

St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church



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Rev. Fr. Suresh Xavier, Pastor

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday – 5:00 pm

Sunday – 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 noon

* 10:00 am also livestreamed via link on Parish website

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 - 8:00 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 – 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 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. Marilyn Maghanoy Sacramental Co-ordinator

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

Masses For The Week



JANUARY 14, 2024 – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Gospel: John 1.35-42– The First Disciples of Jesus

Heeding the Call of Christ

“Come and see.” These are the words of invitation that Jesus says to His first disciples and that He still says to us 2000 years later. This is the call of the steward, to come and see the goodness of the Lord. Let us reflect more deeply on the figure of St. Andrew in this episode and seek ways to imitate him.

Firstly, when Jesus invited him, it says that Andrew obeyed and “came and saw.” He readily and wholeheartedly heeded the call of Christ. After his encounter with Christ, his life was profoundly changed, and he left everything to follow Him. Once we encounter the love and goodness of God we too can no longer hold onto our past lives. Let us strive to continue to journey with God, going ever more deeper into His love. If we have not yet personally encountered Christ, let us remember that Christ longs for us to be with Him so it is never too late to turn to Him.

Moreover, upon meeting Christ, Andrew did not keep his newfound joy to himself but instead runs to tell his brother Simon. He brings Simon to Jesus which leads to Simon’s call to follow Christ and is where he receives the name Peter. True stewardship leads to evangelization. Once we’ve experienced the joy of the Gospel, we too should seek to bring others into this joy. Perhaps one act we can do this week is invite a friend to Mass or a parish event so that they too can begin to “come and see” the Lord.

Sunday, January 14

- 8:00 AM – For the intentions of St. Anne’s Community
† Antonio Botelho
- 10:00 AM – † Gill Dunn
- 12:00 PM – † Celestino Rebelo, parents & siblings

Monday, January 15

- 9:15 AM – Special Intention

Tuesday, January 16

- 9:15 AM – † Joseph Desmond Baker
– In thanksgiving & birthday blessings for Ignatius Capió

Wednesday, January 17

- 9:15 AM – † Pearlie Dowlatram

Thursday, January 18

- 9:15 AM – † Joseph Desmond Baker
– Birthday blessings – Theodore Caldeira, Jr.

Friday, January 19

- 9:15 AM – † Genoveffa, Isidoro & John Aprea
- 7:00 PM – Special Intention

Saturday, January 20

- 9:15 AM – † Fernita Dejamco – for healing
– † Mario Fasulo
– † Maria Dos Prazeres
- 5:00 PM – † Maria & João Vidal

Lamp Intentions

SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1

Dianne Marchisello & family

SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2

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SACRED HEART LAMP

Dianne Marchisello & family

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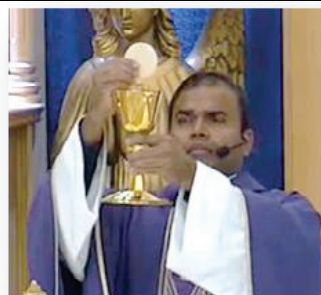
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DIVINE MERCY LAMP

Dianne Marchisello & family

OFFERTORY

LAMPS are available to burn for your intention for one week for \$10.00 per candle. They burn from Sunday to Saturday. Please call the parish office to book your lamps.



**YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND THE INSTALLATION OF
FR. SURESH XAVIER
as Pastor of St. Anne’s Parish
by the**

**Most Reverend Ivan Camilleri
Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto**

at the 12:00p.m. Mass on Sunday, February 4, 2024

**A reception hosted by St. Anne’s Parish Advisory Committee and CWL
will take place in the Stephenson Room after the Mass**

**(A plate of finger foods will be greatly appreciated. Kindly advise the
parish office what you are able to bring. Thank you)**

OVER 55 GROUP PICTURE FUNDRAISER

After all Masses – January 13/14
In the Stephenson room



FIVE PIN BOWLING AT BRAMPTON BOWLING CENTRE

The Knights of Columbus have organized an afternoon bowling event at Brampton Bowling Centre on Beech Street on Sunday, January 21st starting at 2:00 pm until 3:00 pm. Cost will be \$15.00 per person which includes shoe rental. Family discount available. For questions or more details, please contact Michael Gauthier at: 416-985-9999

Over 55 Group

Silent Auction



EXERCISE BIKE

BIDS MAY BE PLACED IN THE LOBBY

Closing date is January 28th
Proceeds going towards the
Needs of the Church

Thank you for your support!



