

The Parish Community of St. Ann

Served by the Holy Cross Fathers

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OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Monday - Friday



Holy Eucharist



Daily Mass

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am

Friday (Adoration) 6:00 pm
(Holy Eucharist) 7:00 pm

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 10:30 am

6:00 pm

Native Peoples' Mass 12:30 pm

Bridgepoint Hospital 2:30 pm

CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF MERCY

UNITY IN DIVERSITY "Moved by the Good News of Jesus Christ... We value our diversity" (Mission Statement)

Pastoral Staff	
Pastor	Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC
In Residence	Fr. Francis Noronha CSC
Finance	Anne Francis
Pastoral Assistants	Maria Fernandes
Baptism	Fe Santos
RCIA	Rolly Cabas
Development & Peace	Catherine Barry
Food Bank	Carlos & Colette Carreiro
Music	Vengie Fabre
Custodian	Ed Keenan
Caretaker	Rosalie Tolentino
Cook	Cristina Acosta
Celebration of Sacraments	
Baptism: preparation required (please contact office)	
Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:15-4:45 p.m. or by appointment	
Matrimony (couples contact office one year in advance)	

Parish Happenings
Sundays
10 am: Divine Mercy Devotion and Rosary
10:30 am Mass: Pre-School and Children's Liturgy
4pm - 6pm: Handmaids of the Lord
11:30 am: 1st Sundays: Coffee Sunday
Development and Peace group
11:30 am: 2nd Sundays: Youth Activities
11:30 am: 3rd Sundays: Pastoral Council
11:30 am: 4th Sundays: Couples Group
Saturdays
8 - 9:00 am Tai Chi Group
10 -11:30am: Food Bank
4:15 pm: Novena to St. Bro. Andre
4:30 pm: Novena to St. Ann
6:00 pm: 1st Saturdays - Healing Service
6:00 - 8:00 pm: Holy Family Prayer Group
1st Wednesday: 7:00pm - GRIEF MINISTRY
Tuesdays: 1:00PM - SENIORS BINGO

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PALM SUNDAY: MARCH 20, 2016
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Palm Sunday

On Palm Sunday, palms are distributed to remind us of Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. The Passion narrative is read by a reader (or readers) and the congregation takes part.



Holy Thursday and the Paschal Meal

The liturgy of Holy Thursday moves us into the celebration of "The Three Days" – the Easter Triduum, during which we make memory of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. These three days are really one solemn liturgy. If you participate in the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper you will notice that there is no dismissal at the end. Neither is there a welcome or dismissal at the liturgy of Good Friday. The liturgy from Holy Thursday through

the Easter Vigil is meant to be a continuous memorial and celebration of the climactic moments in the life of Jesus and in the life of the Christian community. The Mass of the Lord's Supper plunges us into the drama of the final moments of Jesus' earthly journey. The liturgy links Jesus' gift of the Eucharist with his action of washing the feet of the disciples.

Good Friday

Good Friday is one of the days in the Church's calendar set aside for "special acts of discipline and self-denial". On this solemn and holy day we remember that Our Lord was obedient "even unto death".



The Easter Vigil



The Easter Vigil is the most joyous and beautiful liturgy of the Church Year. This most ancient of Holy Days is rich in symbolism, saturated with the Word of God, and is, in fact, the principal celebration of the Resurrection of Our Lord. Throughout the ages, it has been in this service that countless saints have proclaimed, "Alleluia, Christ is risen!" The climax of the Christian year, The Easter Vigil is a service of transition, bridging the time between Lent and Easter, Passion and Resurrection, great sorrow and resounding joy. The Vigil allows us, like Mary Magdalene, to visit the dark tomb only to find it empty,

the Light of the world having risen from the dead. It is a lengthy and elaborate service, rich with scripture, music and ceremony.

