

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 & on 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

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Mr. Michael Monteleone

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Ms. Nina Virginillo

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151 Rosemount Ave. 416-393-5511

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.

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 e Domenica - 10:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONI:
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

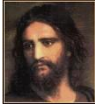
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The love that Jesus Christ has for us comes from the Father. This love transforms us and our lives and returns to the Father.

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Next weekend, we take up the 2nd collection for the monthly maintenance of our church. Thanks for your constant support!



Happy Mother's Day!

The most important person on earth is a mother. She cannot claim the honour of having built Notre Dame Cathedral. She need not. She has built something more magnificent than any cathedral – a dwelling for an immortal soul, the tiny perfection of her baby's body. The angels have not been blessed with such a grace. They cannot share in God's creative miracle to bring new saints to Heaven. Only a human mother can. Mothers are closer to God the Creator than any other creature; God joins forces with mothers in performing this act of creation. What on God's good earth is more glorious than this; to be a mother?

By Jozsef Cardinal Mindszenty

Prayer In Time Of Covid

Gracious God, you who are the author of all life, who desires the well-being of all people. During these dark days of Covid 19, increase in us, respect and reverence for all human life. Grant restored health to the sick, comfort and hope to the dying, strength to family members, friends, relatives, clergy and volunteers, renewed energy to hospital workers, PSWs, nurses and doctors, and perseverance to all in the health care professions. Grant wisdom to scientists for the development of effective and moral vaccines, discernment and right judgment for legislators, aid to the discouraged, poor and vulnerable, courage and justice for front-line workers, and keep always in our minds the vision of the true common good of all the world. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Bishop Robert Kasun CSB Auxiliary Bishop Central Region Archdiocese of Toronto



Kids Connect with Mother Mary

Every Saturday in May at 7 p.m.

Calling all parents and children: please join our Kids Connect special program that honours Jesus' mother by connecting her with kids throughout

the month of May. Featuring: fun learning, praying, music, games and more! Live event via the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council of the Archdiocese of Toronto's Facebook page and YouTube channel.

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Current Lockdown Restrictions

With the current lockdown measures, only a maximum of ten people are allowed in the church at one time, and so there are no in-person masses until at least May 20th.

In the meantime, **the church is open for private prayer from 8am to 10am every morning from Monday to Friday.** Fr. Francesco continues to celebrate mass privately for our intentions. Funerals, weddings and baptisms can take place with the same ten-person maximum which includes priest and volunteers. **Confessions are available by appointment.**

To join us for daily and Sunday live streamed mass at 10 a.m., please subscribe to our YouTube Channel below!

St Clare's YouTube Channel

Holy Communion is available in church from 11 a.m. to 12 Noon – 10 people at a time. Please form a line on the ramp to enter.

Sacred Heart Lamp

This week's candle is being offered in memory of Pasqualina Laurino & Nunzio & Immacolata Grella. 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.

Are you signed up for St Clare's Flocknote?

It's our communication portal that allows you to receive important Parish notifications! Visit StClaresParish.flocknote.com and sign up today!



Congratulations

to Rev. Arthur Lee and Rev. Andrew Taylor (both from Ontario), who were just ordained to the Priesthood to the Archdiocese of Toronto Saturday, May 8th by His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto! As a community of faith, let us offer our prayers for them as they begin their new ministry! Let us also continue to pray for all those who are currently in formation to the priesthood at St. Augustine's Seminary and at the Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary.



Mass Intentions

(Virtual Masses)

Sunday, May 9

Guerino Vercillo, Michele e Assuntina Urso, Carmine Sanzo, Maria Iorio, Luisa e Maria D'Angela, Claudio e Amelia Amato, Guglielma Iaboni, Violanda Tamburrini, Guido D'Alessio, Maria Scolaro, Francesco e Fausta Di Stefano, Vincenzo e Francesca Sanita e per la guarigione di Rosina Virginillo

Monday, May 10

Intentions of the Celebrant

Tuesday, May 11

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Wednesday, May 12

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Thursday, May 13

Joseph & Angela Mazzotta

Friday, May 14

Sebastiano Lo Scerbo (†1 yr. Memorial)

COLLETTA MANUTENZIONE

La seconda colletta del prossimo weekend sarà per la manutenzione della nostra chiesa. Grazie del vostro appoggio!

