

St. Clare's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS:

Currently Irregular
Please email or leave a message

DAILY MASSES:

Monday to Friday
9:00 a.m. (Bilingual: Italian/English)

SUNDAY MASSES:

5 p.m. in English (Saturdays)
Sundays - 10 a.m. in Italian
12 Noon in English

LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN:

Currently unavailable



PASTOR:

Rev. Giuseppe Scollo

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR:

Ms. Dina Totino

LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT:

Mr. Michael Monteleone

YOUTH MINISTER & CUSTODIAN:

Ms. Nina Virginillo

MUSIC DIRECTORS:

Dr. Paul Emlyn Jessen
Mr. Luigi Rizzo

ST. CLARE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

124 Northcliffe Blvd. 416-393-5214

LORETTO COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

151 Rosemount Ave. 416-393-5511

ADORATION: (Holy Hour & Confessions)

Every First Friday - 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS: Monday - Friday: 9:45-10:15am

Saturday - 4:00-4:45pm; or by appointment

BAPTISMS: Registered members of the parish are asked to download a Baptismal Brochure from our website. Please call the office for further details.

MARRIAGE: Please visit our website for all information.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK & ELDERLY:

Please notify the parish office. A priest will gladly bring the sacraments and we will pray for you.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Heather Kieran

LEGION OF MARY - on hold

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Phil Horgan

CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA):

Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic, or in need of completing the Sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation and Eucharist) please contact the office.

URBAN CATHOLICS - YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY:

(Mass & Adoration)

Every 2nd & 4th Monday of the month - 7:30 p.m.

UFFICIO - Temporaneamente chiuso. Lasciate un messaggio.

MESSE QUOTIDIANE - Da lunedì al venerdì alle 9:00 a.m. (italiano/inglese)

MESSE DOMENICALI

Sabato - 5 p.m. (in inglese)

Domenica - 10 a.m. (in italiano)

12:00 p.m. (in inglese)

CONFESSIONI:

Lunedì - Venerdì : 9:45-10:15 a.m.

Sabato - 4:00-4:45 p.m., o per appuntamento.

SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI E GLI ANZIANI:

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

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

Name/Nome _____

Address/Indirizzo _____

Phone/Telefono: Cell: _____ Res: _____ e-mail address _____

I would like to use weekly offering envelopes. In whose name(s) would you like your income tax receipt to be issued? _____

Great News!

As you may have heard, as of March 1st, the churches are now able to welcome everyone at full capacity and congregational singing! No social distancing necessary, but please note that mask wearing still remains in effect!

Sacred Heart Lamp

This week's candle has been offered by Giuseppe & Lucia Lista. If you would like to offer your intentions by purchasing the candle next to the Sacred Heart, please call the office to arrange. Donor names will be included in the bulletin for the upcoming week.



ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, March 2nd is Ash Wednesday. Ashes will be distributed at the 9 a.m. Mass and also at a special celebration at 7:00 p.m. Please remember that this is a day of Prayer, Fasting, & Abstinence, which Pope Francis is asking us to offer for Peace in Ukraine.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us in the church as we observe the traditional Lenten devotion of the Stations of the Cross, beginning Friday, March 4th and every Friday during Lent at 7:00 p.m. Since this Friday is also First Friday, we will begin instead with Adoration & Confessions followed by the Stations of the Cross at 7:30 p.m.

Vespers during Lent

Please join us for Vespers during Saturdays of Lent from 4:20 - 4:40 in English. On Sundays during Lent, we invite you to join us for morning prayer at 9:20 a.m. in Italian and at 11:20 a.m. in English.

Memorial Mass in Memory of Fr. Vito Marziliano

As you may have already heard, we are deeply saddened by the news that Fr. Vito Marziliano has passed away. We invite you to attend a Memorial Mass in his honour on Friday, March 11th at 7:00 p.m., followed by the Stations of the Cross. Fr. Vito was pastor here at St Clare's from 2009-2014 and will be dearly missed by all.

