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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  
Sunday\* 3:00pm Urdu  
3rd Sunday of every month only

### 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 6:30pm 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 one of 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

ssvpwildfield@gmail.com

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 McSpirtt

(Opened 2007)

55 Lexington Road

(905) 794 – 5031

Our Lady of Lourdes

(Opened 2011)

25 Mount Royal Circle

(905) 913 – 1703

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(Opened 2013)

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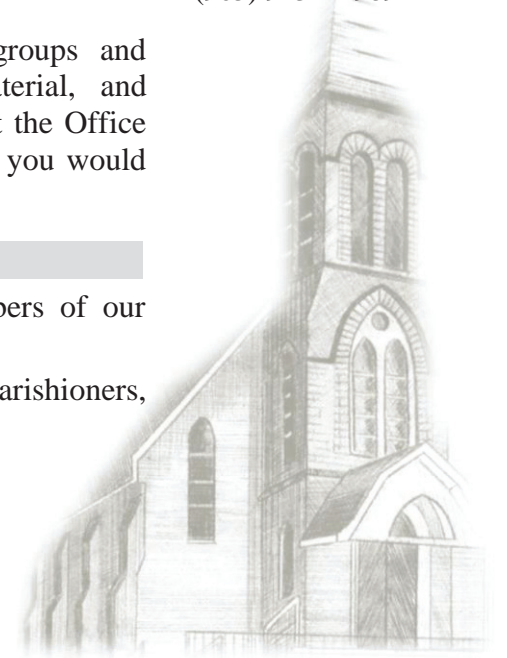
### SECONDARY SCHOOL

Cardinal Ambroic

(Opened 2009)

10 Castle Oaks Crossing

(905) 913 – 2989



A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SINCE 1830

# 26 JANUARY 2025

## 3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

The Lord sent me to bring good news to the poor and freedom to prisoners. (Luke 4:18-19)



### MASS INTENTIONS



#### SATURDAY 25 January

5:00 p.m. PRO POPULO

#### SUNDAY 26 January

8:30 a.m. Mario & Michela Buizzeo  
10:00 a.m. Igino Durante, Maria Di Gregorio  
11:30 a.m. Cathy Ricciuto, Fiore Isabella  
1:00 p.m. Arduino Ceccarelli

#### MONDAY 27 January

8:30 a.m. Open Intention

#### TUESDAY 28 January

8:30 a.m. Lourdes Yonzon  
7:00 p.m. Margaretha Hentch

#### WEDNESDAY 29 January

8:30 a.m. Astarie Eloundou  
7:00 p.m. Angela Greco

#### THURSDAY 30 January

8:30 a.m. Open Intention  
7:00 p.m. Sebastian Visanthi

#### FRIDAY 31 January

8:30 a.m. •Luisa Casquilho  
•Rosina & Giovanni Ricciuto  
•For all who work with youth

#### SATURDAY 1 February

9:00 a.m. Open Intention  
5:00 p.m. PRO POPULO

#### SUNDAY 2 February

8:30 a.m. Genoveffa & Roberto Altobelli  
10:00 a.m. Giuseppe & Antonio Colavita  
11:30 a.m. Diego Failla  
1:00 p.m. Angela Zubac

### FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

1/2 February 2025

The Mass on the Feast of the Presentation (known as *Candlemas*) begins with the traditional blessing of candles. Parishioners are invited to bring candles to be blessed at the Masses next weekend.



### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

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



### UPDATE FOR CONFIRMATION PREPARATIONS

Next Session: Saturday 8 February 2025

Candidates and parents should be in the process of completing the work assigned at Session 4 (along with any missed work from Sessions 1, 2, and 3), to be checked and submitted at the next session.



### UPDATE FOR FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATIONS

Next Session: Saturday 22 February 2025

Parents should be working on the learning component given out at the previous session. This is to be collected at the next session.

### AROUND OUR PARISH



SAVE THE DATE!



ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, WILDFIELD  
**3rd Annual Spaghetti O'Dinner**  
ST PATRICK'S DAY DINNER DANCE

Sunday 16 March 2025 ■ 2:00 p.m.  
Caesar's Centre

12495 Highway 50, Bolton

Stay tuned for information on ticket purchases!



**REVEREND FRANCIS MCSPIRITT**  
NATIVE OF COUNTY CAVAN IRELAND  
ORDAINED AT ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL TORONTO  
29 JANUARY 1865

### CELEBRATING FATHER MAC'S ANNIVERSARY

On 29 January each year, our parish community marks the anniversary of the ordination of Father Francis McSpirtt to the priesthood. This year marks the 160th Anniversary of the occasion. We invite parishioners to mark this day with a special prayer.

There will be a Mass with the community of Father Francis McSpirtt School at 1:15 p.m. in the school gym on that day.



### A PRAYER FOR HEALING

Loving God,

You called Father Francis McSpirtt to reach out to the sick and to express to them Your loving care and compassion.

We pray that, by imitating the example of his faith, many who suffer in body, mind, and spirit may experience relief from their pain, consolation in their struggle, and strength in their journey.

We make our prayer in the name of Jesus, Your Son and our Saviour.  
Amen.



