

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

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Mr. Michael Monteleone

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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? _____

Epiphany of Our Lord



On this day of the Feast of the Epiphany, we remember the Magi who guided by the star shining in the heavens, came to the house where Jesus rested in the arms of Mary, His Mother.

They were blessed as they brought their gifts to that holy place. O God, by your heavenly star, you guided those who were wise to your beloved Son, Jesus Christ. May your blessing come to rest on all of us. Make our lives wise with your wisdom, true to your teaching, and enlivened by your love. May your Word made flesh make his home among us. Amen.

Easter Announcement

On the Feast of the Epiphany, it is customary to announce the Easter date for this year. The Resurrection of Our Lord will be celebrated on Sunday, April 17th. Other Holy days to note are Ash Wednesday – March 2nd, Pentecost – June 5th, and the 1st Sunday of Advent – November 27th.

Sacred Heart Lamp

This week's candle has been offered in memory of Msgr. Phillip Kennedy. 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.

2022 Offering Envelopes

Offering Envelopes are still available! Please pick them up as soon as possible from the hall foyer! Envelopes are organized in numerical order. If you are new to the parish or just wish to start using Offering Envelopes this year, you are invited to pick up a new envelope box! If you have moved or have changed any of your contact information, please let us know! Please also consider the convenience of Pre-Authorized Giving. Brochures are available at the entrance of the church.



Are you being called to Religious Life?

"On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." God asks us to give our lives. What treasures have been given to you to share with others in Christ's name? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email vocations@archtoronto.org

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion to the Sick

Our parish is so blessed to have a wide range of parishioners of all ages. As we strive to take care of the spiritual needs of all, we are especially entrusted with the care of our most vulnerable and elderly members who may be shut in or not be able to come to mass due to mobility and health issues. As such, we are in need of volunteers who would be willing to go out to bring communion to members of our parish who would otherwise not be able to get out. If you are interested in this very important ministry, please call the office for more information. Training will be provided.



Please note that we could use more ushers during these especially challenging times! There will be a meeting and training session for current ushers and anyone interested in being an usher on Wednesday, January 5 at 7:00 PM in the church. All interested ushers must follow current covid protocols.

Updated Covid Protocols

Following the latest provincial update and the meeting of the Episcopal Board, the following guidance is offered for parishes as we prepare for upcoming masses:

NEW - In light of the highly contagious Omicron variant, the archdiocese strongly recommends against congregational singing at this time. A cantor or small choir remain acceptable provided basic protocol of distancing and masking is maintained.

NEW - Virtual meetings should replace in-person meetings wherever possible. Exceptions include those gatherings that are deemed as essential services, i.e, Alcoholics Anonymous/Narcotics Anonymous Meetings, food bank, other programs to serve the poor and marginalized, etc. These gatherings should be restricted to 10 people and ensure that all appropriate health and safety measures are in place (use of masks, hand sanitizer, physical distancing, etc.).

Regular reminders for parishioners – those feeling unwell should not attend Mass. Also, for contact tracing purposes, we are now asking parishioners to sign in with name and phone number as you enter the church.

Calling all Catholic Advisors

Are you a financial or insurance advisor, or a lawyer? If so, then the Archdiocese of Toronto would like to hear from you. They have spent a number of years creating a network of advisors, who understand our faith and who can assist us with our estate and financial affairs. You are invited to be a part of their network where you will have the opportunity to integrate your spiritual and professional lives. For further information, contact the Development Office at: 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 or development@archtoronto.org.



Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 1

10:00 – Pro Popolo (Italian)
12 Noon – Pro Popolo (English)

Sunday, January 2

10:00 – Pina Calabrese Marino, Vincenzo Garofalo, Roberta Brusatin MacDonald, Joseph & Angela Mazzotta, Daniela Bernard & Clare & Ermanno Bertani
12:00 – Toni Lombardo

Monday, January 3

9:00 – Silvia Emma Rossi & Rosa Crisalago

Tuesday, January 4

9:00 – Antonio e Maria Macri

Wednesday, January 5

9:00 – Domenico, Antonio e Lucia Macri

Thursday, January 6

9:00 – Intenzioni di Graziella Macri

Friday, January 7

8:00 a.m. – First Friday – Holy Hour & Adoration
9:00 – Intenzioni di Graziella Macri
7:00 p.m. – First Friday – Holy Hour & Adoration

Saturday, January 8

5:00 – Msgr. Phillip Kennedy

Aggiornamenti sui Protocolli Covid

A seguito dell'ultimo aggiornamento provinciale e della riunione del Consiglio Episcopale, ecco le indicazioni per le messe parrocchiali:

NOVITÀ – A causa della variante altamente contagiosa dell'Omicron, al momento l'arcidiocesi sconsiglia vivamente di cantare durante la Messa. Rimane possibile avere un cantore a condizione che venga mantenuto il protocollo in vigore.

NOVITÀ – Le riunioni virtuali dovrebbero sostituire le riunioni in persona ove possibile. Le eccezioni includono quegli incontri che sono considerati come servizi essenziali.

Ricordiamo a chi non si sente bene, di rimanere a casa. Inoltre, ai fini della rintracciabilità, vi chiediamo cortesemente di indicare nome e numero di telefono all'entrata della chiesa.



Epifania del Signore

Possa la Santa Famiglia di Nazareth proteggere e guidare il cammino delle vostre famiglie.

Annuncio Pasquale

Per la Festa dell'Epifania, è tradizione nella Chiesa annunciare il giorno di Pasqua. La Risurrezione del Nostro Signore Gesù Cristo sarà celebrata domenica, 17 aprile. Altre feste da ricordare sono: il mercoledì delle Ceneri, il 2 marzo; Pentecoste, il 5 giugno; e la prima domenica d'Avvento, il 27 novembre.

Candela del Sacro Cuore

La candela per questa settimana è stata offerta in memoria di Msgr. Phillip Kennedy. Se qualcuno volesse offrire un'intenzione per la candela del Sacro Cuore, può chiamare l'ufficio per includerla nel bollettino della settimana o per ulteriori informazioni.

Ministri Straordinari per portare la Comunione agli Ammalati

La nostra parrocchia è fortunata ad avere parrocchiani di tutte le età. È necessario prendersi cura dei bisogni spirituali di ogni persona, così ci viene affidata in particolare la cura dei nostri membri più vulnerabili e degli anziani che potrebbero essere confinati a casa o non in grado di venire a messa a causa di problemi di mobilità e di salute. Pertanto, abbiamo bisogno di volontari che siano disposti ad andare a portare la comunione ai nostri membri, che altrimenti non potrebbero uscire. Se siete interessati a questo importantissimo ministero, chiamate l'ufficio per maggiori informazioni. Verrà fornita una formazione apposita.









PER GLI USCIERI

Soprattutto durante questo periodo abbastanza difficile, abbiamo bisogno di voi più che mai! Mercoledì, 5 gennaio, tutti gli uscieri sono invitati a venire in chiesa alle 7:00 p.m. Informiamo chiunque fosse interessato/a che le attuali misure di sicurezza Covid saranno puntualmente osservate.

Buste delle Offerte per l'anno 2022

Le vostre buste per l'anno prossimo sono disponibili nella Sala Parrocchiale oggi dopo la Messa, e sono sistemate in ordine numerico. Vi invitiamo a prenderle appena possibile! Se siete nuovi parrocchiani o desiderate cominciare a utilizzarle, potete scendere in sala a ritirarle. Se avete traslocato o cambiato indirizzo, per cortesia, informatene l'ufficio. Grazie.

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