

# St. Patrick's Parish

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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 - *Music and Liturgy*

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

*Pastoral Assistance offered by the Redemptorist Community.*



### Mass Schedule

#### Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Vigil)

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

#### Weekday Masses

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

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

Saturday & Sunday: CLOSED

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Wednesday 11:00 am - 11:45 am

4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

### Religious Articles Store

Open every Wednesday

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

## SACRAMENTS

### Holy Matrimony

Engaged couples from St. Patrick's are required to contact the parish office at least one year in advance.

### Baptism

Parents wishing to have a child baptized must contact the parish office to register. Baptism are usually at Mass on the first Sunday of the month.

### R.C.I.A.

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

## Chants Proper to the Assembly First Sunday of Advent

### INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance Come, O Long Expected Jesus 404

Kyrie 301 Missa Simplex

Sung in alternation between Cantors & Assembly; Assembly accompanied by strong tone of the organ

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

Responsorial Psalm 991

Gospel Acclamation 332

### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Creator of the Stars of Night 420 (omit refrain)

Domino's Vobiscum 178

Sanctus 308A di Angelus

Cantor chants the incipit, 'Sanctus', immediately after which the Assembly continues, 'Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth ...'

Memorial Acclamation +

Per Ipsum 181 + 183

Agnus Dei 313A di Angelus

Sung in alternation between Cantors & Assembly; Assembly accompanied by the strong tone of the organ

Communion Wait for the Lord 406

Cantor or Schola sings initial refrain, after which the Assembly repeats it and sings all subsequent refrains; from heart while in communion procession without hymnal

## "Living with Christ" Sunday Missals

Are available for purchase before and after the Sunday masses, and through our Religious Articles Store and will continue to be sold over the next few weeks while supplies last. They are \$5.00 each. These new missals begin on November 27<sup>th</sup> with the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent.

## OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch!

Jingle Jangle...It's time for us to mix & mingle Join us for an Open Door celebration on **Wednesday December 7**, after the noon Mass. This month's theme is a Christmas festive Luncheon. Come to the Parish Hall for fellowship. There is no charge, donations are appreciated. Everyone is welcome. Hope to see you there!

## ST. PATRICK'S CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS DAY MASS SCHEDULE FOR 2022/2023



### Sat Dec 24<sup>th</sup>

#### Christmas Eve

5:00pm Families with Children

8:00pm,

**NEW!** 11:00pm

### Sun Dec 25<sup>th</sup>

#### Christmas Day

8:30am, 11:00am

1:00pm (German)

No evening 5:00pm Mass

### Mon Dec 26<sup>th</sup>

#### Feast of the Holy Family

9:00am

### Sat Dec 31<sup>st</sup>

#### New Years' Eve

5:00pm

### Sun Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2023

#### Feast of Mary Mother of God

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

### Mon Jan 2nd, 2023

9:00am

## Adoration and Holy Hour

Join us for a quiet time of prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament. **First Friday December 2<sup>nd</sup>**, following the 12:10pm Mass.

## Coffee Hour



Please join us for a Coffee Hour on **Sunday December 4**, after the 11:00am Mass in the Parish Hall for a time of fellowship and refreshment. There is no charge, but donations are appreciated. Everyone is welcome. Hope to see you there!

## Solemnity of the

## Immaculate Conception

Thursday December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022 - 7:00pm

Come join us Thursday evening as we celebrate this feast day at a special Solemn Mass beginning at 7:00pm. Several Redemptorists will be present at this Mass and, as is their tradition, will renew their religious vows of poverty, chastity, obedience & perseverance.

*\*There will not be a 12:10pm Mass that day\**

## Making a Donation by Cheque to the Parish

Thank you for your donation to the Parish. If you would like to make a contribution to the Parish by Cheque please make all cheque's **payable to: St. Patrick's Church**. In the memo line please indicate the fund you are contributing

too. The bank has stressed that they will only accept cheques made payable to St. Patrick's Church.

