



St. Wilfrid's Roman Catholic Church

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Many nations: One Faith

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Monday to Friday

8 am – Italian; 7 pm English

Saturday

8 am – Italian; 5pm - English

Sunday:

10:00 am – Italian

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

CONFESSION

Every Saturday @ 4 – 5 pm,

For other days, please call for appointment

MEMORIAL MASS

Monday – Friday @ 7:30 pm

Please call the office @ 416-638-0313

CHURCH HALL FOR RENT

Please contact Dina @ 416-398-6304

Parish Staff

Rev. Paolos F. Beraki – PASTOR

Rev. Eugene D'Avella – In Residence

Rev. Isaias Dulla Argaw – In Residence

Chaplain in the Hospital

Rev. Henry Alva – On Sabbatical leave

Angelo De Camillis – Parish Manager

Dina Angelucci – Hall Manager

Andy Zuliani – Property Manager

Ma. Jojo Cortez - Secretary

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Every Wednesday @ 7 pm Mass



Adoration

of the Blessed Sacrament



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

Monday- Friday

9 am – 12 pm; 1 – 6 pm

Saturday – 9:00 am – 12 pm

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am – 1:30 pm

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.

OFFICE HOURS



ST. WILFRID'S SENIOR'S GROUP

Every Wednesday @ 9 – 11:30 AM
Mother Teresa Hall.



Training every Friday @4:30-6 pm

ST. WILFRID'S YOUTH GROUP Meeting every other Friday

@ 6:30 – 9 pm
Mother Teresa Hall.

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

PRAY TOGETHER

Come and join us praying the Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy @ 6:00 pm
Wednesdays – Fridays
English Prayer Gp.

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.

November 27, 2022 – First Sunday of Advent

Quando iniziamo il nostro nuovo anno liturgico, ci viene ricordato il nostro scopo principale nella vita: essere pronti e guardare avanti per la nostra eventuale casa con il Signore. L'Avvento è un tempo per considerare l'incarnazione, la prima venuta di Cristo, in relazione al suo ritorno. Il modo per prepararsi alla venuta di Cristo non è calcolarne la data, ma vivere una vita di prontezza e risposta al suo invito a credere e vivere in lui e con lui. Dio rivela abbastanza sul futuro per darci speranza, ma non così tanto da non dover vivere e camminare per fede giorno dopo giorno. Abbiamo la certezza delle cose che si sperano e la convinzione delle cose che non si sono ancora viste, ma ciò che non abbiamo è un orario che ci è stato dato nella Scrittura. Gesù, ci ricorda la necessità di essere sempre pronti ad entrare alla sua presenza. Ci chiama a testimoniare fedelmente lo scopo ultimo della vita di Dio con lui in questo mondo e nel mondo a venire. E ci dà ciò che dobbiamo preparare: il suo Corpo, il suo Sangue, la sua parola, il suo amore, la sua pace e l'un l'altro.



As we begin our new liturgical year we are reminded of our main purpose in life – to be ready and looking forward to our eventual home with the Lord. Advent is a time to consider the incarnation, the first coming of Christ, in relation to his return.

The way to prepare for the coming of Christ, is not by calculating its date, but by living a life of readiness and response to his invitation to believe and live in and with him.

God reveals enough about the future to give us hope, but not so much that we do not have to live and walk by faith day after day. We have assurance about the things hoped for, and conviction about the things not yet seen, but what we do not have is a timetable given to us in the Scripture.

Jesus, reminds us of the necessity to always be ready to enter into his presence. He calls us to witness faithfully to God's ultimate purpose of life with him in this world and in the world to come. And, he gives us what we need to prepare: his Body, his Blood, his word, his love, his peace, and one another.

CHRISTMAS FOOD DRIVE

Please consider donating Groceries Gift Cards for our needy brothers and sisters.



NEXT WEEK, DEC. 4 WE WILL HAVE A SECOND COLLECTION FOR OUR NEEDY BROTHERS & SISTERS

Thank you all for your generosity!

RACCOLTA DI CIBO PER NATALE

Si prega di considerare la donazione di buoni regalo per generi alimentari per i nostri fratelli e sorelle bisognosi.

La prossima settimana, il 4 ° dicembre, avrà la seconda collezione per i nostri fratelli e sorelle bisognosi.

Grazie a tutti per la vostra generosità!

Wanted:

Children for Christmas Play 2022

Ages 5 - 9 yrs old

Sign-up Sheet is available in the lobby.



ShareLife



You can work wonders!

Your helping hand is the answer

NEW: Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million will match your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign.

"Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal of \$13.8 million. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part." – *Cardinal Thomas Collins*

Our goal this year is [**\$37,000**]. To date we have achieved [**\$32,000**].

