

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

## SECONDARY SCHOOL:

Cardinal Ambrozic (905) 913-2989

## SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 p.m. English  
Sunday 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 2, 2020**  
**The Presentation of the Lord**

**Mass  for Intentions  Week**

**Saturday, February 1, 2020**

8:30 am For new church building  
 5:00 pm Francesco Giannetti  
 Carmela Monaco / Angela Contestabile

**Sunday, February 2, 2020 - Presentation of the Lord**

8:30 am For vocations to religious life  
 10:00 am For needs of all parishioners  
 11:30 am Antonietta Noviello  
 Giuseppe Colavita  
 Antonio Satino  
 Francesco Fiorucci  
 Ida Del Gobbo

**Monday, February 3, 2020**

8:30 am Deborah Ann Turner

**Tuesday, February 4, 2020**

8:00 am Mass at Cardinal Ambrozic High School resumes next week  
 1:00 pm No Mass - Praying the Rosary

**Wednesday, February 5, 2020**

8:30 am Franca Carella

**Thursday, February 6, 2020**

8:30 am Angela Capicco

**First Friday, February 7, 2020**

8:00 am Confession  
 8:30 am Angelo, Carmela & Vincenzo Ciabarro  
 9 am - 6 pm Eucharistic Adoration  
 6:00 pm Confession  
 7:00 pm Mass for Vocations

**Saturday, February 8, 2020**

8:30 am For the sick in the parish  
 12:00 pm **WEDDING**  
 John Robert Petrella & Alicia Rose Rizza  
 5:00 pm Giuseppe Caruso

**Sunday, February 9, 2020**

8:30 am Orlando Infusino  
 10:00 am For all parishioners  
 11:30 am Giacomo Sestito  
 Costantino & Tony Testani  
 Asilio Sibbio  
 Bianca & Elvira Ristagno  
 1:00 pm Maria Helena Melo  
 7:30 pm For all the people



**BOXES OF SUNDAY ENVELOPES FOR 2020**

We thank parishioners who have picked up their envelope boxes for the year 2020. Please note that there are still 140 boxes of envelopes unclaimed. PLEASE DO NOT USE REMAINING ENVELOPES FROM LAST YEAR. Boxes that remain unclaimed by the end of February will be assigned to new families arriving in the parish. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**FROM THE DESK OF FR. VITO**

Greetings parishioners and dear friends of St. Patrick's Church - Wildfield



Today, Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, we are invited to rejoice with Simeon and Anna in the Temple of Jerusalem, as they welcome the Child Jesus accompanied by Mary and Joseph. Our eyes, like theirs, have seen the Salvation of our God. Our eyes, our hearts, our lives, have experienced God's loving touch in all that surrounds us. Let us take the opportunity today, as candles are blessed, to acknowledge that, in the midst of the darkness that we may at times, or perhaps, even often experience, God has sent His Son to bring us joy and hope. Let us reflect that light in what we do, the words we speak, the decisions we make. Let us carry that hope to everyone. Let us bring Jesus to others so that they may also express their joy, and that their eyes may see all that the Lord has done for them.

*With prayerful best wishes,*  
**Fr. Vito**



**OLD BLESSED BRANCHES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS NEEDED TO PREPARE ASHES FOR THE BEGINNING OF LENT**

On Ash Wednesday, February 26, we begin the Season of LENT marked by the sign of the ASHES on our forehead. These Ashes are made by burning blessed palm branches from previous years. If you wish to bring back palm or olive branches from previous years, you may deposit them in the appropriate box placed at the entrance to the church. We will accept your palm branches only up to and including Sunday, February 23.



**COMMUNITY BREAKFAST**  
**Sunday, February 9**

Bring your appetite and your neighbour to the St. Patrick's Church Community Breakfast next Sunday, February 9 **after the 8:30 am and 10:00 am masses.** Served by the Catholic Women's League and Knights of Columbus of our parish, the community breakfast is a great way to meet fellow parishioners, start the day with a great meal and chat about new activities in the church. Donations are welcomed to support CWL and Knights of Columbus charitable activities.



## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Next week, on Tuesday, February 11, we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, and the World Day of Prayer for the Sick. As is our custom, the following SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15 at 10 am, we will celebrate Mass, accompanied by the Sacrament of the ANNOINTING OF THE SICK. Please let others know, and if possible, accompany those who are sick to the celebration. If you know of someone who is ill and is not anywhere close by, please come and pray for them.



## LIFE TEEN

Join us for our next Life Teen Night on **Saturday, February 8th** as we welcome Luis Serrano from FUNDamentals of Play. An evening filled with fun, laughter and team-building activities.



Steubenville Toronto **July 3 - 5, 2020**. Registration is now open for students currently in Grades 8 - 12. To reserve your spot, **please complete the pre-registration form at:**

<https://tinyurl.com/steubenville2020>



## EDGE CAMP 2020 IS BACK AND BIGGER THAN EVER!

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For further info, contact Liza at [spywildfield@gmail.com](mailto:spywildfield@gmail.com)



## FAMILY DAY AT ST. PATRICK'S

On **Monday, February 17**, we celebrate Family Day. At **1:00 pm that afternoon**, we will meet for pizza and a movie in the church hall. Please bring the children on time (all are welcome), so that we may serve the pizza and watch the movie.

*"And this is the great mission of the family; to make room for Jesus, to welcome him in each member: children, husband, wife, grandparents.....Jesus is there. Welcome him there, in order that he grow spiritually in the family."*

Pope Francis



## LABOURING FOR THE STEWARD'S GREAT REWARD

This Sunday we celebrate the feast of the Presentation of the Lord. We reflect on Joseph and Mary taking the child Jesus up to the temple and the prophet Simeon taking the child into his arms. After labouring in the temple for his entire life, Simeon was rewarded with the gift of beholding Christ with his own eyes. The reward of Simeon is the reward awaiting all of Christ's faithful stewards. So when the commitment to our life of stewardship becomes difficult and we're tempted to despair, let us remember the reward of Simeon that awaits the faithful steward. This remembrance should help us increase our labours of love for God and the Church for we know that we are not doing it for any other purpose than unity with God for all eternity. This is the goal of our Christian lives.

For more reflections on stewardship, visit [www.archtoronto.org/stewardship](http://www.archtoronto.org/stewardship)

## AN INVITATION TO PARISHIONERS TO JOIN THE GROUPS MINISTERING IN THE PARISH

Do you wish to find out how you can get involved? What difference you can make, not only to parish life, but also to yourself? Ask how you can help? Call us. Email us. Write a note and place it in the Sunday offering basket.



## Marriage Sunday February 8 & 9, 2020

Marriage Sunday highlights the importance of the sacrament of marriage and complements World Marriage Sunday celebrations that take place across North America.

The Celebration of Marriage Mass will take place on Sunday, February 9, 2020 at St. Isaac Jogues Parish (1148 Finch Avenue, Pickering) at 3:00 pm. Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside over this special Mass where all are welcome to attend and married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows. Please note that everyone wishing to attend is required to register before the deadline of February 4, 2020 to secure a seat. All married couples are invited to attend; however, reserved seating will be available only for couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th and 60+ wedding anniversaries. Non-reserved seating will be provided on a first-come first-served basis to all other married couples, family members, friends and others attending the Mass (doors open at 2 pm).

**"Marriage is a precious sign, for when a man and a woman celebrate the sacrament of marriage, God is, as it were, 'mirrored' in them; he impresses in them his own features and the indelible character of his love. Marriage is the icon of God's love for us."**

From Pope Francis' *Amoris Laetitia*



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