# St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church



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## Rev. Fr. Joel B. Pabilona, Jr., Pastor

## Rev. Fr. Anish Alex, Associate

## SUNDAY MASSES Saturday - 5:00 pm (Walk-in) Sunday - 8:00 am (Walk-in) 10:00 am & 12:00 noon (Pre-registration required) \* 10:00 am also livestreamed via link on Parish website

\* Registration link on Parish website

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday - 9:15 am (Walk-in) \* Also livestreamed daily via link on Parish website Friday evening - 6:30 pm (Walk-in)

## FIRST FRIDAY

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

## RECONCILIATION

Wednesday - 8:00 am Saturday - 8:00 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.

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Friday - 9:00 am - 4:00 pm (Closed for lunch 12:30pm - 1:30pm) Saturday - 9:00 am - 11:00 am Sunday - OFFICE CLOSED

## 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		

For more information on Catholic education in our comm 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

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Mr. Cyril Moraes

R.C.I.A. Co-ordinator Mrs. Arlene Morgan Sacramental & Youth Ministry Co-ordinator

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



#### Sunday, March 13

8:00AM – For the intentions of St. Anne's Community – † Joe Schembri 10:00 AM – In Thanksgiving 12:00 PM – † Dominador Sabanal – † Avita Lawrence

#### Monday, March 14

9:15 AM – † Maria Rosa, husband & children

<u>Tuesday, March 15</u> 9:15 AM – † Lucy & Julie Labog & Mila Ebalin

Wednesday, March 16

9:15 AM – † João Jose Argau

#### Thursday, March 17

9:15 AM – † Manuel Claudino Furtado Pacheco & Joana Melo Faria

#### Friday, March 18

9:15 AM – † Cameron & Arsenault Families 6:30 PM – † Marie Antoinette Lobo – † Ko Jhui, Chong Wai, Mei Keiu & Mei Hing

#### 7:00 PM – STATIONS OF THE CROSS

#### Saturday, March 19

9:15 AM – In Thanksgiving for Lai & Siu families 5:00 PM – † Mason Cohen & David Madeira – † Paul Caldeira



# SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1

In memory of Manuel Claudino Furtado & Joana Melo Faria <u>SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2</u> For Chaves family's special intention <u>SACRED HEART LAMP</u> For Peace in Ukraine and Russia <u>ST. ANNE LAMP</u> Special Intention and Thanksgiving <u>DIVINE MERCY LAMP</u> Special Intention

Offertory Lamps are available to burn for your intention for one week for \$10.00 per candle. These burns from the Sunday to the Saturday. Please call the church office to book your lamps.

## MARCH 13 - SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

#### **REFLECTION:** Gospel: Luke 9.28-36

This week's Gospel tells us what happened on Mt. Tabor; but shortly before, in Caesarea Philippi, Jesus had declared to his disciples that he was to undergo suffering in Jerusalem, that he was going to die at the hands of the chief priest, the elders and the Scribes. The Apostles were weighed down with sorrow. Jesus had compassion on them.

Now Jesus took with him Peter, John, and James and went up on the mountain to pray. While Jesus was praying "the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white." Moses and Elijah were also there talking with Jesus. The three disciples struggled between sleep and wakefulness. "Since they had stayed awake" they saw Jesus' glory. They had a glimpse of heaven. The Plan of God for the salvation of humanity was unfolding before them.

Jesus revealed himself to Peter, John, and James as He really is and He showed them, how His suffering, death and resurrection will transform us into His image and likeness, if we accept HIM as our Lord and Saviour. Peter, John, and James experienced the transfiguration of Christ because they stayed awake despite the weight of sleep. Peter misunderstood, however. "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." Humanity can never build a dwelling place for God. It is, rather, God who makes humanity the dwelling place of divinity. This is most profoundly revealed in the Transfiguration of Jesus.

We are called to be the embodiment of Christ, but spiritual sleep steals from us the life energy necessary to be able to climb the mountain of the Lord. This journey is often harsh and laborious, because we often have to go against the current opinion and we have to struggle against enemies both inside and outside of ourselves, but God wants to strengthen us with the hope of Heaven, in difficult and challenging time. That is the purpose to go on and carry our cross with courage and freely give ourselves to Jesus and be one with Him on His mission of salvation.

