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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday from 8:30 am – 4:30 pm.  
Open by appointment only on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.  
Closed daily 12:00 – 1:00 pm for lunch.

## MASS TIMES

Lauds: Monday to Friday	7:30 am
Monday - Thursday	8:00 am
Friday	8:00 am
	7:00 pm
Saturday	8:30 am
	5:00 pm (Sunday Vigil)
Sunday	8:00 am
	9:30 am (Italian)
	11:00 am
	12:30 pm
	4:30 pm

## CONFESSION TIMES

Saturday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
and any time upon request

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday 8:30 am – 9:30 am

## DEVOTIONS

Rosary - After morning Mass  
Divine Mercy Chaplet - Friday at 3:00 pm via zoom  
Sacred Heart - Friday at 6:45 pm  
Perpetual Help - After morning Mass on Saturday  
Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group – every Wednesday 5:30 – 6:30 pm.

## BAPTISM

Contact the Parish office to register.

## MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Contact the Parish office to register.

## MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish Priest one year in advance

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule.



Brothers and Sister in Christ,

I hope you had a good week. Today we have a second collection for the building fund. Let me take this opportunity to thank you all for your ongoing support of our Parish. Thank you for your generosity and your love towards the Church. Because of you, we were able to accomplish many projects. **THANK YOU!**

May God continue to protect you and bless you.

In Christ,

Fr. Pawel

### THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

<b>Tues. Feb 8</b>	Memorial	St. Jerome Emiliani, Priest St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin
<b>Thurs. Feb 10</b>	Memorial	St. Scholastica, Virgin
<b>Fri. Feb 11</b>	Memorial	Our Lady of Lourdes World Day of the Sick

### READINGS THIS WEEK

- 6** Isaiah: 6.1-2a, 3-8; 1 Corinthians 15.1-11 or 15.3-8, 11; Luke 5.1-11  
**7** 1 Kings 8.1-7, 9-13; Mark 6.53-56  
**8** 1 Kings 8.22-23, 27-30; Mark 7.1-13  
**9** 1 Kings 10.1-10; Mark 7.14-23  
**10** 1 Kings 11.4-13; Mark 7.24-30  
**11** 1 Kings 11.29-32; 12.19; Mark 7.31-37  
**12** 1 Kings 12.26-32; 13.33-34; Mark 8.1-10

### SCHEDULE OF LIVE-STREAM MASSES

(Live-stream Masses are available on  
YouTube channel, [SMI Parish](#))

**Sunday Masses**

**9:30 am in Italian**

**11:00 am in English**

### BUILDING FUND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection this weekend, **February 5/6** for the parish maintenance and building fund. All offerings may be placed in the offertory basket during Mass or dropped off through the mail slot of the parish office door, by mail or electronically online. Thank you for your kindness and generous support in the preservation of the Church and keeping it looking so beautiful.

### 2021 TAX RECEIPTS

2021 tax receipts are now available. Please contact the Parish office to schedule an appointment to pick up or to have them mailed to you.

### PARISH OFFICE

The Parish office hours are Monday to Friday from 8:30 am – 4:30 pm. Open by appointment only on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Closed daily 12:00 pm–1:00 pm for lunch. Please contact the parish office to schedule an appointment.

### SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

Pope Francis has launched the **Synod on Synodality**, an ambitious two-year global process of listening to the faithful that will help the Church reflect on how we can do God's will in the world today.

Pope Francis is asking every Catholic to share your thoughts by participating in a survey available at <https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/the-synod-on-synodality-share-your-thoughts/> or on our website. The comments of the faithful will be discussed at a meeting of the bishops in the Vatican in 2023.

### CATHOLIC ESPRESSO WITH FR. PAWEŁ

First episode of 2022 available. **Episode 15 – Sunday of the Word of God and Going Deeper in....** visit our website to listen to the podcast.

### FR. PAWEŁ'S BOOK CLUB 2022

All Parishioners and friends are encouraged to read the selected books and to join Father Pawel Zborowski, Pastor of St. Mary Immaculate Church, for each book review from 6:30 - 7:30 pm on the following dates:

**Wednesday, February 23, 2022** "Unleashing the Power of Intercessory Prayer" by Joseph Hollcraft.

**Wednesday, March 30, 2022** "Walk Humbly with Your God" by Fr. Andrew Apostoli.

**Wednesday, April 27, 2022** "What to say and How to say it" by Brandon Vogt. Recommended by His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins.

**Please note that due to shipping delays the second and third books have been switched around.** Books are available for purchase this weekend in the Church foyer or through the Parish office.

### ROSARY APOSTOLATE

The Rosary Apostolate group will be praying the rosary

**Wednesday, February 9 from 10:00 am – 11:00 am** via the Parish zoom. For further information contact [laura.rizzi@rogers.com](mailto:laura.rizzi@rogers.com) or call 905-737-6457.

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

GENERAL MEETING will be held via Parish Zoom on **Thursday, February 10**, beginning with the Holy Rosary at **7 pm**.

### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

Thirty years ago, Saint John Paul II instituted the **World Day of the Sick** to encourage the people of God, Catholic health institutions and civil society to be increasingly attentive to the sick and to those who care for them. We encourage you to use this occasion as an opportunity to pray for the sick and recognize those who provide them assistance and care. We especially remember and pray for all those who have suffered, and continue to suffer, the effects of the coronavirus pandemic. A Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the Thirtieth World Day of the Sick (<https://bit.ly/WDS-PopesMessage2022>).

### MARRIAGE SUNDAY

**FEBRUARY 13, 2022 AT 2:30 P.M.**

As part of Marriage Sunday 2022 celebrations, Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB, will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2022. The Mass will take place **at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 13 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65**

**Bond Street, Toronto).** Due to social distancing measures, cathedral attendance is limited to pre-registered couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries and a maximum of one guest per celebrant couple. Registration is now open. Given the limited attendance at the cathedral, we encourage milestone celebrants to register early. Those who are not able to register may join the celebration via livestream Mass here: [www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live](http://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live). The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m. Please visit [www.archtoronto.org/marriage](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage) to register.

### NEW BEGINNINGS

#### **Bereavement Introductory Program**

**Wednesday, February 16 - March 9 from 7:00 - 9:00 pm**

Register at: <https://nbb0203.eventbrite.ca>

#### **Separated/Divorced Introductory Program**

**Thursday, February 17 - March 10 from 7:00 - 9:00 pm**

Register at: <https://nbsd0203.eventbrite.ca>

For more information please contact: Arcangelo Limanni, MRE  
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### Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our parish is fully immersed in the Synod listening sessions. It's fascinating to listen to new Catholics, veteran Catholics, and people thinking about becoming Catholic, talking freely and without fear about the ways in which they feel the Spirit is speaking to them about the Church.

What's missing, at least so far, are those who were baptized Catholic, embraced the faith for a time in their lives, and have now left us. These are the voices Pope Francis wants to hear from most urgently. He wants us to cast into the deep waters, and bring out the voices of the disappointed, the embittered, the abused, the scandalized, the indifferent, and those seeking God elsewhere. He wants those beloved of God to know that he is listening, through the vehicle of this worldwide Synod.

It sounds good in theory, but it's so hard to do in practice. I'd be mortified to ask my non-practicing family members why they've absented themselves from the Table. I'm afraid of what they might say. Fortunately, the process only calls for listening, not for responding.

I don't want to ask, but the deep water is where the pain is, and where we should be. Might it be that many who have left have been waiting for someone in their lives to ask them why? Do all who leave imagine that they aren't missed, that the Church will just lumber on, sinful and sorrowful, without them?

I admire my friends who say that they ask their kids their reasons for leaving us, and that they listen and try to be instruments of reconciliation. That's where the net meets the deep. It might even be where healing begins.

*How will you embrace Pope Francis' call to quietly listen to those who are estranged?*

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### CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Joseph Salvatore Manzone & Alexander Nicolo Manzone  
We welcome you into the Church! We wish the Parents and Godparents of the newly baptized, God's blessing and protection of our Mother Mary!

### SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTIONS

Available to offer for loved ones for a one week period. Sanctuary lamps are the red votive candles lit beside the tabernacle. To request an intention for the sanctuary lamps, please call the Parish office at 905-884-1784 during office hours.

### FEB 7 - 13: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN FOR:

Thanksgiving in Honor of Holy Trinity

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THEIR CAREGIVERS

If you would like to mention a loved one who is sick or a caregiver caring for a sick loved one that are in need of prayers, please call the parish office at 905-884-1784 or email at [stmaryimmaculateri@archtoronto.org](mailto:stmaryimmaculateri@archtoronto.org).

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Clara Pacitti, Sandi Weinholdt, Stephen Ahlowalia, Maria Beltrame, Antonietta

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS

+Calogero LoBianco, +Giorgia Leggio Nicola, Ottaviano Valeri & Rosa A. Barrera

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

### MASS INTENTIONS FEBRUARY 7 – FEBRUARY 13

<b>Mon. Feb 7</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Catherine Evans
<b>Tues. Feb 8</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Pasquale Virginillo
<b>Wed. Feb 9</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Gioacchino Adamo
<b>Thurs. Feb 10</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Maria Mannella
<b>Fri. Feb 11</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	+Vincenzo Buffone & Benito Chiaravalloti
	<b>7:00 pm</b>	+Cora Petralito +Ruby Quadros
<b>Sat. Feb 12</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	+Assunta Mazzotta
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	+Stephen & +Filomena Galle
<b>Sun. Feb 13</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	Private Intentions
	<b>9:30 am</b>	+Giuseppe Giusti +Angelo Evangelista +Maria & +Salvatore Frate
	<b>11:00 am</b>	+Corrado Morana & +Tiberio Simoes +Assunta & +Mario Mazzotta +Stipan Begic
	<b>12:30 pm</b>	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	<b>4:30 pm</b>	+Francesco Soccia



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