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St. Padre Pio Parish

PARISH TEAM:

Father George Parayil - Pastor Deacon Gary Thibodeau - Deacon Assistant Deacon Curtis Boone - Deacon Assistant

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - 8:00 a.m. Italian

9:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

- 7:00 p.m. (preceded by the Divine Monday Mercy Chaplet @ 6:45 p.m.)

- 9:00 a.m. Tuesday

Wednesday - 7:00 p.m. (preceded by the

recitation of the Rosary @ 6:45 p.m.)

Thursday - 7:00 p.m. (Italian)

- 9:00 a.m. (followed by the recitation Friday

of the Rosary)

OFFICE:

Parish Secretary: Liza De Sousa Telephone - 905-893-7879

Fax - 905-893-7885

Parish email: stpadrepio@archtoronto.org

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday - 8:30am - 7:30pm Saturday - 10:00am - 6:00pm

OUR SCHOOLS:

St. Andrew School 905-893-1968 St. Padre Pio School 905-893-7082 Pope Francis School 905-893-8782 St. Stephen School 905-893-7557

BAPTISMS:

By appointment at least **two months in advance**. Instruction may be required.

CONFESSIONS:

Thurs - 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. (Italian) Sat - 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Any other time by appointment.

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:

We are available to visit the sick in the home or hospital and to bring communion. Please contact the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest **one year in advance**. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage.

If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.



Sat. January 21

5:00 pm – †Branizio Pasquantonio

Sun. January 22

8:00 am - +Anna Malizia

9:15 am - †Rena Marie Spanos

10:30 am -For the People of the Parish

12:00 pm - +Juliette Schneider-Fleck

Mon. January 23

7:00 pm - †Rita Rende

Wed. January 25

7:00 pm - Monthly Memorial Mass

Thurs. January 26

7:00 pm - +The Deceased Members of the Virgilio and Romanelli Families, +Pasquale & Elvira Scarcello, +Columba Scanna, +Joe Greco

Fri. January 27

9:00 am - +Elda Nonis

Feast Days This Week

Sat. Jan. 21 – St. Agnes

Tues. Jan. 24 - St. Francis De Sales

Wed. Jan. 25 – The Conversion of St. Paul the

Apostle

Thurs. Jan. 26 – St. Timothy and St. Titus

Offertory Collection

January 15, 2023

Weekly Offertory \$5,697.40

Website Prayer Line – Our parish receives many prayer requests per day from people all over the world who are in need of urgent prayer. These prayer requests are given to our parishioners who volunteer to pray for these requests. If you are interested in becoming a part of this valuable ministry, please contact Anna Catallo through the parish office at 905-893-7879 or info@stpp.church and complete the prayer request form.

Procedures for Marriage Arrangements

Couples planning to be married must contact the priest at least one year in advance. This is an Archdiocesan law and applies to all parishes. At least one party must be a registered member of the parish. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Archbishop's office has been consulted. Once a date has been set with the church, then the other arrangements, such as the rental of a hall etc., can be made. In preparation for the marriage, the Catholic party should be attending Sunday Mass each week. The couple will also receive personal preparation for

entering marriage through a Marriage Preparation program. Finally, the couple should remember that they are preparing mainly for a marriage, not a wedding. A wedding lasts one day, but marriage lasts forever!



Marriage Sunday will be celebrated on the weekend of February 11/12. There will be a special archdiocesan Mass on Sunday, February 12, 2023 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica at 2:30 pm. With His Excellency, Bishop Vincent Nguyen. All married couples, in particular those who will celebrate their 25th, 40th, 50th or 60+ wedding anniversary anytime throughout 2023 are welcome to attend the Mass to honour their fidelity and faithfulness. All those not able to attend in person are encouraged to join the celebration via livestream. Registration, online resources and other helpful material can be found at: https://www.archtoronto.org/marriage



Baptism

There will be a baptism preparation class on Monday, January 23 at 7:30pm in the Church for parents and Godparents of the children being baptized in December.

Gift Store

Gift Store Volunteers needed for the following Masses 5:00pm, 10:30am and 12:00pm. If you are interested, please contact Anna Chiappetta, at (416)471-6585

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registrations for the 2023-24 school year begin January 9th, 2023 in all York Catholic Schools. You can register at your local Catholic School or register online at: www.ycdsb.ca/admissions.

Side by Side Grief Support Ministry meets every Thursday at 7pm in the Narthex, Please email Deacon Curtis, for any questions or additional information at: deacon.curtis@gmail.com

Parish Registration – The office is continuously working on updating the parishioner database. If you/family are not registered and would like to be registered with St. Padre Pio Parish, please see one of the Ushers following Mass and they will provide you with a Parishioner Registration Form. Weekly Offertory Envelopes are available for parishioners who wish to use them and who wish to receive a tax receipt at the end of the year.



2023 Offertory Envelopes are available for pick up in the Narthex beside the office. Envelopes are sorted numerically; a list has been printed alphabetically to help you find your box

number. If you are new to the parish and would like to start using envelopes, please see one of the ushers following mass and they will be happy to help you. On the first few 2023 envelopes, please write your name and complete address so that the office can ensure your correct information when sending out tax receipts.

Please note: All donations received after December 31, 2022 will be included in your 2023 tax receipt. Thank you for your generosity.

Envelopes – Please destroy any envelopes you may have from previous years. Since donations are posted by envelope number, this will ensure that you receive proper credit from your current envelope number for your income tax receipt.

Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)

Parishioners are encouraged to sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG). It is a convenient, easy, and automatic way to support your parish. This allows the parish to meet its monthly obligations, such as hydro, heat, payroll etc. All donations are tax deductible and can be stopped at any time. Donations can be directed to your weekly or building fund offering or both and will be deducted from your bank account on the 20th of the month. Thanks to all our parishioners who give so generously.

Monthly Memorial Mass – Families are invited to our monthly memorial mass in commemoration of the loss of a loved one. The memorial mass will be celebrated on the last Wednesday of each month. A family member will be invited to light a candle and gather around the altar in honor of a loved one when the names are called. Anniversary Mass Donation envelopes are available in the narthex. Our next mass will be held on Wednesday, January 25, at 7:00 pm

Follow us on Instagram @ stpadrepioparish

We are live on Instagram. The parish of Saint Padre Pio would like to reach out to different age groups through social media. This tool helps us keep the community informed of all its activities and events at all times. The page was built and designed based on the guidelines set by the Archdiocese of Toronto. This tool is particularly important during those special times that we are all going through, we are updating all information as soon as we get them. We hope to have as many followers as possible. Please help us spread the word.

Winter – We do our best to keep snow and ice away from all steps and walkways. Please be careful when walking on the property and be safe!



Children's Liturgy –We invite children aged 4-9 to attend and learn about the WORD OF GOD at a level that they can understand at the 5:00, 10:30 & 12:00 Masses.

<u>Passion Play</u>

The Power of The Cross: A Musically Immersed Passion Play

The Parish of St. Padre Pio will be creating a Passion Play, which will also be a major fundraising event for the church. Entitled The Power of The Cross, the play will be held on the evening of Palm Sunday (Sunday, April 2, 2023, 7:30 PM), at St. Padre Pio Church. We are looking for volunteers to perform, people to help behind the scenes, as well as sponsors and advertisers for the souvenir program. If you would like to be involved in this community project, If you are interested in participating, there will be a meeting on Monday, January 30 at 7:30pm. For more information please contact: Liana Del Mastro at: stpadrepiopassionplay@gmail.com.



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We extend our sympathy and prayers to the families of our loved ones who have recently passed away:

Eliana Iaboni

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