## Ashadeep Advent Giving Tree 2022

Again, as in past years during Advent, we focus our thoughts and giving on the children of Ashadeep Centre for the Differently Abled. This year once more, our only fund raising is the Advent Giving Tree, but Ashadeep is more in need of our support than ever. Their numbers have increased and there are now more than 1,000 children attending the school including the disabled children living in the orphanage.

Last year your generous donations provided a roti making machine for the kitchen, this year the request is for another school bus. St. Patrick's has provided two school buses in the past, both of which continue to serve Ashadeep well, but with the increase in numbers and new Government safety regulations another bus is desperately needed.

During Advent there will be a photo display at the back of the church showing the roti machine and the children of Ashadeep at breakfast, and also photos on the parish website.

The tree will be set up at the back of the church for all of Advent. As usual, it will be decorated with small gifts, including rosaries made by some of the children and priests of Ashadeep. Instead of buying a gift for someone you can make a donation in their name and take an ornament to give as representative of the gift.

There will be envelopes in which you can place your donation, cheque made payable to St. Patrick's Church or cash, and these can be placed in the boxes at the back of the church or in the collection during Mass.

THANK YOU for your ongoing generosity in supporting Ashadeep for the last 14 years. The children and priests at Ashadeep are grateful for your support and keep the parishioners of St. Patrick's continually in their prayers.



Helping the whole community  
through Catholic agencies

## Help homeless youth through ShareLife

**NEW:** Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million.

Covenant House is one of the agencies you support through ShareLife. It's located in Toronto, but its young clients – largely homeless youth – arrive from throughout the archdiocese.

"Your commitment to love and care for the youth experiencing homelessness and trafficking who come to Covenant House truly means so much," says the agency's director. "Your support gives hope to young people who need hope right now – and you give youth a real chance for a better future."

Our goal this year is **[\$65,000.00]**. To date we have achieved **[\$51,160.00]**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website [www.stpatrickstoronto.ca](http://www.stpatrickstoronto.ca) or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

## 2023 Offertory Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2023 will be available shortly for pick up at the back of the Church. If you used envelopes this year 2022 there will be a box set for you with the same number. Please note that if you haven't picked up your 2021 or 2022 donation box your number was removed and you will need a new box number. Please 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](mailto:secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca).

## 2022 Tax Receipts

To receive your tax receipt for 2022. Donations must be received by **December 31, 2022**. Donations received after January 1, 2023, will go towards 2023 taxes.



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### MONDAY NOV 28, 2022

12:10pm +Andrew Lylyk

### TUESDAY NOV 29, 2022

12:10pm Intentions of Luzviminda Lloren

### WEDNESDAY NOV 30, 2022

9:30am (Sick) Romel Tinamisan & Teodorico Lloren (Deceased) +Albano Timbol, +Margueritte Frigault, +Maria Cheng

12:00pm Intentions of Andres LaCuesta

2:30pm +Luzviminda Sinsuat

5:05pm (Deceased) +Celerina Espedido, +Vicente del Rosario, +Demetrio Marciana, +Raulmina Caberte, +Fr. Bill Fitzgerald

7:00pm Intentions of Lemuel Wasay

### THURSDAY DEC 1, 2022

12:10pm Intentions of the Elizabeth Pereira

### FRIDAY DEC 2, 2022

12:10pm Intentions of Antonio Galicia

### SATURDAY DEC 3, 2022

5:00pm +Marcellene Josphe

### SUNDAY DEC 4, 2022

8:30am +Francesca Costello & +Tomasina Medina

11:00am +Fr. Bill Fitzgerald

5:00pm Intentions of the Parishioners

**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 30, 2022**

**Marian Talk: Fr. Peter Hill, C.Ss.R.**

**"Thanking Mother Mary" (Triduum 2019)**

**Homilist: Dr. Carolyn Chau**

**"Resilience in this Time"**



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