

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 strive to be a vibrant Catholic community where divine worship, faith formation, compassionate outreach, and enthusiastic evangelization inspire us to embody Christ-like virtues and draw others to the love of the Lord.

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Thomas O'Rourke, C.Ss.R. - **Pastor**

Fr. Graham Hill, C.Ss.R. - **Associate Pastor**

Irene Mihaljek - **Parish Administrator**

Loretta Conte - **Secretary**

Dr. Robin Williams - **Music and Liturgy**

John Pavao, Nelson Franco - **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

10:15 am – 12:00 pm & 12:45 pm – 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 of the Assembly

ORDO MISSAE CELEBRANDE

Order of the Celebration of Mass on

The Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance

Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ the head and cornerstone;
Who, the two walls underlying,
Bound in each, binds both in one;
Holy Sion's help for ever,
And her confidence alone.

II

All that dedicated city,
Dearly lov'd of God on high,
Sing in endless jubilation
May we join their melody;
God the One in Three adoring
In glad hymns eternally.

III

To this temple, where we call thee,
Come, O Lord of hosts, to-day;
On the wind has come your Spirit
Enter now our souls we pray;
And thy fullest benediction
Shed within its walls always.

VI

O to enter that bright city
What we ask of thee to gain;
What we gain from thee for ever
With the blessed to retain,
And hereafter in thy glory
Evermore with thee to reign.

Kyrie + Gloria *de Angelus* 301 + 302

Kyrie and Gloria are sung in alternation between Choir (or Cantor) & the Assembly

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Responsorial Psalm 1211

Gospel Acclamation Celtic Alleluia 334

Psalm & Alleluia: Cantor or Choir sings initial refrain, after which Assembly repeats it and sings subsequent refrain(s)

Universal Prayer

Cantor: O Redeemer hear our singing:

Assembly: Listen to our voice and heart.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory

1. O God of loveliness, O Lord of Heaven above,
How worthy to possess my heart's devoted love.
So sweet Thy countenance, so gracious to behold
That one, one only glance to me were bliss untold.

2. Thou art blest Three in One, yet undivided still,
Thou art the One alone, whose love my heart can fill.
The heav'ns and earth below were fashioned by Thy Word,
How amiable art Thou, my ever dearest Lord.

3. To think Thou art my God – O thought forever blest!
My heart has overflowed with joy within my breast.

My soul so full of bliss, is plunged as in a sea,
Deep in the sweet abyss of holy charity.

4. O Loveliness supreme, O Beauty infinite,
O ever flowing Stream and Ocean of delight,
O life by which I live, my truest Life above,
To Thee alone I give my undivided love.

Dominus Vobiscum 178

Sanctus *de Angelus* 308A

Cantor chants the incipit, 'Sanctus', after which the Assembly continues, 'Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth' & then alternates with the Choir (or Cantor)

Memorial Acclamation + Per Ipsum 182 [**Save us, Saviour of the world ...**] + 183

Agnus Dei *de Angelus* 313A

Communion Draw Near 935

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

As the ministers withdraw, the choir will sing *Christus Vincit* which translates "Christ Conquers, Christ Reigns, Christ Commands"

Remembering the Faithful Departed in the Month of November

The **Book of the Names of the Dead** is available for those who wish to write the names of deceased loved ones. At Sunday Masses of November, they will be included in the prayers of our parish community throughout the month.

Communion to the Sick and Homebound

If you or a loved one are unable to attend mass due to illness or are homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion. Please contact the parish office at 416-598-3269 or by email at secretary@stpatrickstoronto.ca

Altar Servers Needed

We would like to invite new children and youth to join our altar server ministry. Serving at the altar is a wonderful way to grow in faith, take part in the celebration of the Mass, and learn the beauty of our Catholic liturgy. Those who have received their First Communion and wish to serve are encouraged to speak with Fr. Tom after Mass.

