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**HE SAT DOWN
 AND
 OPENED HIS MOUTH**

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday 8 am – Italian; 5 pm English; **Sunday** 10:00 am – Italian; 8:00 am, 12:00 pm, 5:00 pm - English

Monday – Friday 8 am – Italian; 7 pm - English

CONFESSION

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

MEMORIAL MASS Please call the office to schedule

SACRAMENTS:

Baptisms, First communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the sick,
 Communion for the homebound, please contact the office.

Adoration
 of the
 Blessed Sacrament



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

**Devotion to Our
 Lady of
 Perpetual Help**
 Every
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 @ 7 pm Mass



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 weekdays in the office

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LAY ASSOCIATIONS

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 Joey Lopez: reygalop2003@yahoo.com
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 Elvie @ 647-745-2428
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Monday - Saturday

9am – 12 noon
 1 pm – 5 pm

Sunday: 9 am – 1 pm



PRIESTS

Father Paolos F. Beraki, Pastor
 Father Eugene D'Avella, Retired Priest
 Father Isaias Dulla Argaw, Hospital Chaplain
 Father Henry Alva, Capuchin on Sabbatical Leave

Welcome, new parishioners!

We invite new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms and donation envelopes are available in the entrance of the church and at the parish office.

January 29, 2023 – 4th Sunday in O. T.

Beati i poveri davanti a Dio... Che messaggio!
Lascia che Dio ti colmi! Egli ti ama malgrado la tua povertà, malgrado i tuoi limiti. Quando sei addolorato dall'effimero della felicità umana sempre minacciata, quando ti senti povero, quando l'afflizione ti paralizza, ascolta la grande promessa di Dio: sarete consolati, sarete sfamati, vedrete Dio... Questa promessa è nel cuore della nostra fede.

Tutto il lieto messaggio di Gesù si riflette nelle beatitudini come uno specchio ardente. Colui che ha accolto la buona novella nel più profondo di sé stesso e nel quale questa verità raggiunge le radici dell'esistenza, diventerà naturalmente misericordioso e indulgente nel giudizio che ha sugli altri. Sarà capace di diffondere la pace, perché egli stesso la possiederà.

The Beatitudes are a rich treasure of God's revelation. Here is to be seen the focused image of the Christian life. Here in fact is the face of Christ himself. To be ignorant of the Scriptures, St Jerome said in the 4th century, is to be ignorant of Christ.

Not to read and study the Beatitudes is not to read and study the face of Christ.

Beatitudes is like a road map that Jesus gives us, to tell us how to get to our destination—*happiness and fulfillment here and now, and eternal life in the future.*

Each Beatitude calls us to be and do for others. Each one calls us to bear witness, by our lives, that we belong to Christ. We are his people, and we follow him in his example of life.

February 2, Feast Day

PRESENTAZIONE DEL SIGNORE / Presentation of the LORD

Il vecchio Simeone, certo della promessa ricevuta, riconosce Gesù e la salvezza di cui il Cristo è portatore e accetta il compiersi della sua esistenza.

Anche Anna, questa profetessa ormai avanti negli anni, che aveva però passato quasi tutta la sua vita in preghiera e penitenza riconosce Gesù e sa parlare di lui a quanti lo attendono. Anna e Simeone, a differenza di molti altri, capiscono che quel bimbo è il Messia perché i loro occhi sono puri, la loro fede è semplice e perché, vivendo nella preghiera e nell'adesione alla volontà del Padre, hanno conquistato la capacità di riconoscere la ricchezza dei tempi nuovi.



Candle Light Mass @ 7 pm

When Christ was presented in the temple, "there was a man in Jerusalem named Simeon, and this man was just and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel" (Luke 2:25).

When Saint Mary and Saint Joseph brought Christ to the temple, Simeon embraced the Child and prayed: "Now thou dost dismiss thy servant, O Lord, according to thy word in peace; because my eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all peoples: a light to the revelation of the Gentiles, and the glory of thy people."

SAINT BLAISE
Feast Day: February 3rd

Per intercessionem S. Blasii liberet te Deus a malo gutteris et a quovis alio malo

May God at the intercession of St. Blasius preserve you from throat troubles and every other evil.

HEALING MASS

Saturday, February 11
8 am – Italian; 5 pm - English

Those who are interested to take Our Lady of Fatima statue in their home for a week, please call Edith @ 416-420-5185

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, January 28

5:00 PM † Eric, Ignatius & Elsie Pereira; Donato Di Giorgio; Jesus Singson; Adolfo Benito Castro; Maria Paz Guitierrez; Esperidion Calugay

SUNDAY January 29

8:00 AM – Thanksgiving for Lemi Family †
10:00 AM † Giuseppe Manzoli; Dora Temperio
12:00 PM † Pacifico & Lourdes De Lara
1:30 PM - Baptism
5:00 PM – † Eric D'souza & Eric Pereira; Rodolfo Angeles

MONDAY January 30

8:00 am – †
11:00 am – Funeral – Danilo Purino
7:00 pm – Thanksgiving for Valencia Family; Anniversary thanksgiving for Michael & Lilia Ponteras †

TUESDAY January 31 – St. John Bosco

8:00 AM - †
7:00 PM - For a Successful bypass operation † Belen Valencia; Sylvester Sequiera, CarolLobo

WEDNESDAY February 1

8:00 AM † Francesca, Maddalena e Angelo
7:00 PM Thanksgiving for Forgiveness † Sebastian Gonzalez

THURSDAY February 2 – The Presentation of the Lord

8:00 AM – †
7:00 PM – † Aurora Ablog; Joao, Filomena & Jose Luis Camara; Grazia Rigano, Salvino Pietrobon

FRIDAY, February 3 – St. Blaise (First Friday)

8:00 AM – † Lucia Faraldo
7:00 PM †

SATURDAY, February 4 – First Saturday

8:00 AM †
11:00 AM - † Francesco Tropiano - Memorial
2:00 AM – Baptism
5:00 PM † Gino Nangini; Antonio De Feria; Cathy Malisani

SUNDAY February 5 – 5th Sunday in OT

8:00 AM – †
10:00 AM † Mario Dimarco; Francesco, Antonio e Francesca Battaglia
12:00 PM † Lolita & Edgardo Dadia
5:00 PM – †



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On the Lighter side....

At Sunday school, they were teaching how God created everything, including human beings. Little Johnny, a child in the kindergarten class, seemed especially intent when they told him how Eve was created out of one of Adam's ribs. Later in the week, his mother noticed him lying as though he were ill, and said. "Johnny what is the matter?" Little Johnny responded, "I have a pain in my side. I think I'm going to have a wife."

Remember those who have died in our prayers especially: **Danilo Purino**
Eternal rest grant unto them O LORD, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

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