St. Patrick's Church

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PASTOR: Fr. Vito Marziliano

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS:

Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

MARRIAGES:

Couples must contact the Pastor one year in advance.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

St. Patrick's(905) 794-0411Holy Spirit(905) 794-8039Francis McSpiritt(905) 794-5031Our Lady of Lourdes(905) 913-1703St. André Bessette(905) 913-2567

SECONDARY SCHOOL:

Cardinal Ambrozic (905) 913-2989

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Sunday 5:00 p.m. English 8:30 a.m. English 10:00 a.m. English 11:30 a.m. Italian 1:00 p.m. English 7:30 p.m. English

WEEKDAY MASS:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday 8:30 a.m. Tuesday 1:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Anytime

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS:

Finance Council, Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Altar Servers, Seniors Group, Seniors Group - meets Tuesday at 1:00 p.m., Catholic Women's League - 1st Monday of the month, Knights of Columbus - 3rd Thursday of the month, Prayer Group - Wednesday 7:30 p.m., Choirs - English: Tuesday 8:00 p.m. - Italian: Thursday 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 18, 2018 First Sunday of Lent



Saturday, February 17, 2018

8:30 am	In thanksgiving to the Infant Jesus
	Angelo, Carmela & Vincenzo Ciabarro
10:00 am	Meeting for parents of children preparing for
	First Confession and First Communion
	(Group B)
5:00 pm	Humberto Manuel Benevides
	Angelo Antonio Grossi
	Di Paola Family
Sunday, February 18, 2018	
8:30 am	Melenina Papa / Lawrence Mascarenhas
10:00 am	Domenico Raso & Rosaria Lombardo
	Antonio Suriano
11:30 am	Filippo Camardo
	Bianca & Giuseppe Ristagno
	Rosina & Giovanni Ricciuto
	50 th Wedding Anniversary
	Franco & Assunta Lorini
1:00 pm	Blessings upon our families
7:30 pm	Pro Populo
<u>Monday, February 19, 2018 - FAMILY DAY</u>	
8:30 am	For all the families of the parish
7:00 pm	Antonio Cicco (1 month memorial)
Tuesday, February 20, 2018	
8:00 am	Mass at Cardinal Ambrozic High School
1:00 pm	Pasquale Attanasio
<u>Wednesday, February 21, 2018</u>	
8:30 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
<u>Thursday, February 22, 2018</u>	
8:30 am	Lawrence Mascarenhas
5:00 pm	Confirmation Meeting (Group B)
7:00 pm	Natale Edward Aiello (memorial)
<u>Friday, February 23, 2018</u>	
8:30 am	Ennio Papa
<u>Saturday, February 24, 2018</u>	
8:30 am	In honour of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
10:00 am	Confirmation Meeting (Group A)
5:00 pm	Antonio Romano
	Pasqualina Romano
<u>Sunday, February 25, 2018</u>	
8:30 am	Roberto & Genoveffa Altobelli
10:00 am	Julia Cardoso / Stan Orrico
11:30 am	Angela, Antonio & Elena Pietrangelo
1:00 pm	Rufo Pascual / Kim Kristoffer Pascual
7:30 pm	For all the people

STATIONS OF THE CROSS.....Wednesday evenings at 7:30 pm in Italian and on Friday mornings after the 8:30 am mass in English.

CONFESSIONS DURING LENT....Every Saturday from 3 - 5 pm, First Friday, March 2 from 8:00 - 8:30 am and 6:00 pm -7:00 pm and on Friday, March 16 from 9 am to 11 am, 12 noon - 1 pm and from 6:00 - 7:30 pm.



FROM THE DESK OF FR. VITO Greetings & Blessings dear friends and parishioners of St. Patrick's Church

My recent retreat/visit to Tabgha, on the Sea of Galilee, at the Church of the Multiplication, where the gift of a small child fed the thousands who had gathered to hear the Word of Jesus, is still vibrating in my heart. For the first time, I was able to celebrate Eucharist on the SACRED ROCK where Christ placed the loaves and fishes that fed and satisfied the multitudes, leaving twelve baskets of left overs so that nothing would ever be wasted. The places themselves in the Holy Land have often been referred to as THE FIFTH GOSPEL, that is, the opportunity offered us by looking at them and allowing the silent witness to touch us, is the word of Scriptures in constant proclamation.

