The Parish Community of

St. Padre Pio

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - 9:15, 10:30 & 12:00 noon

- 8:00 a.m. Italian

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday - 7:00 p.m. Tuesday - 9:00 a.m. Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.

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

Friday - 9:00 a.m.

OFFICE:

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Hours:

Monday – Friday - 8:30am – 7:30pm

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.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Sat. May 14

5:00 pm -+Doris & Mario Degilio

Sun. May 15

9:15 am -+Nunzia Zito, +Joseph Quinto

10:30 am - +Giuseppe Miceli

12:00 noon - +For the People of the Parish

Mon. May 16

7:00 pm - +Gandolfo Puleo

Tues. May 17

9:00 am - +Jeannita Thibodeau

Wed. May 18

7:00 pm - +Donald Gayle, +Tiago Bernardo,

+Roman Pazder, +Manuel Rolo

Thurs. May 19

7:00 pm- +Maria Vomiero & the Deceased Members of the Vomiero Family

Fri. May 20

9:00 am - +Selvarani Anthony Pillai

Feast Days This Week

Wed. May 18 – **St. John I**, pope, martyr Fri. May 20 – **St. Bernardine of Siena**, priest Sat. May 21 – **St. Eugene de Mazenod**, bishop **St. Christopher Magallanes**, priest, and **Companions**, martyrs

First Communion — We offer our congratulations to the students of Pope Francis School who are receiving their First Communion this Sunday at 2:00pm. Thank you to the teachers and parents for helping to prepare the children for this sacrament.

Wedding – will be celebrated on May 21th for Alessia Socci and Paul Queen. We offer them 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.

Baptisms

We offer our congratulations to the parents of the children baptized on Sunday of last weekend.

Mateo Hackembruch
Jeriah Idaago Jeffrey
Luca Jimenez
Luciano Jimenez
Alice Martinucci
Olivia McManus
Geneva Rose Pereira
Marcello Ruffolo

Special Collection – Pope's Pastoral Works – Next weekend there will be a special collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. Each year Canadian Catholics

are asked to give generously to this papal collection, which is passed on to the Holy Father for his use among those stricken by natural disasters such as earthquakes and floods. In the name of Catholics everywhere he displays Christ's love and compassion for those who suffer. Envelopes are available at the back.

ShareLife Goal Update - Thus far our parish has raised \$28,495 toward our goal of \$75,000. "Our goal can be met, but only with your help. I invite you to join today's generation of heroes by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife. As you contemplate the blessings God has entrusted to you, please join me in giving to ShareLife to the best of your ability." – Cardinal Thomas Collins The final ShareLife Sunday of the year is June 5. Please give generously through the parish or at sharelife.org. Thank you for living the Gospel!

The Celebration Goes On – with Easter Day comes life, light and joy. Jesus' death was not the end. He came to earth to give His life, in order to make peace between God and us and to bring the whole universe back to God. His rising to life proved that he had won the battle against sin, darkness and death, once and for all. All these events happened nearly 2000 years ago, and it often seems that evil and suffering and violence still rule the world. But Jesus made two promises, which make the final victory of good and justice certain. Before He left the world to go back to His Father, Jesus promised to send his Holy Spirit to live with His followers, bringing them courage and strength to defeat sin and fear in their own lives. Peter and the disciples were changed people when the Holy Spirit came down on them on the first day of Pentecost. And the Holy Spirit still comes to those who have found new life in Jesus, transforming their lives. Jesus also promises that He himself would return to our world one day. The hope of His coming again excited and thrilled the early church, and it encouraged and cheered Christians every century since. The Scriptures say that Jesus will come, not as an unknown carpenter and preacher, but as the King of Kings and Lord of Lords. He will drive away greed and violence and selfishness and bring in a world of peace and love for all who are His subjects. Then, at last, it will be true that, "the kingdom of the world has become the Kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ, and He shall reign for ever and ever". So the celebration that began at Easter will never end.

Sanctity of Life Rosary for May – the CWL will be praying the rosary every Sunday in May for the sanctity of all human life. They will begin at

11:40am following the 10:30am Mass. Please try to come to Mass early to join them.

Children's Liturgy – has resumed at the 5:00pm, 10:30am & 12:00noon Masses. Children ages 4-9, leave the church at the beginning of Mass so that they may understand the readings of the Mass at their level. They return to their parents at the Offertory of the Mass.

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.

Longo gift cards are available for purchase in denominations of \$25, \$50, \$100, and \$500. Longo's supports our parish by donating a percentage of the cards purchased to our mortgage fund. If you shop at Longo's why not purchase a gift card from the store and in doing so, help your parish. If you require large purchases for your company event, etc., please call the Parish Office at 905-893-7879.

The Litany of Loreto

Lord, have mercy Lord, have mercy Christ, have mercy Christ, have mercy Lord, have mercy Lord, have mercy Holy Mary Mother of God, pray for us Holy Virgin of virgins, pray for us Mother of Christ, pray for us Mother of the Church, pray for us Mother of divine grace, pray for us Mother most pure, pray for us Mother most chaste, pray for us Mother inviolate, pray for us Mother undefiled, pray for us Mother most amiable, pray for us Mother of Good Counsel, pray for us Mother of our Creator, pray for us Mother of our Saviour, pray for us

Virgin most prudent, pray for us Virgin most venerable, pray for us Virgin most renowned, pray for us Virgin most powerful, pray for us Virgin most merciful, pray for us Virgin most faithful, pray for us

Mirror of justice, pray for us Seat of wisdom, pray for us Cause of our joy, pray for us Spiritual vessel, pray for us Vessel of honour, pray for us Singular vessel of devotion, pray for us Mystical rose, pray for us Tower of David, pray for us Tower of ivory, pray for us House of Gold, pray for us Ark of the Covenant, pray for us Gate of Heaven, pray for us Morning Star, pray for us Refuge of Sinners, pray for us Comforter of the afflicted, pray for us Help of Christians, pray for us Queen of angels, pray for us Queen of patriarchs, pray for us Queen of prophets, pray for us Queen of apostles, pray for us Queen of martyrs, pray for us Queen of confessors, pray for us Queen of virgins, pray for us Queen of all saints, pray for us Queen conceived without original sin, pray for us Queen of the Rosary, pray for us Queen of the family, pray for us Queen of peace, pray for us Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, spare us O Lord, Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, hear us, O Lord, Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Election Debate from a Catholic Perspective

Wednesday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m., the Archdiocese of Toronto will host an election debate where representatives from the major political parties will discuss issues that matter to Catholics across Ontario. The debate will be livestreamed on the Archdiocese of Toronto's YouTube and Facebook accounts (@archtoronto), and it will be broadcasted on Salt+Light TV. This evening will include Cardinal Collins sharing his thoughts on the election. More than 12,000 people viewed the archdiocese's 2019 federal election debate, so we hope you will join many other Catholics in sharing your thoughts using the hashtag CatholicVote2022. Please remember to vote in the provincial election on June 2nd.

Sympathy – We offer our deep sympathy to Deacon Gary Thibodeau and his family on the death of his mother Jeannita Thibodeau. May God grant her His eternal peace and joy and send comfort to all who mourn her passing

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