

Fr. Brian Shea, In Residence



In Christ we are all things, He is everything to us. If you have wounds to heal, He is a physician; if fever scorches you, He is a fountain. Would you punish evil doing, He is justice, If you need help, He is strength; if you fear death, He is life; if you hunger, He is food.

- St. Ambrose

Sunday Liturgy		
Saturday (Vigil)	4:30 pm	
	Family Mass with Youth Choir	
Sunday	9:00 am	Cantor & Organ
	11:00 am	Choir & Organ

Monday-Friday 8:00 am (no Mass Tuesdays)

Holy Hour Eucharistic Adoration
 First Friday 8:30 am - 9:30 am
"Can you not watch an hour with me?" Matthew 26:40
 Holy Rosary Monday - Saturday 7:30 am
 Divine Mercy Chaplet Monday - Saturday 8:30 am
 Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Wednesdays 8:45 am

Under the direction of the pastor, Friendly Visitors serve those in the parish and surrounding community who are in need of social interaction. Must attend a 1 day training session when available.

Please contact the parish office to update address/phone #s or to volunteer in ministries.

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday - 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Closed Tuesday, Saturday, Sunday & Statutory Holidays
To schedule an appointment, please call the office during
business hours. (If planning to drop in between 12:00 noon & 1:00 pm
please call before)

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. Ambrose! Registration Forms and Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) Forms can be found on our website at www.stambroseparish.com under the **Contact** tab or you can email stambroseET@archtoronto.org

Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm (or by appointment)

Couples wishing to arrange a wedding must contact the Pastor One year in advance and be registered with the parish. Please do not set the date until you have met with the Pastor. Marriage Information Guidelines can be found on the parish website, under "Sacraments".

Baptisms for infants and young children are celebrated every 3rd Sunday of the month, immediately following the 11:00 a.m. mass. Baptism Registration and Preparation Instructions can be found on the parish website, under "Sacraments".

If you or a loved one are in a hospital and wish for a visit from a priest for the sacrament of the anointing of the sick, please contact the Nurses' station and ask them to contact the "Priest on call". For other locations, please contact the parish office. Those who are confined to their homes by illness, infirmity or age, who would like to receive communion, please contact the office.

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services: 416-733-8544

Altar Servers, Children's Liturgy, Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Lay Pastoral Visitors, Friendly Visitors, Greeters, Ushers, St. Ambrose Choir and Youth Choir, Youth Ministry, Catholic Women's League, Knights of Columbus & Honouring God's Creation Society

WE WELCOME **YOU** TO JOIN US!

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MASSES & INTENTIONS JMJ

Monday, September 14, The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:00 a.m. †Bridget Deasy, req. C & K McAuliffe
In Thanksgiving for the DeBlois Family
req. by Sonny Udasco & Family

Wednesday, September 16, Sts. Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian,
Bishop, Martyrs

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

Thursday, September 17, St. Robert Bellamine, Bishop & Doctor
of the Church, St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. †Marie Jehan, req. by C & K McAuliffe

Friday, September 18

8:00 a.m. †Jeanne Marguerite Courturier dite LaBonte
req. by Carol & Kevin McAuliffe

Saturday, September 19, St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr

4:30 p.m. †Mary Collins (from England)
req. by Theresa Bridel

Sunday, September 20, XXV Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. †Marguerite Gareman
req. by Carol & Kevin McAuliffe
†Rosaria Guiang, req. by Josie Guiang
†Fabio Capobianco, req. by Mrs. Capobianco
11:00 a.m. All living & deceased members of the
Giannini, LoGiaccio & Fattore families

WORLD YOUTH DAY MASS WITH CARDINAL LEO

– Saturday, November 21, 2026

Come together for an evening of faith, prayer, community, and joyful celebration as we honour Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, and gather as one Church. Free admission. No registration required. Open to all young adults ages 19-39. Bring a friend and come be a part of this beautiful celebration of Christ the King, faith and fellowship! Video link: <https://bit.ly/WYDMass2026>



CWL The Next meeting will take place on
Thursday, September 17th in the Church hall
from 7:00 – 8:00 pm.

ST. AMBROSE CHILDREN'S LITURGY



Children's Liturgy will begin this Sunday, September 13! Children ages 3 to 9 are invited to participate in the Children's Liturgy each week during the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Children will have the opportunity to learn about the Sunday Gospel through an age-appropriate lesson, activities, and crafts before returning to the Church to join their families for the remainder of Mass. Questions? Parents are welcome to contact us at st.ambrosechildrenliturgy@gmail.com



ST. AMBROSE BEST BAZAAR EVER

Save the Dates

Saturday, October 17th

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. &

Sunday, October 18th from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

It's time to start packing up your donations for the bazaar. Please limit the weight of your boxes. Think of Fr. Brian's back as he carries all those boxes down the stairs and has to hoist others off the floor and onto tables or pull boxes down from a 2 metre high shelf. Donations can be dropped off on the weekends of September 19/20, September 26/27, and October 3,4. On Saturdays, please bring your donations between the hours of 1pm and 5pm. On Sundays, please bring your donations between the hours of 8am and 12noon. If you're not able to bring your donations during these times, please contact the office to make alternate arrangements. There's also still time to volunteer. Please email the office at stambroseET@archtoronto.org to add your name to the list.

