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REGULAR SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	5:00pm	English
Sunday	8:30am	English
Sunday	10:00am	English
Sunday	11:30am	Italian
Sunday	1:00pm	English

WEEKDAY MASSES

The church is closed on Mondays for cleaning and disinfection.

Tuesday	8:30am	English
Wednesday	8:30am	English
Thursday	8:30am	English
Friday	8:30am	English

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 4:00pm to 4:45pm and by appointment as necessary

MARIAN DEVOTION

ROSARY

Sunday and Tuesday to Friday before the 8:30am Mass in the church

Saturday 8:00pm **by conference call**
To join, call **1-587-405-1252**
and use the code **733-93-13**

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday at the 8:30am Mass

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

MARRIAGES

Couples must contact the Parish Office at least one year in advance of the anticipated date. A preparation course is required.

PARISH OFFICE

Rev. Fr. Augusto Menichelli
ADMINISTRATOR

The Parish Secretary will be in the Office Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00am to 1:00pm to welcome people **by appointment only.**

You may contact the Parish Office at any time by phone or e-mail, including setting-up appointments with the Priest.

PARISH GROUPS AND MINISTRIES

Please note: Most meetings and gatherings are suspended at this time.

- Altar Servers
- Building Committee
- Catholic Women's League
- Fundraising Committee
- Italian Prayer Group
- Knights of Columbus
- Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers
- Liturgy of the Word for Children
- Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers)
- Ministry to the Youth and Young Adults
- Parish Finance Council
- Parish Pastoral Council

A NOTE ABOUT COVID-19

Parish churches across the Archdiocese of Toronto are now able to welcome people at full capacity, and physical distancing is no longer required.

Starting **March 21st, 2022**, masks are no longer required while in church. Those who choose to continue wearing masks may do so.

Let us continue to ask for God's blessings while doing our best for the well-being of everyone.

PARISH SCHOOLS

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

St. Patrick's (1907)
11948 The Gore Road
(905) 794 – 0411

Holy Spirit (2005)
25 Bloomsbury Avenue
(905) 794 – 8039

Fr. Francis McSpiritt (2007)
55 Lexington Road
(905) 794 – 5031

Our Lady of Lourdes (2011)
25 Mount Royal Circle
(905) 913 – 1703

St. André Bessette (2013)
25 Riverstone Drive
(905) 913 – 2567

SECONDARY SCHOOL

Cardinal Ambrozic (2009)
10 Castle Oaks Crossing
(905) 913 – 2989

NEW PARISHIONERS

We warmly welcome new members of our parish community.

If you would like to register as parishioners and use a box of donation envelopes, please contact the Parish Office.

SUNDAY, MARCH 27, 2022

4th Sunday of Lent

"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want"

Psalm 23

Mass for Intentions Week

Saturday, March 26, 2022

5:00 pm For peace in Ukraine

Sunday, March 27, 2022

8:30 am Johnny, Anna & Nina Sauro

10:00 am For peace in Ukraine

11:30 am Domenico & Carmela Fiorucci
Serafino & Michelina DelGobo

1:00 pm Mara Vuckovic

Monday, March 28, 2022

8:30 am Church closed for disinfecting

Tuesday, March 29, 2022

8:30 am MaryAnne DiChiara

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

8:30 am Fr. Vito Marziliano

Thursday, March 31, 2022

8:30 am Vincenzo, Rosaria & Antonio Caseiro
Fr. Vito Marziliano

Friday, April 1, 2022

8:30 am Domenico Torresan

Saturday, April 2, 2022

5:00 pm Giuseppe Cammalleri

Sunday, April 3, 2022

8:30 am Antonio Leite
Domenic, Michael & Archangela Sauro

10:00 am Battista Altobello

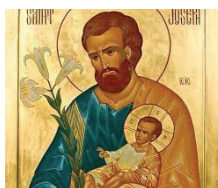
11:30 am Giuseppe & Antonio Colavita
Armando, Alfredo & Carolina Pietrangelo

1:00 pm John Cabral
Intentions of Maria & Neil Cabral
Mara & Ivan Vuckovic

50th Anniversary

Carmela & Peppino Godino

ST. JOSEPH ICON HOSTED AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH March 26 & 27 weekend masses

