

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 & 7:00 pm

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday – 9:15 am

Friday - 7:00 pm

FIRST FRIDAY

One hr. after the 9:15 am Mass: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

EVERY FRIDAY

Eucharistic Adoration & Reconciliation following the 7:00 pm Mass.

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday - 8:30 am - 9:00 am

Saturday - 8:30 am - 9:00 am & 4:00 - 4:45 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 and Friday evenings

Tuesday & Wednesday - 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Thursday - 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Saturday - 9:00 am - 12:00 pm & Sunday - 10:00am - 12:00 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.dpccdsb.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 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"



Mass Intentions

Sunday, December 15

- 8:00 AM – For the intentions of
St. Anne's Community
– † João Anastacio
- 10:00 AM – Thanksgiving to God and birthday
blessings for Nigel Henriques
- 12:00 PM – † John Anthony Daniele

Monday, December 16

- 9:15 AM – † Eduino & Maria Dutra
– † Michael Allid

Tuesday, December 17

- 9:15 AM – † Jose Pereira
– † Antonio Maia & members of
Maia & Gaio family

Wednesday, December 18

- 9:15 AM – † Curtis Young
– † John Butler

Thursday, December 19

- 9:15 AM – † Chung-Choon Nahm
– † John Butler
– In thanksgiving for gift of life-
Christian

Friday, December 20

- 9:15 AM – † Carlos & Mercês Oliveira,
parents & siblings
- 7:00 PM – † For All Souls

Saturday, December 21

- 9:15 AM – † All souls in purgatory
- 5:00 PM – † Estefania Ganaba
- 7:00 PM – † Henryk Bakun

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 John Anthony Daniele

DIVINE MERCY LAMP

In Thanksgiving – Larissa D'Souza



DECEMBER 15, 2024 – THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Gospel: Luke 3.10-18 – The Proclamation of John the Baptist

An Attitude of Gratitude

On this Gaudete Sunday we are reminded that despite the crosses and difficulties of our lives, the joy of Jesus' birth should always shine brightly. If we begin to thank God for all His blessings, we will quickly realize that there are far more things to be joyful about than upset over. Perhaps one way we can share this joy is by offering our time and talents to help others this season, whether it be at a nursing home, a soup kitchen or helping with a toy drive.

Ushers 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. Thank you!

FOOD DRIVE FOR ST. LOUISE OUTREACH - DEC.14/15



The Knights of Columbus are having a food drive for Ste Louise Outreach. Parishioners are asked to bring non-perishable food items to the church on **Saturday, Dec. 14th**

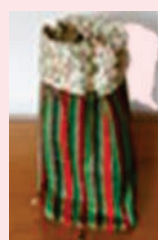
and Sunday Dec. 15th. Bins will be available in the lobby.

Thank you for helping the needy during this Christmas season. For questions or more details, **please contact Mike Gauthier 416-985-9999.**



Calling all Young Adults!

Are you between the ages of 18 and 38? Join us on the **first Tuesday of each month** at 7PM for our **Young Adults Group** in the Stephenson Room. Come meet others in your age group, share in fellowship, and explore how we can grow together in faith and community. For more info contact: Dianne Buet: st.anneministry@gmail.com



CHRISTMAS SACKS

The Over 55 Group thanks all of those who picked up a **Christmas Sack** for their annual fundraiser and asks to please bring back your **full** Christmas sack to the parish.

Thank you for your support!



YOUTH MINISTRY CHRISTMAS SALE

DECEMBER 14-15 After all Masses

In the Stephenson room

- ❖ Baked goods
- ❖ Craft items
- ❖ **GINGERBREAD CHURCH RAFFLE!**



AROUND THE WORLD EPIPHANY PARTY

All are invited to **St. Anne's Around the World Epiphany Party on Saturday, January 18, 2025, from 6pm to 10pm in the Stephenson room.**

Tickets are limited so don't miss out and get your ticket after all Masses in the lobby. Adults \$10 ea., Kids (12 under) \$5.

If you would like to donate some food from your culture, please sign up in the lobby.

FRIAS STUDENT WRITING CONTEST-(Nov. 11/24 to Jan. 13/25

Theme: "Do you believe this?" (John 11:26)

High school students aged 13 to 19 from the Catholic School Boards in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event, which honours the global Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Write a five-hundred-word essay that explores the 2025 theme. Great prizes await the top three submissions. Students are encouraged to explore the resources at <https://bit.ly/3zOVHly> to gain insight into the meaning and purpose of the theme. Entries are to be submitted at:

<https://www.catholicregister.org/writingaward>.

Email ecumenical@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400 ext. 527 with any questions, or for more information.

ADVENT CONFESSIONS

**Saturday,
December 21
9:45 AM –
11:30 AM**



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE- 2024

Tuesday, Dec. 24	<u>No morning Mass</u>	
	5:00 PM	Christmas Vigil Mass
	7:00 PM	Christmas Vigil Mass
	9:30 PM	Christmas Vigil Mass
	12:00 AM	Midnight Mass
Wednesday, Dec. 25	10:00 AM	Christmas Day Mass
	12:00 PM	Christmas Day Mass
NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE		
Tuesday, Dec. 31	<u>No morning Mass</u>	
	5:00 PM	New Year's Eve Mass
	10:30 PM	ADORATION
	11:30 PM	New Year's Eve Mass
Wednesday, Jan. 1st 2025	10:00 AM	New Year's Day Mass
	12:00 PM	New Year's Day Mass

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th \$ 6,196.45

Building Repair Fund 3,477.05

Thank you for your generosity!

2025 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. Commence using your new envelopes on January 1st, 2025.
3. Please write your contact information for the first couple weeks in January.
4. **PLEASE DO NOT** use any previous years' envelopes.

Thank you for your continued support!

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN (PAG) has been established to assist you in your support of the work of the parish by allowing you to give to the parish through scheduled monthly transfers from your bank account or credit card. PAG 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!**

Over 55 Group Silent Auction



NATIVITY

BIDS MAY BE PLACED IN THE LOBBY

Closing date is Dec. 22ND

Proceeds going towards the Needs of the Church

Thank you for your support!

RESTORATION OF THE HEART-CCRC TORONTO ADORATION MASS & HEALING SERVICE

Anointed Speakers

Saturday, January 4th – 9:30AM to 5:00PM

St. Roch's Church hall, 2889 Islington Ave.N

North York

<https://ccrctoronto.ca/all-events/>

PRAYERS ARE NEEDED

FOR THE SICK:



Francesco Esposito

Tom Watson

Paul Nguyen

Janice Potter

Celio Serra

Visitacion Steele

Angelina Poe

Marilynette Estrada

Victor & Luis Brum

Mary Payne

DECEASED:

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Edith Hijastro

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