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SAINT PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, WILDFIELD

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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

Wednesday 8:30am & 7:00pm

Thursday 8:30am Friday 8:30am Saturday 9:00am

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 4:00pm to 4:45pm Wednesday 6:30pm to 7:00pm 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 morning Mass

BAPTISM

Please speak to the priests after Sunday Mass to begin making arrangements.

MARRIAGE

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

PARISH OFFICE

Rev. Msgr Owen Keenan

PASTOR

okeenan@archtoronto.org

Rev. Fr Fraser McLaren

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

fmclaren@archtoronto.org

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday, from 9:00am to 4:00pm

You may contact the Parish Office by phone or e-mail to leave messages with inquiries.

PARISH GROUPS AND MINISTRIES

Altar Servers

Catholic Women's League

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

Liturgy of the Word for Children

Ministry to Youth and Young Adults

Music Ministry (Choirs)

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

The Parish has a number of groups and services for your spiritual, material, and inspirational needs. Please contact the Office or speak to Monsignor directly if you would like to volunteer or be involved.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We warmly welcome new members of our parish community.

If you would like to register as parishioners, please contact the Parish Office.

PARISH SCHOOLS

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Saint Patrick's (Established 1907) 11948 The Gore Road (905) 794 – 0411

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

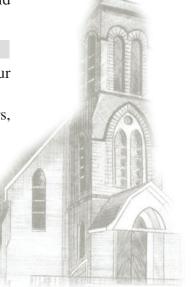
Father Francis McSpiritt (Opened 2007) 55 Lexington Road (905) 794 – 5031

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

Saint André Bessette (Opened 2013) 25 Riverstone Drive (905) 913 – 2567

SECONDARY SCHOOL

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



1 SEPTEMBER 2024

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

The Father gave us birth by His message of truth. (James 1:18)

MASS INTENTIONS



SATURDAY 31 August 5:00 p.m. Antonio Reda

1 September **SUNDAY** Pro Populo 8:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Teresa Baldesarra

11:30 a.m. Giuseppe & Antonio Colavita 1:00 p.m. Ermelinda & Giuseppe Rizzetto

MONDAY 2 September 8:30 a.m. Open Intention 3 September **TUESDAY** Open Intention 8:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY 4 September

8:30 a.m. Joseph Raso 7:00 p.m. Diego Failla

5 September **THURSDAY** Open Intention 8:30 a.m.

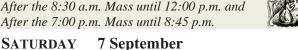
FRIDAY 6 September FIRST FRIDAY

8:30 a.m. Open Intention Rafaelle & Fiora Reda 7:00 p.m.

Deceased members of the Reda Family

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR FIRST FRIDAY After the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12:00 p.m. and

After the 7:00 p.m. Mass until 8:45 p.m.



Open Intention 9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. Michele Giannetti **SUNDAY** 8 September 8:30 a.m. Benito Primiani Giovanni Scarchilli 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. Domenico Defrancesco 1:00 p.m. PRO POPULO

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION



FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION PREPARATION: **UPDATE FOR PARENTS**

It is common practice in the Archdiocese of Toronto that children in Grade 2 become eligible for First Communion and those in Grade 7 become eligible for Confirmation.

Families with children entering Grade 2 or 7 in September 2024 (or older children who have yet to receive these Sacraments), are asked to prepare a copy of the children's Baptism certificate, available from the church where they were baptized. This will be a requirement for registrations in Fall 2024. Families with children baptized here at Saint Patrick's, Wildfield do not need to provide a copy of the certificate.

Families are also reminded that the Sacraments should be celebrated at the parish church that they regularly attend on Sundays, regardless of which parish their child's school is connected.

The initial Information Meeting for parents are scheduled on the following days here at the church:

- Wednesday 25 September 2024 For families with children at Saint Patrick's, Holy Spirit, and Saint André Bessette Schools
- Thursday 26 September 2024 For families with chilren at Our Lady of Lourdes, Father Francis McSpiritt, and All Other Schools

The meetings will begin with Mass at 7:00 p.m. with the formal meeting to follow after Mass. Registration forms will be handed out at these meetings.

Families can now view the preparation dates as well as the tentative celebration dates on our website. Regular updates can be found on our parish website http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/sacraments and are also included in the bulletin throughout the year.

AROUND OUR PARISH



SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR ANNUAL Loaves & Fishes Gala

for the building of our new church

FRIDAY 25 OCTOBER 2024

La Primavera Event Space, Woodbridge

Ticketing information will be announced in the coming months

our parish at http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/NewChurch for more information about our Campaign for the new church

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

The RCIA Program is for adults who wish to become full members of the Catholic Church. These could either be:

- adults who have never been Baptized;
- •individuals baptized in another Christian denomination who now wish to be Catholic;
- adult Catholics who have yet to be Confirmed or receive the Eucharist for the first time

The RCIA Program runs from Fall 2024 to Spring 2025, with the celebration of the Sacraments happening on Holy Saturday Night (19 April 2025).