INSTALLATION MASS FOR FR. GIUSEPPE SCOLLO

On Saturday, March 19th, Feast of St. Joseph, we invite you to join us as we celebrate the official installation of our Pastor, Fr. Giuseppe Scollo. The Most Reverend, Bishop Robert Kasun will be here to preside at the installation during the 5:00 p.m. Mass! Please mark your calendars!

Meeting & Training for Eucharistic Ministers and Ministers of Communion to the Sick

On Wednesday, March 9th at 7:00 p.m., we invite all our existing ministers of Communion who serve at our masses and also those who are willing go out to give Communion to our shut-ins, to come and join us. We also invite anyone who wishes to begin to serve God in these new ministries to participate! Training will be provided!

Come and See - Day Retreat

Saturday, March 19 (9:00am - 3:30pm)

at St. Augustine's Seminary: Inviting single Catholic men 18 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee

Meeting & Training Session for Lectors & Altar Servers for Funerals

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16TH
@ 7:00 P.M. IN CHURCH

Lectors - Calling all Lectors - old & new. If you are already serving as a lector, or if you are new and are interested in this ministry, we invite you to attend this meeting and training session!

Altar Servers at Funerals - Are you usually available in the mornings? If so, please consider offering your time and being a part of this important parish ministry. No previous experience is necessary. We invite you to come out to our meeting and training session!

"THE CROSS OF CHRIST"

1st Fundraiser Musical Gala

Friday, April 8th, 2022

St. Clare's Church - 7:30 p.m.

St. Clare's parish, in a joint effort with Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, is proud to present a Musical Gala, which is an original oratorio based on the seven last words of Christ on the Cross! This sacred musical work written for four operatic voices and orchestra was entirely composed by Romulo Delgado, one of Canada's top tenors, *region finalist at the Hans Gabor Belvedere International Opera competition in Vienna, Austria*. Tenor Romulo Delgado will perform his original work along with guest artists, Alexander Hajek, BARITONE; Sara Papini, SOPRANO; and Lillian Brooks, MEZZO-SOPRANO. On the threshold of the Holy Week 2022, this Lenten concert is a catechetical musical presentation of Christ's suffering and of his tremendous love for us, meant not only for an audience that expects to enjoy some beautiful music, but also as an aid in one's personal journey of faith, a true preparation for the upcoming Paschal Triduum.

Please enjoy a:

Concert Video Teaser

Funds raised by the sale of tickets will be shared by our two Churches. Funds raised specifically for St. Clare's will be earmarked for the ongoing maintenance of our church, specifically for the purpose of creating some welcoming and dignified meeting spaces intended especially for the youth of our Parish. Tickets are \$100 per person and a portion of this will be eligible for a tax receipt.

Tickets may be purchased online:

Purchase Tickets

or in person at the parish office.

If, for any reason, you cannot attend, but would like to support our parish, your donations will be sincerely appreciated and a tax receipt provided! Dedicated donation envelopes will be provided.



Saturday, February 26

5:00 – Amelia Lodolini

Sunday, February 27

10:00 – Luigi Marrelli, Eduardo De Nicolais, Nazzareno Tari, Luigi Bonfigli, Giovanni e Nicola Puopolo, Michela Di Menna e per la guarigione di Francesca Sannibale

12:00 – Edward Courtney

Monday, February 28

9:00 – Salvatore e Raffaele Bertucci

Tuesday, March 1

9:00 – Bud Smith

Wednesday, March 2

9:00 – Aldo Pullano (Ash Wednesday)

7:00 – Ash Wednesday

Thursday, March 3

9:00 – Silvia Emma Rossi

Friday, March 4

9:00 – Paul Hoy

7:00 – Adoration & Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 5

5:00 – Charlie Alaimo

Candela del Sacro Cuore

La candela per questa settimana è stata offerta da Giuseppe e Lucia Lista. Se qualcuno volesse offrire un'intenzione per la candela del Sacro Cuore, può chiamare l'ufficio per includerla nel bollettino della settimana successiva o per ricevere ulteriori informazioni in merito.

