

*Sunday, May 25, 2025*



*"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard me tell you, 'I am going away and I will come back to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father; for the Father is greater than I." - Jn 14:27-28*

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, May 26, 2025**

8:15 am: Joseph Luong

**Tuesday, May 27, 2025**

8:15 am: + Sybil & Anthony D'Souza and Deceased Members

7:00 pm: + All Souls

**Wednesday, May 28, 2025**

8:15 am: + Maureen Isaacs

**Thursday, May 29, 2025**

8:15 am: Cathy & Ken Pereira (Thanksgiving)

**Friday, May 30, 2025**

8:15 am: + Esmeralda Pereira and Gualter De Sousa

7:00 pm: + Paz Pacita Legaspi

**Saturday, May 31, 2025**

8:15 am: + Arthur & Iris Pinto

5:00 pm: + Jude Corera (Thanksgiving)

**Sunday, June 1, 2025**

8:30 am: + Emma Bartolomucci

10:00 am: + Tiburcio Bautista Fajardo

12:00 pm: Thanksgiving of Pereira Family

7:00 pm: St. Patrick's Parishioners



### Parish Website

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stpatricksyouth.com

## 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

Jonathan Haidt's 2024 book entitled "The Anxious Generation" argues that today's kids are marked by significant increases in anxiety, as the title suggests. Smartphones, social media, economic uncertainty, the chaos of a global pandemic, fear regarding climate change, and the so-called "meaning crisis" all contribute to strikingly high levels of anxiety in young people today. I'm a bit older than this generation, but I feel it, too. The world can be too much to handle. The Gospel this week offers a stunning solution for troubled souls. To his overwhelmed and anxious disciples, the risen Jesus says, **"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you" (John 14:27)**. His peace is that of the one who was overwhelmed on the cross and then conquered death by the power of his divinity, his bond of love with the Father. He offers us this unshakeable peace. Of course, mental illness does not magically disappear because of the risen Jesus. But he does walk with us and offer us his peace in the midst of our suffering. The peace the world gives is not like his because it is weak, uncertain, and self-generated. Jesus' peace is strong, sure, and given as a gift from God. He gives it to us amid our anxiety. Will you receive it as a gift? I hope so. He wants to fill the hearts of this generation with his peace.

### ShareLife

After our first two collections, the parish has donated **\$76,448.95** so far out of our parish goal of **\$156,500.00**.

**The third collection will be on June 8<sup>th</sup>**, but donations can be given at any time either directly through the ShareLife office or through the parish. Please make sure your donations are allocated to ShareLife—St. Patrick's Church, Mississauga. There are also envelopes in your parish donation boxes. Thank you for your continued support and generosity. —Fr. John



*Our parish children will be receiving their First Holy Communion soon. Please pray for the candidates as they receive the Eucharist for the first time.*

### **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, Char-maine Menezes, Maria Bizzaro, Thomas Chircop, George Blanchette, Sonia Miranda, Suzy Zahra, Marcelle Caruana, Maria Bowman, Paul Celia, Alix Meikle, Arnold De Castro, Rosa Santos, Virginia Sevilla, Carole Melbourne, Royston Guilford, Jacintha Fernandes, Anna Iafrate, Dominic Alvia, Manuel Bienvenido Locsin, Theresa Boutilier, John Ngoc Truong, Maureen Tierney, Bill Cranor, Jocelyn Heydorn, Jose Valle, John Fermin, Jonathan Pinto, Gatsby & Rylen Lung, Fruto Relator, Virginia Torrefranca, Carole Bullock, Pat Mooney, Rhea O'Hara, Sybrea O'Hara, Maria Maddelena, Chris Troughton, Nikola Brodar, Rita Pinto, Henryka Zebrowska, Therese Torrefranca, Benedict De Castro, Tessie Morales, Natalie Troughton, Michael Healey, Melissa Castillo, Marisa Castillo, Gladys Castillo, Teresa Kuervers, Teresa Marchese, Antonio Marchese, Wojtek Stanislawski, Theresa Fraiser, Beata, Arthur Moniz, Pasqua Dimucho, Camila M. Binauhai, Oliver Pinto, Sylvana Carbonelli



### **Bundle Up Sunday**

**Weekend of May 31 to June 1**

Bring your gently used clothing, shoes and linens to share with others on the **weekend of May 31<sup>st</sup> to June 1<sup>st</sup>**!

A SVPD bin will be in the church parking lot so please share what you can with those less fortunate. We will donate or sell these donations to support our outreach efforts.

**We accept:** all clothing, all footwear, bedding, drapery/towels and new toys.

**We do not accept:** baby items, construction material, dishes, furniture and books, video/audio cassettes.

We thank you for your generosity!

### **First Friday**

**June 6<sup>th</sup>** is the First Friday of the month. Join us for Mass at 7:00pm, followed by Holy Hour with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction.



### **2025 ACTS Spring Retreats**

**ACTS** is an acronym for:

**Adoration** – God's Call, your acceptance and answer  
**Community** – love and caring for each other  
**Theology** – "studying" through scripture and our faith  
**Service** – to God and His people

**Men's Retreat – June 19 – 22, 2025**

**Sponsoring Parish: St. Francis of Assisi, Mississauga**

Retreat Location: Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre - 1617 Blythe Rd., Mississauga, ON

Men's Contact: Don Schreader (416-917-6551) or [donschreader@gmail.com](mailto:donschreader@gmail.com)

For more info, please visit our website: [www.actscanada.org](http://www.actscanada.org)

### **SQUIRES CAR WASH!**

**Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025 | 9 AM – 12 PM**

Get ready to shine up your ride while supporting a great cause! The **St. Patrick's Squires** are grabbing the hoses and going full throttle for our **Car Wash!**

**Pricing: Cars – \$10.00 | Pickups – \$15.00**

**All proceeds support the Squires' summer programs** — helping young leaders grow through faith, service, and fun!

Bring your friends, spread the word, and help us fuel up for an unforgettable summer! *Rain or shine – the Squires will be washing with spirit!*

### **FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR**

**Sat, June 7 at 9:00 am**

Learn: How to avoid problems in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate, Trustee selection and how to create your own legacy about our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals



#### **TO REGISTER:**

Scan the QR code or send an email to: [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org) and write "webinar June 7" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.