

St. Clare's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.; 1:30 - 5:00 p.m.

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



ST. CLARE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
124 Northcliffe Blvd. 416-393-5214

PASTOR:

Rev. Giuseppe Scollo

OFFICE ADMINISTRATORS:

Mrs. Dina Totino

LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT:

Mr. Michael Monteleone

**LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT/
CUSTODIAN:** Ms. Nina Virginillo

YOUTH MINISTER:

Ms. Margarita Ibarra

MUSIC DIRECTORS:

Dr. Paul Emlyn Jessen
Mr. Luigi Rizzo

ADORATION: (Holy Hour & Confessions)

Every First Friday - 8:00 a.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
NEOCATECHUMENAL WAY

LEGION OF MARY

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 4th Monday of the month - 7:30 p.m.

UFFICIO - Lunedì, Martedì, Mercoledì e Venerdì
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.; 1:30 - 5:00 p.m.

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? _____

108th World Day of Migrants and Refugees

The theme announced by His Holiness Pope Francis for the 108th World Day of Migrants and Refugees is "Building the Future with Migrants and Refugees." In his message, Pope Francis reminds us that inclusion of those most vulnerable is the necessary condition for full citizenship in God's Kingdom. Indeed, the Lord says, "Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the Kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me a drink, a stranger and you welcomed me, naked and you clothed me, sick and you took care of me, in prison and you visited me" (Mt 25:34-36).



If your children are in Grades 2 or 7 this year & you would like them to prepare for First Communion or Confirmation, please note, that **registration began September 12th**. Along with the registration, we ask for a copy of your child's baptismal certificate. If you don't have it on hand, please take this time to locate it or retrieve it from your baptismal church. No need to provide a copy if your child was baptized at St. Clare's. Please note, that parents need to be registered & practicing members of our Parish. The registration form can be found on our website & on the front of this bulletin. If parents are registered & practicing members of another Parish, we will require a Letter of Permission from the Pastor of your Parish.

1st Communion:

<https://StClaresParish.flocknote.com/firstcommunion>

Confirmation:

<https://StClaresParish.flocknote.com/confirmation>

Sacred Heart Lamp

This week's candle is being offered in loving memory of Pasqualina Laurino, Immacolata, Nunzio & Giuseppe Grella & Michele Filipone. 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.

Post-Baptismal Catechesis

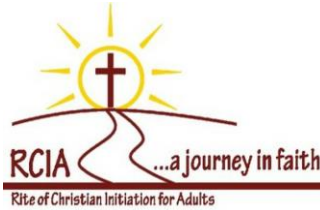
Parishioners are strongly encouraged to participate in a series of Post-Baptismal Catecheses for youth and adults. Sessions are free of charge and continue to take place on Wednesdays and Fridays, at 7:30pm, in the Parish Hall. For more information, please refer to the invitations found at entrance of the Church.

Volunteers Needed

Do you have some time after your weekend Mass or on weekday mornings? We could use your help! The Ministry to the Homebound needs Italian and English-speaking volunteers to bring Holy Communion to the sick and homebound of our parish. Time commitment is usually just 2 hours once or twice a month and new volunteers are paired with experienced volunteers when making visits. If you feel called to this ministry, please call the office or see Father Giuseppe after Mass.

Collection for Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation

Next weekend's 2nd collection will be taken up to help fund the much-needed projects that support Indigenous people and their communities. Thank you for your kindness & generosity!



Considering Becoming Catholic, OR Want to Receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

St Clare's Church is offering a weekly RCIA program that started September 12th. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for Unbaptized Adults, Non-Catholic Christians, and Catholic Adults who wish to complete the sacraments of First Communion and/or Confirmation. For more information, please call or email the office.



Join the Life Chain

Next Sunday, October 2nd from 2 - 3 p.m.

Life Chain is an annual pro-life event that raises awareness about the injustice of abortion and the inherent dignity of every human being. Please join us this year at the Dufferin & St. Clair Ave. W. intersection. This is a family-friendly event appropriate for people of all ages and backgrounds and a unique opportunity to provide our neighbours a much-needed message of love, hope and truth. Please come and pray in silence for an hour.

St. Clare Refugee Committee

In 2015, St Clare & our parishioners, initiated the process, of assisting a young Togolese refugee emigrate to Canada. We are happy to announce that Bernard, may arrive as early as October! We are in great need of volunteers who would like to help this young man settle into our community. If you feel called to help or for more information, please contact Brian Pugh, bpugh@ahschools.com 416-520-0687. Additional information is posted at the Church entrance.