Individuals who are interested in joining the RCIA Program are asked to contact the parish office, or speak to one of our priests after Mass on Sunday.



Simply visit http://formed.org/signup (or scan the QR code) to create a FREE account! Search for "St Patrick Brampton" in the list of parishes then provide your name and e-mail address. You will then have free and full access to the catalogue of videos and resources.



RESUMING THE WEEKEND OF 21/22 SEPTEMBER at the 5:00 p.m., 10:00 a.m., and 1:00 p.m. Masses

The Children's Liturgy of the Word is a great way for kids from Grades 1 to 5 to engage with the Sunday Readings at their level. **We're looking for more volunteers** to help us run this ministry. Minimal training is required and you will be guided every step of the way! Adult volunteers are welcome, as well as high school volunteers. To learn more send an email to **StPatCL@gmail.com** and a member of the Children's Liturgy Team will respond to you.



CATHOLIC WOMENS' LEAGUE GENERAL MEETING Monday 9 September 2024 • 7:00 p.m.

The evening will include the presentation of service awards. Current, new, and potential members of the CWL are invited to attend this gathering!



BECOMING A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

THE VISION OF MAN FULLY ALIVE

Saturday mornings beginning 28 September 2024 from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

'That Man is You!' is an interactive men's program focused on the development of male leadership in the modern world. It combines the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of authentic men capable of transforming themselves, their families, and greater society. Visit http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/TMIY to view promotional videos about the program. For more information, please email StPats.TMIY@gmail.com or contact Alejandro Serrano at (416) 312-1653.



COMBATTING HUNGER AROUND US

Recognizing the daily struggles that many families face to put food on their tables, the Catholic community is once again stepping forward to address this critical need. Through ShareLife, the Archdiocese of Toronto, together with a generous anonymous donor, are committing \$750,000 to address the hunger crisis through Food Security Grants. The grants will be available across the Archdiocese through the Saint Vincent de Paul Society and other community food programs ran by local agencies.

Donations to ShareLife continue to be welcome any time online at http://ShareLife.org/donate or by using a ShareLife envelope found at the back of the church.

\$**35,651**

AMOUNT COLLECTED AS OF 27 AUGUST 2024 (89.1% of our Parish Goal of \$40,000)

ACROSS THE ARCHDIOCESE





ILLUMINATING THE SOUL WITH SONG Saturday 21 September 2024 ■ 7:00 p.m. Westminster United Church, Orangeville

Experience a selection of pop, classical, and sacred music as performed by local musical talents. Tickets are \$22 each and are available by sending an e-mail to mariac99@rogers.com or by calling Cathy at (519) 939-6506.

A note from the organizers: For each ticket purchased from the Saint Patrick's Parish community, a \$10 donation will be made to the building fund for the new church.



The Rosary Apostolate



The Rosary Apostolate is a ministry of evangelization through prayer. Volunteers are needed to participate in this important mission of teaching children in grades 1 through 8, the Rosary and devotion to Mary, Our Blessed Mother. Volunteers will be provided with training and given materials to support them in making a monthly visit for a total of 8 visits per year from October to May to pray the Rosary with students in Catholic schools particularly in Bolton and Caledon. For more information please contact Lorraine Marchione by e-mail at lorraine.march@outlook.com or by phone at (416) 570-3387.





CHAPLAINCY CONNECT

Are you a university or college student? This school year, open your heart to an exciting journey of spiritual growth and community. Join campus ministry to grow deeper in your faith, form lasting friendships and experience university/college life in a more meaningful way. Connect with campus ministry anywhere in Canada and find your Catholic home on campus! visit http://ChaplaincyConnect.ca or scan the QR code for more information.



MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, Mississauga Friday 20 to Sunday 22 September 2024

Where are you in your marriage journey? Every marriage could use a boost. Learn easy to use communication tools to help enhance your relationship. You will be guided through practical and private exercises to refresh your wedding vows and to spark up your romance. For more information including registration, please e-mail christian.elizabeth.arroba@wwme.org or call (416) 554-4439.



MARTYRS' SHRINE FALL GALA Saturday 21 September 2024 Brooklea Golf & Country Club, Midland

Martyrs' Shrine has served millions of pilgrim visitors since its opening in 1926. As its 100th anniversary approaches, Martyrs' Shrine is announcing the launch of a campaign for the revitalization of the Shrine church and property. The Fall Gala is one of several major events preparing for the centennial taking place over 2025-2026. Visit https://martyrs-shrine.com/fall-gala For more information and to purchase tickets.

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