**Riunione e Formazione
Per i Ministri Straordinari dell'Eucarestia e
per i Ministri della Comunione agli Ammalati**

Mercoledì, 9 marzo alle 7:00 p.m., invitiamo tutti i nostri ministri straordinari a partecipare, quanti servono a Messa e quanti intendono portare la Comunione agli infermi. Un caloroso benvenuto ai tutti nuovi volontari!

**Messa Commemorativa in onore di
Don Vito Marziliano**

Come alcuni di voi avranno già sentito, siamo profondamente scossi per l'improvvisa scomparsa di Don Vito Marziliano. Don Vito è stato parroco qui a Santa Chiara dal 2009 al 2014, è ci mancherà tanto. Vi invitiamo a partecipare ad una Messa Commemorativa in suo onore, venerdì, 11 marzo, alle 7 di sera. La Via Crucis avrà luogo subito dopo.

Buone Notizie!

Come avrete forse già sentito, a partire dal 1° marzo le chiese potranno tornare a celebrare alla massima capienza e si potrà ricominciare a cantare in coro! Non sarà più necessario il distanziamento sociale, ma rimarrà in vigore l'uso della mascherina.

Mercoledì delle Ceneri

Le ceneri saranno distribuite mercoledì, 2 marzo, durante la Messa delle 9:00 am e quella aggiuntiva delle 7 pm. Ricordiamo che questo è un giorno di preghiera, digiuno e astinenza, che Papa Francesco ci sta chiedendo di offrire per la Pace in Ucraina.

Via Crucis

A partire da venerdì 4 marzo, e ogni venerdì di Quaresima, unitevi a noi per la *Via Crucis* alle 7 di sera. Poiché questo venerdì è anche il Primo venerdì del mese, la *Via Crucis* avrà luogo alle 7:30 p.m., dopo un tempo di Adorazione e Confessioni.

Vespri durante la Quaresima

Vi incoraggiamo ad unirvi a noi quest'anno per la preghiera dei Vespri, ogni sabato di Quaresima, dalle 4:20 alle 4:40 p.m. (in inglese), o per le Lodi Mattutine, ogni domenica di Quaresima, alle 9:20 (in italiano) o alle 11:20 (in inglese).

**SANTA MESSA DI INSEDIAMENTO PER
DON GIUSEPPE SCOLLO**

Sabato, 19 marzo, festa di S. Giuseppe, siete invitati a partecipare alla celebrazione dell'insediamento del nostro nuovo parroco, don Giuseppe Scollo, nell'arco della Santa Messa delle 17:00. La cerimonia sarà presieduta da Sua Ecc. Robert Kasun. Segnate la data nella vostra agenda e venite numerosi!

**Incontro di Formazione
Per i Lettori e i Ministranti per Funerali**

**MERCOLEDÌ, 16 MARZO
@ 7:00 P.M. IN CHIESA**

Lettori – Invitiamo tutti i nostri lettori, sia quanti già leggono in chiesa, che quanti fossero interessati a far parte di questo prezioso servizio liturgico, a partecipare a questo incontro di formazione!

Ministranti per Funerali - Siete forse disponibili di mattina per aiutarci durante i funerali? Se così fosse, vi invitiamo a valutare la possibilità di dedicare un po' del vostro tempo a questo importantissimo ministero parrocchiale. Non c'è bisogno di esperienza previa. L'incontro vedrà anche un momento di formazione!










“LA CROCE DI CRISTO”

1a Gala Musicale per Raccolta Fondi

Venerdì, 8 aprile, 2022
Chiesa di Santa Chiara - 19:30

Per donazioni in buste apposite o per i biglietti, chiamate l'ufficio. Il ricavato sarà destinato a creare spazi adatti per i nostri giovani.

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