

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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The 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*

Fr. Raymond Earle - *Associate Pastor*

Irene Mihaljek - *Parish Administrator*

Loretta Conte - *Secretary*

Maria Luxbacher - *German Community*

Dr. Robin Williams – *Director of Music and Liturgy*

John Pavao, Nelson Franco, Paolo Almonte - *Maintenances/Caretakers*

Pastoral Assistance offered by the Redemptorist Community.



Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm

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

Mon., Tues., Thurs., & Fri: 12:10 pm

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

Mass and Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help

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

Office Hours

Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm &
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday: CLOSED

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Tuesday 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Thursday 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Religious Articles Store

Open every Wednesday

10:00 am - 12:00pm & 12:30pm - 7:00 pm

SACRAMENTS

Marriage

Engaged couples from St. Patrick's Parish are required to 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.



Pre-Authorized Giving

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving plan (PAG) to help you support the parish's work through your regular offertory gift. To accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ, parishes depend entirely on the generosity of their parishioners. Pre-Authorized Giving allows you to donate to your parish through scheduled monthly transfers from your bank account or credit card. These funds are then deposited directly into the parish's account. There are various benefits of participating in pre-authorized giving, both for you and for your parish.

Advantages for You:

- The convenience of having your offering automatically contributed to the parish.
- Knowing you continue to support the parish even when you are away.
- Continual support of ministries and programs funded through the parish.

Advantages for the Parish:

- Regular, dependable contributions to the parish.
- Reduction of cash on hand.
- Reduction of paperwork.

For information on how to enroll, please contact the parish office, secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca or email development@archtoronto.org

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples who want to marry at St. Patrick's Parish, the bride or groom (Catholic Party) must live within the parish boundaries or be registered in the parish and attend on a weekly basis for at least 6 months. One year advance notice is required for marriages. Do not book reception halls etc. before contacting the church.

Family Day Mass Schedule

A reminder there will be one Mass celebrated on Family Day, Monday February 21 at 9:00am. The Church will close soon after the Mass.



Professional Development for Ministry with Young People

Winter Virtual Seminars 2022

INITE Canada (www.ignite-canada.ca),

a program of Redemptorist Youth and Vocation Ministry, is pleased to offer a series for the development and support of leaders in ministries with young people. This series, called, "NETWORK" is a continuation of a yearlong journey for parish leadership development.

These Winter Virtual Seminars will provide parish leaders and volunteers with a comprehensive understanding of ministry, along the tools for developing new initiatives for work with young people (elementary, high school, young adult, and family ministry) by offering sound theological foundations for ministry in four key areas of the Church's mission: Evangelization and Catechesis, Justice and Service, Prayer and Worship and Pastoral Care.

Prayer and Worship: Gathered and Nurtured in Christ

Fr. Santo Arrigo C.Ss.R. M. Div

Saturday February 19 10:00 am – 1:00 pm EST

Exploration of the role of prayer and worship for the life of young people and families today. Best practices and helpful hints to build spirituality among young people today.

Liturgical Publications Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2022 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

2022 Offertory Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2022 are available for pick up at the back of the Church. If you used envelopes this year 2021 there will be a box set for you with the same number. Please note that if you haven't picked up your 2020 or 2021 donation box your number was removed and you will need a new box number. Please make sure you pick up only the box with your name on it. If you do not use Sunday or Wednesday envelopes, and would like a box, please email the Parish office at secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca

Blessed Palms from Last Holy Week

This year Ash Wednesday is on March 2nd. The ashes that are used to mark the foreheads of faithful at the beginning of Lent come from the branches that were blessed and distributed on the previous Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord. Parishioners are invited to bring them to the church by Sunday, February 27th and to place them in the basket provided near the entrance.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation Schedule Change

At the beginning of the pandemic the Confession schedule was adjusted to help manage capacity at the Masses. Although we are not able to return to the same pre-pandemic schedule, beginning Saturday, March 5th Confessions will be heard immediately before the Sunday Vigil mass (Saturday afternoons), and before the two most well attended masses on Wednesdays, 12:00pm and 5:05pm. Confessions will no longer be heard on Tuesdays and Thursday mornings.

Beginning Saturday, March 5th the schedule for Confessions will be as follows:

Saturdays 4:00pm – 4:45pm

Wednesdays 11:00am – 11:45am

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4:00pm – 4:45pm

Income Tax 2021

Income Tax 2021 have been prepared and have been mailed out. We appreciate your generosity in supporting St. Patrick's Parish. Thank you!

Steubenville Youth Conference 2022

Steubenville Toronto is back! This year, Canada's largest annual summer youth conference for high school students will take place on July 15-17, 2022. We are excited to host the conference at a new venue: in the auditorium of Canada Christian College located at 300 Water Street in Whitby, Ontario. This year's theme is: "Fearless (John 16:33)."

Group Registration opens on March 1, 2022 at 10 a.m. A group can be a youth ministry from a parish, a high school chaplaincy group, or even a group of friends with parent chaperones. Due to COVID-19, we will be offering groups the opportunity to choose between attending the conference for the entire weekend or attending the Saturday only.

To view this year's ministry team, theme promo video, photos from previous years, more details and to register, please visit: www.steubenvilletoronto.com.

EMAIL: youth@ocytoronto.org

WEBSITE: www.steubenvilletoronto.com



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY FEB 14, 2022

12:10pm TBA

TUESDAY FEB 15 2022

12:10pm +Kok Ah Hoon

WEDNESDAY FEB 16, 2022

9:30am TBA

12:00pm +Rosalina Martins

2:30pm +Nellie Mondragon

5:05pm TBA

7:00pm +Lorenzo Udtojan Jr.

THURSDAY FEB 17, 2022

12:10pm TBA

FRIDAY FEB 18, 2022

12:10pm TBA

SATURDAY FEB 19, 2022

5:00pm TBA

SUNDAY FEB 20, 2022

8:30am TBA

11:00am Intentions of the Parishioners

5:00pm TBA

Sign Up with St. Patrick's Parish

Go to the parish website. On the main page under the heading "Contact Us" there is an option to "Sign-up". You are encouraged to do this in order to automatically receive the weekly parish bulletin, news, and other items that may be of interest.

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.

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 February 16, 2022

Marian Talk: Fr. Peter Hill, CSsR

"Triduum 2019 – Day 2: Called to Love"

Homilist: Fr. Tony Bidgood, CSsR

"Pastoral care of the sick over Generations"



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