Out of the Cold Program 2025-2026

This year's Out of the Cold Program begins on the weekend of November 15th & 16th. For 20 weeks, our volunteers will be preparing meals for 600 people in need each week. We are continuing to partner with two agencies (*Good Shepherd Ministries* on Queen Street East & the *St. Felix Centre* on Augusta Avenue) who will serve the hot meals at their locations. The Out of the Cold Program is run by committed volunteers and relies on donations from individuals and businesses. To give an idea of the great need for food in this city, this year, local experts say one in

10 Toronto residents now rely on food banks to get through the month.

How to Contribute

There are 3 convenient ways to make a financial contribution:

1. There are Out of the Cold envelopes available in the church. Cash or cheques can be placed in the Offertory collection at Mass at any time, or in the prayer intention boxes along the counters. Please make cheques out to "St. Patrick's Church" and on the memo line write "Out of the Cold".
2. Scan the QR code included in the bulletin each week or go to our parish website: stpatricksto.archtoronto.org and click on the "Donate" button in the top right. Choose "Parish Offertory" and follow the steps. It is important to indicate "Out of the Cold" in the "notes or directives" section.
3. By debit or credit card in the parish office.

Thank you for your support in our efforts to help the poor and hungry in our city.

The Shepherds' Trust Collection

November 15/16, 2025

The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to raise awareness and collect funds so the elderly priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. The Trust supports the needs of retired clergy in the Archdiocese of Toronto who have served for many years. Through our support of The Shepherds' Trust, the retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years.

For more information about The Shepherds' Trust please go to: www.shepherdstrust.org. Envelopes are available at the back counter.

Living with Christ Sunday Missals

Sunday Missals for 2025/2026 are available this weekend for purchase before and after the Sunday Masses and will continue while supplies last. They are \$5.00 each. The new missals begin on November 30th. with the 1st Sunday of Advent. Please see the volunteers near the entrance of the church.

Red Wednesday

A Voice for Persecuted Christians

Red Wednesday 2025 will be observed on November 19, uniting Canadians in prayer and action. In Toronto, the Archdiocese of Toronto invites Catholics to join in the celebration of Mass at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. Bishop John Boissonneau, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will preside. Not in Toronto? You can still participate: organize a Rosary, host a prayer vigil, light a building in red, or wear red as a sign of solidarity. Even sharing online helps raise awareness of persecuted Christians and the need for religious freedom. More info: www.acn-canada.org/rw. Contact: el@ac-canada.org or

(416) 785-0498. An ACN Canada initiative with archdiocesan support.

Redemptorist "Come & See" Vocation Discernment Evening

November 25, 2025 5pm-9pm, Toronto

COME AND SEE EVENINGS WITH THE REDEMPTORISTS

Are you discerning a call to religious life? The Redemptorists invite you to a "Come & See" Evening on Thursday, November 25, 2025 from 5:00pm to 9:00pm at St. Patrick's Monastery, Toronto. This gathering will include prayer, reflection, fellowship, and an evening meal.



Participants will also have the opportunity to meet Redemptorist priests and brothers, visit our community home, and learn more about our mission and ministry. Please register by scanning the QR code. We hope to see you there!



MASSES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY NOV 10, 2025

12:10pm +Grace Rozario

TUESDAY NOV 11, 2025

12:10pm +Gilbert Tellis

WEDNESDAY NOV 12, 2025

9:30am (Sick) Carlos Araujo

(Deceased) +Cecilia Ambrose, +Maria & +Antonio Viera, +Alourdes LeConte, +Teodorica Mercado

12:00pm +David Liu

2:30pm +Faye Mitchell

5:05pm (Deceased) +Vito Vetro, +Evelyn De Vera, +Patricio Gajoncera Jr., +Stefania Engineer, +Betty Tan

7:00pm Intentions of Cecilia Almonte

THURSDAY NOV 13, 2025

12:10pm +Luciano Matias

FRIDAY NOV 14, 2025

12:10pm +Kyle Grymek-Nifo

SATURDAY NOV 15, 2025

5:00pm +Cecile Moore

SUNDAY NOV 16, 2025

8:30am Intentions of the Parishioners

11:00am +Iza John Charles

5:00pm Intentions of Livia Beysovec



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