ANNUAL WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY PRAYER SERVICE SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 2024, 4 P.M. ET

Venue: St. Mark Coptic Orthodox Cathedral
(455 Ferrier St., Markham, Ont. L3R 5Z2)

Theme: "You shall love the Lord your God... and your neighbour as yourself." (Luke 10:27)

Join Archbishop Francis Leo and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Livestream available at: <https://bit.ly/WPCU2024live>

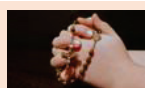
THE CATHOLIC PARENT—coming to FORMED January 15!

Do you ever feel like it's almost impossible to raise holy kids who love God (and sit still in Mass!) in our modern world? You're not alone. This six-episode series features real Catholic families like yours sharing their daily struggles and victories. Created by the Augustine Institute and Catholic Sprouts, The Catholic Parent aims to encourage you as a mom or dad as you embrace your God-given role to form your family in the richness of the Catholic faith.

Flyer: <https://leaders.formed.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/The-Catholic-Parent-Flyer.pdf>

How to register ON FORMED for FREE:

1. Go to **FORMED.org**
2. Register using your email
3. Enter **St. Anne's Church, Brampton**
4. Access Code: **TWYVQ7**



"PEACE I LEAVE YOU, MY PEACE I GIVE YOU"

Monday, January 29, 2024 09:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre Pickering

Day of Reflection for men & women. "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give you." At Mass, just before communion, we have a Rite of Peace. This is no accident. Today we have a time for reflection on the importance of this rite. We offer a sign of peace to one another, we pray for peace in our world and in our lives, but we also open ourselves in a new way to receive this gift from Christ. Facilitated by Fr. Jim Kelly, SJ. Suggested offering of \$65. Includes coffee/tea break on arrival, talks, lunch and Mass.

REGISTER: Online at <https://manresa-canada.ca> or by email at registration@manresa.ca

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday, January 7 \$ 5,718.11
Building Repair Fund 1,894.40

Thank you for your generosity & support!

2024 Sunday Offertory Envelopes are available for pick up from **the lobby** for those currently using envelopes!

1. Boxes are in numerical order. If you can't remember your number, an alphabetical list is available.
2. Please write your information for the first couple weeks in January
3. **PLEASE DO NOT** use any previous years' envelopes.

You may contribute through pre-authorized giving or PAG which is one of the most convenient ways of giving your weekly offering. If you would like to sign up for PAG, please contact the parish office.

Thank you for your continued generous support!



TO INFINITY AND BEYOND: RESILIENCY BY TEENAGERS DURING THE HOLOCAUST

Thursday, January 25, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

To commemorate International Holocaust Remembrance Day, Sheryl Ochayon (Project Director of Echoes from Yad Vashem) will share the incredible story of Petr Ginz as well as other teenagers that were imprisoned during the Shoah. Learn about the heroic faith of young people through their testimony of poetry, writing, drawing, and creating magazines, all done in secret amid great suffering. Although intended for students, teachers and youth leaders, all are welcome to attend this webinar.

A VIRTUAL EVENT RECOMMENDED BY THE OFFICE FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN UNITY AND RELIGIOUS RELATIONS WITH JUDAISM

REGISTER: <https://info.echoesandreflections.org/to-infinity-student>



THE SOURCE HOLY HOUR

Thurs., January 25, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
840 Bathurst Street, Toronto

You are invited to The Source Holy Hour with music by the Sisters of Life at St. Peter's Church in Toronto (Bathurst and Bloor).

More information can be found on the Sisters of Life website. <https://sistersoflife.org/the-source-holy-hour/>

15TH ANNUAL DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE

March 23, 2024 - 9:00am-4pm at the Old Mill (includes light lunch)

Opening Mass celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Collins

Speakers: Kathleen Beckman: A Family Guide to Spiritual Warfare, Carissa Douglas: Becoming a Co-creator with God, Anna Boyagoda: Creating a Space for Prayer,

Special Guest Speaker: Tammy Peterson (wife of Dr. Jordan Peterson)
Dorothy Pilarski: Starting a Catholic Moms Group

TO REGISTER VISIT www.dynamicwomenfaith.com

PRAYERS ARE NEEDED..

FOR THE SICK:

Teresa Rigitano
Yvonne Solie
Marilynette Estrada
Theresa Pillai
Kevin Ackbarali
Lorraine Viegas



Mike Ali
Pushparaja Selvam
Rosemary Aversa
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Jacob Williams

FOR THE DECEASED:

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Elsie Geldart



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