YOUTH MINISTRY AT ST. AMBROSE PARISH

LIFETEEN & EDGE ARE STARTING! We are excited to launch Life Teen and EDGE at St. Ambrose Parish! These programs give young people an opportunity to grow in faith, build friendships, have fun, and become part of a welcoming community. **Life Teen** -

For high school teens, Starts September 11 **EDGE --**
For Grades 5–8, Starts September 18 Every Friday at
 6:00 PM – 9:45 PM at St. Ambrose Parish Hall, 782
 Browns Line, Etobicoke ✦ **FREE PROGRAM!** Faith •
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 WE ARE LOOKING FOR LEADERS & HELPERS! Would
 you like to make a difference in the lives of our young
 people? We are looking for leaders and helpers who
 are willing to share their time, talents, and faith with
 our youth. Whether you can help with activities, small
 groups, food, setup, or simply being there to support
 our teens and young people, we would love to have
 you join our team! To learn more or to volunteer,
 please contact Agnes: amirga@archtoronto.org

PRAYING WITH THE SACRED SCRIPTURES

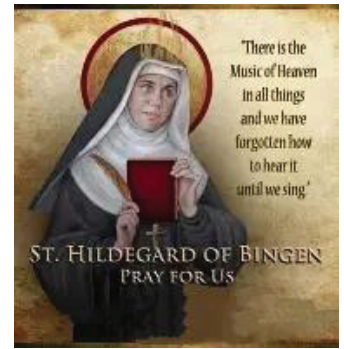
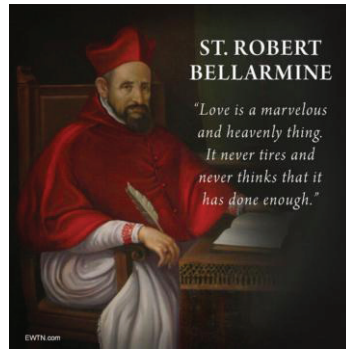


A continuation of ***Lectio Divina*** - In
 response to the positive feedback
 received at Fr. Michael's Reflection
 Evening on March 26th, a decision was made to hold
 monthly *Lectio Divina* (Sacred Reading) meetings for
 our parishioners. The next meeting will resume again
Thursday, September 24th 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 before 8:30 pm.



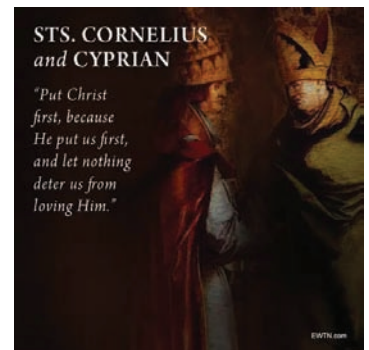
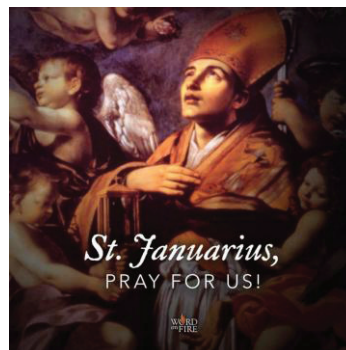
COFFEE SUNDAY IS RETURNING

We are
 happy to announce that Coffee Sunday is returning to
 St. Ambrose Parish on September 20th, after each
 Mass. Come enjoy some coffee, delicious food, and
 fellowship with our parish community! 🍰 **WE ARE
 LOOKING FOR DONATIONS!** We are kindly asking
 parishioners to consider donating **baked goods,
 desserts, or savoury foods** to help make our Coffee
 Sunday a success. All proceeds will go toward
**supporting our Youth Group and Youth Ministry
 programs**. Your generosity and support will help us
 provide opportunities for our young people to grow in
 faith, build community, and participate in youth
 ministry activities. *Thank you for supporting our youth
 and our parish community!*



HUMANITARIAN RELIEF – NEPAL MUDSLIDES & COLOMBIA EARTHQUAKE

The Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting donations to support humanitarian relief efforts following the devastating mudslides and flooding in Nepal & the recent devastating earthquake in Colombia. Both disasters have resulted in significant loss of life, displacement and widespread damage to homes, roads, bridges and other critical infrastructure. Those wishing to help may donate online through www.archtoronto.org, by phone through the *Donations Processing Centre* at **437-529-1287**, or through the parish. Funds will be channeled through trusted Catholic partners assisting those most affected. *Please pray for those who have died, those who are grieving or displaced, and all those providing emergency assistance and support.*



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION

Information & Registration for the 2026 Sacraments for the children will be distributed to the students after the St. Ambrose School Mass at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, September 21st. Information is posted on our website at www.stambroseparish.com under the Sacraments/First Holy Communion tab.

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