



Weekly Bulletin

Parish Mission Statement:

We are God's Instruments who strive to grow by sharing and nurturing our joint commitment to Christ's message of love. And by committing ourselves to serve the needs of the parish as stewards for the sake of God's kingdom.

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Masses

Monday to Saturday - 9:30 am

Saturday - 5:30 pm (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday - 7:45 am, 9:00 am (Italian)
10:30 am, 12 noon &
7:00 pm (English)

Office Hours

Monday to Friday
9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sacrament of Baptism: Please contact the parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage: Contact the Office 1 year in advance.

Sacrament of Penance: Every Saturday 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm

Schools

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"Please remember us in your will"

PENTECOST SUNDAY (YEAR C)

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of Christ and is the divine Person who spreads in the world the possibility of imitating Christ, giving Christ to the world and making him live in us. In the teaching and work of Christ, nothing is more essential than forgiveness. He proclaimed the future kingdom of the Father as a kingdom of merciful love. On the cross, with his perfect sacrifice, he atoned for our sins, thus making mercy and love triumph through - and not against - justice and order. In his paschal victory, he brought everything to completion. For this reason, the Father is pleased to pour out, through the Son, the Spirit of forgiveness. In the Church of the apostles, forgiveness is offered through the sacraments of baptism and reconciliation and in the gestures of Christian life. God has conferred great authority on his people by establishing that salvation be granted to men through the Church!

MARY AT PENTECOST

At the Pentecost, Mary prays with the first community. She, the teacher of prayer, always docile to the soft voice of the Paraclete, teaches the disciples to be confident in awaiting the Gift that comes from on high: the Spirit promised by Jesus as a fruit of His death and resurrection. Just as in the Incarnation the Spirit had formed in her virginal womb the physical body of Christ, likewise, in the Cenacle the Spirit comes to give life to His Mystical Body. Mary has already experienced the working of the Holy Spirit; it was due to His creative power that She could become a virginal mother. But "It was appropriate that the first outpouring of the Spirit upon her, which had happened in view of her divine motherhood, should be repeated and reinforced. Indeed, at the foot of the Cross Mary was entrusted with a new motherhood, which concerned Jesus' disciples. It was precisely this mission that demanded a renewed gift of the Spirit. The Blessed Virgin therefore wanted it for the fruitfulness of her spiritual motherhood.

<https://www.homeofthemothers.org/en/resources/virgin-mary/new-t/5397-pentecost>

PILGRIMS OF HOPE

"I beg you with all the energy of my heart not to be afraid of your past failings, but rather to let the memory of them lead you to a greater self-knowledge and humility before the Lord and, at the same time, encourage you to trust all the more in our heavenly father who is always so ready to welcome, forgive, and help us". From the writings of Venerable Bruno Lanteri

HEALING THE SOUL

Back by demand, our parish is holding another general session of deliverance, healing, and blessing followed by the Holy Eucharist Mass on Friday, July 18th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm. If you are looking for assistance in understanding and/or to become free of disturbances of spiritual order (attacks of evil spirits), please come to this session.



CONFIRMATION CEREMONY

Congratulations to the Confirmandi who received the gift of the Holy Spirit from our pastor Fr. Carlos Sierra Tobon on Saturday, June 7th. May God Bless you all and may the Holy Spirit guide each one of you in your faith formation. Thank you to the catechists and volunteers in guiding the students in their spiritual growth; your dedication and commitment are a blessing to our church and faith community.



WEDDING BANN

THERE IS A PROMISE OF MARRIAGE BETWEEN:

Jordan Vercillo & Victoria Marcoccia

"So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate."

SHARELIFE

Thus far we have raised \$50,444.10 toward our goal of \$74,000.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. **This Sunday is the Third ShareLife Sunday.** Please help us meet our goal.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Theresa Burns, Noemy Pereira, Clint Viegas, Lisa Petriglia, Samuel Cordeiro, Arthur Ruston, Raphael Colaco, Gianfranco, Roman J. Zakrajse, Phyllis C., Teresa Pirrello, William Bennett Margaret Speciale, Joe Simardone, Margaret Ramjattan, Rosa Natale, Christina Vitale, Karen Radechzy, Gary Cullum Katherine Idzik, Domenico Loprevite, Ramon Ortiz, Manuel Uy Jane Delgado, Bernice DeGrace, Diana, Joseph Borgerding, Leo Bombardieri, Feliciano Ventura, Diana, Domenica Fantini, Ian Pinto, Ivy D'Souza

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

SSVDP received a total of \$1,365.50 in donations for the month of May. Thank you for your generosity.

SPECIAL COLECCION: MARYGROVE CAMP

JUNE 14th/15th

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Toronto Central Council, helps over 1,000 girls each summer, registering eligible campers through home visits. Marygrove Camp is a residential camp situated on Georgian Bay in Ontario, open to eligible girls ages 5-13. Marygrove provides a camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy a camping adventure. Families who are experiencing financial or domestic hardship may contact the Society directly to determine their eligibility. Special marked envelopes are available by the entrance of our church. We welcome your support. Thank you.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The regular collection for last week was \$7,161.00. We are grateful to our parishioners for your donation and support to our parish.



FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

On Friday, June 13th we will have a special bilingual Mass in honour of St. Anthony at 7:00 p.m. There will be a procession and blessing of the bread followed by coffee in the parish hall.

FILIPINO CANADIAN FRIENDSHIP DINNER & DANCE



We invite you to celebrate our 2nd Annual Filipino Canadian Friendship Dinner and Dance to be held next Saturday, June 14th at 7:00 pm in our parish hall. We will be serving authentic Filipino & Canadian dishes. Help us commemorate a fun night of fellowship and camaraderie. There will be

door prizes, raffle draw, and cash bar. Tickets are \$40.00 per person and are on sale at the parish office.

