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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

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,

This Sunday we celebrate Sunday of the Word of God. Pope Francis instituted the Sunday of the Word of God, which is celebrated on the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time.

“Sunday of the Word of God can enable the Church to experience anew how the risen Lord opens up for us the treasury of his word and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world.” *Pope Francis*,

Word of God Sunday is a reminder to us that we are called every day to read, study, pray, and interact with the Bible. It gives us a great opportunity to think about our knowledge of the Sacred Scripture.

Praying for you and your families.

In Christ,

Fr. Pawel

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

Mon. Jan 24	Memorial	St. Francis de Sales, Bishop, Doctor
Tues. Jan 25	Feast	The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
Wed. Jan 26	Memorial	St. Timothy and St. Titus, Bishops
Thurs. Jan 27	Memorial	St. Angela Merici, Virgin
Fri. Jan 28	Memorial	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor

READINGS THIS WEEK

23 Nehemiah 8.2-4a, 5-6, 8-10+; 1 Corinthians 12.12-30 (longer) or 12.12-14, 27 (shorter); Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21
24 2 Samuel 5.1-7, 10; Mark 3.22-30
25 Acts 22.3-16 or Acts 9.1-22; Mark 16.15-18
26 2 Timothy 1.1-8 or Titus 1.1-5; Luke 10.1-9
27 2 Samuel 7.18-19, 24-29; Mark 4.21-25
28 2 Samuel 11.1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Mark 4.26-29
29 2 Samuel 12.1-7a, 10-17; Mark 4.35-41

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY SERVICE SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022, AT 4 P.M.

Join Cardinal Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of the full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church at **Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church at 920 Progress Avenue, Scarborough, this Sunday, January 23, 2022, at 4 p.m.**

All are welcome to attend in person or watch the livestream on Facebook: www.facebook.com/TorontoArmenianChurch.

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

The Story and You™



Sacred Conversations

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

My husband Ben returned from a recent trip to Juarez, Mexico with a beautiful painting of Joseph and the Child Jesus. We put it up against the wall, and soon Christmas cards surrounded it on all sides. It was touching to see the art on the cards, celebrating the birth of Jesus, and this lovely painting in the center.

It's kind of an old-fashioned painting, but here's what I noticed: I like looking at it. It makes me happy. It's probably not great art. I've decided I don't care. In fact, just yesterday, as we finally took away all the cards, we chose to make the painting a permanent fixture on the wall.

I've loved the image of the Child Jesus since we visited Ávila, Spain a few years ago, and heard this touching story about St. Teresa. *One night, Teresa was walking the grounds of the monastery when she saw a beautiful child. "Who are you?" he asked. "I'm Teresa of the Child Jesus. Who are you?" And He answered, "I am the Child Jesus of Teresa."*

Even today, the tears come. We are "of him," and he is "of us." And so, today, when I read about six thousand members who serve more than 75,000 children living in poverty---the demographic nearest my heart---I was touched at the name of the organization: The National Christ Child Society. I signed up. See, I think that's how the gifts Paul speaks about become actualized. An image on the wall, a touching story from my adult life, and the exact ministry I've been looking for, all with The Child Jesus in the title. That's how the Spirit speaks. That's how the Body works.

How does beauty and religious imagination empower your own ministries? nationalchristchild.org

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2022 OFFERTORY ENVELOPE BOXES

The 2022 offertory envelope boxes are available for pick up and are located in 3 areas of the Church, Our Lady of Fatima Chapel, Sacred Heart of Jesus Chapel and at the back of the Church. Envelopes are organized by the first letter of the surname. If you need the envelopes to be delivered to your home, please contact the parish office. Do not use previous year envelopes. **Print clearly your name, address and amount on every envelope to ensure your donations are properly credited to you.**

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.

FR. PAWEL'S BOOK CLUB 2022

Join Fr. Pawel virtually via the Parish zoom for the book review on "The Little Manual for Spiritual Growth" by Fr. John Portavella this **Wednesday, January 26, 2022 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm**. Register with the Parish office to receive your zoom link invitation.



BIBLE STUDY

Join us for the next Bible Study as we explore The Book of Wisdom – God's Vision for Life: How to actively seek sound guidance and increase peace in navigating your life!

Begins: Thursdays, 1 - 3 pm
February 10, 2022 to March 31st, 2022
(Virtual via Parish zoom)

Contact the Parish office at 905-884-1784 or stmaryimmaculateri@archtoronto.org to register. Deadline is January 31, 2022. Cost: \$35

NEW BEGINNINGS

Drop-In Bereavement Support Session
Wednesday, January 26 from 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Register at: <https://jnpnp.eventbrite.ca>

Drop-In Separated/Divorced Support Session
Thursday, January 27 from 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Register at: <https://jnpnpsd.eventbrite.ca>

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
alimanni@cfstoronto.com (647) 215-3978

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.

JAN 24 - 30: THE SANCTUARY LAMPS BURN FOR:
+Nicola & +Anna Crimi

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.

Tanya Di Persio, Marco Cianfarani, Catarina Clyke, Clara Pacitti, Sandi Weinholdt, Peter Conte

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS

Corradina Scala, Cora Petralito, Antonino Marcantonio
& Vincenzo Romano

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 JANUARY 24 – JANUARY 30

Mon. Jan 24	8:00 am	Spec. Int. for Rocca & Gabriel Mansour
Tues. Jan 25	8:00 am	Spec. Int. for Nick & Susan Lombardi
Wed. Jan 26	8:00 am	Spec. Int. to stop pandemic
Thurs. Jan 27	8:00 am	Spec. Int. for Mateo Lombardi
Fri. Jan 28	8:00 am	+Victor Mannella
	7:00 pm	+Adir Visconti +Olga Campos Thanksgiving for Stephen Ahlowalia
Sat. Jan 29	8:30 am	+Holy Souls of Purgatory
	5:00 pm	+Mario Intoci
Sun. Jan 30	8:00 am	Private Intentions
	9:30 am	+Angelo Evangelista
	11:00 am	+Jim McLaughlin +Tony Cosentino +Guido Pidutti +Bruce Tough +Evo Castellan +Toni Capacchione +Teresina & Severino Pezzot
	12:30 pm	People of St. Mary Immaculate
	4:30 pm	+All Souls of Purgatory

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