Urban Catholics (Young Adults Group)

Calling Catholics ages 23 to 49 to come join us as we journey closer to Jesus

Our mission is to facilitate Catholic fellowship with the aim of helping adults strengthen their resolve to stand firm in truth against the wiles of the world. Your favourite team, Urban Catholics, is back & we're doing something a little different this year - we will be hosting an event once a month! Our first event will be a **"A Hike at High Park" this afternoon (Sunday September 25th at 3pm.)** To register please message the admin team "@Urbancatholics" via Facebook Event Page or Instagram!



Saturday, September 24

5:00 – Gabriella Paolinelli

Sunday, September 25

10:00 – Antonio Barbieri, Angelo e Assunta Ricci, Angela Cianfarani, Espedito e Nicoletta Ari-ganello, Nicola e Lina Pileggi, Chiara Leva e Antonietta Dalessandro, Luigi Berto e Maria e
Ciro Fellin

12:00 – Alejandro Arrechea Lago

Monday, September 26

9:00 – Bryan P. Bradley

Tuesday, September 27

9:00 – Demonico, Antonio e Lucia Macri

Wednesday, September 28

9:00 – Maria Grazia De Giorgio

Thursday, September 29

9:00 – Giuseppe Agostino

Friday, September 30

9:00 – Vito Totino, Sr.

7:00 – Monthly Memorial

Saturday, October 1

5:00 – Carlo & Angela Fiocca



*There is a promise of marriage
between:*

Kevin Tomasio & Stephanie Iannarella

&

Brian Caceres & Debbie Jacome

Candela del Sacro Cuore

La candela del Sacro Cuore per questa settimana è stata offerta in memoria di Pasqualina Laurino, Immacolata, Nunzio e Giuseppe Grella, e Michele Filipone. Se qualcuno volesse offrire un'intenzione per la candela del Sacro Cuore si prega di chiamare l'ufficio per includerla nel bollettino settimanale o per ricevere ulteriori informazioni.

108ª Giornata Mondiale dei Migranti e Rifugiati

Il tema annunciato da Sua Santità Papa Francesco per questa 108ª Giornata Mondiale è "Costruire il futuro con i migranti e i rifugiati". Nel suo messaggio, papa Francesco ricorda che l'inclusione dei più vulnerabili è la condizione necessaria per la piena cittadinanza nel Regno di Dio. Il Signore infatti dice: «Venite, voi benedetti da mio Padre. Ereditate il Regno preparato per voi fin dalla fondazione del mondo. Perché ho avuto fame e mi avete dato da mangiare, ho avuto sete e mi avete dato da bere, forestiero mi avete accolto, nudo mi avete vestito, malato mi avete curato, in carcere mi avete visitato» (Mt 25:34-36).

Colletta per la Guarigione e la Riconciliazione degli Indigeni

La seconda colletta del prossimo fine settimana sarà devoluta per il finanziamento di progetti altamente necessari per il sostegno degli indigeni e delle loro comunità. Grazie infinite per la vostra generosità!

Catechesi Post-Battesimali

Tutti i parrocchiani sono incoraggiati a partecipare ad una serie di catechesi post-battesimali per giovani e adulti. Le sessioni sono gratuite e continuano a svolgersi il mercoledì e il venerdì, alle 19:30, nella Sala Parrocchiale. Per maggiori informazioni si prega di consultare gli inviti disponibili all'ingresso della Chiesa.

Abbiamo Bisogno di Volontari

Se avete un po' di tempo libero, dopo la Messa domenicale o anche durante la settimana, anche solo un paio d'ore una o due volte al mese, potreste offrirci un aiuto preziosissimo come Ministri Straordinari dell'Eucaristia, per portare la Santa Comunione ai tanti anziani e persone della nostra parrocchia che sono costrette a casa, o in istituti di cura, ormai incapaci di venire a Messa. Abbiamo infatti bisogno di volontari, sia di lingua italiana che inglese, che insieme ad un ministro con più esperienza andranno a due a due a visitare questi nostri fratelli più piccoli. Ricordate quello che ha detto Gesù? «Ogni volta che avete fatto queste cose a uno solo di questi miei fratelli più piccoli, l'avete fatto a me» (Mt 25,40). Se vi sentite chiamati a questo ministero, contattate l'ufficio o parlate con Padre Giuseppe dopo la Messa.

Comitato Rifugiati Santa Chiara

Nel 2015, la nostra parrocchia si è impegnata ad assistere un giovane rifugiato Togolese ad immigrare in Canada, avviando il processo di immigrazione. Siamo lieti di annunciare che Bernard, potrebbe già arrivare ad ottobre. Per questo, abbiamo adesso bisogno più che mai di volontari che diano una mano per facilitare il suo ingresso nella nostra comunità. Se vi sentite di poter essere in qualche modo d'aiuto, siete pregati di contattare Brian Pugh, scrivendo un'email a pugh@ahschools.com, o chiamando al 416-540-0687. Ulteriori informazioni sono disponibili all'ingresso della Chiesa.

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