We pray that soon the efforts and prayers of everyone will enable us to give rise to a CHURCH BUILDING that will echo the teachings, the words and the works of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. EVERYONE HAS A ROLE IN THIS TASK. First and foremost OUR PRAYER. Please continue to pray the prayer for building the church that was handed out a few weeks ago. More copies are available at the entrance and from time to time we will pray together at the end of Mass. WHEN OUR AMBASSADORS CALL, PLEASE SET UP A TIME WITH THEM EITHER IN YOUR HOME, OR IN THE CHURCH, and meet for a few moments to personally become aware of the project. The pledge you make will be yours alone to know. You will be able to return the pledge in a sealed envelope and leave it in the collection box. These will only be opened by two parishioners who have been trained and taken an oath of confidentiality. No matter what you can pledge, it will go a long way. AGAIN, PLEASE REMEMBER THE STORY OF THE FIVE LOAVES AND TWO FISHES. If you are not a registered member of the parish, we will have no way of being in contact with you. Therefore, if you are not registered and wish to help in some ways, please call us at the church office. Also, if you have changed your phone number or address, please notify us if you have not yet done so.

We are in need of more AMBASSADORS. It will not require much of your time, only an evening of training and a few phone calls and visits. Your involvement is needed. Please contact the parish and leave your name and phone number. God blessings upon all.

> With prayerful best wishes, Fr. Vito



FAMILY DAY - MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

HAPPY FAMILY DAY, dear Family of St. Patrick's Church. May the love of God always bless each and everyone of you. JOIN US FOR FAMILY FUN ON Monday, FEB. 19, FROM 12 NOON TO 3 P.M. There will be PIZZA, HOT CHOCOLATE, MUSIC, HOT DOGS, AND PONY RIDES.... Bring your families and friends. A special thank you to all volunteers who are helping out: Catholic Women's League, Knights of Columbus, Youth Ministry, and other parishioners.



PARISH LENTEN MISSIONS

Please mark the dates for the Lenten Mission at St. Patrick's:

In Italian: Feb. 25-28 (details to follow)

Deacon Francesco Armenti

In English: March 12,13,14 (details to follow)

Fr. Pierre Ferrugia

The Italian mission will take place in the morning starting with our regular 8:30 am Morning Mass. The English mission will take place in the evening at 7:30 pm.



YOUTH CORNER

NEXT EDGE NIGHT

Friday, February 23rd, DOORS OPEN AT 6:45 P.M. Theme is "Royal Descent"

All students ages 12-18 are encouraged to join us for the "Lift Jesus Higher Rally", Saturday March 3rd 2018 For more information contact Liza: spywildfied@gmail.com



LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY Saturday, March 3rd, 2018 9:00 am - 5:30 pm

Metro Toronto Convention Centre

Be inspired, encouraged and healed at the largest single day Catholic event in Canada, the 26th annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally! The theme of this year's rally is "Fire on the Earth" (Luke 12:49).

Adult session with inspired talks by Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields and keynote guest speaker Patti Mansfield. There will be a separate youth event (13-18 years) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits. Tickets: \$30 for adults / \$20 for the youth. All prices include transportation. In order for our parish to rent a bus, we need a substantial number of attendees. If planning to go on your own, you do not need to contact us. For additional information, please contact Liza at 416-951-8770 or spywildfield@gmail.com.



THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DINNER DANCE

Saturday, March 17, 2018 (Feast of St. Patrick's) At DA VINCI BANQUET HALL. Tickets will go on sale next week. To reserve yours, please call MICHELINA MORELLI at 905-230-1544 or ROSE MERCURI at 647-960-7673. Looking forward to seeing everyone there.

Tickets: \$80 adults and \$40 for children under 12

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Due to health reasons, our Grand Knight GAETANO TURCAROLO will be unable to continue his mandate at this time. We thank Gaetano with all our hearts for his work and commitment over many years of service and we pray for a speedy recovery. Our present Deputy Grand Knight, ENRICO PETRUCCI now steps in to continue the work and mission of the Knights of Columbus as our new Grand Knight. Blessings on this group and our utmost gratitude for all that the Knights have accomplished in our parish over the decades.



THIS YEAR'S SEDER MEAL

Once again, our parish will hold a Seder Meal (the Passover / Last Supper Meal) on **Monday of Holy Week, March 26, at 7 pm** at Caesar Banquet Hall. Tickets like last year (\$35 for adults and \$15 for children). TICKETS NOW ON SALE, PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO RESERVE YOURS.

SIGN UP SUNDAYS

February 24 & 25 and March 3 & 4

WE NEED YOUR HELP! Cardinal Collins and bishops across Ontario are asking for an email address from every Catholic family in their community, with a goal of 100,000 email addresses collected by the end of February 2018. This information will be used locally by Cardinal Collins and trusted faith partners to communicate periodically (approximately 6-8 times each year) on issues of particular importance for the Catholic community. The first campaign of 2018 is the Call for Conscience, inviting our elected Members of Provincial Parliament (MPPs) and those seeking office this June to increase funding/access to palliative care, to protect health care workers wishing to abstain from any involvement in euthanasia/assisted suicide and to protect faith-based facilities from participation in euthanasia/assisted suicide. The work builds on a similar campaign in 2017. Please visit http://bit.ly/SignUpSundayRegistration to register yourself for this initiative. Thank you for living a faith that acts!



