St. Paul's Basilica Parish

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First Parish of the Archdiocese of Toronto

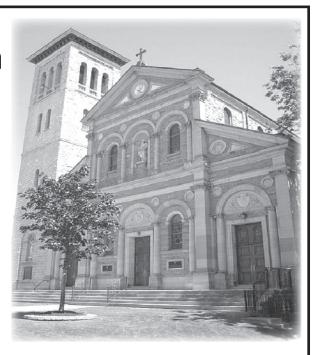
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Pastor: Fr. Edward J. Smith

"May the message of Christ, in all its fullness, continue to find a home in you."

Colossians 3:16

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday

Mass available At the Good Shepherd Centre 412 Queen St. East Tuesday to Friday 12:00 noon

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, FIRST COMMUNION, **MARRIAGE**

Please contact the parish to begin the process of preparation

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please call the parish office so that our parishioners may receive communion regularly.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Patrick Cleary, Principal Phone: 416-393-5204

PARISH MINISTRIES

Sacramental Preparation **Breakfast Club** Children's Liturgy

Taize Prayer

Eucharistic Adoration

Choir

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday October 26th 4:30 p.m. Parishioners of St. Paul's Basilica Sunday October 27th 8:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. Paul's Basilica Sunday October 27th 11:00 a.m. Parishioners of St. Paul's Basilica



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CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Every Sunday at the 11:00a.m. mass.

Coats and Sweaters for the Poor For Adults & Children

The cold has come and we bundled up with warmer coats and sweaters. We didn't think about it. We just went to the cupboard and chose the appropriate one, dressed and left. Not everyone is that fortunate! Please have a look in your closets for any wearable coats and sweaters you no longer need and bring them to St. Paul's Basilica on the weekends of Nov 2/3. Thank you.

"God loves a cheerful giver."

CHOIR

(2 Corinthians 9.7)

The 11am mass folk ensemble is always welcoming new members! No previous musical experience is necessary. The choir meets at 10:15am on Sundays, and provides music for the 11am liturgy. If interested, please join us any Sunday for rehearsal at 10:15, and enjoy a friendly, inclusive, and musical environment! This choir is for ages 18+

~ SPECIAL MASSES ~

All Saints Day Friday November 1, 2019 12 Noon

This feast honours all the saints of the Church, known and unknown. The occasion provides an opportunity to reflect on the nature of sainthood and to celebrate the exemplary faithfulness of holy men and women of every place and time whose lives and deeds continue to inspire us. Originally a feast in the Eastern Church for all martyrs, it was extended to the whole Roman Church in the 9th century as a feast including non-martyrs. It was given this date, November 1, to counter a pagan feast on the same day. In England it was called Allhallows. ('Hallow' is from the Old English word for 'holy') Thus 'Hallowe'en', a vestige of this pagan celebration, is from 'Allhallows even', or 'the eve of All Saints.'

All Souls Day Saturday November 2, 2019 12 Noon

Since the early Church, Christians have prayed for the dead. By the 7th century, some monastic foundations reserved this day to pray for deceased members and benefactors. In 988, Odilo, abbot of the great monastery of Clunny in France, established the tradition of keeping, "with joyous affection, the memory of all the faithful departed who have lived from the beginning of the world until the end." By the 14th century, the commemoration had spread through Europe and was universally accepted in the Latin Church.

NEW DATE

Sunday, November 3rd, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.

The Celebration of the 29 Annual Mass of Memory

Historic Saint Paul's Basilica 83 Power Street, Toronto, Ontario

Sacred/Celtic Music Prelude by:

The Irish Choral Society of Canada at 2:30 p.m.

Reception to follow, downstairs in the Basilica Hall.

Proceeds from this celebration go to the
Children's Breakfast Club Program of Saint Paul's Basilica.

Saint Paul's Basilica, downtown Toronto on Queen Street East, one block east of Parliament Street. Parking in lot just east of the Basilica. Wheelchair accessible. The Parish of St. Paul's was established in 1822.

We remember, in a special way, those who have passed away this year. If you would like to have their name read out at the Mass of Memory, please call or email with their name and city/county they were born in.

For information contact: Geraldine 416-573-1205 g.browne@sympatico.ca Colette & Paddy 416-651-3953 colpat30hillary@yahoo.ca or Mairead 416-264-5363 msso15@bell.net 2019 Benefit Dinner for Christians in the Middles East Saturday, November 9, 2019 Toronto Grand Banquet Centre 30 Baywood Rd., Etobicoke 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm

Join Cardinal Thomas Collins and Archbishop Najeeb Michaeel, Chaldean Archbishop of Mosul and Akra for an inspiring evening of prayer, support and testimony about the plight of Christians in the Middle East. For tickets and more information, visit www.chebbdinner2019.evebtbrite.ca

Be assured of our continued prayers and thanks for your efforts.

WELCOME RYAN

We want to welcome Ryan Prong as our new Bookkeeper and Office Administrator. Ryan comes to us with many years of experience in the financial and administrative sector.

FIRST COMMUNION REGISTRATION

If you would like your son or daughter to receive Jesus in Communion in the Spring of 2020, please see Fr. Smith or contact the office to receive a registration form.

New Beginnings Presents:

Renewed Faith: The Journey Back

Keynote Speaker: Patricia Hung Light refreshments will be served following the seminar.

Location: St. Brigid's Catholic Church, 300 Wolverleigh Blvd., Toronto, ON, M4C 1S6 Date & Time: **Tuesday**

November 19, 2019 @ 7:00 pm Register Online at:

> https://sbcct.eventbrite.ca Arcangelo Limanni, MRE -416.587.7687 alimanni@cfstoronto.com



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