ST PATRICK'S YOUTH MINISTRY

<http://StPatricksBR.archtoronto.org/youth>  
youth.StPatricksBR@gmail.com  
@youth.StPatricksBR

The next Youth Night is on Saturday 1 February 2025.

Our youth group is open to everyone in Grade 6 and up. For more information, please visit our website, or you may contact the Youth Ministry Team by e-mail.

*Students preparing for Confirmation are highly encouraged to participate in the activities of our Youth Ministry!*



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.

ST PATRICK'S CHILDREN'S  
LITURGY MINISTRY



**LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN**  
at the 5:00 p.m. Saturday Mass as well as  
at the 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Sunday Masses

*We continue to encourage children preparing for first Communion to take advantage of this ministry.*

**We're still 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 youth volunteers in Grade 11 and above. To learn more, send an email to [StPatCL@gmail.com](mailto:StPatCL@gmail.com) and a member of the Children's Liturgy Team will respond to you.



We will resume our community Rosary by conference call on a once-a-month basis, at 8:00 p.m. on the last Saturday of every month, beginning on 22 February 2025. To join the call simply dial the toll-free number **1-587-405-1252** and use the code **733 93 13**.

*Note about the conference call: In the vast majority of cases these will be considered “local outgoing,” and should be free of charge. However, some phone plans – especially those with a monthly limit of calling minutes – may be subject to additional fees from your service provider. Please check with your phone service provider for details if toll-free numbers are accessible to you with no additional fees.*

The Rosary is also prayed in the church before the first Mass of each day: Sunday to Friday at 8:00 a.m., and Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

**ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS ON OUR BULLETIN**

Liturgical Publications is in the process of putting together the advertising contracts for the next yearly cycle which begins in April 2025. If you wish to place an ad for your business on the back our our weekly bulletin, please contact them directly by calling **(905) 624-4422**.

**ACROSS THE ARCHDIOCESE**



During Jubilee Years, the Church invites the faithful to rediscover the gift of **indulgences**. These are concrete manifestations of God's mercy that surpasses and transforms the limits of human justice. The *Catechism* defines indulgences as the “remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven” (paragraph 1471). They allow the faithful believer to free their heart from the burden of sin and to experience the profound mercy of God.

Indulgences are granted, either on a plenary (full) or partial basis, to the Christian faithful who take up certain meritorious works accompanied by usual conditions: complete detachment from sin, reception of the Eucharist at Mass on the day of the meritorious work, celebration of Confession within a couple of weeks (roughly 20 days) of the meritorious work, and prayers for the intentions of the Pope. During Jubilee Years, a plenary indulgence (under the usual conditions) is granted to all who make a pilgrimage through the Holy Doors of each of the Papal Basilicas in Rome. During this Jubilee Year, pilgrimage churches are designated in each diocese for those who are not able to make the trip to Rome.

The Holy Doors of Saint Peter's Basilica at the Vatican are open until 6 January 2026. Jubilee celebrations are observed around the world until 28 December 2025.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto, several churches have been designated as pilgrimage sites for the duration of the Jubilee, including:

- Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica, Toronto
- Saint Paul's Basilica, Toronto
- Martyrs' Shrine, Midland
- Saint Padre Pio, Kleinburg
- Saint Mary's, Brampton

Visit <http://archtoronto.org/jubilee> for resources across the Archdiocese. Further information will be forthcoming regarding pilgrimage opportunities in 2025 as well as information relating to plenary indulgences as part of pilgrimages during the Jubilee Year.



**REGIONAL CELEBRATIONS WITH  
HIS EMINENCE FRANK CARDINAL LEO**

The Archdiocese of Toronto continues to celebrate in thanksgiving for the elevation our archbishop to the College of Cardinals.

His Eminence will preside at Masses to be celebrated at Saint Mary's, Brampton on Wednesday 29 January 2025 at 7:00 p.m. and at Saint Padre Pio, Kleinburg on Tuesday 4 February 2025 at 7:00 p.m.



WebFeb01

**ESTATE PLANNING  
FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE**  
presented by the Archdiocesan Development Office  
Saturday 1 February 2025 ■ 9:00 a.m.

Join this webinar to find out how you can avoid problems with your will, powers of attorney, and selecting the right estate trustee. Create your personal Catholic legacy in line with Church teaching and traditions surrounding cremation, burials, and funerals.

Visit <http://qrco.de/WebFeb01> or send an e-mail to [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org) to register for this web presentation. You may also scan the QR code using the camera app on your phone to be taken to the registration page.

**HEALING AFTER ABORTION**

**Immersing yourself in the ocean of God's Mercy  
with the Sisters of Life**

A “Day of Prayer and Healing” offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the wound of abortion. Upcoming dates are 8 February and 5 April (both Saturdays).

For more details, locations, and confidential registration, or to simply talk to a Sister, please e-mail the Sisters of Life at [toronto@sistersoflife.org](mailto:toronto@sistersoflife.org) or call **(416) 463-2722**.

*A Celebration of Marriage*  
in the Archdiocese of Toronto

**MARRIAGE SUNDAY ■ Sunday 9 February 2025**

Bishop Ivan Camilleri will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2024. **The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday 9 February 2025 at Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica.** All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. The Mass will be live streamed on the Cathedral's website and YouTube page.

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