

## 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 MINISTRY

**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** 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

**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



**"Many Ministries for one mission of Jesus Christ" (Cf. 1 Cor. 12)**

### 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**
- 9:15 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-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: OCTOBER 7, 2018

## CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF MINISTRY

### Mass Intentions (October 5 – October 12, 2018)

**Friday, October 5:** 7:00 p.m.

+ Souls of the Fernandes Family

*Req. Norman, June and Jason Fernandes*

**Intentions of Carmencita** *Req. Carmencita*

**Saturday, October 6:** 5:00 p.m.

**Thanksgiving for Agnes Caruana**

*Req. Agnes Caruana*

**Sunday, October 7:** 6:00 p.m.

**Thanksgiving for Sophie Rose Murray**

*Req. Thelma Opeña*

### Year of Ministry – October 2018

During the month of October, we dedicate it to and pray for the teenagers, youth and young adults and all those who work in the youth Ministry. We pray, support and thank you for your time, talents and effective ministry at St. Ann parish and Native Peoples' Mission. The Synod on "Young people, faith and Vocational discernment" takes place in Rome from 03 to 28, October, please pray for the success of the Synod. May God continue to bless and guide you.

### First Communion and Confirmation Preparation at St. Joseph Parish

The preparation for First Communion and Confirmation at St. Joseph Parish will begin in the fall. If you have a child who is in grade 2 or older and who has not made First Communion, we invite you to register for his/her Communion during the month of September at St. Joseph Parish.

If you have a son/daughter in grade 7 or older who is not confirmed please register at St. Joseph Parish for the Sacrament of confirmation.

If you have any questions or need further information please call Fr. Francis at 647-967-5712

### Weekend Mass attendance count

As we approach the month of October, it is time once again to ask for your participation in the Archdiocese's annual weekend Mass attendance count. This year, the headcount survey for our parish community will take place on the weekends of **October 13/14 and October 20/21** at all our Mass times. This exercise is done annually to help provide an accurate profile of Mass attendance in the Archdiocese.

### Raise a Roof Jamaica – 2019

Next March 2019, a group of 14 local teens, joined by Father Wilson and 5 other adult project leaders, will be headed to Kingston, Jamaica once more to build houses for families in need. To fund this project, we are challenged with raising funds to cover the travel and material cost. So far we have raised 20% of the goal, but still have quite a way to go. Please consider donating towards this cause. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Any teens (15-18 years) interested in learning more about participating in the project can contact Jenni Piette at 647-531-2471



### All Souls Day



All Souls day is on 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 this memorial, we welcome you to light a candle before the altar and pray for them. 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 **Friday, November 2 at 7:00 p.m.** for all the faithful departed.

### Pilgrimage to Mexico & Ecuador



Join us for a Pilgrimage to Mexico and Ecuador **on May 02 – May 15, 2019** with Fr. Wilson Andrade, CSC. We will visit the shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe and many churches. Information sheets are available: at [www.qstours.com](http://www.qstours.com)

### Exploring our Spiritual Lives with St. Francis of Assisi

On every Wednesdays from October 17 to December 05, 2018 a series of 8 Sessions on various topics from the life of St. Francis of Assisi will be held to explore our spiritual lives. Please contact: Len Desroches at 416 462 2781. All are welcome. Donations accepted. **Place:** The Mustard Seed. 791 Queen St. East. **Time:** Wednesdays at 7: 00 pm to 8:45 pm. .

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CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF MINISTRY**

**Holy Cross Youth Movement – 2018 Review**

**A Brief History**

The Youth Group of St. Ann, Toronto was born on October 2, 2011. It is known as **The Holy Cross Youth Movement**. It has grown to become an excellent association for young individuals from our St. Ann's Parish Community to work together as a group, achieving spiritual, emotional and personal growth. With 20 members so far, we strive as a youth community to reflect our motto "**Together Towards Fullness**" in all of our activities. Our aim is to nurture our spiritual life through regular Sunday Mass, pilgrimages and prayers. Growing in our emotional and personal life through social commitments, we volunteer in our community and attend educational sessions with topics that contribute towards our personal self-improvement.



**2018 Youth activities highlights:**

- 1) Spiritual life:** We continue to participate throughout the weekend liturgies in order to nurture our prayer life and spirituality. This year we also joined the pilgrimage to the Quebec Shrines. Additionally, we joined the choir for Sunday evening mass times to promote more youth participation during mass. These activities helped us in discerning our call to become leaders in the Church and society, and in exploring our personality and spirituality.
- 2) Education, Leadership and personal skills:** This year, we were able to put in practice our planning and leadership skills by organizing a variety of events and fundraisers such as our annual Valentine's Day dinner/dance, and Fish and Chips Fridays during Lent. This year, we also practiced our communication skills with Sunday ESL classes taught by Catherine Barry. Throughout all these activities, the Youth Group worked as a team towards achieving leadership and personal growth.
- 3) Social Ministry:** We continued with our social commitments by volunteering at Bridgepoint Active Health Care, as well as helping out during the 2018 Canada Day Neighbourhood Celebration at Riverdale Park. In our community, we actively participated on the 2017 Ministry Day celebration. All these commitments helped us accomplish our goal of serving both in and outside our own Parish, by sharing in the diverse gifts and talents we all have as a group and creating community awareness.
- 4) New Members:** We are happy to welcome new members during our meetings and social activities. By integrating them into all of our group activities, we hope to develop our spirituality and personality together. This year we were very fortunate to welcome 5 new members into the group.

***Holy Cross Family Ministries – Canada* October – Month of Rosary**

The month of October is dedicated to Praying Family Rosary. The Holy Cross family ministries – Canada will provide for you many resources and encourage you to pray the Holy Rosary as a family or in the community. We ask your help in spreading the message of Family Prayer. Before the all the Weekend Masses we will be praying together the Rosary.

**Oct. 07, 2018: The Day of Celebration: Thanksgiving. Feast day & Anniversary**

**5: 30 p.m.:** Praying the Rosary for the feast of Our Lady of Rosary

**6:00 p.m.:** The Thanksgiving Mass and the 7<sup>th</sup> year of Anniversary Mass for the members of Holy Cross Youth Movement. We congratulate them and appreciate their contribution to St. Ann Parish Community. After the Mass, all are invited for the Pot-luck Thanksgiving Dinner.



***"The Family that Prays together, Stays together." Venerable Patrick Peyton, CSC***

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