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**SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

**Monday to Friday**

8 am & 7 pm

**Saturday**

8 am & 5pm

**Sunday:**

10:00 am – Italian

8:00 am, 12:00 pm, 5:00 pm - English

**CONFESSION**

Every Saturday @ 4 – 5 pm, other days please call for appointment

**MEMORIAL MASS**

Please call the office to schedule

**BAPTISM**

Contact parish office 2 months in advance of anticipated baptismal date.

**MARRIAGE**

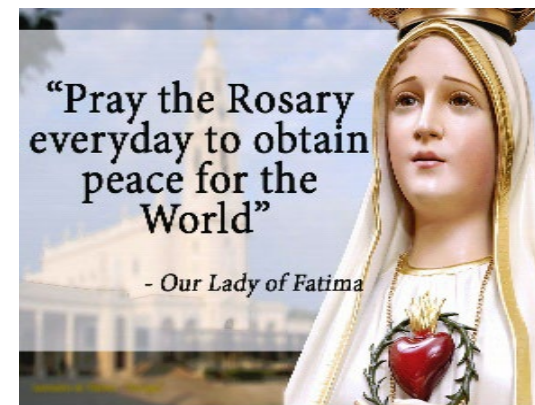
Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance.

**ANNOINTING OF THE SICK**

If one of your loved ones would like to receive this Sacrament of Anointing, please call the office.

**COMMUNION OF THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

The Eucharist is brought regularly to the sick and shut-ins. Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation are also available. Please notify the parish office.



**Adoration**

of the  
**Blessed Sacrament**



Every  
**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**  
**8:30 am – 6:45 pm**

**Devotion to Our**  
**Lady of**  
**Perpetual Help**

Every  
Wednesday  
@ 7 pm Mass



**Monday - Saturday**

9am – 12 noon

1 pm – 5 pm

**Sunday: 9 am – 1 pm**



**ALTAR SERVERS'**  
**TRAINING**

every Friday @  
4:30 - 5:30 pm -CHURCH  
**New member is welcome.**

**YOUTH GROUP IS**  
**BACK.....**

Next meeting: Friday,  
January 23 @ 6 pm - 7:30 pm  
Mother Teresa  
Come for an evening of  
prayer, fellowship, and  
community.

**PRAY TOGETHER**

Come and join us praying  
the Rosary & Chaplet of  
Divine Mercy @ 6:00 pm  
Wednesdays – Fridays  
followed by 7 pm mass

**Seniors Group**

Will resume Feb. 4  
Wednesday @ 9 -12  
In Mother Teresa Hall  
Come and have fun....

Those who are interested to have Our Lady  
Of Fatima Statue to visit their home for a  
week, call: Edith @ 416-420-5185



**Welcome, new parishioners!**

We are glad you are here. Come to the office to register to be part of our  
community.



January 18, 2026 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary

In questa domenica il Vangelo ci presenta la grande testimonianza di Giovanni Battista su Gesù: «Ecco l’Agnello di Dio che toglie il peccato del mondo».Gesù’ e’ il Servo che dovrà prendere su di sé i peccati di tutti, ricondurre i superstiti d’Israele nella vera terra promessa, portare la salvezza fino all’estremità della terra, annullare il fallimento dell’umanità e del mondo. Risuona nelle parole di Giovanni l’annuncio del tempo nuovo, il tempo in cui tutti sono chiamati alla salvezza. L’immagine di Gesù, Agnello e Servo, ci richiama allo stile di vita di sacrificio per amore; un offerta generosa della nostra vita che ci immerge nella vita stessa di Dio. Ancora l’immagine di Gesù’ come agnello ci invita a dare la nostra vita per Dio e per il bene e salvezza degli altri ovunque ci troviamo.

The gospel of today is a time for reflection on the mission of the Servant-Messiah and the importance of recognizing Jesus in the world. John the Baptist's proclamation of Jesus as the "Lamb of God" serves as a reminder to pay attention to the Lord and to seek Him in the world around us. it encourages us to open our ears to God's Word and to speak of His goodness. It also calls us to be open to God's ways, which may be refreshingly different from our own. It also encourages us to recognize the Lord in our daily lives, to live, pray, and love differently, and to seek the beauty and mystery of the divine, As we continue our spiritual journey, we are called to nurture God's Word in our hearts and to share it with others.

ALTAR SERVERS & PARENTS MEETINGS  
January 23 @ 4:30  
MOTHER TERESA HALL



## Building Fund

Next weekend, January 24 & 25  
Second Collection

**On the lighter....** . Catholic Heart Attack  
After suffering a heart attack and having quadruple bypass surgery, a man woke up to find himself in a Catholic hospital with nuns taking care of him. As they nursed him back to health, one of the nuns asked him if he had health insurance. "No," he replied, "No health insurance."  
"Do you have any money in the bank?" asked the nun. "No. No money in the bank." The nun asked, "Do you have any relatives you could ask for help?" The man replied, "I only have a spinster sister, who is a nun." At this the nun became irritated. "Nuns are not spinsters. Nuns are married to God!" "OK, then," said the man. "Send the bill to my brother-in-law."

