St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church



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Rev. Fr. Suresh Xavier, Pastor

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday – 5:00 pm Sunday – 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 noon No reservation required for any of the masses

WEEKDAY MASSES Monday to Saturday – 9:15 am Friday - 7:00 pm

FIRST FRIDAY

One hr. after the 9:15 am mass. Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday - 8:30 am Saturday - 8:30 am & 4:15 pm Other times upon request.

BAPTISMS

By appointment only. At least two-month advance notice. Attendance at a pre-baptism class is required for parents. You may wish to attend this class before your child is born.

CARE of the SICK

Visitation and/or communion for the sick upon request.

MARRIAGE

Couples must contact a priest one year in advance. A Marriage Course is required. If either party has been previously married, the Bishop's Office must be consulted before a date may be set.

Rev. Fr. Jobby Muppathiyil Joseph, Associate

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm (Lunch 12:30pm - 1:30pm) We are now closed on Monday Evenenings Tuesday - Friday - 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Saturday - 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Sunday - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Anne School, 124 Vodden St.	905-459-7621
Father C.W. Sullivan School, 62 Seaborn Rd.	905-453-5020
St. Cecilia School, 10 Brickyard Way	905-459-0575
St. Joachim School, 435 Rutherford Rd. N.	905-453-4472
St. Maria Goretti School, 121 Royal Orchard Dr.	905-454-4458
Our Lady of Fatima School, 39 Sunset Blvd.	905-459-4737
St. Ursula School, 11 Dwellers Rd.	905-454-5213

For more information on Catholic education in our community or to reach your local school board trustee, contact the Dufferin Peel Catholic District School Board at 905-890-1221 or www.dpcdsb.org

EXTRA PARKING

Please adhere to proper city bylaws. If the church parking lot becomes full, there is extra parking available on the side streets and by Duggan Park.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

For more information call 416-733-8544 or visit the website at www.catholic-cemeteries.com

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Mr. Cyril MoraesR.C.I.A. Co-ordinatorMrs. Marilyn MaghanovSacramental Co-ordinator

"Good St. Anne, mother of Her, who is our Life, our Sweetness and our Hope...Pray For Us"



Mass Intentions

<u>Sunday, May 5</u>

- 8:00 AM For the intentions of St. Anne's Community
 - + Wenefrida Ragot
- 10:00 AM † Antonio Botelho
 - Dominic & Lynette- 40th Wedd.
 Anniversary
- 12:00 PM † Annie Pereira

Monday, May 6

- 9:15 AM † Eduardo Novo
 - + George Dolak
 - In thanksgiving Marieta Salire-60th birthday

<u>Tuesday, May 7</u>

- 9:15 AM † Urania Jacob
 - + Jacinta Mascarenhas
 - + Jose Pereira

<u>Wednesday, May 8</u>

9:15 AM – † Carmen Turner

- † Elvira Mendes
- † Ramiro Carreiro

<u>Thursday, May 9</u>

9:15 AM – † Daniel Pettit

<u>Friday,May 10</u>

9:15 AM – ⁺ George Dolak **7:00 PM** – Special Intention

<u>Saturday, May 11</u>

9:15 AM – † Maria do Santo Cristo Melo

- + Walter Alexis
- Patricia Quezon- Special Intention
- 5:00 PM † Louise Stewart

Lamp Intentions

SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1

In Memory of Melita Florencia Desouza

SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2

In Memory of Melita Florencia Desouza SACRED HEART LAMP

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Eva Romano- Birthday Blessings

ST. ANNE LAMP

In Thanksgiving- Tony & Eva Romano

DIVINE MERCY LAMP

In Memory of Daniel Pettit

May 5, 2024 – SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Gospel: John 15.9-17 – No Greater Love Laying Down our Lives

As stewards, we are called to befriend Christ and lay down our lives for Him for there is "no greater love than this." Since it's unlikely that we'll be called to martyrdom, we are instead called to lay down our lives by sacrificing our own wills and own comforts for the sake of the Kingdom. Let us strive to accomplish this through a renewed commitment to stewardship.



