

ST. ANN PARISH

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Holy Eucharist

Daily Mass

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.
(Mass at St. Ann Rectory)

Fridays (Adoration) 6:00 p.m.
(Holy Eucharist) 7:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sunday

10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Native Peoples' Mass 12:30 p.m.

Bridgepoint Hospital 2:30 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday – Thursday:

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday:

Closed

Pastoral Staff

Pastor Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC

In Residence

Fr. Roshan D'Souza, CSC

Finance Anne Francis

Pastoral Assistant

Maria Fernandes

Baptism Fe Santos

RCIA Rolly Cabas

Development & Peace

Catherine Barry

Food Bank

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

Music Ronald Vengie Fabre

Custodian Ed Keenan

Caretaker Rosalie Tolentino

Celebration of Sacraments

Baptism: preparation required
(please contact office)

Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:15-
4:45 p.m. or by appointment

Matrimony: (couple contacts
office one year in advance)

THE CALL TO HOLINESS



**UNITY IN
DIVERSITY**
"Moved by the
Good News of
Jesus Christ...
We value our
diversity"

(St. Ann Parish
Mission
Statement)

"BE HOLY FOR I AM HOLY" (1 Peter 1:16)

Saturdays

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.: **Food Bank**

4:15 p.m.: **Novena to St. Bro. Andre**

4:30 p.m.: **Novena to St. Ann**

6:00 p.m.: 1st Saturdays - **Healing Service**

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.: **Holy Family Prayer Group**

Sundays

9:15 a.m.: **Divine Mercy & Rosary**

10:30 a.m. Mass: **Children's Liturgy**

1st Sundays

11:30 a.m.: Development and Peace Group

Fair Trade - Coffee Sunday

4th Sundays

3:00 p.m.: **Rosary Makers Program**

Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council

Finance Council

Liturgy/Faith Formation

Holy Cross Family Ministry

Altar Servers

Music Ministry

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Collection Counters

Hospitality committee

St. Ann Parish Food Bank

Development and Peace

Refugee Resettlement Group

Holy Family Prayer Group

Holy Cross Youth Group

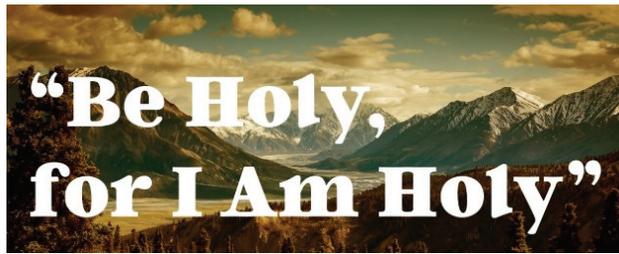
Handmaids of the Lord

Couples Ministry

Grief Ministry

4th Sunday of Easter: April 25, 2021
CELEBRATING THE CALL TO HOLINESS

2021: The Call to Holiness



We would like to dedicate the new Liturgical year of 2020 – 2021 as the **Year of Call to Holiness**. Holiness is closely linked to joyfulness and blessedness. During this year of call to Holiness, may be a time for each one of us to listen to God speaking to us in the Scriptures or in the silence of our hearts, to renew our baptismal promises and to actively participate in the Sacraments of the Church

and lastly by our Sacred service to others, we can bring God's holiness and proclaim it to the whole world.

As we celebrate the year of **Call to Holiness**, the month of April is dedicated to virtue of **Hope** in reflecting on the **Spring of Nature**. *Creation reveals God's presence*, and as the spring begins let us be aware God's presence by reflecting on the nature. Every day begins with new life, new opportunities, new possibilities, so let us use them for the good of all. We also pray how we can help in creating a safe and sustainable environment for our family and in our community.



We will specially focus on practicing concrete ways to care for the Nature, by gardening, recycling, using more natural light, helping others by encouraging words and actions. May God continue to bless and guide us in caring for the Creation. Let us become **Messengers of Hope** with joy and Easter Peace.

