St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church



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Rev. Fr. Anish Alex, Associate

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday - 5:00 p.m. Sunday - 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday - 9:15 a.m. Wednesday and Friday - 7:00 p.m.

FIRST FRIDAY

One hr. after the 9:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. masses. Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Saturday 8:00 a.m. & 4:15 p.m. Other times upon request.

BAPTISMS

By appointment only. At least three-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.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Mr. Cyril Moraes Mrs. Arlene Morgan R.C.I.A. Co-ordinator Sacramental Facilitator

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday - 9:00 am - 4:30 pm Monday - Friday: Lunch Break - 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm (office closed) Monday - Friday: Evening Hours - 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Saturday - 9:00 am - 6:00 pm Sunday - 7:30 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	
Cardinal Leger Secondary School, 75 Mary St.	905-453-2232	
Notre Dame Secondary School, 2 Notre Dame Ave.	905-840-2802	
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 at St. Anne's school, on the side of the street and by Duggan Park.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

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

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



Sunday, December 8
8:00 AM – For the Intentions of the
People of St. Anne's
† Mrs. Florina Lobo Rodrigues
10:00 AM – † Maria Ilda Ferreira
12:00 PM – Maikel Michriky and
Iskandara Michriky
Monday, December 9
9:15 AM – † Eugenio Cabral da Silva
Tuesday, December 10
9:15 AM – † Manuel, Isabel, Joao & Jose Lima
& All Souls in purgatory
Wednesday, December 11
9:15 AM – † Ana Ho
7:00 PM – † Keith D'Souza
† Conceicao Duarte
In Thanksgiving & Special Intention
Fernandes Family
† Joe & Teresa Kieffer
† Deceased Members of
Jung Sook Muir Family
Thursday, December 12
9:15 AM – † Maria Pereira
Friday, December 13
9:15 AM – † Teresita Pugh

9:15 AM - † Teresita Pugh 7:00 PM - † Terry da Costa (Due to the Youth Ministry Christmas Concert, the 7pm Mass will only be celebrated at St. Anne's school, not the church. All are welcome!)

Saturday, December 14

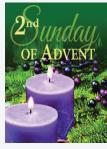
9:15 AM - † Armando Lima 5:00 PM - † Margarida Coelho

LAMP INTENTIONS



SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1 Special Intention SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2 Special Intention SACRED HEART LAMP Special Intention ST. ANNE LAMP In Memory of Codrington Batson - 1st Death Anniversary DIVINE MERCY LAMP Special Intention PADRE PIO LAMP Special Intention

DECEMBER 8, 2019 - SECOND SUNDAY OF



The Gospel: Matthew 3.1-12 – The Proclamation of John the Baptist

A Stewardship Examination:

As Christmas carols take over radio stations and shopping malls are filled to capacity, it is easy to lose track of the true purpose of Advent. Essentially, Advent is a time to prepare for the Lord's coming on Christmas Day as well as his final coming at the end of time. It is also a moment

to remind ourselves that our own individual judgement day is coming too, where we will stand before the throne of God and give an account of how we have used all the gifts and blessings we have received.

Cardinal Collins in his Pastoral Letter on Stewardship* states that "A steward is a servant entrusted for a time with the goods of the Master ... and must eventually give an account to the Master for the way in which [the gifts] have been cared for and made fruitful." This Advent season reminds us to conduct a humble examination of how are we best using our God-given gifts for His glory and the good of the Church.

Are we staying faithful to our practice of prayer? Are we using our time to serve and journey with others? Are we taking an active role in the life of the parish community? Are we serving the less fortunate in our community, remembering Christ's words to serve the poor? Are we living for the present world or for the world to come? Let us take this Advent to re-examine how we are being stewards of the gifts in our lives and recommit to fully living the Gospel.

ST. ANNE'S YOUTH MINISTRY CHRISTMAS CONCERT – DEC. 13

St. Anne's Youth Ministry would like to extend an **invitation to all parishioners, families, friends, and relatives** to attend our <u>YOUTH</u> <u>MINISTRY CHRISTMAS CONCERT</u> on Friday, December 13th at St. Anne's School following Mass at 7PM <u>in the school</u>. Please come and share in this fun, exciting and memorable night.

CHURCH CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



If you are able to assist in setting up the Christmas Decorations in the church on <u>Sunday, December 15th following the 12 noon</u> <u>Mass</u>, please leave your contact information at the parish office. Thank you for your support!

Prepare your hearts. Prepare the Way of the Lord.

