

Holy Eucharist

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	10:30 a.m.
	6:00 p.m.
Native Peoples' Mass	12:30 p.m.
Bridgepoint Hospital	2:30 p.m.

The Parish Community of St. Ann

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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

Pastor Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC
In Residence

Fr. Francis Noronha, CSC

Secretary Aymara Toro

Finance Anne Francis

Pastoral Assistant

Deacon Roshan Kiro, SJ

Maria Fernandes

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RCIA Rolly Cabas

Development & Peace

Catherine Barry

Food Bank

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

Music Ronald Vengie Fabre

Custodian Ed Keenan

Caretaker Rosalie Tolentino

Cook Cristina Acosta

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**

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

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

**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: NOVEMBER 12, 2017
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The Shepherds' Trust

My dear friends,

As the Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates its 175th anniversary, it is a fitting time to look back with gratitude for the many priests who helped establish a solid foundation for the growth and transmission of the Catholic faith in our midst. Through their sacrificial love and pastoral care, we have grown from a tiny diocese of a few far-flung parishes, with roughly a dozen priests, to a beautifully diverse community of 225 parishes and 2 million Catholics, with almost 40 diocesan priests, active and retired.

Our diocesan priests provide years of dedication to parishes and ministries in the Archdiocese of Toronto, building on the legacy of those who nobly served before them. The Shepherds' Trust collection allows the priests of the Archdiocese of Toronto, after a lifetime of extending faithful service, to live the remainder of their lives with dignity and peace. Thank you for your generosity to this noble cause.

As they did in the earliest days of our diocese, today, priests rely on the faithful to help provide for their practical needs, especially as they live out the twilight years of their vocation. They often remain active, assisting with pastoral work as they are able. Yet they should also be afforded a rest.

The Shepherds' Trust channels financial support to our retired priests. With your help, they are assured of adequate care, including access to safe, modest but comfortable accommodations and funding to cover other necessities. The Shepherds' Trust also provides opportunities for shut-in and isolated priests to experience fellowship and recreation, and for the sick to receive medical care.

I assure you that contributions to the Shepherds' Trust are treated as a sacred trust, used solely for the care of our retired priests.

This year the collection dates for the appeal will be November 18-19, 2017. As best you can, I invite you to make a sacrificial gift to The Shepherds' Trust to demonstrate your support and gratitude for the pastoral care and service you and your loved ones have received from our priests.

May the Lord bless you and your family.

Yours sincerely in the Lord,

Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

(Taken from 'Message from His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins' on the 2017 Shepherds' Trust Newsletter)



Sunday Collection Information

In the coming year, we encourage you to consider the Pre Authorized Giving (PAG) program for your Sunday Collection and donations. According to the Archdiocese of Toronto, this is one of the best practices in the parish administration. We are also aware that many parishioners would like to continue using the Sunday Collection Envelopes. For this purpose, we are handing out a package for parishioners to choose their preference. Please go through the information and select either PAG or fill out the form for Sunday Collection Envelopes. Please return the form with your preference **by December 10, 2017**. Thank you for your continuous support towards our parish community.

November: We pray for the faithful departed

During this Year of the Family, we dedicate the month of November to those who have died in our families, friends and community. We encourage you to light a candle in their name and to include them in our Book of Remembrance.



We will remember them throughout November. All are welcome to attend a special presentation, **next Sunday, November 19** on:

The Gift of Gratitude: Handling Our Losses

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Join us next **Sunday, November 19**, after the 10:30 a.m. mass for a presentation on *The Gift of Gratitude: Handling Our Losses* by Alex Lopechuk, Coordinator of New Beginnings ministry.



All are welcome to attend.

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Mass Intentions

(November 10 – November 17, 2017)

Friday, November 10: *St. Leo the Great*

7:00 p.m.: +**Joseph Fernandes**

Req. Maria Fernandes

Intentions of Mary Grace Santos

Req. Zenaida Santos

Saturday, November 11: *St. Martin of Tours*

5:00 p.m.: +**Christine Fernandes**

Req. Maria Fernandes

Sunday, November 12:

6:00 p.m.: **Healing of Philip Occeno**

Req. Mitch and PJ

+ **Ivanka Gorse**

Req. Mary Sehovic

Monday, November 13:

8:00 a.m.: **Thanksgiving for Jesus A. Toro**

Req. Toro Young Family

Tuesday, November 14:

8:00 a.m.: **Souls of Sampang & Quiambao Family**

Req. Jennifer and Raymon Sampang

Wednesday, November 15: *St. Albert the Great*

8:00 a.m.: **Souls of Sampang-Gomez Family**

Req. Edelina Sampang-Gomez

Thursday, November 16: *St. Margaret of Scotland
and St. Gertrude*

8:00 a.m.: + **Joseph and Christine Fernandes**

Req. Maria Fernandes and Michael Rodrigues



St. Ann's Parish invites you to celebrate with us this Christmas season with a Christmas Gala Evening on **Saturday, December 9**. The formal reception will be held in the Hall starting at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$30.00 with proceeds going towards the New Heating System.

Confirmation Information

St. Joseph Parish invites parents and candidates to the preparation leading to Confirmation. The preparation classes will be held in the Church on Sundays after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. There will be a day of retreat in April. The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at St. Joseph Parish on Sat. April 7, 2018. There will be a fee of \$40.00 to help cover the cost of materials. Please fill out the registration form and attached a copy of your child's baptism certificate, when you come for registration. **Meeting #1- Introduction and Registration-** will be held at St. Joseph Church on **Wed., November 29 at 7:30 p.m.**

Children's Christmas pageant



Rehearsals for the children's Christmas pageant **start November 19**. Any interested families can sign up after the Sunday morning mass. If you have any questions, or would like to sign up, feel free to email melody.mcmullan@ryerson.ca.

Ministry Day – November 25, 2017



St. Ann's Parish Ministry Day is back! Please join us on **Saturday, November 25** after the 5 p.m. mass, for a wonderful evening celebrating our Parish Ministries and Volunteers.

Development & Peace: May Peace Be With Her

Did you know that only 2% of international funding dedicated to peace and security is allocated to equality between women and men or the empowerment of women? "Peace is a dream because I have always lived in conflict zones. Peace means that women's voices are being heard and that we decide how we wish to live and what we want to grow. Peace is also being able to recover our land without fear. It is the right to clean air and water. Peace is the right to live a dignified life." (Luz Estella Cifuentes, Secretariat of Colombian School for Political Training for Afro-Colombian and Indigenous women)



Fundraising for the New Heating System

This year we have done major renovations of the Hall and the New Sound System, thanks to your generosity and fundraising by the volunteers. The New Heating System is installed with the help of the Archdiocese of Toronto. We need to do a major fundraising for the repayment of the debt. Total costs of the New Heating System is \$118,940.00. If anyone would like to contribute new envelopes will be provided. Please do help us with the fundraising project so we can repay the debt and keep us in your prayers during this time.



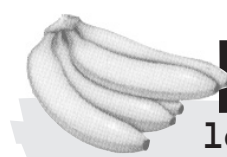
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