

ST. PAUL'S BASILICA PARISH

Established in 1822 - First Parish of the Diocese

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MASS SCHEDULE

Masses at St. Paul's Basilica

Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 and 11 a.m.

Weekday Masses

at the Good Shepherd Centre (opposite the Church, north side of Queen St.)
Tuesday - Friday 12:00 noon

OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Fri 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45 - 4:15 p.m.

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, FIRST COMMUNION, MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish to begin the process of preparation.

MINISTRIES TO THE SHUT-INS

If people are in the hospital or are unable to come to mass because of age or other limitations, please call Fr. Frank or Sr. Nida so that they may receive communion regularly.

HOSPITAL VISITS

We will strive to visit parishioners in the hospital on University Avenue and St. Michael's Hospital.

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Francis V. McDevitt, Pastor
Sr. Nida Fe Chavez, CSJ, Pastoral Associate
Sr. Carmen Rojas, CSJ, Secretary
Joe Angelo, Music Director
Cathy, Leblanc, Sacristan
Brian Marchand, Custodian

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Phone (416) 393-5204 FAX (416) 397-6586
Micheline Dutil, Principal

PARISH BREAKFAST CLUB

Sr. Margaret Paterson, CND, Co-ordinator

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TORONTO CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD (TCDSB) (416)-222-8282 ext. 5314

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES

Tel: (416) 921-1163 Tel: (416) 222-0048

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES: 416-483-4944

PARISH REGISTRATION: Count yourself in by registering in the parish. Forms are at the back of the church and in the office all week. Please register in the parish before seeking other services.

COMPANIONS IN MINISTRY: We are always in need of help with pastoral care and more hands for assistance. If you have the time, we have the need. Please call the office and leave your name and number. Fr. Frank or Sr. Nida will call you.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	February 3	12:00 noon	Open
Wednesday	February 4	12:00 noon	Open
Thursday	February 5	12:00 noon	+ Margaret & Joseph Gove
Friday	February 6	12:00 noon	Open
Saturday	February 7	4:30 p.m.	+ Rita Tunstead
Sunday	February 8	8:30 a.m.	+ Maggie King
		11:00 a.m.	Missa Pro Populo

Income Tax Receipts

Income Tax Receipts will be available this weekend after the masses at the back of the church. We encourage you to pick them up so that we avoid the cost of postage. They will be in alphabetical order by surname. They will also be available in the office during office hours from Monday to Friday.

First Communion

A second letter has been sent home to families in our school reminding them to register for first communion. If we have families with children in grade 2 or above who do not attend St. Paul's School and want info on First Communion, please speak to Fr. Frank at your earliest convenience.

Confirmation



We will soon start Preparation for Confirmation. We encourage any young people in grade eight and above to speak to Fr. Frank at your earliest convenience so that we can arrange for you to be part of this group. This note is particularly for those who may not attend St. Paul's School but are part of St. Paul's Parish.

Preservation Fund

The Preservation Fund will be taken up today as a second collection. We encourage everyone to support this valuable effort for our parish. If you wish to support it next week you will find envelopes by the doors on your way out.

Parish Community Life

The Community Life met recently and in addition to a number of coffee Sundays there are some other event worth marking on your calendar:

The Great St. Paul's Chili. Cook off will take place on Saturday, March 7 after mass. There will be the judging of chili with the victors in the spicy and not so spicy categories having bragging rights for the coming year. We hope to arrange for the Prime Minister or other worthy person to present the awards to the victors. Neither the Queen or the Holy Father have responded to our emailed invitations. So get busy perfecting your chili. Others are invited to come out and be part of the evening.

The Parish Pot Luck: The Second Annual Parish Pot Luck on March 7 after the 4:30 mass. Once again this year all are invited even if the food you bring is what your mother taught you to cook in your home country.

The Parish Festival: The second Annual Parish Festival will take place on Sunday, June 14. There will be a lot of information on these later events as the date get closer.

Ministry With Maturing Adults - Lunch and Learn. We had an excellent meeting this week to imagine a program of Lunch and Learn. We have chosen the first Wednesday of every month for the gatherings with the first being on Wednesday, March 4. Watch the bulletin for much more information.

COMING SOON...



An Afternoon of Opera

A benefit concert for the renewal of the emergency ward of St. Mike's Hospital will take place at

St. Paul's Basilica on Feb 8 at 2:30 p. m. Tickets are \$30.00 each and all proceeds will go to the hospital foundation for this work. (This is a cause in which everyone in the east end of Toronto has a vested interest). The concert will feature a number of rising talents on the musical scene in Toronto.

To order tickets direct go to

<http://AnAfternoonAtTheOpera.eventbrite.ca>.

Tickets are also available in the parish office from now until the day of the concert. For more information call 416-223-8060 or email

sandratang@tanginc.com.

Volunteers Needed The Bingo Team



Our parish generates a certain amount of income through a bingo in the city. We are required to have two people present at each of

the bingos which are for the benefit of social ministries here at St. Paul's. The folks who do this are given a stipend of \$50.00 for each session. If you are interested in doing this for the good of the parish or to augment your income call Carman in the parish office to find out more information.

Bible Basics

What is the Bible? What is in it?

What do I do with it? How do

Catholics pray with Scripture?

Offered by the office of

Discipleship of the diocese this

program on **February 5, 12, 19 and 26 will run from 7 to 9 p.m. at St. Patrick's Parish at 131**

McCaul St. To register call Brenda Voisin at 416-934-3400, Ext. 523



Awakening to the Spirit in Times of Suffering

What to do with my experience

February 9, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

1155 Yonge St. Toronto, ON

Inspirational talk hosted by Catholic Family Services of Toronto. Speaker: Maureen McDonnell, D. Min. For more information please contact 416-921-41163 Ext 2235.

Mass for Consecrated Life-TODAY

Cardinal Collins will preside at mass today at **3:00 p.m. here at St. Paul's Basilica**. An invitation is extended to you to gather and pray with all of the religious orders of men and women of the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Lay Spiritual Formation Program

Lay Leadership in the Public Square

February 7

9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto

2661 Kingston Road. Toronto, ON

Panelists: Dr. Patricia Murphy, Michael Paulter, Alicia Ambrosio, Dr. Linda and David Dayler, Fr. E. Gonsalves, Dr. James Fleming. \$40.00 Lunch included. For more information please contact 416 261-7207 Ext 235.

God's Politics?

A Debate on Religion's Role in Political Life

Feb. 27 at 7:00 p.m.

Isabel Bader Theatre. 93 Charles St. W.

Toronto

How was your receipt?

On your receipt was all the information accurate, particularly the spelling of names and your address, including postal code? If there is need to correct it please send an e-mail with the correct information. This is much more effective than phoning.

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