ADVENT CONFESSIONS
Tues., December 17: 9:45am-11am & 6-8pm
Wed., December 18 (Day of Confessions):
9:45am-7pm
Fri., December 20: 9:45am-11am, 6:30-7pm &
7:30pm-8:30pm

(Confessions will be heard by Fr. Joel and Fr. Anish)



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE				
Tues. December 24th	5:00 pm	Christmas Eve Mass		
	7:00 pm	Christmas Eve Mass		
	9:30 pm	Christmas Eve Mass		
	12 Midnight	Christmas Midnight Mass		
Wed. December 25th	10:00 am	Christmas Day Mass		
- Martin	12:00 pm	Christmas Day Mass		
NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE				
Tues. December 31st	5:00 pm	New Year's Eve Mass		
	10:30 pm	Adoration		
	11:30 pm	New Year's Eve Mass		
Wed. January 1st	10:00 am	New Year's Day Mass		
	12:00 pm	New Year's Day Mass		

Ushers and altar servers are asked to please sign up for Christmas/New Year's Masses in the Sacristy. Your commitment is always appreciated especially during the Christmas season.

2020 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES



2020 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES are available for pick up from the Stephenson room. They are in numerical order. If you cannot remember your envelope number, an alphabetical list is available. Please ensure to write your name and address on the envelopes in January for the

first couple of weeks. Please note that envelopes are available only for those who request them. If you wish to begin using envelopes, please contact the parish office.

SALVATION ARMY MEN'S HOMELESS SHELTER



Holy Please help support The Salvation Army Men's Homeless shelter by donating new MEN'S GLOVES, SCARVES, HATS, DARK UNDERWEAR, SOCKS AND TOILETRIES. Please drop

off items in the parish office by Sunday, December 15th.

The shelter would like to thank you in advance for reaching out to others during this holiday season.

CHRISTMAS SACKS FUNDRAISER – OVER 55 GROUP

Christmas sacks are available at the back of the pews or from the Over 55 Group. This is a fundraiser whereby the sacks can be filled with quarters and returned before *next* Christmas. Starting in January and each month following a quarter is to be placed in the sack corresponding to the months, i.e. Jan. 1 \$0.25, Feb 1st - \$0.50 and so on.. When the sack is returned it should



contain \$19.50. The **Over 55 Group** would like to thank you for your support.

THANK YOU FROM THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL)

The Catholic Women's League would like to thank all parishioners who participated, contributed to the bake sale and purchased hygiene packs to be donated to homeless youth.

> Theology on Tap —Sunday Worship & Sunday Rest Monday. December 9. 2019 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm Boston Pizza (50 Courtneypark Dr. E., Mississauga)

Guest speaker: Fr. Charles Egbulefu. All young adults (19-39) are invited to join us for Theology on Tap, an evening of thought-provoking conversation on theological topics, with munchies provided. Come and bring a friend!

CONTACT: Office of Catholic Youth @ 416-599-7676

This Week	Room Booking
Sunday (Dec.8 th)	9:15am – RCIA (PR) 12:00pm- Children's Liturgy (SR) 1:00pm - BAPTISMS 1:30pm – Conf. Catechism Class (SR/PR) Confirmation Rite of Enrollment Delivery of Poinsettia Orders (SR) Special Collection – Bldg. Repair Fund
Monday (Dec. 9 th)	7:00 pm - CWL (FR) 7:30 pm – Knights Executive meeting (PR)
Tuesday (Dec. 10 th)	10:00am – Legion of Mary (FR) 7:00pm – RCIA (PR) 6:30pm - St Joachim School (C & SR) 7:30pm – Faith Sharing (FR) 8:00pm – 8AM Choir Practice (C)
Wednesday (Dec. 11 th)	10:00am – Food Assistance (FR) 6:00pm – Legion of Mary (FR) 6:30pm – Confessions (C) 7:00pm – CWL General mtg. (SR)
Thursday (Dec. 12 th)	9:45am – Centering Prayer (FR) 7:00pm – RCIA Inquirers (FR) 8:00pm - 10AM Choir Practice (C)
Friday (Dec.13 th)	9:45am – Over 55 (SR) 5:30pm – Youth Ministry (All rooms)
Saturday (Dec. 14 th)	8:00am – Confessions (C) 3:00pm – FC Catechism Class (SR/PR) 4:00pm – Confessions (C) 6:00pm - Holy Cenacle (PR)

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

December 1st – Regular Collection \$6,269.05 St. Anne's Food Assistance \$2,920.41 Thank you for your Generosity!

Thank You for depositing your change in the "Poor Boxes" in the lobby after Mass



EUCHARISTIC VIGIL -ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

December 13, 7pm to Dec. 14, 6am Mass, Adoration, Praise & Worship, Lectio Divina, Taize Praver. Gregorian Chants and More... 905-793-8030

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FOR THE SICK

Nuradi D. Steven Rei Carol Ackbarali Joe Silva Denis Gauthier (brother of Mike Gauthier) Artemio Lagustan

Amber Jones Manuel Ferreira Neville Fernando Helen D'Andrade Mrs. Cletus

YER

FOR THE DECEASED Peter Persaud Herminio T. Gabayoyo, Jr.

Richard Sonza

