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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*

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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

ORDO MISSAE CELEBRANDE
*Order of the Celebration of Mass on
 The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Reception of the Child to be Baptized*
Entrance Come Down, O Love Divine 556
Kyrie** Parish Mass (Victor Tongi)
Gloria English Chant 322
*Kyrie and Gloria are sung in alternation between Schola Cantorum
 or Cantor & Assembly*

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Responsorial Psalm 1105
Gospel Acclamation 335
*Psalm & Alleluia: Cantor or Schola sings initial refrain, after which
 Assembly repeats it and sings subsequent refrain(s)*
Universal Prayer
 Intercessor: Lord, we ask you:
 Assembly: **Hear our Prayer.**

LITURGY OF BAPTISM*

Litany of the Saints 1056
Acclamation after Baptism Celtic Alleluia 334

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Jesu, Dulcis Memoria

Hymnus.

E-su dulcis memó-ri- a, Dans ve-ra cordis gáudi- a :

<p>Sed super mel et ómni- a, E-ius dulcis praesénti- a.</p> <p>Nil cánitur suávius, Nil auditur jucúndius, Nil cogitátur dúlcius, Quam Jesus Dei Filius.</p> <p>Jesu, spes pæniténtibus, Quam pius es peténtibus! Quam bonus te quaeréntibus! Sed quid inveniéntibus?</p>	<p>Nec lingua valet dicere, Nec littera exprímere : Expértus potest crédere, Quid sit Jesum dilígere.</p> <p>Sis, Jesu, nostrum gáudium, Qui es futúrus præmium : Sit nostra in te glória, Per cuncta semper sáecula. Amen.</p>
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Translation:
 The sweet memory of Jesus giving true joy to the heart: but more than honey and all things his sweet presence. Nothing more delightful is sung, nothing more pleasing heard, nothing sweeter thought, than Jesus, the Son of God. O Jesus, hope of the penitent, how gracious you are to those who ask how good to those who seek you; but what [are you] to those who find? No tongue may tell, no letter express; he who has experience of it can believe what it is to love Jesus. O Jesus, may you be our joy, you who are our future reward. May our glory be in you throughout all eternity. Amen

Dominus Vobiscum 178
Sanctus 364 Parish Mass
*Cantor sings, "Holy, holy"
 & Assembly continues "Holy Lord, God of Hosts ..."*
 Memorial Acclamation +
 Per Ipsum 181 + 183
Agnus Dei Parish Mass
Schola (Cantor): (3x) Lamb of God, you take away ...

Assembly: (2x) **have mercy on us.**
 (Final) **grant us peace.**
Communion One Bread, One Body 932
*Cantor or Schola sings initial refrain, after which the Assembly
 repeats it and sings subsequent refrains; sing from heart while in
 communion procession without the hymnal.*
 *only at 11
 **omitted at 11 o'clock

2023 Income Tax Receipts

We thank everyone for your support in 2023! 2023 Parish Tax Receipts have been processed and you will receive them in the mail on or before February 2nd. For contributions made online through our website or through the Archdiocese of Toronto. Your tax receipt will come directly from the Archdiocese. Once again thank you very much for your contributions. We appreciate your generosity in supporting the Parish.

2024 Offertory Envelopes

If you haven't already received your box of 2024 offertory envelopes, please pick them up as soon as you can. They will be available for pick up in the Church until **Sunday February 11**. If you haven't picked them by then, you can pick them up in the office. Please call the office to make arrangements for pick up. If you are not currently registered and wish to use offertory envelopes, please complete the sheet provided on the table in the Church.

OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch!
Celebrating St. Valentine's Day!

Join us for an Open Door celebration on **Wednesday February 7**, after the noon Mass. This month we celebrate St. Valentine. Patron Saint of Love. Come to the Parish Hall for fellowship and a sit-down lunch. There is no charge, donations are appreciated. Everyone is welcome. Hope to see you there!

Blessed Palms

We invite you to bring your Blessed Palms to the church by **Sunday February 11th** to help make ashes for Ash Wednesday. You may place the Palms in the basket found at the back counter of the church.



ASH WEDNESDAY
Wednesday February 14, 2024

Ashes will be distributed at each of the Novena Masses to Our Mother of Perpetual Help 9:30am, 12:00pm, 2:30pm 5:05pm & 7:00pm.
The Choir will sing at the 7:00pm Mass.
**Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from
 11am-11:45am & 4pm-4:45pm.**



Stations of the Cross
Friday February 16, 2024, 5:30pm

Join us as we gather to walk the Way of the Cross with Jesus in this holy season of Lent at 5:30pm in the Church.

Family Day Mass

A reminder there will be one Mass celebrated on Family Day, Monday February 19th at 9:00am. The Church will close soon after the Mass. The office will also be closed and will re-open on Tuesday February 20th.



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Stratford Festival

In past years, prior to the pandemic, St. Patrick's used to organize an annual daytrip to the Stratford Festival. If there is interest once again this year, we are looking to reserve tickets for the musical called "**Something Rotten**" at the Festival Theatre. The day trip to the Stratford Festival includes travel by coach, and a matinee performance

followed by a delicious dinner. The approximate cost is \$185.00 per person. The proposed date is Saturday, April 20th. The tickets are not yet booked and so this date is yet to be finalized. To ensure this trip is feasible, we need to confirm the number of those interested by **Tuesday, February 6th**. If you would like to sign up, please see one of the ushers after the masses.



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY FEB 5, 2024

12:10pm Intentions of Lidia & Merinda Domiguez

TUESDAY FEB 6, 2024

12:10pm Intentions of Agnes Leung

WEDNESDAY FEB 7, 2024

9:30am (Sick) Claire Baptista

(Deceased) +Procopio & +Sofia Parazo, +Joseph Fiesta, +Jener Capistrano, +Jose Sagless

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

2:30pm Intentions of Lourdes Santo

5:05pm (Sick) Donna Mesic

(Deceased) +Joseph Trinh, +Mary Hoang, +Jose Bansil +Marilyn & +Robert MacGregor

7:00pm Intentions of the ShanMugarajah family

THURSDAY FEB 8, 2024

12:10pm Intentions of Aguido Dela Cruz

FRIDAY FEB 9, 2024

12:10pm +Marcel Nhon & +Maria Xuan

SATURDAY FEB 10, 2024

5:00pm Intentions of the Maranha family

SUNDAY FEB 11, 2024

8:30am Intentions of the Parishioners

11:00am Intentions for the protection of unborn children

5 :00pm Intentions of Antonio & Maria Baptista

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 Feb 7, 2024
Marian Talk: Dr. Jennifer Martin
"Intercession of Mary"
Homilist: Fr. David Louch, C.Ss.R
Lay People in the Church

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