

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



Dear friends in Christ,

On behalf of Fr. Patrick, Fr. Fady and all of the parish office staff, I would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year.

Please accept our heartfelt gratitude to all the people who gave so generously of their time to help prepare the church for Christmas.

Also, thank you for all of the gifts, cards and well wishes!

May our Lord Jesus Christ, born in Bethlehem, bless you, your families and loved ones at this blessed time of hope and grace. May Mary, the Mother of the Child Jesus and our Mother, watch over you and our beloved parish always. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Fr. George Parayil



Monday: 03 January 2022

9:30am Parishioners of Transfiguration

Tuesday: 04 January 2022

9:30am Caetano Ratos, Ruth Ratos
Stephanie Lanni

Wednesday: 05 January 2022

9:30am Robert Pereira

Thursday: 06 January 2022

9:30am Giselda & Giuseppe Greco

Friday: 07 January 2022

5:30pm

Saturday: 08 January 2022

9:30am

5:30pm James Everett Bowes
Giuseppe & Concenttina Venelli
Franco & Rosina Siriani

Sunday: 09 January 2022

7:45am Louis Longo

9:00am

10:30am Parishioners of Transfiguration

12:00pm Natale D'Urzo & T.D. Chacko

7:00pm



PARISH OFFICE

Office hours are:

Monday to Friday: 9 am to 4 pm

Saturday: 10 am to 7 pm

CHAPEL CLOSING

Our chapel will close at 4:00 p.m. on New Year's Eve, December 31st and will re-open on January 3rd at 10 am.

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

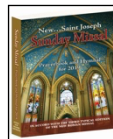
The parish office will be closed January 1st and will re-open on Tuesday, January 4th

PARISH ENVELOPE 2022

Envelopes for the year 2022 are now available in the parish hall. They are displayed numerically so please make sure you know your number when you come into the hall.

Please DO NOT start using your envelopes until the new year and at that time throw away any remaining 2021 envelopes.

SUNDAY MISSALS



The 2022 Sunday Missals is available for purchase at a cost of \$5.00 per book from the parish office from Monday to Saturday.

THE OUTREACH PROGRAM

The Outreach program will be collecting men's new underwear, socks, jeans (all sizes), warm gloves, winter hats & scarves, towels, men's deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, body lotion, bar soap/liquid body wash, shampoo, razors, shaving cream, Advil, Ensure/Boost, canned tuna/meat, canned soups/stews, coffee, tea, rice, vitamins (multi, b, c), Vicks Vap-rub, Rub a535 & neo citran. **Please call ahead to schedule an appointment to give your donated items to a parish office staff for inclusion into the blue box.**

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Theresa Burns, Sonja Schryer, Noemy Pereira, Clint Viegas, Samuel Cordeiro, Arthur Ruston, Avio Carboni, Raphael Colaco, Victor Colaco, Dana McGrath, Roman Joe Zakrajse, Enzo, Domenica, Teresa Pirrello, Margaret Speciale, Karen Radecky, Joe Simardone, Bryan, Ann, Aaron & Brandon Ramjattan

PRAY FOR THE DEPARTED SOUL

May the soul of the faithful departed rest in peace:

Antonio Picciuto

Maria Lourdes De Giorgio



Prayer Requests

MASS LIVESTREAM

Please access the link from our website directly, www.transchurch.ca



TORONTO SERRA CLUBS

“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 #: 416-968-0997

Email vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca Email: vocations@archtoronto.org
 Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca

YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAMING

Interested in participating in the preparation of our Sacramental Students? We are looking for anyone 16yrs old and above whom are interested to be a catechist for Sacramental Preparation this January. If you are interested in volunteering, please email us at transfigurationsacramentals@gmail.com with your name and phone number.

“FORMED” AVAILABLE AT OUR CHURCH

FORMED is a web-based digital platform, designed to help adults to grow in their faith and in their lives. FREE to all parishioners & your families. **Register at FORMED.org**

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| * Click the link in your email | * Find your parish by name |
| * You’re in! | * Enter your email |

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**QUEEN OF APOSTLES RENEWAL CENTRE
 DATES FOR ENGAGED COUPLES**

PROGRAM for 2022:

JANUARY 14 -16	JUNE 10 -12
FEBRUARY 11-13	JULY 8 -10
MARCH 4 - 6	AUGUST 5 -7
MAY 20 - 22	DECEMBER 9 -11

All retreats all live in weekends. The cost is \$600.00 per couple. We observe all Covid-19 Protocols. Dates are subject to pandemic restrictions. Address: 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga, ON L5H 2C3
 Tel: (905)278-5229 Fax: (905) 278-7513 website: www.qoa.ca

FRIARS’ STUDENT WRITING CONTEST

It is time once again for the Friars’ Student Writing Award. Students aged 13-19 are invited to submit a 450-500-word essay for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, celebrated from January 18 to 25, 2022.

This year, the theme and the resources for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2022 have been prepared by the Middle East Council of Churches based in Beirut, Lebanon. The theme of the contest is: **“We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him” (Mt. 2:2).** The deadline for the writing contest is Monday, February 14, 2022 at 2 p.m. **Win Great Prizes!**

Please see the poster for more contest details:
<https://bit.ly/FriarsStudentWritingContest2022>



CALLING ALL CATHOLIC ADVISORS

Are you a financial or insurance advisor, or a lawyer? If yes, then we want to hear from you! The Archdiocese of Toronto has 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. Come and be a part of our network where you 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.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving plan (PAG) to help you support the parish’s work through your regular offertory gift. To accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ, parishes depend entirely on the generosity of their parishioners. Pre-Authorized Giving allows you to donate to your parish through scheduled monthly transfers from your bank account or credit card. These funds are then deposited directly into the parish’s account.

There are various benefits of participating in pre-authorized giving, both for you and for your parish.

Advantages for You:

- The convenience of having your offering automatically contributed to the parish.
- Knowing you continue to support the parish even when you are away.
- Continual support of ministries and programs funded through the parish.

Advantages for the Parish:

- Regular, dependable contributions to the parish.
- Reduction of cash on hand. • Reduction of paperwork.

For information on how to enrol, please contact your parish office or email development@archtoronto.org.

MARRIAGE SUNDAY 2022

**Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop Kasun
 Sunday, February 13, 2022 – 2:30 p.m.**

St. Michael’s Cathedral Basilica : 65 Bond St., Toronto
 As part of Marriage Sunday 2022 celebrations, Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB, will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2022. Due to social distancing measures, cathedral attendance is limited to pre-registered couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries and a maximum of one (1) guest per celebrant couple. **Registration is now open. Given the limited attendance at the cathedral, we encourage milestone celebrants to register early.** Those who are not able to register may join at 2:15 pm; the celebration via livestream Mass here: www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live. Please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage to register and to access resources for parishes and couples.

CASSEROLE PROGRAM

We kindly remind the members of the Good Shepherd Casserole Program to bring in your casserole on the weekend of:

- January 29th & 30th**
- February 26th & 27th**
- March 26th & 27th**
- April 23rd & 24th**
- May 28th & 29th**
- June 25th & 26th**