Sat. in the Fraser room and Sun. in the Stephenson room

MENTAL HEALTH IN THE FAITH COMMUNITIES AWARENESS SUNDAY

This Sunday, May 5, 2024, Catholics throughout the Archdiocese are encouraged to participate in Mental Health in the Faith Communities Awareness Sunday. The special focus for this day to raise awareness in our parish communities of the importance of mental health, how we need to look after it, and how important it is to get help if we are struggling. In our faith communities, people often report experiencing shame or stigma attached to mental health and mental health illness. Having open conversations about mental health issues, listening, and sharing information, opens doors to seeking help, and healing. So, this Sunday, May 5, 2024, let's talk about mental health and help stop the silence, stigma and shame.

https://www.archtoronto.org/mentalhealth

CELEBRATE MOTHER DAY'S HIGH TEA

Hosted by St. Anne's Youth Ministry & Mom's Group SUNDAY, MAY 12TH after the 10AM & 12Noon MASSES In the Stephenson room



POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION

Today, there will be a second collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. *Please give generously!*



MASS FOR LIFE – MAY 7th at 7PM

This year the Mass for Life will be held at St. Anne's on <u>TUESDAY</u>, MAY 7TH at 7:00 pm. We invite all parishioners to join us for this s and pray for the protection of all human life from conception to natural death. There will be a Novena for Life in the nine days leading up to this Mass. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. For questions or more details, please contact: Michael Petric at 289-937-9989.

REFLECTING ON ARCHBISHOP LEO'S PASTORAL LETTER ON SEEKING THE KINGDOM OF GOD ABOVE AND BEYOND ALL OTHER THINGS

Awareness of the Kingdom Throughout Our Archdiocese Life "We need to return to valorizing the gift of life, our corporeal and spiritual identity, just as it is given to us by God through our parents, and cherish, defend and enjoy this gift as it is the expression of the Lord's benevolence, his blessedness reserved for us, and part of his universal plan of salvation.

- Archbishop Francis Leo,

https://www.archtoronto.org/siteassets/media/archdioceseof-toronto-main-site/files/archbishop-leo/pastoral-letter.pdf

BIRTHRIGHT ANNUAL BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN



Birthright Brampton has been in operation for over 27 years and is fully staffed by dedicated volunteers. We are currently assisting over 700 moms. Last year we

welcomed <u>372 babies (10 sets of twins and 1 set of</u> triplets). Some of the challenges that our moms face are financial hardship, abusive relationships, mental health, addictions, refugees, newcomers and human trafficking to name a few. Please help us to help mothers *CHOOSE LIFE* for their unborn child!

On the weekend of May 18/29, please sign out a bottle, take it home and fill it with loose change, bills or a cheque and return it to the parish on the weekend of June 22/23.

THE SACRED PROJECT

Experience the enchanting melodies of The Sacred Project Concert at St. Marguerite d'Youville Parish, Brampton! Join us on Wednesday, May 15, at 7 p.m. for an unforgettable evening of sacred music and reflection. Jonathan Michael will be joined by the exquisite sounds of the 6-piece strings ensemble, Beaux Strings, led by the talented Sybil Shanahan, and accompanied by the skilled pianist, Joshua Tamayo. Immerse yourself in the beauty of sacred melodies and powerful lyrics that will uplift your spirit.

Admission: \$25 for adult; \$20 for seniors and children 12 and under are free. Tickets available online at <u>https://musicbyjohn.ca/thesacredproject/</u>

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

SUNDAY, APRIL 28: \$6,018.55 ShareLife 6,126.50 Thank you for your generosity!

ShareLife: Live the Gospel by supporting our vulnerable brothers and sisters.

We call upon your compassionate hearts to support ShareLife. Through your love, Catholic agencies bring the hands of Christ to the most vulnerable members of our community.

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



The greatest love story that ever happened: God's continuing love for His people. All God asks is "Love one another as I have loved you". The

world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. If you are willing to answer God's call, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

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



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