Holy Eucharist

The Parish Community of St. Ann

Daily Mass

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. Friday (Adoration) 6:00 p.m. (Holy Eucharist) 7:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil

5:00 p.m. Sunday

6:00 p.m.

Native Peoples' Mass 12:30 p.m. Bridgepoint Hospital 2:30 p.m.

10:30 a.m.

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CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY

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

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)

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC **Pastor** In Residence

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OFFICE HOURS

Sunday – Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday & Thursday:

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

Friday & Saturday:

Closed





"The Family That Prays Together Stays Together" - Fr. Patrick Peyton, CSC

Saturdays

9:30 - 11:30 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

Sundays

9 - 10:00 a.m.: Tai Chi Group 10:00 a.m.: Divine Mercy & Rosary 10:30 a.m. Mass: Children's Liturgy 11:30 a.m.: 1st Sunday Coffee Sunday

Tuesdays:

1:00 p.m.: Seniors' Group

Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council Finance Council Liturgy/Faith Formation **Altar Servers Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers** Collection Counters Hospitality committee **Development and Peace** Refugee Resettlement Group Holy Family Prayer Group Holy Cross Youth Group Handmaids of the Lord **Couples Ministry** Music Ministry

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER: MAY 7, 2017 CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY

The Good Shepherd

Pastoral Reflections by Rev. Wilson Andrade, CSC

Today in the scriptures we reflect on the beautiful image of Jesus, the Good Shepherd: a powerful image of how the shepherd is ready to give his life to save the sheep.

Through his life, death and resurrection, Jesus became our good shepherd who came to save us. In John 10:10, Jesus says "I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly." In order to give us life - life that is eternal, Jesus died on the cross and paid the price for our sins.

The Letter of Peter clearly states that "by his wounds you have been healed." So what are we called to do? In the Acts of the Apostles it is St. Peter who proclaims the message: "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit." Then we can sing like the Psalmist who prayed in Psalm 23: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.





Coffee Sunday.

Today Sunday, May 7 is Development and Peace's Coffee Sunday. Please come down to the parish hall after the 10:30 a.m. mass for a freshly made cup of coffee and fellowship. Fairtrade products will be available for sale as well.

Pasta Night Dinner and Dance

On May 27, the Handmaids of the Lord will be hosting a Pasta Night Dinner and Dance. Join us from 6:30p.m. - 10:30p.m. at the parish hall for a fun evening of music, dance and prizes. Tickets are \$15, towards Hall renovation project.

A Mother is Love

A Celebration of Mother's Day and 100 Years of the Fatima Apparition Join us at St. Ann's Parish to celebrate Mother's Day and The Story of Our Lady of Fatima on Saturday, May 13, 2017 with Living Rosary, Flower Offering, Video/Play of the Story of Our Lady of Fatima, Crowning of Mother Mary and Fellowship. Time: 6 pm (after the **5 pm mass).** We invite all parishioners and especially the children of the parish to participate in the dramatization of the story (no memorization needed - costumes and props provided) and in all of the above activities. Last practice is today Sunday at 11:30 a.m. For more information, please call the office at 416-466-2127 or Fe Santos at 905-889-7868



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Mass Intentions

(May 6 - May 12, 2017)

Tuesday, May 9:

8:00 a.m.: + Deniz Fernandes

Req.: Maria Fernandes

St. Ann - Hall Renovations



With the Approval of the Finance Council and the Archdiocese of Toronto. we will be installing a new flooring at the parish hall. The present flooring, made will be removed. A complete

Epoxy Flooring will be done from May 8 until May 20. The total cost of the Project is \$54,778.00. We will use the money from our Renovation Fund. We request you help us with the Fundraising activities so we can complete the Hall renovations.

Month of May dedicated to Mothers

As part of the Year of the Family at St. Ann's Parish, we will be dedicating the month of May to all mothers. May God, through the intercession of Mary Our Mother,



bless your generous spirits, keep your loving hearts and hold you close forever.

Bridgepoint Hospital Volunteers Needed



Bridgepoint Hospital is currently recruiting volunteers to porter patients on Sundays to and from the 2:30 p.m. Mass. Shifts start at 2:00 p.m. For more information, **3ridgepoint Volunteer Resources**

department at 416-461-8252, x2076

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> Today is ShareLife Sunday – May 7, 2017 Thank you for your generosity.

Retreat Weekend for Single Women

The Sisters of St. Joseph of Toronto are giving a Retreat Weekend for Single Women ages 20-55 from Friday, May 26 through Sunday, May 28 afternoon. Located at The Sister's home in Orillia (car-pooling is available). Cost is \$150 (subsidies available). To register, please contact Frances Harrison-Atell at fharrison-atell@csj-to.ca or call 416-467-2642 before **Monday**, **May 15, 2017**

Archdiocesan Day of Prayer: Friday, May 12



On this day, Cardinal Collins has asked that we all take the time, as a community, to pray for all vocations; priesthood, religious and consecrated life. During this time, we also ask OFFICE OF VOCATIONS ' for our five soon-to-be priests along with all

those who are discerning or who are currently in formation. For more information, please contact your parish office, call the Office of Vocations at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org

Ordination to the Diaconate of Roshan Kiro, S.J.

With joy and gratitude in God's grace, the Jesuits in English Canada invite you to celebrate the Ordination to the Diaconate of Roshan Kiro, S.J. on Saturday May 20, 2017 at 9:30 a.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes (520 Sherbourne St.). Roshan will be participating as a newly ordained deacon on Sunday, May 21 at our 10:30 a.m. mass.



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