The whole of creation participates in the glory of God. Humanity alone, however, is called to the Mount of Transfiguration. It is there that Christ reveals who we are and whose we are, through HIM and by grace, we are to become like HIM. The Feast of the Transfiguration invites us to wipe the sleep from our eyes, stand up and approach the mountain of the Lord with unceasing prayer, our eyes always fixed on Jesus. Each time we fall we get up and with unwavering Faith look up to Jesus, reach for His hand and He will give us strength for the journey.

*"In HIM with Him and through Him in the unity of the Holy Spirit all glory and honour are yours Almighty Father for ever and ever. Amen"* 



PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION

#### CALLING ALL USHERS

As we are returning to our normal Sunday liturgies as before pandemic, those ushers who wish to return to active ministry, please advise the parish office.

Those ushers wishing to assist on Holy Week, please call the parish office to be added to the schedule.

Thank you for your support!



## LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday at 7:00PM following the 6:30PM Mass. Please join us as we meditate on the Passion of Our Lord.

"For God so loved the world that He have His only begotten Son, that whosoever believed in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." - John 3:16



#### ST. JOSEPH ICON – MARCH 21 @ 7PM

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting the St. Joseph Icon at our church on Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at a special 7:00 pm mass. We invite all parishioners to join us for this Mass and the Rosary and prayer which will follow.

For questions or more details, please contact Jojo Bonifacio at 416-473-4686.

#### ANNUAL MASS OF ST. PATRICK – MARCH 17 AT 10AM

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica 65 Bond St., Toronto Join us for the annual Mass of St. Patrick at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. Cardinal Thomas Collins will be the presider. The homilist will be Fr. Seamus Hogan, Associate Professor of Church History, St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto. **All are welcome to attend**. A livestream of the Mass will also available at: www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live

#### **UKRAINIAN HUMANITARIAN RELIEF**

Donations to help Ukrainians who are suffering due to this war would be a most appreciated gift.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will channel donations to support the Office for Refugees, Archdiocese of Toronto (ORAT) and the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA). CNEWA is a papal agency with a long history of humanitarian relief providing Ukrainians with food, shelter, medicine, and transportation to safe locations. **Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:** 

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: St. Anne's Church Ukrainian Relief
  Humanitarian Relief
- Please continue to pray for the Ukrainian people and all those who suffer under the human tragedy of war. Thank you for your continued assistance.

#### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

#### Weekly offertory for:

Sunday, March 6	\$5,187.11
Building Repair Fund	1,790.95
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Thank you for your generous support!



March 18 - EDGE (gr. 6-8) and JR. Edge (gr. 3-5) March 25 -TinyTreasures (gr. JK - 2) and LifeTeen (gr. 9-12)

Please visit Parish Website to register your children: https://Stannesbr. archtoronto.org

Email: st.anneYministry@gmail.com

#### CALLING ALL YOUNG ADULTS! St. Mary's Parish is running a young adults ministry For ages 19-39

- We meet bi-weekly holding faith studies and a monthly social/outing.
- Our meetings take place at the parish and occasionally online.

• Our mission is to provide a fun, friendly, safe place to learn, grow and serve the Lord with God being the centre of everything we do.

Let's strive for holiness with prayer, praise & worship, faith-studies, socials, movies and outings in fellowship with one another, embodying the Catholic Church.

For more information, please call the parish office at 905-451-2300

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER EXPERIENCE

Friday, March 25 to Sunday, March 27 A VIRTUAL EVENT HOSTED BY WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Where are you in your marriage journey? Every marriage could use a boost. Learn easy-to-use communication tools to help enhance your relationship. Our proven program will guide you through practical and private exercises to refresh your wedding yows and to spark up your

private exercises to refresh your wedding vows and to spark up your romance. Based on Catholic values, but married couples of all faiths are welcome. Are you ready to rediscover each other? CONTACT: Gerard & Marge, 905-792-1925, gerard.marge@rogers.com

WEBSITE: wwme.org



#### FOR THE SICK

Angie Manalo Katrina Rolph Zenaida Rebello Erlinda Ramos Gerald Luduc Hannah Lam Ryan Raphael Sunga Visatacion Steele Marilynette Estrada Alexander Gonzalez Carol Ackbarali Susan Naumann Margaret Assiu Eric Luduc Kay David Balen Katrina Carmen Ranosa-Rayel Maria Cortez

FOR THE DECEASED

Rev. Fr. Anthony Mendrela Rev. Fr. Edwin D'Souza



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