March 13, 2016	Total	Pilgrimage to Rome, Lourdes and the Holy Land with Fr. Wilson Andrade, CSC From October 22 to November 4, 2016 (14 days), we will be visiting holy sites in Rome, Lourdes and the Holy Land. Price: CA\$3,390.00 plus taxes. For more information, call Ms. Bier at 416-297-0694 or Ms. Malonzo at 416-291-0105
Offertory - Envelopes	\$695.00	
Offertory - Loose	\$418.20	
Total Offertory	\$1,113.20	

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Mass Intentions

(March 19 – March 25, 2016)

Saturday, Mar. 19: *St. Joseph*

5:00 p.m.: + **Vincente Montifar**

Req.: Montifar Family

+ **Mr. & Mrs. Anacita Sedanto**

Req.: Dolly & Rolly Tecson

+ **Severino & Rosario Palit-ang**

Req.: Deogracias Palit-ang

Tuesday, Mar. 22:

8:00 a.m.: + **Jacob John Spohn**

Req.: Theresa Spohn

Thanksgiving for Dolly & Rolly Tecson

Req.: Dolly & Rolly Tecson

Wednesday, Mar. 23:

8:00 a.m.: + **Derdit Fernandes**

Req.: Maria Fernandes

ShareLife Sunday 2016

Working wonders in our families...

“The impact that Silent Voice has had on my life as a former camper has given me the opportunity to meet many deaf and hard of hearing children from different backgrounds. Silent Voice has helped me discover who I am in my life and has given me purpose and future goals. As an adult, I want to help other deaf children and youth who are going through difficult times in life. I want to show them that they are not alone and provide them with support and a role model that is really needed in their lives. Thank you, ShareLife!” —*Suma, former camper and Silent Voice day program counselor. Last year more than 600 deaf children received support through Silent Voice’s Sign Language Summer Camps.*

Next ShareLife Sunday is April 17, 2016

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

FRIDAYS IN LENT

Stations of the Cross – 6:30 p.m.:

Week 7 (Mar. 25): Parish Community

Easter Flowers Donation

We are now accepting donations for our Easter Flowers. Envelopes are available at the back of the church and you may drop it on the basket during the offertory. Thank you so much for your generosity.



EASTER TRIDUUM

March 24: Holy Thursday

Potluck Soup Supper: **6:00 p.m.**

Holy Eucharist: **8:00 p.m.**

followed by Adoration.

March 25: Good Friday

Good Friday Passion Mime by Native

Peoples’ Mission: **2:30 p.m.**

Divine Liturgy: **3:00 p.m.**

March 26: Easter Vigil

Easter Vigil Liturgy: **8:00 p.m.**

March 27: Easter Sunday

Native People’s Sunrise Service: **7:00 a.m.**

Mass of the Resurrection: **10:30 a.m.**

Bridgepoint Hospital: **2:30 p.m.**

Holy Thursday Soup Supper and Saturday Vigil Fellowship



We welcome everyone to bring your special Soup to share with others for **Holy Thursday**; as well as light goodies and finger food for fellowship after the **Saturday Easter Vigil**.

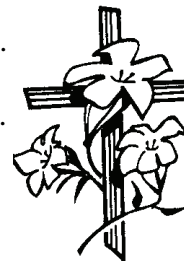
Pabasa ng Bayan 2016 in Tagalog

We invite you to join us in meditating the Passion of Christ through chanting and praying.

Date: Holy Thursday, March 24, 2016

Time: 12:00 p.m. (Holy Thursday) to 2:00 p.m. (Good Friday)

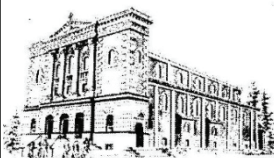
Place: St. Ann’s Parish Hall (Gerrard St. E. of Broadview). For more information please call Fe Santos at **(905) 889-7868**



Fish and Chips

St. Ann’s Parish will be hosting its **last Fish & Chips Friday** for the Season of Lent. Come and join us this March 25, starting at **4:30 pm.** Cost: \$5. Take out available.

St. Ann’s Parish Fundraising Dinner



On **Saturday, May 28**, St. Ann’s Parish will host a fundraising Dinner for Church renovations. The event will take place at the Parish Hall starting at **6:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$20. There will be music, wine & door prizes.

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