

Sunday, May 29, 2022



Jesus prayed saying: "Holy Father, I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, so that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me." - Jn 17:20-21

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 30, 2022

8:15am: + Jose Chan

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

8:15am: + Arthur & Iris Pinto

7:00pm: In Thanksgiving to our Lady from the Brako Family

Wednesday, Jun 1, 2022

8:15am: + Renee Fernandes

Thursday, Jun 2, 2022

8:15am: + Jose Ong Jr.

Friday, Jun 3, 2022

8:15am: Claude Isaacs

7:00pm: + Mariana De Vera

+ Gioan Baotyxityaty & All Souls

+ Vincent Mui

+ Joseph Phong & Mai Le

+ Maria Binh & Ngoc Hoa

+ Theresa Chong Ping

Saturday, Jun 4, 2022

8:15am: Joseph Huy Luong

5:00pm: + Vincent & Piedade Dias & Family

Sunday, Jun 5, 2022

8:30am: Thanksgiving for Claude Isaacs' 90th Birthday

10:00am: + Ellis Merkley

12:00pm: + Paulo & Maria Furtado

7:00pm: + Amparo Miraballes



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Seventh Sunday of Easter

Unity and diversity can exist together. Our western minds have a grave difficulty seeing unity without conformity. We tend to believe that unless everyone believes the same thing, assents to the same body of truths, styles, and opinions, unity is not possible. Jesus, in today's Gospel, expresses a tenderness and an intimacy that the disciples actually can witness. This same tenderness and love are also reflected in his desire for unity and oneness. Jesus passionately wants all to be one. It is very clear that the success of Jesus' mission and the advance of the Gospel rises or falls with whether this unity is achieved. And it is a unity that is achieved around a person and not particulars. Our church is extremely divided. These divisions all center on various theologies, philosophies, structures, and styles. We allow these particular concerns and interpretations, valid as many can be, to drive wedges between us and put us at odds with each other. They enrage us and cause us to lash out at other members of the Body of Christ. Differences are bound to exist in any group. We are unique and diverse people. Staunchly clinging to particular agendas and ideologies while waving the "we're right, you're wrong" banner as we forge ahead in battle does little to advance the real mission of Christ. We are perceived as weak, fractioned, self-focused and serving, and lacking empathy and love. How can the work of salvation be accomplished like this? We sacrifice our credibility. For what? "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." These words describe exactly who the glorified Christ really is. Jesus wants us to see this glory! Believe this! This is the unifying principle that draws the Body of Christ together as one, not our particular preferences of worship! We give too much power to our preferences, and all too easily forget that the real mission of Christ is much more than that! If we can work at truly loving each other as members of Christ's Body despite the differences that can so quickly divide us, then maybe we'll a bit more convincing to those who do not believe. The Risen Christ comes to us through the Eucharist. It doesn't matter where or how. Gather wherever you can and receive. We cannot substitute Jesus' passion with our own. We are one.

Ukraine Humanitarian Relief

As of May 16, 2022—our parish has raised **\$15,290.00** for the people of Ukraine.

Among those who donated were two lovely sisters named **Lauren & Madison** who raised \$215.00 all by themselves! Thank you girls!

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Fri: 9am-1pm,

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

Sun: 9am-1pm

Please pray for our parish children who will be receiving the Eucharist for the first time this weekend.

Please Pray for the Sick...

Please pray for our parishioners, family and friends who have requested our prayers: Alessia & Tony Commisso,

Tina MacPherson, Alex Romero, 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, Joe Aguanno, 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, Baby Elijah, Maria Espinoza, Bill Cranor, Jocelyn Heydorn, Roberto Provido, Taiya Pastolero, Jose Valle, John Fermin



Adoration Chapel

The Adoration Chapel is open for a limited time each day. The Chapel will be open from **8:00 am - 1:00 pm**, 7 days a week. Seating is limited to **8 people**, and masks are to be worn. Since there is limited seating, the Adoration time will be for **ONE HOUR**. Please be considerate, and allow time for other people to come.

Share Life

With the season of Lent, we turn our minds and hearts to our Share Life campaign. It is a tangible way for us to respond to the needs of our brothers and sisters, at home and around the world. **The Parish donated over \$110,000.00 to the campaign last year.** With all that was happening in the world, that was a wonderful response. I hope that we will be able to meet that amount, and maybe surpass it. I hope that we will be able to respond as generously as we have done in the past. For those of you using parish envelopes, an envelope is contained in your box. Those who do not use Parish envelopes, we will have envelopes available for you at the back of the Church or by the parish office.

The last date of this year's appeal is: June 5. Thank you for your continued generosity. - Fr. John

Catholic Women's League

St. Patrick's CWL congratulates **Ashtyn Carrasco** from Philip Pocock Catholic Secondary School as one of the winners (3rd Place) of the 2022 Mary Dobell ProLife Essay Contest, Senior Category, organized by the Toronto Diocesan Catholic Women's League. Well done Ashtyn! Ashtyn's Essay is published in the CWL section of the parish website.

Rosary at the Grotto

The CWL invites all parishioners to a Rosary at the Grotto on **Saturday, June 4, 2022 after the 8:15am Mass**. We would like to continue this practice every First Saturday of the month throughout the summer. Please join us!

St. Patrick's Online Prayer Group



June is the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

During this month, we will pray the 9-day Novena to the Sacred Heart on the following dates:

Wednesday, June 1, 2022 at 7:00pm - via Zoom only
Friday, June 3, 2022 at 7:00pm - via Zoom only
Mondays, June 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2022 at 7:00pm - via Zoom only
Fridays, June 10, 17 & 24, 2022 at 7:30pm (after 7:00pm Mass) - live from St. Patrick's and via Zoom.

Zoom Meeting ID: 864 9533 4570
Passcode: 196792

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

For more information, please

Email: stpatrickmiss.olprayergroup@gmail.com

Squires Charity Carwash



On **Saturday, June 11, 2022**, the Columbian Squires will be holding their annual Charity carwash from **9:00am to 12:00pm**. The Squires will be selling tickets on Saturday, June 4th and Sunday June 5th after all Masses. Tickets are \$10 for cars, \$15 for SUVs, Vans and trucks. We appreciate your continued support. Thank you!

Mass Registrations - please read

As of Monday, May 30, 2022, all Masses will be open access for everyone, meaning you will no longer be required to register ahead of time to attend Mass. We thank you for your patience and understanding during this time of uncertainty. We appreciate your cooperation and we are incredibly grateful for everyone's continuous support.

We would also like to thank all of our volunteers who assists with sanitation and registration every week for the past 2 years.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the parish office at StPatricksMi@archtoronto.org

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed - Assumption Cemetery

The Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be held on **Wednesday, Aug 17, 2022 at 7:00pm**. More details to follow... stay tuned!

