St. Clare's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS:

Currently Closed

CHURCH HOURS:

Open for Private Prayer Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

MASSES:

Livestreamed from Monday to Friday at 7 a.m. and Sundays at 10 a.m. through our YouTube Channel

LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN: Currently unavailable



PASTOR:

Rev. Francesco Marrone

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

ADORATION: (Holy Hour & Confessions) Virtually as available

CONFESSIONS: By appointment only

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 - Mary Jo Bagnato

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. LORETTO COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

151 Rosemount Ave. 416-393-5511

UFFICIO - Temporaneamente chiuso

CHIESA – Aperta per preghiera privata Da Lunedì al Venerdì, dalle 8 a.m. alle 10 a.m.

MESSE - Virtualmente sul nostro canale YouTube Da Lunedì al Venerdì alle 7:00 a.m. e Domenica alle 10:00

Su appuntamento

SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI E GLI ANZIANI: Per cortesia, chiamate l'ufficio. Un sacerdote porterà volentieri i sacramenti e pregheremo per voi.

PASTORAL REFERENCE LETTERS:

In order to have Pastoral Reference Letters signed, you must be a registered and practicing member of the parish and have volunteered at the parish in some capacity for at least four months.

URBAN CATHOLICS - YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY: Virtual Meetings

THE EDGE - YOUTH MINISTRY: On hold

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

| Name/Nome | | |
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| 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? | | |

a.m.

CONFESSIONI:



"I tell you solemnly: unless a grain of wheat falls on the ground and dies, it remains a single grain; but if it dies, it yields a rich harvest". (John 12: 24-25)

Sacred Heart Lamp

This week's Sacred Heart Lamp is being offered in memory of Anna Nagy-Bakos. 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.

Alternate Methods of Parish Support

Especially during these difficult times, we thank you so much for your continued support! It is truly appreciated!

Whether or not you are currently using offering envelopes, and for your convenience, you may wish to consider one of the following alternate options for supporting your parish.

• Pre-authorized giving. This requires filling out a simple form that authorizes us to auto withdraw your desired donation on a monthly basis. If circumstances change, you may cancel without question at any time! For more information, please call the office!

• **Drop off or mail** your usual donations through the parish office mail slot which continues to be accessible,

• Donate by **credit card** by visiting *www.archtoronto.org* From the drop-down menu, you can choose **DONATE NOW**, and you will be directed to make a donation to the parish of your choice, either on a one time or recurring basis, to our parish offertory or other special funds,

Via **online banking**. To do this, the archdiocese will need to send you your unique account number. Please e-mail them at campaign@archtoronto.org. In the body of the email provide them with your name, address, parish name and municipality. They will email you your account information which you can use to set up the Archdiocese of Toronto as a payee in your on-line banking. Your gift will be forwarded to our parish. You may choose to make a one time or recurring gift.

Great News - Current Covid Restrictions have been Lifted!

As you know, we are now open at 15% capacity or up to 105 people at St. Clare's! Our current Mass schedule is as follows:

Weekday Mass (Bilingual) (Mon-Fri) – 9 a.m. Sunday Masses: Saturday (English) – 5 p.m.

Sunday (Italian) – 10 a.m.

(English) – 12 Noon

Please note that the Noon Mass will continue to be live streamed. Communion will only be offered during Mass in church. The church will open an hour prior to Mass. Social distancing and mask wearing continue to be in effect! **Confessions continue to be available by appointment only.**

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY - March 28

Masses in English – 5 p.m. (March 27) & 12 Noon (March 28) Mass in Italian – 10:00 a.m. (March 28)

HOLY THURSDAY – April 1

Bilingual Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:00 p.m. Adoration after Mass until 10:00 p.m.

<u>GOOD FRIDAY – April 2</u>

Service in Italian – 10 a.m. Service in English – 3 p.m. Stations of the Cross - 7:00 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY – April 3

Bilingual Easter Vigil – 8:00 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY – April 4

Mass in Italian – 10 a.m. Mass in English – 12 Noon

EASTER MONDAY – April 5

Mass – 9 a.m. Office Closed



Are you being called to Religious Life?

Unless a seed first dries out and dies, it cannot be planted in the earth to grow. Unless we die to our selfish ways, we cannot expect to be people who will "lay down their lives for their friends". If you think God is calling you to lay down your life as a priest, religious or deacon for His Church, call **Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**



Saturday, March 20

5:00 – Pro Popolo

Sunday, March 21

10:00 – Antonio Fortura, Vittoria, Gina e Salvatore Trotto, Antonio Casale, Maria Marchese, Giuseppe Saponaro, Lorenzo Berretta e per la guarigione di Francesca Sannibale
12:00 – Carmine Sanzo

Monday, March 22

9:00 - Unannounced Mass

Tuesday, March 23

9:00 - Unannounced Mass

Wednesday, March 24

9:00 - Unannounced Mass

Thursday, March 25

9:00 – Enrico Ciampini (10 yr. anniv.)

Friday, March 26

9:00 – Amelia Lodolini

Saturday, March 27 5:00 – Pro Popolo

Buona Notizia Le restrizioni a causa di Covid sono state Revocate!

Come sapete, adesso la chiesa è aperta per le funzioni anche alla massima capacità di 15% o fino a 105 persone. I nuovi orari delle Messe sono il seguente: Messa Quotidiana (Bilingue) (lun - ven) – 9 a.m. Messe Domenicali: Sabato (Inglese) – 5 p.m.

Domenica (Italiano) – 10 a.m.

(Inglese) – 12 Noon

Potete anche seguirci da casa per la Messa di Mezzogiorno tramite il nostro canale YouTube. La Comunione sarà offerta soltanto in chiesa durante le messe. Le distanze sociali e l'uso di maschere continuano ad essere in vigore! Le confessioni continuano ad essere disponibili solo su appuntamento.

<u>Candela del Sacro Cuore</u>

La candele per questa settimana è stata offerta in memoria di Anna Nagy-Bakos. 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.

ORARI DELLE FUNZIONI per la SETTIMANA SANTA

DOMENICA DELLE PALME – 28 marzo

Messe in Inglese – 5:00 p.m. (27 marzo) Mezzogiorno (28 marzo) Messa in Italiano – 10 a.m. – (28 marzo)

<u>GIOVEDÌ SANTO – 1 aprile</u>

Messa della Cena del Signore - 7:00 p.m. (bilingue) Adorazione subito dopo la messa fino alle 10:00 p.m.

<u>VENERDÌ SANTO – 2 aprile</u>

Servizio in Italiano - 10:00 a.m. Servizio in Inglese - 3:00 p.m. Via Crucis - alle 7:00 p.m.

<u>SABATO SANTO – 3 aprile</u> Vigilia Pasquale – alle 8:00 p.m.

<u>PASQUA – 4 aprile</u> Messa in Italiano alle 10 a.m. Messa in Inglese a Mezzogiorno

PASQUETTA – 5 aprile

Messa – 9 a.m. Ufficio chiuso For advertising space, please contact the parish office at 416-654-7087

