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*Oh Come
Let us Adore Him*

NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Chants Proper to the Assembly From the Ordo Missae Celebrande The Nativity of the Lord

Order of the Celebration of Mass

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance 441 Silent Night [Eve]

After the 2nd verse, the assembly will cease its singing to hear the Announcement of the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord, after which all continue to sing the final verse.

460 The First Nowell [Day]

Kyrie + Gloria 301 + 302 *Missa di Angelus*

Sung in alternation between Schola Cantorum (or Cantor) & Assembly

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Responsorial Psalm 1004 [Eve]

1006 [Day]

Gospel Acclamation 331

Sung in alternation between Schola Cantorum (or Cantor) & Assembly

Nicene Creed See inside front cover of hymnal

All kneel at the words "and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate"

Universal Prayer

Cantor: Jesus, Lord at thy birth:

Assembly: **Grant us heavenly peace.**

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory 428 Go Tell It On the Mountain

When the choir is present, the singing of the choir may replace the hymn

Dominus 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 180 + 183

Agnus Dei 313A di Angelus

Sung in alternation between Schola Cantorum (or Cantor) & Assembly

Communion 439 *Adeste Fideles**

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

*For the Mass with Children, sing English text

Thanksgiving Angels We Have Heard On High*

Assembly:

Angels we have heard on high

Sweetly singing o'er the plain,

And the mountains in reply

Echoing their joyous strain:

Refrain:

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

II. Shepherds, why this jubilee?

Why your joyous strains prolong?

Say, what may the tidings be

Which inspire your heav'nly song? R.

III. Come to Bethlehem and see

Him, whose birth the angels sing;

Come, adore on bended knee

Christ, our Lord, the newborn King. R.

*For the Mass with Children, 437 Joy to the World

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



Sat Dec 24th

Christmas Eve

5:00pm Families with Children

8:00pm,

NEW! 11:00pm

Sun Dec 25th

Christmas Day

8:30am, 11:00am

1:00pm (German)

No evening 5:00pm Mass

Mon Dec 26th

Feast of the Holy Family

9:00am

Sat Dec 31st

New Years' Eve

5:00pm

Sun Jan 1st 2023

Feast of Mary Mother of God

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

Mon Jan 2nd, 2023

9:00am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

During the Christmas Season

Sunday December 25 – **CLOSED**

Monday December 26 – **CLOSED**

Tuesday December 27 – **CLOSED**

Wednesday December 28 – **9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm**

Thursday December 29 – **9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm**

Friday December 30 – **9am-12noon**

Saturday December 31 – **CLOSED**

Sunday January 1 – **CLOSED**

Monday January 2 – **CLOSED**

Tuesday January 3 – **9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm**

Mission Bazaar Thank You!

A special Thank you goes out to Maria Luxbacher and all the wonderful volunteers who helped make this event a great success. A big thank you to everyone who donated and supported St. Patrick's Missions Bazaar. A total of \$14,300.00 was raised for The Redemptorist Missions.

St. Patrick's Casavant Organ

The splendid pipe organ in the church was installed in the 1940's and is maintained and serviced regularly by the **Alan T. Jackson & Company Limited**, which is the service representative for Casavant Frères L.P., Pipe Organ Builders from Saint-Hyacinthe, Quebec. Last Spring, the parish received a tender for the needed refurbishment of several of the parts that are associated with the organ pipes, and to do some upgrading and re-wiring. The total cost of this of this expense (including HST) is \$23,990.00. Due to the amount, approval for this expenditure was granted the Archdiocese of Toronto. The parish also received approval to apply the balance of our **Family of Faith Funds** for this expense. The current balance of the Family of Faith account is \$10,269.76. These funds have been held in trust by the Archdiocese. The remaining balance to be paid from general parish funds is \$13,720.24. The work on the organ is due to be completed in the next couple of weeks. If anyone wishes to contribute to this refurbishment, donations can be made through the regular St. Patrick's Building Fund. There are extra blue "Building Fund" envelopes available along the counters of the church. All donations are welcome and appreciated.

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.

2023 Offertory Envelopes

Offertory envelopes for 2023 are available 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. If you have not picked up your 2021 or 2022 donation box your number was removed and you will need a new box number. Please continue to use your 2022 envelopes until the end of the year and destroy any envelopes you have from previous years. When writing your information on the envelopes please print clearly and include your address so that you will receive a Tax Receipt at the end of the year. 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 there is a sign up sheet on the table near the envelopes, you may also email the Parish office at 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.

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2023 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

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 December 28, 2022
Marian Talk: Dr. Josephine Lombardi
"Mary's Hands"
Homilist: Fr. Mark Miller, C.Ss.R.
"Attitudes in Prayers"

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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.

Across the globe, thousands of families struggle to put food on the table. Those in developing countries remain vulnerable with the lack of access to adequate and nutritious food.

Thanks to your compassionate response to their needs and your generous donations to ShareLife, agencies like the Canadian Food for Children provide for the poorest of the poor in developing countries throughout the world.

Our goal this year is **[\$65,000.00]**. To date we have achieved **[\$52,371.00]**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website www.stpatrickstoronto.ca or at sharelife.org/donate.



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY DEC 26, 2022

12:10pm +Ona & +Jonas Inciura & family

TUESDAY DEC 27, 2022

12:10pm Intentions of David Liu

WEDNESDAY DEC 28, 2022

9:30am (Deceased) +Teresa Borrelli, +Alfonso Lontoc

12:00pm Intentions of Vera Hendricks

2:30pm Intentions of Kuya Danny Carreon

5:05pm (Deceased) +Jean Xavier Jarsaillon,

7:00pm +Herbert Clough

THURSDAY DEC 29, 2022

12:10pm Intentions of Myla Balmonte & Justin Segarty

FRIDAY DEC 30, 2022

12:10pm +Fr. Bill Fitzgerald

SATURDAY DEC 31, 2022

5:00pm Intentions of the Parishioners

SUNDAY JAN 1, 2023

8:30am Intentions of the Parishioners

11:00am +Clara John Charles

5:00pm Intentions of the Parishioners



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