

St. Padre Pio

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PARISH TEAM:

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

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 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.



7:00pm -

Feast Days This Week

Sun . Jul. 28 – World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly Mon. Jul. 29 – Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus Tues. Jul. 30 – St. Peter Chrysologus Wed. Jul. 31 – St. Ignatius of Loyola Thurs. Aug. 1 – St. Alphonsus Liguori

Offertory Collection

<u>Jul. 21, 2024</u> Weekly Offertory **\$5,711.15**

Thank you for your continuous support!

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 wish to be added to the prayer line, please visit our website at <u>www.stpp.church</u> to complete the prayer request form or email the parish office at <u>stpadrepio@archtoronto.org</u>

R.C.I.A. – Any person who would like to become a Catholic is asked to register now for the 2024-2025 session which will begin in the Fall. Also, any Catholic who would like to deepen their faith is welcome to attend the program. For more information, please call the parish office at 905-893-7879.



Celebration of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday, August 15, 2024.

Solemnity Mass – 7:00 pm followed by a Candlelight Procession and Rosary. Candles will be sold prior to Mass in the Narthex.

First Communion and Confirmation 2024/2025

Information regarding dates and Catechism Classes will become available at the beginning of the school year. Information will be shared with the school as well as on our parish website, weekly bulletin newsletter and pulpit announcement. Please be attentive to important dates and details that will be provided.

Teacher Candidates

The York Catholic District Schools Boards amongst many others require that all applicants to submit a pastoral reference when applying for a position within the boards. It is the responsibility of the candidate to attend Sunday Liturgy, be involved in parish life and contact the parish priest well in advance. The pastor cannot complete the form if he does not know the applicant.

Golf Tournament

Our 21st Annual St. Padre Pio Parish Golf Tournament will be held on Wednesday, August 14, 2024 at Royal Woodbine Golf Club (195 Galaxy Blvd. Toronto, Ontario). The



cost is \$250 per golfer, which includes 18 holes of golf with cart (1:00 pm shotgun start), games along the course, buffet BBQ lunch (11:30 am), and a deluxe buffet oven roasted top sirloin and roasted chicken dinner (6:30 pm). Tickets to attend the dinner only are \$100 each. Participating in this fundraising tournament is a way of supporting the needs of the parish, while joining in fun and fellowship. If you cannot attend the tournament, please consider supporting through one of the many sponsorships, purchasing 50/50 tickets or raffle tickets, or making a donation. To register, please visit https://stpadrepio.archtoronto.org/, and click on "Golf Tournament." If you have any questions, please contact stpadrepiogolf@gmail.com.

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

Girls' Choir Looking for Members with a Passion for Music! The Hawthorn School for Girls' Choir (www.hawthornschool.com) will be singing at different parishes in the GTA during Sunday Mass and wedding Masses, and will share their talents with senior citizens at various long-term care homes. Hawthorn's Choir is looking for more members between 13 and 17 years of age. Volunteers with a love for music are most welcome! For more information, please contact Queenie Yu at qyu@hawthornschool.com or 416-444-3054.

World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly 2024 - Sunday, 28 July 2024

Today we celebrate the fourth **World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly**, Pope Francis inaugurated this World Day to be celebrated by the universal Church each July, either on or near the liturgical Memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, grandparents of Jesus, to help "treasure the spiritual and human wealth that has been handed down from generation to generation."

In his Message for the fourth World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, Pope Francis shares this year's theme for the Day: **"Do not cast me off in my old age"** (*Psalm 71:9*). He invites the Catholic faithful to reflect on the loneliness of the elderly, encouraging us to "take a new path" and to spend time with them, "acknowledging their unique role in the family, in society and in the Church..."

Let us welcome this opportunity to 'build something different', reaching out to each other, both young and old, to strengthen our bonds of love and fraternity, so that no one may ever feel 'cast off', lonely, or discarded.

EMAIL SCAM ALERT

In recent weeks there has been a sharp increase in the amount of fake/scam emails being received by parishioners throughout the archdiocese. These emails – usually sent from Gmail accounts operated by scammers - appear to be from a priest and often request the purchase of gift cards or electronic payments. Please exercise caution should you receive an email like this and contact the parish via telephone to validate its authenticity.

Collection for Canadian Missions

On **Sunday, August 11**, the Archdiocese of Toronto holds its annual collection for Canadian Missions. Proceeds go to the Dioceses of Mackenzie-Fort Smith and Grouard-McLennan and Catholic Missions In Canada, which do not receive support from October's World Mission Sunday collection. Canadian home missions face unique challenges in demanding cultural and physical environments. Your contributions to this collection provide crucial support to fellow Catholics in remote areas of our nation.

First Friday

Friday, August 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.



Marriage

We offer the following couples who will celebrate the sacrament of marriage this coming week our best

wishes and ask God to bless them and grant them happiness, peace, and joy and strength in trials, all the days of their lives together.

Joshua Misquitta and Danielle Vitali Kevin Jardim and Joceleen Jacome

In loving Memory

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

passed away: *Maria (Giuseppina) Galati* May she rest in peace. Amen

