

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

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Pastoral Assistant

Deacon Roshan Kiro, SJ

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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

TWENTY-NINE SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: OCTOBER 22, 2017
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World Mission Day 2017

A short summary of the Message of Pope Francis given on the *Pentecost Sunday 04, June, 2017*

1. Jesus Christ is “**the very first and greatest evangelizer**” who invites us to reflect anew on the *mission at the heart of the Christian faith*. The Church is missionary by nature invites us to reflect on our Christian identity and our responsibility as believers in this world.
2. **The Church’s mission**, directed to all men and women of good will, is based on the transformative power of the Gospel. The Gospel is Good News filled with contagious joy, for it contains and offers new life: the life of the Risen Christ who, by bestowing his life-giving Spirit, becomes for us the **Way, the Truth and the Life** (cf. *Jn 14:6*).
3. **Mission and the *kairos* of Christ**: Let us never forget that “being Christian is not the result of an ethical choice or a lofty idea, but the encounter with an event, a Person, which gives life a new horizon and a decisive direction” (Benedict XVI, *Deus Caritas Est*, 1).
4. The world vitally needs the **Gospel of Jesus Christ**. Through the Church, Christ continues his mission as the *Good Samaritan*, caring for the bleeding wounds of humanity, and as *Good Shepherd*, constantly seeking out those who wander along winding paths that lead nowhere.
5. The Church’s mission is enlivened by a **spirituality of constant exodus**. We are challenged “to go forth from our own comfort zone in order to reach all the peripheries in need of the light of the Gospel” (*Evangelii Gaudium*, 20).
6. **Young people are the hope of mission**: The person of Jesus Christ and the Good News he proclaimed continue to attract many young people. They seek ways to put themselves with courage and enthusiasm at the service of humanity.
7. **World Mission Day** promoted by the Society of the Propagation of the Faith, is a good opportunity for enabling the missionary heart of Christian communities to join in *prayer, testimony of life and communion of goods*, in responding to the vast and pressing needs of evangelization.
8. We are called to **carry out our mission with Mary, Mother of Evangelization**: Moved by the Spirit, she welcomed the Word of life in the depths of her humble faith. May the Virgin Mother help us to say our own “yes”, conscious of the urgent need to make the Good News of Jesus resound in our time.


There will be a **second collection today Sunday, October 22 for World Mission Sunday**. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church. World Mission Sunday is our opportunity to assist Catholic communities in need throughout the world. Thank you for your support of this important work.

Congratulations!

St. Ann’s Parish congratulates the following members of our parish community on becoming the recipients of several special awards:

- **Fe Santos**, Outstanding Canadian Award recipient;
- **Francis & Dave Reyes**, Altar Server Awards recipients;
- **Sr. Gwen Smith**, Exceptional Volunteer Awards recipient.

October: We pray for all Youth

During this Year of the Family, we dedicate the month of  **YOUTH** October for all youth. We encourage you to pray for youth in our community and in the world.

Monday, October 23 - Youth retreat

Sunday, October 29 - Commitment ceremony.

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Mass Intentions

(October 20 – October 27, 2017)

Sunday, October 22:

6:00 p.m.: Healing of Marcela Brozich

Req. Christina Brozich and Maria Fernandes

+ **Ivanka Gorse**

Req. Mary Sehovic



All Souls Day – November 2

During the Month of November, we will remember and pray for all the people who have died in our family, our community and the world. As a concrete gesture of the memorial of the dead we welcome you to light a candle before the altar and pray for them during the mass. Please consider buying a Vigil Candle (**Cost: \$5.00**) and write the name of the person you want to remember and pray for. A mass will be offered on **Wednesday, November 2 at 7:00 p.m.** for all the faithful departed.

Handmaids of the Lord Sunday Breakfast

The Handmaids of the Lord will hold their monthly Breakfast next **Sunday, October 29**. Please join us at the hall after the 10:30 a.m. mass for breakfast and fellowship.



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.

“Do this in remembrance of Me” Taize

St. Paul’s Basilica Parish (83 Power St., Toronto) invites you on **Sunday, November 12, 2017** to meditative Scripture-based prayer and music in the Taize tradition, **from 3.30 to 4.30 p.m.** Join us in celebrating through contemplative song, scripture and silence. Social and light refreshments to follow. RSVPs appreciated. Contact: St. Paul Taize Prayer Group at stpaultaize@gmail.com. All are welcome.



St. Ann’s Parish invites you to celebrate with us this Christmas season with a Christmas Gala Evening on **Saturday, December 9, 2017**. 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 project.

Workshop on the Art of Discernment

On **Saturday, October 28** a team of men and women religious and a married couple will be facilitating the workshop at Loretto College (70 St. Mary St., Toronto), from 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Suggested donation is \$30 with lunch included. Please contact Frances Harrison-Atell at 416-467-2642 or email fharrison-atell@csj-to.ca to register.

Parish Headcount October 21/22

Once again this year, the Archdiocese is conducting a headcount survey in all parish and mission communities **today October 21/22**. The purpose of the count is to help provide an accurate profile of Mass attendance in the Archdiocese.

Youth Dinner and Dance Fundraising

The Youth of St. Ann Parish hosted a festive dinner and dance on Saturday, October 14. Many thanks to all who joined us for a wonderful evening of community fellowship, prizes and music. Your support helped us raised \$3,500 towards the New Heating System project.

Notre Dame & Holy Cross College Pilgrimage

St. Ann Parish was fortunate to host 50 pilgrims from the University of Notre Dame and Holy Cross College this past Sunday, October 14. Sincere thanks to all the volunteers that helped us make their visit an enjoyable one.



2017-2018 Sunday Missal Sale

You can now purchase the 2017-2018 Sunday Missal. Missals are available at the back of the church at a cost of \$5.00



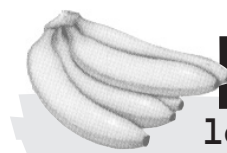
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