PILGRIMAGE TO A DESIGNATED JUBILEE PARISH

This year, as the Catholic Church worldwide celebrates a special Jubilee Year, our parish has planned a pilgrimage to a designated Jubilee Parish. Please join us for a special Mass and Confessions at Our Lady of Sorrows (3055 Bloor Street West, Etobicoke, M8X 1C6) on Saturday, July 5th at 10:00 am. We kindly ask that you carpool with your family and friends as there are limited numbers of parking spots.

SUMMER IS AT HAND...

Proper dress attire when attending church: Although the Catholic Church has no real dress code for proper attire when attending Mass, there is an unwritten dress code that demands we are properly dressed out of Respect, Honor, and Reverence for the Real Presence of Our Lord.

The faithful are encouraged to wear any modest fashion that is befitting for the House of God. Please dress for the solemn and sacred celebration of the Holy Mass.

DOMENICA DI PENTECOSTE (ANNO C)

Lo Spirito Santo è lo Spirito di Cristo ed è la Persona divina che diffonde nel mondo la possibilità di imitare Cristo, dando Cristo al mondo e facendolo vivere in noi. Nell'insegnamento e nell'opera di Cristo, nulla è più essenziale del perdono. Egli ha proclamato il regno futuro del Padre come regno dell'amore misericordioso. Sulla croce, col suo sacrificio perfetto, ha espiato i nostri peccati, facendo così trionfare la misericordia e l'amore mediante - e non contro - la giustizia e l'ordine. Nella sua vittoria pasquale, egli ha portato a compimento ogni cosa. Per questo il Padre si compiace di effondere, per mezzo del Figlio, lo Spirito di perdono. Nella Chiesa degli apostoli il perdono viene offerto attraverso i sacramenti del battesimo e della riconciliazione e nei gesti della vita cristiana. Dio ha conferito al suo popolo una grande autorità stabilendo che la salvezza fosse concessa agli uomini per mezzo della Chiesa!

<https://www.lachiesa.it/calendario/20250607.html>



MASS INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday June 8 Pentecost Sunday

- 7:45 am All living & deceased members of our Parish
- 9:00 am †Angela & Emilio Vitale, Thanksgiving Mass in Honour of St. Costanzo
- 10:30 am †Rollin & Lira Mendosa & deceased family members, Special Blessings for Naya Dias, Ronny & Anna George & families, Special Blessings for Deanna Carnevale & Family, Maria Di Marino & Family
- 12:00 pm †Rodolfo Escribano, †Anton Jakovac & deceased family members, †Deceased members of the Birko, Kustec & Prpic Families, †Gregory Francis, †Domenico & Francesco D'Urzo
- 7:00 pm †Gawhara Nalbandian, †Eric Patrao, †Ines & Frank Barbieri, †Vittorio Terzini, †Lisa Terzini
- 8:00 pm Adoration (with ½ hour Meditation)

Monday June 9 The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

- 9:30 am †Mary & Kenneth Falzon, †Natasha Raciopa, Souls in Purgatory, A Special Blessing for Anthony Falzon
- 10:15 am Graduation Mass: St. Marcellus School Gymnasium

Tuesday June 10 Weekday

- 9:30 am †Leucia Coia, †Federico Vumbaca, †Secundino Pedreira, Special Blessings for Angelina Vumbaca & Ethan James Dico
- 7:00 pm 1-Month Memorial Mass: Rosa Mammone

Wednesday June 11 Saint Barnabas, Apostle

- 9:30 am †Jose Coelho, †Romulo Trinidad, †Luisa Brooks, Conversion & Thanksgiving Mass for all youth in Canada and the world

Thursday June 12 Weekday

- 9:30 am †Lisa Mazzuca, †Giovanni Vena, †Gianluigi Lijoi, Special Blessings for Albina & Amanda Lijoi, In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony for the Healing of Domenico

Friday June 13 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

- 9:30 am †Antonio Virido, †Anthony & Alice De Souza, †Mary & Kenneth Falzon, †Natasha Raciopa, Anthony Falzon (L)
- 7:00 pm †Giovanni Vena

Saturday June 14 Weekday / BVM

- 9:30 am †Ronald Castelino, †Rodolfo Escribano, †Living & deceased members of the Montorio Nei Frentani and In honour of St. Constanzo
- 2:00 pm Baptism
- 3:30 pm Mass at Parkland
- 4:30 pm Confessions
- 5:30 pm †Antonio & Teresa DeSantis, †Valerio & Giuseppina Mastrella, †George Da Silva and A Special Intention

Sunday June 15 The Most Holy Trinity

- 7:45 am All living & deceased members of our Parish
- 9:00 am †Vincent Genova, †Alfonso & Silvana Micelotta, †Girolama Cangemi, †Francesco Gabriele, †Alex Risavy
- 10:30 am †Jose Vaz, †Francisco Vaz, Special Blessings for Danzel, Rukku Pinto & Families, Ronny, Anna George & families,
- 12:00 pm †John Colosimo, deceased members of the Grieco & Schiavone Families, †Carmine Maietta, †Gregory Francis, †Joseph Cutajar
- 1:30 pm Igbo Mass
- 7:00 pm †Gawhara Nalbandian, †Fr. Renzo Marco Longo, †Fr. Martin Serna, †Fr. Leovigildo Usene
- 8:00 pm Adoration (with ½ hour Meditation)

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