Attuali Restrizioni a causa di Covid

Con le attuali restrizioni, solo una massima di dieci persone alla volta possono entrare in chiesa e le messe in persona sono sospese, almeno fino al 20 maggio.

Nel frattempo, **la chiesa è aperta dalle 8:00 alle 10:00 ogni mattina da lunedì al venerdì per preghiera privata.** Don Francesco continuerà a celebrare le messe in privato per le nostre intenzioni. Saranno consentiti funerali, matrimoni e battesimi, con la stessa massima di dieci persone inclusa sacerdote e volontari. **Le confessioni sono disponibili su appuntamento.**

Per raggiungerci virtualmente per la messa trasmessa da lunedì a venerdì e la messa domenicale alle 10 a.m., clicca il nostro canale YouTube sottostante:

St Clare's YouTube Channel

Se desiderate ricevere la Santa Comunione, siete invitati a venire e fare la fila sulla rampa dalle 11 a.m. a Mezzogiorno. Entreranno dieci persone alla volta.



L'amore che Gesù Cristo ha per noi viene dal Padre. Questo amore trasforma noi e le nostre vite e ritorna al Padre.

Auguri a tutte le nostre Mamme, nonne,



madrine, mamme adottive e ogni figura materna, che siano qui presenti oppure con il Signore. Che il Signore vi benedica per tutto quello che fate per le vostre famiglie e per la cura,

amore e compassione che date. Continuiamo a pregare la Madonna durante questo mese di Maggio che ci tiene fra le sue braccia e ci porta sempre più vicino a Cristo.

Candela del Sacro Cuore

La candela per questa settimana è stata offerta in memoria di Pasqualina Laurino e Nunzio e Immacolata Grella. Se qualcuno volesse offrire un'intenzione dedicando la candela del Sacro cuore, può chiamare l'ufficio per includerla nel bollettino della settimana o per ulteriori informazioni.

Pregiera in tempi di Pandemia

Dio di infinita bontà, tu che sei l'autore di tutta la vita, che desideri il benessere di tutte le persone, durante questi giorni bui del Covid 19, aumenta in noi il rispetto e la riverenza per tutta la vita umana. Concedi salute ai malati, conforto e speranza ai morenti, forza a familiari, amici, parenti, sacerdoti e volontari, rinnovata energia agli operatori ospedalieri, agli infermieri e ai medici e perseveranza a tutti i professionisti sanitari. Concedi saggezza agli scienziati per lo sviluppo di vaccini efficaci e morali, discernimento e giusto giudizio per i legislatori, aiuto agli scoraggiati, poveri e vulnerabili, coraggio e giustizia per i lavoratori in prima linea e tieni sempre in mente la visione del vero bene comune per tutto il mondo. Questo ti chiediamo per mezzo di Gesù Cristo nostro Signore. Amen.

Mons. Robert Kasun CSB Vescovo Ausiliare della Regione Centrale, Arcidiocesi di Toronto

Auguri al Rev. Arthur Lee e al Rev. Andrew Taylor (entrambi dell'Ontario), che sono stati appena ordinati sacerdoti dell'Arcidiocesi di Toronto sabato 8 maggio da Sua Eminenza, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Arcivescovo di Toronto! Come comunità di fede, offriamo loro le nostre preghiere mentre iniziano il loro nuovo ministero! Continuiamo anche a pregare per tutti coloro che sono attualmente in formazione al sacerdozio nel Seminario St. Augustine e nel Seminario Missionario Redemptoris Mater.

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