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Pilgrimage Trip

Saturday, December 3 - First Saturday
Our Lady of Victory Basilica & Our Lady of Fatima Shrine in Buffalo, and see Festival of Lights

Departure: 6:30 am

Cost: \$80 includes bus and snacks

Call Office for Reservation @ 416-638-0313

Reminder: New Envelope 2023 will be available on the weekend of Dec. 4 in the lobby.



New Envelope 2022 sarà disponibile nel weekend del 4 dicembre nella hall.

Fallsview Casino & Festival of Lights
December 7th 2022

Cost per person \$55.00
Each passenger receives \$35.00 Free Slot or Table play

Departing from St. Wilfrid Church At 11:30 AM

For Further Information
Contact Rosalie @ 416-587-7742

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, November 26

5:00 PM - Birthday Thanksgiving for Audrey Calara
 † Carlito Galang; Mark & Teresa Castellaino; Philip Gerald Jayaratinam

SUNDAY, November 27 – First Sunday of Advent Yr. A

8:00 AM – † Anthonyros Monikama & Packealachumi
 10:00 AM – † Felice, rocco & Maria Teresa Lo Presti; Giuseppe & Maria Schirripa; Deceased members of Zaffino & Manella Families
 12:00 Noon – Birthday thanksgiving for Mila Puig & Audrey Calara;
 † Felicidad Rodriguez; Deceased Members of Siano Family
 1:30 - Baptism
 5:00 PM - † Names written on all souls' envelope and book of life

MONDAY, November 28

8:00 am – † Francesca McBean
 7:00 pm – † Names written in the all soul envelope & book of life

TUESDAY, November 29

8:00 AM - † tutti i nomi scritti nella busta di tutte le anime e libro della vita
 7:00 PM – † Names written in the all soul envelope & book of life

WEDNESDAY, November 30 – St. Andrew, Apostle

8:00 AM † tutti i nomi scritti nella busta di tutte le anime e libro della vita
 7:00 PM - † Crisanto Carmelo;

THURSDAY, December 1

8:00 AM – † Luigi De Angelis
 10:00 AM – Mass in Downsview Long Term Care
 7:00 PM – †

FRIDAY, December 2

8:00 AM – † Rinaldo Bussoli
 7:00 PM – † All souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY, December 3 – St. Francis Xavier

8:00 AM † Lucia Faraldo
 5:00 PM - ENROLLMENT FOR CONFIRMATION
 †

SUNDAY, December 4 – 2nd Sunday of Advent Yr. A

8:00 AM – Birthday thanksgiving for Amanda †
 10:00 AM – † Mario Dimarco, Attilio Manzoli
 12:00 Noon – Birthday thanksgiving for Richard Cortez
 † Deceased members of Cortez Family
 2:30 PM – Baptism - chapel
 5:00 PM - † Cathy Malisani

Perpetual Mass Cards
 Available in the office



Sunday
 missal
 available for
 sale

What is Advent?

A season of **hope**, **preparation**, **EXPECTATION** & **celebration**

Advent is made up of **four weeks**, divided into **two periods**:
1 First Sunday of Advent until December 16
 focus: Christ's second coming at the end of time
2 December 17 to 24
 focus: Preparation for celebrating the birth of Jesus Christ

The **ADVENT WREATH** is a popular symbol used as the focus of prayer throughout the season

The **first Sunday of Advent** marks the beginning of the liturgical year

Through prayer, spiritual reading, acts of charity, and participation in Eucharist, Advent helps us to expand the meaning of our lives, so that we are not ends in ourselves, but a people who seek Christ as our hopeful end and joyful fulfilment

Our prayer at Advent is one of hope and love:

Come,
 Lord
 Jesus!

CANDLES mark the steps in our Advent journey

Advent is **more** than the preparation for Christ's birth. It also celebrates the **three-fold coming of the Lord**:

- **Remembering** the events that surrounded the Lord's coming long ago
- **Celebrating** his coming among us today
- **Looking forward** to his final coming in glory

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 #AdventTO

"Advent" (Latin)
 MEANS
 "a coming or arrival"

COMMUNITY Confession



Friday, December 16
 @ 7 pm

Christmas Novena

Dec. 15 – 23, 2022



Inviting Groups and Families to sponsor.
 Main goal to have groups sponsored the mass is to bring people together.
 Potluck for the members of the group.
 Please call the office for more information

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2023

Sat, Dec. 24 – Christmas Eve
 5 pm – Family mass
 10 pm – Bilingual

Sun., Dec. 25 – Christmas Day
 10 am - Italian
 8 am, 12 noon & 5pm - English

Sat., Dec. 31 – N Y Eve
 5 pm – English
 8 pm – Bilingual
 9 pm – 10:30 pm - Adoration

Sun. Jan. 1 – NY Day
 10 am - Italian
 8 am, 12pm & 5 pm- Eng.



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