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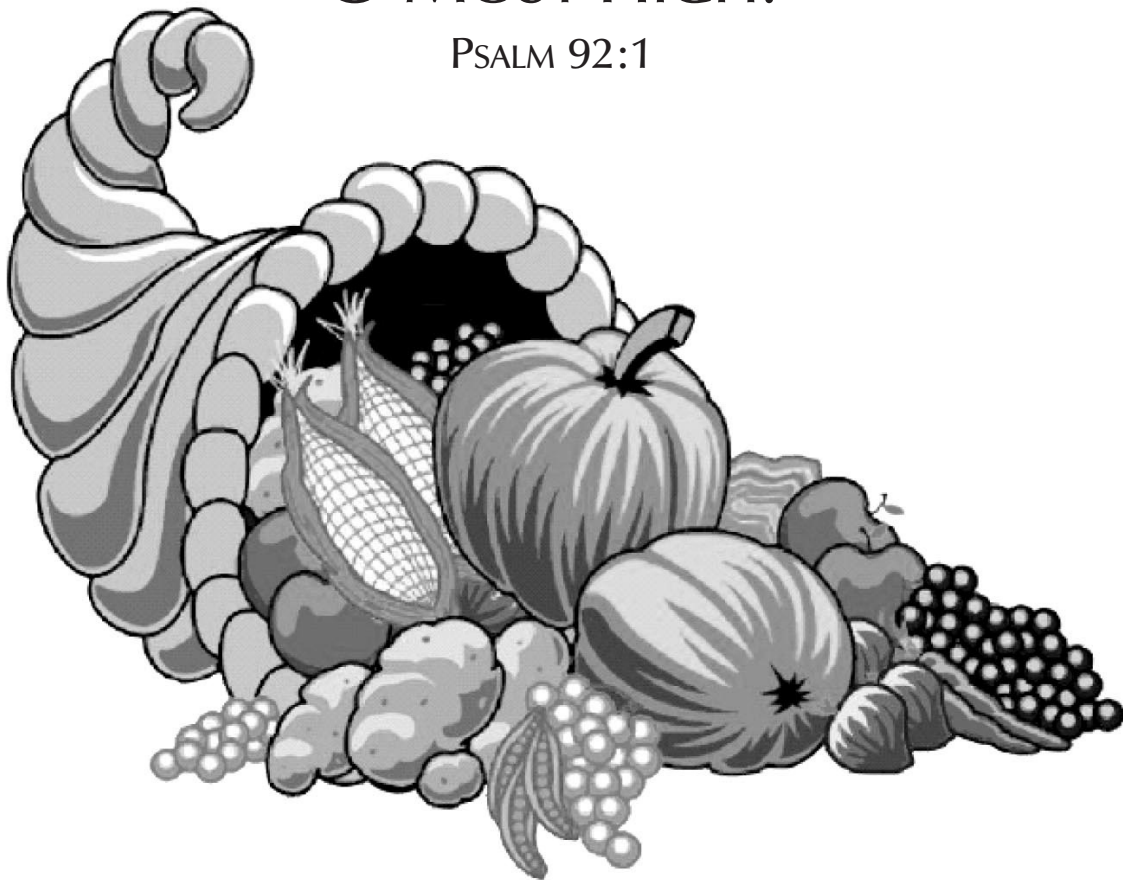


Fr. Michael Machacek, Pastor

Fr. Brian Shea, In Residence

IT IS GOOD TO GIVE THANKS
TO THE LORD,
TO SING PRAISES TO YOUR NAME,
O MOST HIGH!

PSALM 92:1



**A Happy Thanksgiving
to you all!**

MASSES & INTENTIONS JMJ

Monday, October 12, Thanksgiving Day

8:00 a.m. † Danilo Otland
req. by B. & G. Buenaventura

Wednesday, October 14, St. Calistus, Pope & Martyr

8:00 a.m. † Frank McAuliffe and
† Grace LaRose
req. by Carol & Kevin McAuliffe

Thursday, October 15, St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Dr. of the Church

8:00 a.m. † Rosina Tarantino, req. by Christina Bianchi
9:30 a.m. St. Ambrose School Mass

Friday, October 16, St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

8:00 a.m. † Jacek Sitarski, req. by Krystyna Sitarski

Saturday, October 17
4:30 p.m. † Genevieve Trut, req. by C & K McAuliffe
† Gabriel Michael Galante
req. by Grandparents Krystyna & Matt

Sunday, October 18, XXIX Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. † Marg Gombita
req. by the Bazaar Committee
† Francesco DelVicario, req. by G DelVicario
† Enrico Mayo
req. by Jesse & Cynthia & Family
11:00 a.m. † Marcin Rosiewicz, req. by Wife & Children



*The Marian Lamp burns for 7 days in
Memory of †Ivanka Markovic
req. by the Markovic Family*



45th ANNUAL BEST BAZAAR EVER

**Saturday, October 17th 10am – 3pm &
Sunday, October 18th 10 am – 1 pm**

With the Bazaar just around the corner, we are **looking for donations of baked goods and preserves**. Donations can be dropped off at the Parish Hall on **Friday, October 16 from 1:00–7:00 p.m.** We are also still **seeking items for our Silent Auction**. If you have an item, gift certificate, service or other contribution you would like to donate, we would be grateful for your support. *Thank you to everyone who has already donated, volunteered and helped prepare for this year's Bazaar. We couldn't do it without you!*

To arrange a donation, please call the Church Office at 416-251-8282 There is still time to volunteer, please email the office at stambroseET@archtoronto.org to add your name to the list. And to those of you who have already volunteered, **thank you**. Volunteers will be contacted this week to work out assignments.

