandatory**. Please remember to visit our website at www.stpatrickstoronto.ca for updated information.

Mass Bookings

We are now booking Announced Masses and accepting stipends for Unannounced Masses on Wednesdays from 10am-12pm and 12:30pm-7pm outside of the Religious Article's Store, in the Parish Hall. Entrance to the hall is through the double doors at 139 McCaul St., to the right of the church as you exit.

Thrift Tables

Due to covid-19 pandemic the Mission Bazaar will not take place this year. Come and visit our Religious Article Store for some wonderful finds as you shop at our Thrift tables for those special items for yourself or for Christmas Gifts. The Thrift tables will be available until mid December or until everything is sold out. We will be selling raffle tickets 2 for \$5.00. There are lots of prizes to be won. Come out and help support the Mission! All proceeds go towards the Redemptorist Foreign Mission Programs. For more information please email secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca or call 416-598-3269. Please note that the Religious Articles Store has been relocated to the Parish Hall in the basement of the church. The entrance is through the double doors at 139 McCaul St.

Remembering our Loved Ones in the Month of November

This year, due to the pandemic and the risk of passing on the virus through touching surfaces, there will not be able to have a "Book of the Names of the Dead" available for people to write the names of their deceased loved ones. Those who wish to remember their loved ones are asked to write the names of the deceased on a slip of paper and place them in a special prayer box that will be provided. We will remember the deceased throughout the month of November.

Please note that there will not be papers, pens or pencils available in the church for this purpose. Please write the names on a sheet of paper at home, and simply bring them with you and place them in the box that will be provided.

Out of the Cold

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we will not be serving dinner and providing accommodations to our guests at St. Patrick's for the 2020-21 season. However, to help as many homeless guests and people facing food insecurity as possible, we will be preparing meals at St. Patrick's which will then be served by two agencies (Good Shepherd Ministries on Queen St. and the St. Felix Centre on Augusta) at their locations by local staff. It is estimated that we will need to provide meals to feed approximately 500 people each week.

St. Patrick's Out of the Cold operates through the kindness of generous donors. To make a financial contribution, envelopes for Out of the Cold are available in the church and may be deposited with the offertory collection at masses on Sundays or Wednesdays. Donations may also be placed in any the four Prayer Intention boxes along the counters at the back of the church or sent to the parish through the mail. Please make cheques payable to **"St. Patrick's Church – Out of the Cold Program"**. For your added convenience, you may now donate by credit card through the parish office. An appointment is required.

For more information about this year's program and additional ways to donate, please check the parish website under the heading "Ministries", or see the information brochures are available at the back of the church, or contact Julia Pelenyi, Director, at ootc@stpatrickstoronto.ca

2020-2021 Sunday Missals

Due to COVID-19, Churches have been asked to refrain from placing Sunday Missals in the pews at this time. However, if you would like to purchase a Sunday Missal for yourself, the parish is selling them for \$5.00 each. They will be available after mass from one of our volunteers in the foyer.

The Shepherds' Trust

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, there will not be a fundraising campaign for The Shepherds' Trust this year. Instead, we encourage parishioners who can give during these difficult times to focus on supporting their parish. If you wish to support your parish and our retired priests, The Shepherd's Trust would welcome your gift via the special collection envelope in your Sunday offering box or at www.shepherdstrust.org/.

Moving? Or Have you Recently Moved?

Please contact the parish office with your new address and phone number. It is very helpful to have your correct information to ensure that you receive your official receipt for income tax purposes. Thanks for helping to keep the office current! !



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY NOVEMBER 9, 2020

12:10pm +Andrew & +Harry Lylyk

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 10, 2020

12 :10pm +Grace Rozario

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2020

9:30am (Deceased) +Val & +Iva Naraval Corcuera, +Thomas & +Hildegard Cardozo, +Marilou Garingalao-Kho, +Anne Dungo

12:00pm +Deceased members of St. Patrick's German Congregation

2:30pm For the protection of unborn children

5:05pm (Deceased) +Myra Briones David, +Abelardo Panganiban Sr. & Jr., +Aurelia Panganiban, +Cristina Cornelio, +Agnes & +Joseph Wasay

7:00pm Zaida Esguerra & family, Special Intentions

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 12, 2020

12:10pm +Rebecca Medrano

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 13, 2020

12:10pm +Irene Cruz

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 14, 2020

5:00pm Clement Woo & Anna Ho, Special Intentions

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 15, 2020

8:30am Special Intentions

11:00am For the Intentions of the Parishioners

5:00pm +Clemencia Galicinao

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 11, 2020

Marian Talk: Trish Bain

"The Family That Prays Together, Stays Together"

Homilist: Fr. Remi Hebert, CSSR

"Coping with Suffering"

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