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha and St. Marguerite Bourgeoys

Thank you for joining us for the feast day celebration of St. Kateri and St. Marguerite. theme of our celebration is "St. Kateri Tekakwitha: Voice of Healing and Holiness." We wish to honor her relevance for us as Catholics in Canada in healing and fostering relationships with indigenous peoples and the care for the creation. May we take the inspiration from them to live in Holiness.



The Sisters and Associates of the Congregation of Notre Dame will join us in the celebration as we continue the celebration of 400th Birth Anniversary of St. Marguerite. At present, this celebration will be a virtual celebration as per Public Health Rules.

Thank you for your support in our ministry and join us for the virtual celebration.

Archdiocesan Week of Prayer for Vocations



For the week of April 19–24, let us all join, as a community, in prayer for vocations to the priesthood, religious or consecrated life. We also ask that you pray for our six soon-to-be priests, along with all who are discerning and who are currently in formation at St. Augustine's Seminary. Thank you for your continued support as we work and pray together to the Lord of the Harvest to send labourers into His vineyard.

PRAYER: <http://bit.ly/PrayerforVocations> **EMAIL:** vocations@archtoronto.org

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St. Ann Parish Liturgical and Pastoral Activities

On behalf of the Parish Community of St. Ann and Native People's Mission, we would like to wish all of you a Blessed and grace-filled New Year to you, your family and friends.

We will be *livestreaming* the Daily and Weekend Masses.

Online Daily Eucharist

Weekday Masses will be posted on the website at 7:00 am

Please check Websites: <https://www.stanntoronto.com/>

Or <https://www.hcfm-canada.com/>

Personal Prayer:

On Sunday to Friday from 9:00 am to 10:00 am

St. Ann Food Bank on Saturdays

Foodbank Hours: 9:00 am to 10:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation or Personal conversation

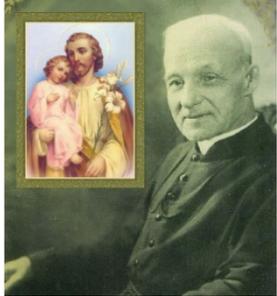
Please call the office and make an appointment to meet Fr. Wilson Andrade

at 416 577 2973 or send an email to stannparishtoronto@gmail.com

We will be joining the Archdiocese website Project connect for all Parish communications.

New Website: <https://stannsto.archtoronto.org/en>

YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH



Thank you for joining us for the 10 days of novena prayers to St. Joseph. The Holy Cross Family Ministries – Canada has produced 10 Novena Prayer Videos to reflect on the Life of St. Joseph. We encourage you visit our Website and YouTube to use for these videos for your prayer and reflections. Those who would like to attend the quiz on the life of St. Joseph, you are most welcome to email us at familyministry.canada@gmail.com.

Visit our Website and Subscribe to our YouTube Channel: <https://www.hcfm-canada.com/>

St. Joseph – Patron of all families – Pray for us.

Reflections from the Saints on “God is Love”

- ❖ Since love grows within you, so beauty grows. For love is the beauty of the soul...God loves each of us as if there were only one of us. – Saint Augustine
- ❖ *The proof of love is in the works. Where love exists, it works great things. But when it ceases to act, it ceases to exist.* - Saint Gregory the Great
- ❖ Charity is the sweet and holy bond which links the soul with its Creator: it binds God with us and us with God. – Saint Catherine of Siena
- ❖ *To love God as He ought to be loved, we must be detached from all temporal love. We must love nothing but Him, or if we love anything else, we must love it only for His sake.* -Saint Peter Claver
- ❖ We must love our neighbor as being made in the image of God and as an object of His love. -Saint Vincent de Paul
- ❖ *The Eucharist is the Sacrament of Love; it signifies Love, it produces love. The Eucharist is the consummation of the whole spiritual life. The things that we love tell us what we are.* -Saint Thomas Aquinas
- ❖ You learn to speak by speaking, to study by studying, to run by running, to work by working, and just so, you learn to love by loving. All those who think to learn in any other way deceive themselves.” St. Francis de Sales

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