YOUTH MINISTRY AT ST. AMBROSE PARISH

Life Teen - High School Teens, Friday, October 16

EDGE -- Grades 5–8, Friday, October 23

6:00 p.m. – 9:45 p.m. at St. Ambrose Parish Hall

For more info, please email AMirga@archtoronto.org



ST. AMBROSE CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Liturgy gatherings for children between the age of 3 and 9 years old will resume at the 11:00 am Mass, starting on Sunday, October 25th.

GOOD SHEPHERD MINISTRIES FOOD DRIVE

*Provides food for the poor in our city. This Thanksgiving, we are trying to help them out by encouraging you to donate food items. Donations can be dropped off in the Church Narthex *Please do not bring perishable items. Please see our Bulletin boards for more information. Thank you all for your support!*




Good Shepherd Ministries Thanksgiving Food Drive



Give Thanks

Give Hope

**Monetary
Donation Welcomed!**

ITEMS NEEDED:

- Tuna/Canned Meat - Coffee & Tea Bags - Soups & Stews - Condiments (e.g. soy sauce, barbeque sauce, ketchup, mayonnaise, mustard, etc.) - Peanut Butter & Jams	- Canned Tomatoes, Corn, and Vegetables - Beans & Chickpeas - Pasta Sauce - Granola Bars & Pancake Mix - Dried Meals - Bagged Rice
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we can only accept non-perishable food in its original, unused condition and NOT EXPIRED

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RCIA The Rite to Christian Initiation of Adults, known as RCI, is a program that prepares adults who are not members of the Roman Catholic Church, to be either baptized or else received into the RC Church, as well

as making their 1st Communion & Confirmation. If you are an adult who is interested, please go to www.stambroseparish.com and click on the Sacraments tab on the homepage, then click on R.C.I.A. form. Complete the form & send it to Fr. Michael by emailing Fr.Michael@live.ca. Classes are on Wednesday evenings from 7:30-8:30 pm at the Church, starting on Wednesday, October 28th. The program will conclude on Wednesday, March 31st.

PRAYING WITH THE SACRED SCRIPTURES



A continuation of **Lectio Divina** - (Sacred Reading). The next meeting will be on **Thursday, October 22nd at 7:00 p.m.** in the **Church Hall**. (Going forward, Fr. Michael anticipates it will be held on the 2nd Thursdays of the month). Attendees will have the opportunity to learn how to practice *Lectio Divina*, by working with one of the readings for the following Sunday mass, followed by group sharing. All are invited to attend. The meeting will end by **8:30 pm.at the latest**.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION

Online Registration for the 2026 Sacraments for the children began this past Thursday, October 1st. The Parent Information Meeting will be on Monday, October 19th at 7:00 p.m. For more Information and online Registration, please visit on our website at www.stambroseparish.com under the Sacraments/First Holy Communion/Reconciliation tab.

ALL SOULS MASS, Monday, Nov 2 at 7:30 pm



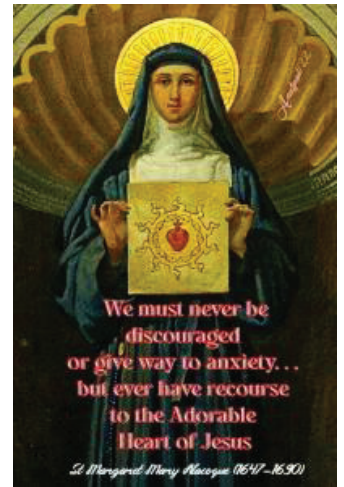
You are all invited to attend an All-Souls evening service on Monday, November 2, to honour family members or close friends who have passed away within the past year -- they do not necessarily have to be St. Ambrose parishioners. The stipend is \$10, which allows for two names. During the offertory, parishioners will be asked to place their rose in a vase in front of the Altar. Light refreshments will be served afterwards in the parish hall, hosted by the CWL. Special envelopes are available at the entrances to the church. Sign-up deadline: Monday, October 26th.

PLEASE PRAY FOR PEACE IN THE WORLD



A Prayer for Thanksgiving

Loving God,
We turn our hearts to you on this day for giving thanks, mindful of your many gifts.
For each one, we are grateful.
For each one, we are blessed.
For each one we are opened to the abundance of your love.
May this Thanksgiving Day offer a reminder to be generous with others, as you are with us.
We praise you.
We rejoice in you.
We give you thanks.
Amen.



CWL PRESENTATION, Thursday, Oct 29th -7 pm

Please scan the QR code to register or sign up using the folder that's located in the front of the church.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE & THE HUMAN PERSON
Presentation by Gerard Ryan, SJ, DPhil
Scarboro Chair in Interreligious Dialogue
Director, Fraser Centre for Practical Theology

Join us for an evening of reflection on Pope Leo's encyclical on human dignity in the age of AI: *Magna Humanitas*.

Gerard Ryan, SJ, leads us in an inquiry into the dignity, agency, and enduring mystery of the human person in an age of machine intelligence. Moving beyond technical capability and economic utility, this talk examines the philosophical and spiritual stakes of our technological moment, asking how we might safeguard what is irreplaceable in the human experience.

October 29 at 7:00 PM
St. Ambrose Parish
782 Browns Line,
Etobicoke, ON

Free Registration:
frasercentre.ca/events

Gerard Ryan, SJ, DPhil. is a Jesuit priest and Associate Professor of Political Theology at Regis College. He serves as a Director of the Msgr. Fraser Centre of Practical Theology and Scarboro Chair in Interreligious Dialogue.

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