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PARISH TEAM:

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

YOUTH MINISTRY

Hani Gorgees - Youth Minister Email: hgorgees@archtoronto.org

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 5:00 pm Sunday - 8:00 am Italian 9:15 am, 10:30 am & 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday	7:00 pm (Italian)
Tuesday	9:00 am (preceded by the Divine
-	Mercy Chaplet at 8:45am)
Wednesday	7:00 pm (preceded by the recitation
-	of the Rosary at 6:45pm)
Thursday	9:00 am
Friday	9:00 am (followed by the recitation of
2	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 8:30 am – 7:30 pm Saturday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

SOCIETY of SAINT VINCENT de PAUL

St Padre Pio Conference Phone: 289-216-2500 Email: stpadrepio.stvincentdepaul@gmail.com Website: svdptoronto.org

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:

Mondays - 6:30 - 7:00 pm (Italian) Saturday - 4:00 - 4:30 pm 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.



Feast Days This Week

Wed. Jan. 31 – **St. John Bosco** Fri. Feb. 2 – **The Presentation of the Lord** Sat. Feb. 3 – **St. Blaise**

Offertory Collection

Jan. 21, 2024 Sunday Collection

\$7,788.60

Thank you for your continous support!

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!

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Jan. 28 Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood, religious life or deaconate? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email vocations@archtoronto.org or visit www.vocationstoronto.ca



Family Day Skate - Monday, Feb. 19 The Knights of Columbus invite all

parishoners/families to our annual Family Day Skate. It will take place on Monday, February 19, 2024, from 4 pm- 6 pm at the Al Palladini Community Centre, located at 9201 Islington Ave (SW corner of Islington and Rutherford). Admission is free and refreshments will be available. Collection bins from the Vaughan Food Bank will be available and you are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items. All are welcome, hope to see you there.

LEAD ME TO THE CROSS: A Musically Immersed Passion Play

Following last year's highly successful Passion Play, the Parish of St. Padre Pio has started rehearsals for this year's play, entitled **Lead Me** To The Cross: A Musically Immersed Passion Play. The Passion Play will be performed on two evenings, Friday, March 22, 2024, at 7:30pm and Palm Sunday, March 24, 2024, at 7:30pm, at St. Padre Pio Church. Tickets will go on sale on February 10th. Stay tuned for more ticket information. As this is a major fundraising event for our Parish, we are looking for sponsors and advertisers for our souvenir program, which will be seen by over 1600 people. This is a great way to partner with the church and market your business. As well, we are looking for donations for our associated raffle and auction. All donors will be acknowledged in the souvenir program. For more information or to partner with this community project, please contact Liana Del Mastro at stpadrepiopassionplay@gmail.com.

CONFIRMATIONS – There will be a Sponsor meeting on Wednesday, February 6 at
7:30pm. All are invited to join the 7:00pm Mass. Confirmandi and Sponsors are required to attend.

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 31**, **at 7:00 pm**

First Friday

Friday, February 2 is the First Friday of the month. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am, followed by the Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Eucharistic Adoration will be available for personal prayer time until 6:30pm with Benediction, followed by the 7:00pm Mass.

"Come to me, all who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest". (Mt 11:28)

An Hour with Jesus

Can you spend an hour with Jesus? What would you talk about? Come and find out. Beginning at 6:00pm on every first Friday the month, you can come and spend an hour with Jesus in praise and worship music, meditation, reflection and adoration – all in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. At the heart of Eucharistic Adoration is our Lord Jesus Christ – so come and spend some time with him. No formal prayer is needed. Just a willingness to meet with Jesus. People of all ages are welcome to attend, to sing, praise and have a dialogue with Jesus straight from their hearts.



Baptism

We offer our congratulations to the parents of the children baptized in January:

Michael Robert Laregina, Miles Asher Madriaga, Jacob James MacFayden, Dahlia Anne Panza, Massimo Mario Ferrari, Lorenzo Mattia Bertucci, Victoria Adriana Diana, Urijah Robert Glassford, Sofia Angelina Teresa Solomita



ASH WEDNESDAY Ash Wednesday Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, February 14 at 9:00am & 7:00pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday during the Season of Lent at **7:00pm**

PARISH LENTEN MISSION February 19, 20 & 21 at 7:00pm (Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday) Join us for a powerful three evening encounter with Jesus, led by Fr. Allan MacDonald, CC. Attending the mission is a truly meaningful way to experience Lent and Easter, and prepare for Holy Week. There is no cost to attend and everyone is welcome.

Fr. Allan MacDonald studied at St. Peter's Seminary in London, ON. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1994 and in 2001 he joined the Society of the Companions of the Cross. Since then, he has served as a member of the Community Formation Team, Parish Priest, Vocations Director, and General Superior of the Community. For the last 4 years he's been an itinerant preacher both in person (Missions, Retreats, etc.) and online with his YouTube ministry. For more info visit <u>padreamac.com</u>

PARISH LENTEN CONFESSIONS

Our Parish Lenten Confessions will take place on Wednesday, March 20 at 7:30pm. Several priests will be available to hear your confessions.



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

Salvatore Frustaglio Penelope Jaroszko Rosa Rubino

May they rest in peace. Amen

