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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

All weekday Masses are in English.

Monday	8:30am
Tuesday	8:30am & 7:00pm
Wednesday	8:30am & 7:00pm
Thursday	8:30am & 7:00pm
Friday	8:30am
Saturday	9:00am

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday	4:00pm to 4:45pm
Wednesday	6:00pm to 6:45pm

and by appointment

MARIAN DEVOTION

ROSARY

Sunday to Friday
before the 8:30am Mass

Saturday
before the 9:00am Mass

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

At the Wednesday Masses

BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

A preparation session may be required.

MARRIAGE

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

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A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SINCE 1830

5 MARCH 2023
2ND SUNDAY OF LENT (A)

MASS INTENTIONS



SATURDAY 4 March

5:00pm Onorio, Letizia & Maria Iacobelli

SUNDAY 5 March

8:30am PRO POPULO

10:00am Nicodemo Lomabrdo

11:30am Giuseppe & Antonio Colavita

1:00pm John, Maria & Neil Cabral

MONDAY 6 March

8:30am Joseph Virginia

TUESDAY 7 March

8:30am Fr Mario Bellinaso

7:00pm Open Intention

WEDNESDAY 8 March

8:30am Open Intention

7:00pm Open Intention

THURSDAY 9 March

8:30am Open Intention

7:00pm For the Holy Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY 10 March

8:30am Open Intention

7:30pm Open Intention

SATURDAY 11 March

9:00am Open Intention

5:00pm Bruno & Elda Rocca

SUNDAY 12 March

8:30am Maria & Joseph Casacalenda

10:00am PRO POPULO

11:30am Costantino & Tony Testani

1:00pm Maria Gismondi

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

<http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/sacraments>



FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATIONS

Families should now be working on their *Called to His Supper* book. They should also be in the process of “booking” the time for the celebration of first Confessions in April.



CONFIRMATION PREPARATIONS

The next session for Candidates will be on **Saturday 25 March 2023**. Families should also be “booking” their Confession time in May.

AROUND OUR PARISH



SAINT PATRICK'S COMMUNITY DINNER DANCE

TICKETS ON SALE NOW

FRIDAY 17 MARCH 2023

Caesar's Centre (Bolton)

6:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

\$50 Adults | \$40 Children under 12

For tickets call the parish office or Carmela 905 794 0793



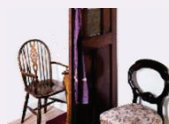
LENT 2023 AT ST PATRICK'S

<http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/LENT>



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12:00 p.m.



THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

- **Wednesdays** from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
- **Saturdays** from 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Day of Confessions on Wednesday 22 March 2023

- 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. *Note that Confessions will be heard in the hall during the 7:00 p.m. Mass.*

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

- **Italian** on Wednesdays after the 7:00 p.m. Mass
- **English** on Fridays at 7:00 p.m., followed by Mass at 7:30 p.m. (*except on St. Patrick's Day*)



Pilgrimage to the Fatima Shrine in Youngstown, NY

Sunday 7 May 2023 | 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.



Led by Fr Geremia with Msgr Owen Keenan. *A valid Canadian Passport and proof of vaccination is required.* Contact Olimpia Antenucci (905) 794-1244 for further information.



EARLY CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE PROGRAM

Parents of young children are invited to join us for our new Early Catholic Family Life Program here at St Patrick's Parish.

ECFL is an 8-session program designed to engage and connect young families (with children 0-6 years old) and to foster a culture of faith in the home in the earliest stages of family life.

What does ECFL do?

1. Helps parents become intentional in passing down their faith to their children
2. Meets families where they are at
3. Fills the gap between Baptism and First Holy Communion
4. Connects Catholic parents with their peers
5. Strengthens community
6. Connects young families with the parish

Feel free to read a testimonial from the archdiocesan blog, watch the introductory video (bit.ly/ECFLIntroVideo).

We will meet in the Parish Hall **each Saturday morning from 25 March through 13 May, following the 9:00am Mass.**

Daycare for young children is provided. Snacks for children are provided (although parents are encouraged to provide for any particular dietary specifics for their children).

For information and registration, please email our Family Team at: StPatECFL@gmail.com



PARISH PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Are you an engineer? Painter?
Electrician? Plumber? Contractor?

In order to maintain our buildings and property, ensure the safety of parishioners and all visitors, and to enhance what has been entrusted to us, we need the help of capable and skilled parishioners. St Patrick's Parish Property Committee is looking for anyone with a trade or a skill that may be useful from time to time with specific projects that need to be done. Please email Monsignor Owen (okeenan@archtoronto.org) if you are able to assist or are interested in offering your time and talent to maintain and improve our property. Thank you for your participation!

*With outstretched arms God begs us
to become the servants of love,
first for ourselves,
then for our neighbours.*

SAINT PETER DAMIAN



A NOTE ABOUT TEACHER APPLICATIONS AND PASTORAL REFERENCES

Dear prospective teachers / Parents of prospective teachers,

Thank you for your interest in teaching and leading the next generation of students through Catholic education. Your decision to form the minds, hearts and souls of our youth is valued and of utmost importance.

Because our Catholic schools exist not just to impart knowledge but to instill students with wisdom and love, we must do everything we can to ensure the teachers that are hired are as qualified as possible, above all in the matters of the Faith. St Pope Paul VI notes, "Modern man listens more willingly to witnesses than to teachers, and if he does listen to teachers, it is because they are witnesses" (Evangelii Nuntiandi, #41).

To this end, anyone wishing to receive a Pastoral Reference Letter as part of their application for employment in a Catholic school board must be known to the pastor here by their regular attendance at Sunday Mass (*i.e.* weekly). To those who are going away for teacher's college, a letter may be obtained from the pastor of the church where you go to school. If you are the parent of a student away at teachers' college, kindly ensure that your child knows that reference letters can only be given to those who are actively involved in the life of this parish.

Please pray for all involved in the wonderful work of Catholic education.



CATHOLIC WOMENS' LEAGUE GENERAL MEETING

Current, new, and potential members of the CWL are invited to attend the next General Meeting which will be on **Monday 6 March 2023 at 7:00pm** in the parish hall. Come for an evening of fellowship as we celebrate our patron St. Patrick and learn a new skill and create beautiful art. Zentangle is a method of creating beautiful images from repetitive patterns. It is a fascinating art form that is fun and relaxing. It increases focus and creativity. Zentangle has been linked to providing artistic satisfaction and well being. Supplies will be provided.



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