

# 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**

Loreta 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 Palm Sunday of the Passion of The Lord*

INTRODUCTORY RITES

**Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem**  
Hosanna 1032

*The Cantor intones Antiphon, after which the Assembly repeats it. [At 11 o'clock & 5 o'clock on Sunday, 'Hosanna Filio David' is chanted in Latin by the choir, Hosanna to the Son of David, the King of Israel! Blessed is he who comes in Lord's name: Hosanna in the highest]*

**Entrance** Christis Vincit *arr. Nicola Montani*

Assembly:

Christus vincit, Christus regnat, Christus imperat!

*Translation: "Christ conquers, Christ reigns, Christ commands."*

LITURGY OF THE WORD

**Responsorial Psalm 1035**

**Gospel Acclamation** Praise to You Lord, King of Eternal Glory! *from Good Shepherd Mass Fr. S. Somerville*

*Psalm & Alleluia: The Choir or Cantor sings initial refrain, after which the Assembly repeats it & sings all subsequent refrains*

**Universal Prayer**

*Cantor: We pray to the Lord*

Assembly: For the sake of your Son, have mercy Lord.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**Offertory** Christ is Made the Sure Foundation\*

1. Christ is made the sure foundation,  
Christ the Head and corner-stone,  
chosen of the Lord, and precious  
binding all the church in one,  
Holy Sion's help for ever,  
and her confidence alone.

2. All that dedicated city,  
dearly loved of God on high,  
in exultant jubilation  
pours perpetual melody,  
God the One in Three adoring  
in glad hymns eternally.

3. To this temple, where we call thee,  
come, O Lord of Hosts, to-day;  
with thy wonted loving-kindness  
hear thy servants as they pray,  
and thy fullest benediction  
shed within its walls alway.

4. Here vouchsafe to all thy servants  
what they ask of thee to gain,  
what they gain from thee for ever  
with the blessed to retain,  
and hereafter in thy glory  
evermore with thee to reign.

*\*Sung in preparation for the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, where it will be sung at the Entrance*

Dominus Vobiscum 178

**Sanctus** Parish Mass *Togni*

*The Cantor chants the incipit, 'Holy, Holy', after which the Assembly continues, 'Holy Lord, God of Hosts'*

Memorial Acclamation + Per Ipsum 182 + 183

**Agnus Dei** Parish Mass *Tongi*

**Communion** This Is My Body

Assembly:

This Is My Body given for your freedom.

This Is My Blood which was shed for all mankind.

Take all and eat 'til the day of My return.

*The Cantor sings initial refrain, after which the Assembly repeats it & sings all subsequent refrains; sing by heart while in communion procession without the hymnal*

As the ministers withdraw



Holy Week

## Holy Week & Easter Liturgies



**Passion (Palm) Sunday – March 29**  
5:00pm Saturday (vigil)  
8:30am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

**Monday, March 30 & Tuesday, March 31:** 12:10pm

**Wednesday April 1**  
9:30am; 12:00pm; 2:30pm; 5:05pm; & 7:00pm  
(Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions and Masses)

**Holy Thursday April 2: Mass of the Lord's Supper:** 7:00pm

**Good Friday April 3: Solemn Liturgical Services:** 3:00pm

**Holy Saturday April 4: Easter Vigil Mass:** 9:00pm

**Easter Sunday April 5:** 8:30am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

**Easter Monday April 6:** 9:00am

## Parish Office

The Parish office will be closed on Good Friday April 3, and Easter Monday April 6. The office will reopen on Tuesday April 7.

MARCH 29, 2026

## OPEN DOOR Wednesday Lunch!

\*\*\*\*Please note there will be no lunch served on **Wednesday April 1<sup>st</sup>** because of Holy Week. The lunch will take place on **Wednesday April 8<sup>th</sup>**, as we celebrate Easter.

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### Evening Chapel Continues

Thank you to all who have participated in our Thursday Evening Chapel during these past weeks of Lent. It has been a quiet and meaningful time of prayer for many in our parish community. Evening Chapel will continue beyond the initial six-weeks and will carry on through the Easter season. All are welcome to join us for a simple time of reflection, silence, and prayer - we gather each Thursday at 6:30pm in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Chapel in the new parish centre (please use the side entrance).

Please note: there will be no Evening Chapel on Holy Thursday. Instead, parishioners are invited to spend some time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament following the Mass of the Lord's Supper.

### Help Not Harm: Take Action to Support Bill C-218

#### Write your Member of Parliament Today!

You are invited to visit [HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca) where you can e-mail your Member of Parliament (MP), asking for their support of **Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act)**, which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID) from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition. Without this change, MAID will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027. Visit [HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca) today and ask your MP to support Bill C-218



### MASSES OF THE WEEK

**MONDAY MAR 30, 2026**

12:10pm +Virginia DaCunha

**TUESDAY MAR 31, 2026**

12:10pm Intentions of Naomi Perera

**WEDNESDAY APRIL 1, 2026**

9:30am (Deceased) +Procopio & +Sofia Parazo, +Wenceslao Roxas Jr. +Pedro & +Aurea Abas, +Josephina Lakkbayan, +Elvira Tan

12:00pm +Raymond Fabian

2:30pm Intentions of Leonora Ballena

5:05pm (Sick) Livia Beysovic

(Deceased) +Rolando & +Cecilia Calero, +Margarita & +Marcelino Valdivia, +Juana Rios

7:00pm +Martin & +Gaudiosa Cal

**THURSDAY APRIL 2, 2026**

7:00pm Holy Thursday

**FRIDAY APRIL 3, 2026**

3:00pm Passion of the Lord – Solemn Liturgical Service

**SATURDAY APRIL 4, 2026**

9:00pm Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil

**SUNDAY APRIL 5, 2026**

8:30am Intentions of the Parishioners

11:00am +Natividad & +Deltin Penalosa Sr.

5:00pm +Deceased members of the Ntiruhungwa family

### WAYS TO GIVE

*We are happy to provide the following two options for parishioners who seldom carry cash and prefer to use the convenience of digital giving with a debit or credit card as a way to further support our parish:*



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– Fast, easy and convenient, a single or monthly donation in the amount of your choice directly through the parish website is a great option. Tax receipts are issued immediately for a single donation and at the end-of-the-year for a recurring gift. Just Scan the QR code, and ensure **St. Patrick's Parish, Toronto** is selected from the Parish drop down menu





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