# St. Clare's Parish

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**PASTOR:** 

Rev. Jomon George, M.Ss.Cc.

## **OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10:00 am - 12:30 pm; 1:00 - 5:00 pm

Thursdays – 1:30 – 5:00 pm

#### **DAILY MASSES:**

Monday to Friday – 9:00 am (Bilingual: Italian/English)

#### **SUNDAY MASSES:**

Saturday 5:00 pm in English Sunday 10:00 am in Italian Sunday 12:00 Noon in English

#### **CONFESSION:**

Monday to Friday 9:45 to 10:15 am Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 pm or by appointment

#### **ADORATION:**

## **Holy Hour & Confessions**

Every Friday from 9:30 am - 10:30 am

#### **PRIVATE MEMORIAL MASSES:**

Mondays & Wednesdays at 7:00 pm, upon request

**BAPTISMS:** Visit our website, fill in the Baptismal Registration form, and forward it to the parish office.

**MARRIAGE:** Couples are required to contact the office at least one year in advance.

#### SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK & ELDERLY:

Please notify the parish office. A priest will gladly help you.

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL –** Heather Kieran Please contact the parish.

**NEOCATECHUMENAL WAY:** Please contact the parish office for more information.

**CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA):** Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic, or in need of completing the Sacraments, please call the office.

**LEGION OF MARY**: Held on Sundays 10:00am in the Meeting Room

#### SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI E GLI ANZIANI:

Per cortesia, chiamate l'ufficio. Un sacerdote porterà volentieri i sacramenti e pregheremo per voi.

#### **UFFICIO:**

lunedì, martedì, mercoledì e venerdì 10:00 am - 12:30 pm; 1:00 – 5:00 pm giovedì 1:30 – 5:00 pm

#### **MESSE QUOTIDIANE:**

Da lunedì al venerdì alle 9:00 am (Italiano/Inglese)

#### **MESSE DOMENICALI**

sabato 5:00 pm in Inglese domenica 10:00 am in Italiano domenica 12:00 pm in Inglese

#### **CONFESSIONI:**

lunedì - venerdì 9:45 - 10:15 am Sabato 4:00 – 4:45 pm o per appuntamento

#### **ADORAZIONE:**

#### Ora Santa e Confessioni

Ogni venerdì dalle 9:30 alle 10:30 di mattina

#### **MESSE COMMEMORATIVE PRIVATE:**

Lunedi e Mercoledi alle 19:00, su richiesta

#### OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR:

Teresa Elliott

#### **OFFICE ASSISTANTS:**

Mary Dalessandro & Susan Petrie

## LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT:

Michael Monteleone

#### LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT / CUSTODIAN:

Nina Virginillo

#### YOUTH MINISTRY / YOUTH CHOIR

Antonella Cavallaro

## MUSIC DIRECTORS:

Dr. Paul Emlyn Jessen Luigi Rizzo

#### LAETITIA COMMITTEE (Church Fundraising):

Rose Simonetti

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:**

Phil Horgan

#### ST. CLARE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

124 Northcliffe Blvd. 416-393-5214

#### 3rd SUNDAY of EASTER

## Befriending God

We all love having friends and since we know what it is like to befriend other humans, we can extend this same means of friendship to Jesus because he too is fully human. However, this friendship doesn't remain like all of our other friendships but is elevated to the status of being friends with God, since Jesus is also fully God. As stewards, let us take some time each day in prayer to converse with Jesus as we would a close friend and by doing so, enjoy friendship with God.

## **SUNDAY WEEKLY COLLECTION**



Our regular offertory collection, for last week was \$ 2,147.25. Thank you and may the LORD repay you for your

kindness!

#### SACRED HEART CANDLE

This week's candle is being offered in loving memory of **Rosaria**, **Vincenza and Michael Carnovale**. If you would like to offer your intentions by purchasing the candle next to the Sacred Heart, please call the office to arrange.

## **MONTHLY MEMORIAL MASS**

Our next Memorial Mass takes place on **Friday**, **April 26**, **2024 at 7:00 p.m**. If you would like to offer this Mass in memory of a dear friend or family member, we invite you to contact the office and leave your name along with the name of your loved one. The suggested offering is \$50. Thank you!

