

# 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. Thomas O'Rourke, C.Ss.R. - *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 Assistance

Fr. William Fitzgerald, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Carl Schmidt, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Joseph Ruta, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Steve Morrissey, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Joy Thottamkara, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Joseph Khai, C.Ss.R.

Fr. William Comerford, C.Ss.R.

Fr. Charles Duval, C.Ss.R.

### Temporary Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm

Mon. Tue. Thu. Fri.: 12:10 pm

There will be no 7:30 am masses and no confessions on Wednesdays, or immediately prior to Sunday masses.

### Mass and Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help

Wednesday: 9:30 am, 12:00 pm, 2:30 pm,  
5:05 pm, 7:00 pm

### Office Hours

Monday: Closed

Tuesday-Friday: 9 am-4:00 pm by appointment only

Saturday & Sunday: CLOSED

Closed for Lunch: 12:00 pm-1:00 pm

### Temporary Confession Schedule

Saturday 3:00 pm-4:00 pm

Tuesday 11:00 am-11:45 am

Thursday 11:00-11:45am

First Friday 11am-11:45am

### Adoration and Holy Hour

Every First Friday of the month following the  
12:10 pm Mass.

### Come Pray the Rosary

We welcome you to join us as we Pray the Rosary on Wednesday's from 11:15am-11:30am before the beginning of the 12:00pm Novena 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. Sessions begin in the Fall.



## CHURCH SCHEDULE during Lockdown

ALL MASSES ARE CANCELLED

OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Sunday*	11:00am – 1:00pm
Wednesday*	11:00am – 1:00pm
Friday*	11:00am – 1:00pm

**\*There is a 10-person capacity limit.  
If people are waiting to come in,  
kindly limit your prayer time to 20 minutes.**

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Tuesday	11:00am – 11:45am
Thursday	11:00am – 11:45am
Saturday	3:00pm – 4:00pm

CHURCH CLOSED ON MONDAYS

## Parish Office

During this time the parish office will remain closed to the public. Staff will also be working limited hours and remotely when possible. Please feel welcome to leave a voicemail at the parish office: 416-598-3269 ext. 0, or to email us at [secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca). We will respond as soon as possible. Also, all non-essential meetings in the parish will move to virtual meetings or may be postponed.

## Devotions TV

Devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help, a ministry of the Redemptorists, are also broadcast on Vision TV each Wednesday, at 8:30am & 12:30pm, and on Salt + Light TV each Wednesday & Friday at 10:00am. The weekly Devotions are available online *anytime* at [www.redemptorist.tv](http://www.redemptorist.tv).

## Mass on YouTube Channel

You are encouraged to view online/livestream/televised Masses. Masses will be live-streamed, each Sunday at 10am from the St. Patrick's YouTube Channel. Internet links can be found on our parish website [www.stpatrickstoronto.ca](http://www.stpatrickstoronto.ca) under the section "Parish Events". A full list of live-streamed masses is also available at [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org).

## Mass Bookings

During the lockdown we are not booking Announced Masses until the Church reopens for Liturgy. We are accepting Unannounced Masses. You can mail in your Mass request or drop it off at the office at 131 McCaul St. using the mail slot on the front door.

## Convenient ways to provide financial support St. Patrick's Parish

- **Drop off or mail** your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office (there is now a mail slot in the office door).
- by depositing your donation in any of the Prayer Intention boxes along with counters of the church when the church is open for private prayer
- **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](mailto: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.

## 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!!

## 2021 Weekly Offering Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2021 are available for pick up. Please note due to Covid-19 and the closure of the Church and office you need to make an appointment with the office to pick up your weekly offering envelopes. You can reach us at 416-598-3269 or [secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca](mailto:secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca)  
Please do not drop by the office without an appointment

**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 13, 2021*  
*Marian Talk: Karen Keays*  
*"Mary and my Son"*  
*Homilist: Fr. Tony Bidgood, CSsR*  
*"The Sacrament of Anointing"*

**Sign Up at the Parish Website**  
to receive the Weekly Bulletin  
**[www.stpatrickstoronto.ca](http://www.stpatrickstoronto.ca)**  
Go to "Contact Us" and then SIGN UP!

**\*\*Please check the website regularly for news,  
updates, events and announcements!**



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