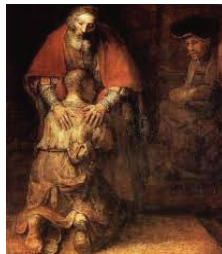


The Knights of Columbus will be hosting the blessed St. Joseph icon at St. Patrick's Church during this weekend's masses. This blessed icon has been shared with other churches in devotion of St. Joseph to inspire all to put faith

into action. The icon provides a window into the life and mission of this courageous father, a man who was one of us and yet called to a mission of incomparable significance. **We will reflect on the icon at each mass with a special prayer in honour of St. Joseph.**



APPROACHING THE MERCY OF GOD



This Sunday we are invited to reflect on the beautiful parable of the prodigal son. This parable offers us an insight into the unfathomable depths of God's mercy. We are also given an example of the prodigal son to imitate. He teaches us that whenever we fall, we too need to

recognize our sin, get up and approach our merciful and loving Father. However, we may at times find it difficult to accept just how generously God bestows His mercy on those who seek Him. We may have the notion that God is out to punish those who commit sin. However, there is one particularly beautiful line in the parable this Sunday that can help us ease those fears. It says that "while [the son] was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him." The beauty in this passage is that the father saw the son "while he was still far off." This means that he must've spent time each day looking out at the horizon, eagerly and lovingly waiting for his son to return. Not only does he see him, he then runs and embraces his son even though he was dirty and smelled like pigs. As stewards, we shouldn't fear approaching God for His mercy and forgiveness for He longs to grant it to us.

Across the Archdiocese, every parish will host a Lenten Day of Reconciliation in which many priests will be available for the sacrament of Confession. Let us take advantage of this beautiful opportunity for healing and prepare ourselves for the Risen Lord at Easter.

(www.archtoronto.org/stewardship)

CONFESSIONS DURING LENT

As you prepare for Confession this Lent, ask Jesus to help you see where he is calling you to conversion. Jesus will meet you there.



Saturday afternoons

4:00 pm to 4:45pm

(followed by the 5:00 pm Mass)

Friday, April 1st

9:30 to 11:00 am

6:00 to 8:00 pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT



As a parish community, we gather to pray the Stations of the Cross communally **on Wednesday evenings during Lent at 7:00 pm (in Italian)** and on **Friday mornings during Lent at 9:00 am following the 8:30 am mass (in English)**. Please join us.

SACRAMENTS GROUP "Registered in Spring 2021"



Families preparing for First Communion and Confirmation have received e-mails regarding celebration dates with instructions on how to sign-up for your celebration.

Please check your junk/spam folders if you do not find the message in your inbox.

All are reminded that participation at Sunday Mass is the most important part of your preparation for the sacraments.

SACRAMENTS FOR THOSE CURRENTLY IN GRADES 2 AND 7

Registration for First Communion (Grade 2 and older) and Confirmation (Grade 7 and older) **are now open until March 31st**.

Registration is online through our website at <http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/sacraments>.

LIVING THE GOSPEL BY SUPPORTING SHARELIFE



"Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal of \$13.8 million. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part."

Cardinal Thomas Collins

THIS WEEKEND IS SHARELIFE SUNDAY.

Please give generously during the special collection this weekend or at www.sharelife.org.

"It is not enough to say we are Christians. We must live the faith, not only with our words, but with our actions."

Pope Francis

AID FOR UKRAINE



Please consider making a donation to help Ukrainians who are beset by violence in Eastern Europe and to help some of them find a new home in Canada.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: Name of Parish – Ukrainian Relief – Humanitarian Relief

Please continue to pray for the Ukrainian people and all those who suffer under the human tragedy of war. Thank you for your continued assistance.

FREE WEBINAR!!!

ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

Saturday, April 9, 2022 at 9:00 am

Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation.

The Archdiocese of Toronto estate planning team & Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services will share:

- ▶ How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- ▶ How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- ▶ About Powers of Attorney
- ▶ Estate Trustee selection
- ▶ Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- ▶ Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral

To register, send us an email to: development@archtoronto.org.

Please include **'webinar April 9'** in the subject line and provide your name in the body of a message. Also, we would be grateful if, for the sake of our statistics, you could let us know whether you are planning to watch this webinar alone or together with a family member.

You will receive a link to the webinar on April 4th, and in a couple of reminders closer to the date of the presentation.

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