#### WE ARE IN NEED OF YOUR HELP



We are in need of your help in the following ministries: *Altar Server* for Funerals, Lectors, and

**Ministers of Communion**. If you are interested, please speak to the pastor after mass or contact the parish office.

#### RCIA: RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS



Are you thinking about becoming Roman Catholic? Are you baptized but have not yet received the sacraments of Eucharist,

Reconciliation, or Confirmation? You may be interested in joining our RCIA Program. The RCIA program is for adults (and children 7 years or older) who are:

- · Unbaptized and wishing to become Catholic
- Baptized Roman Catholics wishing to receive the sacraments of Eucharist, Reconciliation, and Confirmation
- Baptized in another Christian tradition wishing to be in full communion with the Catholic Church

For more information, send us an email at <a href="mailto:stclaresto@archtoronto.org">stclaresto@archtoronto.org</a>.

## **SHARELIFE**

ShareLife Through ShareLife, you help refugees find safety and freedom. Your generous gift to ShareLife is crucial for immigrants and refugees establishing a new life in Canada. Your love and support have not only provided them with safety and freedom, but have also given them the opportunity to create a brighter future in our community. Thus far we have raised \$ 6,742.90 toward our goal of \$ 35,000. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at <a href="mailto:sharelife.org/donate">sharelife.org/donate</a>. Thank you for living the Gospel through ShareLife!

## **WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT**

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre at 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga on Saturday May 9, 2024. The theme is Attitude with Gratitude from 8:30 am – 3:00 pm. Cost: \$ 45.00, includes lunch. For more information: contact: Jean 905-2785229 or office@qoa.ca.



# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY, April 13

† Giuseppe Santaguida (one month) 5:00 -

## SUNDAY, April 14

10:00 - † Anna Addeo, Maria Concetta & Giuseppe Mazzagatti, Federico Adamo, Angela Biancolin, Salvatore Francesco Scoleri, Salvatore & Vittoria Monardo. Gemma Bossio, Edvige Chiodo

12:00 – For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

## **MONDAY, April 15**

9:00 -For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

## **TUESDAY, April 16**

9:00 -For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

# WEDNESDAY, April 17

For all the living & deceased members 9:00 of St. Clare

## THURSDAY, April 18

For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

## FRIDAY, April 19

9:00 -For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

## SATURDAY, April 20

5:00 -For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

## **GRUPPO 55+**

Il gruppo 55 Piu si riunirà questo giovedì 18 aprile, subito dopo la messa, alle 9:30 nella sala parrocchiale. Tutti i giovani di spirito sono invitati!

## CANDELA DEL SACRO CUORE

La candela per questa settimana è stata offerta in memoria di Rosaria, Vincenza and Michael Carnovale. Se qualcuno volesse offrire un'intenzione per la candela del Sacro Cuore, può chiamare l'ufficio per includerla nel bolletino della settimana o per ulteriori informazioni.

## **COLLEZIONE SETTIMANALE DOMENICA**



La nostra collezione regolare, per Givers l'offertorio della scorsa settimana, è stata \$ 2,147.25 dollari. Grazie per il vostro costante supporto e generosità!

Possa il Signore ripagarti della tua bontà!

#### **MESSA COMMEMORATIVE**



La nostra prossima Messa commemorativa avrà luogo

venerdì, 26 aprile 2024 alle 19:00. Se desideri offrire questa Messa in ricordo di un caro amico o familiare, ti invitiamo a chiamare l'ufficio e lascia il tuo nome insieme a quello della persona amata. L'offerta suggerita è di \$50. Grazie!

#### **SHARELIFE**

**\$1 ShareLife** Tramite ShareLife aiuti profughi a raggiungere la libertà e la **sicurezza.** La tua generosa donazione ShareLife è fondamentale per permettere a immigranti e profughi di crearsi una nuova vita in Canada. Il tuo amore e sostegno non hanno offerto loro solo libertà e sicurezza ma hanno dato loro anche l'opportunità di crearsi un futuro migliore nelle nostre comunità. Fino ad oggi abbiamo raccolto \$ 6,742.90 parte del nostro totale prefissato di \$ 35,000. Per favore, fai una donazione presso la parrocchia utilizzando le buste di ShareLife, oppure via internet tramite il sito web della parrocchia. 0 tramite sharelife.org/donate. Grazie per aver scelto di vivere il Vangelo donando a ShareLife.