Mass Intentions

**SATURDAY, January 17**  
5:00 PM – † COMMUNITY

**SUNDAY, January 18 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A**  
8:00 AM – † Antonio De Faria  
10:00 AM – † Rosa Ianetta, Josephine Fiorinis  
12:00 PM - Santification of all priests & religious; 30<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Ruben & Emmy Mercurio; Birthday thanksgiving for Kaitly Pamo; Thanksgiving for continuous recovery of Ted Baybay; Thanksgiving for Harvey Ganalon & Family † Nieva Sabilano Martin; Amado Cape; Andrew Leslie & Mina Bouffard; All souls  
5:00 PM – Thanksgiving of Michelle Brown † Deceased family members of Cortez & Ballaran Family

**MONDAY, January 19**  
8: 00 am – †  
7:00 pm – †

**TUESDAY, January 20- Sts. Fabian & Sebastian**  
8:00 AM - †  
10:00 AM – Humber Meadows Mass  
7:00 PM - †

**WEDNESDAY, January 21 – St. Agnes**  
8:00 AM †  
7:00 PM †  
7:45 PM – Nicola Galloro – Memorial – Bi.

**THURSDAY – January 22**  
8:00 AM – † Simon & Thelma Nazareth  
7:00 PM – † Gina Filice

**FRIDAY – January 23 - Sts Vincent & Marianne Cope**  
8:00 AM – †  
7:00 PM - † Alphonso Mascarnhas, all souls

**SATURDAY – January 24 – St. Frances de Sales**  
8:00 AM †  
2:00 PM - Baptism  
5:00 PM – †


February

Schedules

February 2 -Monday  
Presentation of the Lord (Candle Light mass) @ 8 am & 7 pm mass  
February 3 - Tuesday  
Blessing of Throat 8 am & 7 pm  
February 11 - Wednesday  
Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes  
Healing Mass @ 8 am & 7 pm

### PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Father God, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You would bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. In Jesus' name. Amen.



### PREGHIERA PER I SOFFERENTI

Signore abbi pietà di coloro che sono infermi, e sono in una profonda tristezza, se Tu vuoi, puoi aiutarli a "vedere" e a guarire. Illumina i medici nel curare i loro mali; rendi più efficaci le cure e gli interventi sulla malattia. Dai loro la forza di reagire al dolore e per collaborare con gli Angeli della guarigione. Amen.

## Confession

Doorway to Forgiveness

2025 Donation Tax Receipts  
Will be available on January 25 in the lobby on Sundays and in the office on weekdays.

Promemoria per il mese di febbraio

2 febbraio - Lunedì @ 7 pm  
Presentazione del Signore  
Candlelight mass  
February 3 -Benedizione della gola @ 8am & 7 pm  
February 11 - Festa di Nostra Signora di Lourdes  
healing mass 8 am & 7 pm

## LA CONFESSIONE

ABBRACCIATI DA GESÙ

«Il perdono di Dio è più forte di ogni peccato».  
Papa Francesco



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Event: April 11 Mercy Weekend Conference 2026

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Rev. Mark Baron, MIC, Director  
Very Rev. Chris Alar, MIC,  
Rev. Donald Calloway, MIC

**Itinerary:**  
Departure: April 10 @ 9 am – St. Wilfrid’s  
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A deposit of \$150 for reservation  
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Come & See - Discernment Weekend Retreat -  
February 27 - March 1, 2026 at St. Augustine’s Seminary  
The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine’s Seminary on Friday, February 27 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, March 1 (2 p.m.).  
Registration must be done online at [www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee)  
For more information, email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).

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Prayer to St. Fabian

God our Father, glory of Your priests, may the prayers of Your martyr Fabian help us to share his faith and offer you loving service. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

ST. FABIAN  
Pope and Martyr  
Feast | Jan. 20

### Knowing our Saints through their prayers

O Lord, grant us the spirit of fortitude, so that guided by the example of the martyr St. Sebastian, we may learn to bear witness to the Christian Faith and patiently support the sufferings of life. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

St. Sebastian, pray for us.

**ST. AGNES**  
Feast Day: January 21


O lovely St. Agnes, as a young girl you chose Christ as your Saviour and your Spouse. For this you were ridiculed and put to death.

O gentle saint, through your intercession, may we obtain the grace of constant faith and courage.

Amen.

"Christ is my Spouse. He chose me first and His I will be. He made my soul beautiful with the jewels of grace and virtue. I belong to Him whom the angels serve." (Words of St. Agnes)

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"I do not think of reward. I am working for God and do so cheerfully."  
Saint Marianne Cope

## ST FRANCIS DE SALES

My God, I give you this day.  
I offer you now all of the good that I shall do and I promise to accept, for love of you, all of the difficulty that I shall meet. Help me to conduct myself during this day in a manner pleasing to you.

Amen

Perpetual mass cards available in the office in English & Italian.

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