

Sunday, June 25, 2023



"So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows. Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father. But whoever denies me before others, I will deny before my heavenly Father." - Mt 10:31-33

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 26, 2023

8:15 am: + Jose Chan

Tuesday, June 27, 2023

8:15 am: + Stasia Aranha

7:00 pm: Special Intentions of John & Gladys Noronha

Wednesday, June 28, 2023

8:15 am: + All Souls

Thursday, June 29, 2023

8:15 am: + Juen Haydu

Friday, June 30, 2023

8:15 am: + Anthony Baptista

7:00 pm: + Gioan Baotixita Ty

50th Anniversary—Fred & Jennifer

+ Benjamin Gueco

+ Peter Quyet

+ All Souls

Saturday, July 1, 2023

8:15 am: + Rosalia Da Costa

5:00 pm: Thanksgiving Mass—The Isaacs Family

Sunday, July 2, 2023

8:30 am: + Joe Santos

10:00 am: + Sheila Miraballes

12:00 pm: St. Patrick's Parishioners & Youth

7:00 pm: + Lorenzo & Maria Perin

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

When I was in middle school, there were times I didn't want my fellow students to see my parents drop me off or pick me up in the school parking lot. I was embarrassed of my parents. Why? I have no idea. Maybe it was our station wagon. Or I didn't want to look like a little kid. But in retrospect that was a silly thing to do. I was a kid. And I had two parents who loved me and had built a wonderful family. I was afraid of the other kids' judgment. How silly! I should have been afraid of forgetting or down-playing my family, which is where my identity had its deep roots. This is a way to understand Jesus' words to his disciples this Sunday, when he says, **"Don't be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna."** Fear, in this sense, refers to where we find our deepest identity and our highest love. That's why Jesus says next that when we acknowledge him before others, he will acknowledge us before the Father. It doesn't mean we're brash or boastful. But rather we unhesitatingly and humbly embrace our identity as followers of Jesus and children of God the Father. After all, if we love who we are and where we come from, who cares what the other kids think about us? — *Father John Muir*

A reminder that during the months of July and August, we will not be printing bulletins. The last bulletin will be on Sunday, June 25th. We will resume printing bulletins on the weekend of September 2-3, 2023. Thank you!

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 9:00am-4:00pm

Sat: 9:00am-12:00pm, 3:00pm-6:00pm

Sun: 9:00am-1:00pm

Holiday Office Hours

A reminder that the parish office will be closed from July 1-3, 2023 and will reopen on Tuesday, July 4, 2023. Happy Canada Day!



Parish Website

StPatricksMi.archtoronto.org

Email

StPatricksMi@archtoronto.org

Youth Website

stpatricksyouth.com

Please Pray for the Sick...

Please pray for our parishioners, family and friends who have requested our prayers:

Alessia & Tony Commisso, Tina MacPherson, Damien Chaytor, Humberto Casimiro, Charmaine Menezes, Maria Bizzaro, Thomas Chircop, George Blanchette, Sonia Miranda, Suzy Zahra, Marcelle Caruana, Lynn Viscardi, Maria Bowman, Luigina Furlan, Francis Asis, Paul Celia, Evelyn Cletus, Alix Meikle, Raul Soriano, Wilfredo Ticzon, Arnold De Castro, Rosa Santos, Virginia Sevilla, Carole Melbourne, Luigina Catalli, Royston Guilford, Irene Lesniak, Jacintha Fernandes, Andre & Tamara Boaden, Dianne Ouellette, Anna Iafrate, Doreen Micallef, John Kolozsvari, Dominic Alvia, Manuel Bienvenido Locsin, Theresa Boutilier, John Ngoc Truong, Maureen Tierney, Bill Cranor, Jocelyn Heydorn, Jose Valle, John Fermin, Jonathan Pinto, Jennifer Nava-Villa, Gatsby & Ryen Lung, Eleonora Marchese, Fruto Relator, Virginia Torrefranca, Benedict de Castro, Carole Bullock, Russell Hussey, Josie Timko, Pat Mooney, Joseph A. Torrefranca, Rhea O'Hara, Sybrea O'Hara, Teresita Morales, Emilia Castro, Maria Maddelena, Chris Troughton, Lina Siconolfi, Cathy Mauro, Andre Cartier, Kinga Serwin



Online Prayer Group

June is the month of Sacred Heart of Jesus. During this month, we will be praying the Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, each Monday and Friday evenings. Monday evenings at 7:00 pm, will be on zoom only. Friday evening prayers will be live-streamed from the Parish, after 7:00 pm Mass:

- Friday, June 30th after 7:00 pm Mass

Zoom Meeting ID: 864 9533 4570
Passcode: 196792

Further details and Zoom link will be emailed through the Parish Email distribution. Please email the parish office at stpatricksmi@archtoronto.org if you wish to be added to the email list.

Adoration Chapel Hours Extension

There is a plan to extend the Eucharistic Adoration Hours in the Chapel until 9:00pm. Your feedback is being requested to determine if we can continue with this plan. Please contact Elizabeth Gueco at (905) 270-7189 or email: egueco2005@yahoo.ca

Volunteers Needed

St. Patrick's Parish is looking to start a liturgy for persons with an intellectual disability and are looking for volunteers to support developing this new ministry. We are specifically looking for parishioners who have experience and/or passion working with the differently abled. If you are interested or looking for more information, please contact Maria in the office (mespinoza@archtoronto.org). We will have our first exploratory meeting in mid-September.

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed

Our Annual Mass for the faithful departed will be celebrated on **Wednesday, Aug 16, 2023 at 7:00pm**. This year, Most. Rev. Francis Leo will be presiding in Assumption Cemetery, 6933 Tomken Rd. In the event of rain, Mass will be held in Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum. All are welcome to attend.

Youth Ministry Summer Events & Programs

For more info:
www.stpatricksyouth.com or
stpatsyouthgroup@hotmail.com

EDGE Summer House

EDGE Summer House is a drop-in summer program for those in Grades 6 to 8. Offered Monday to Friday from 1pm to 4pm in the Upper Hall. Runs July 10 to July 28. Registration is necessary: Register once and drop-in all summer. Activities include: Games, Movies, Snack, Cooking/Baking, Alpha Youth Series, Crafts Outdoor Play, and more!

Ultimate Frisbee

Join us every Monday from 7pm to 9pm & Saturday after 5pm Mass from 6pm to 8pm on the STM field for Ultimate Frisbee. Open to those gr. 8 and up. Don't know how to play? Don't worry - no experience is necessary! The fun starts July 3rd!

For more summer events, check out our website or email Maria.