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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 5:00 pm
Sunday - 8:00 am Italian
9:15 am, 10:30 am & 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday 7:00 pm (Italian)
Tuesday 9:00 am (preceded by the Divine
Mercy Chaplet at 8:45am)
Wednesday 7:00 pm (preceded by the recitation
of the Rosary at 6:45pm)
Thursday 9:00 am
Friday 9:00 am (followed by the recitation of
the Rosary)

OFFICE:

Parish Secretary: Liza De Sousa
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Office Hours:

Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 7:30 pm
Saturday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

SOCIETY of SAINT VINCENT de PAUL

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St. Padre Pio School 905-893-7082
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St. Stephen School 905-893-7557

BAPTISMS:

By appointment at least **two months in advance**. Instruction may be required.

CONFESSIONS:

Mondays - 6:30 - 7:00 pm (Italian)
Saturday - 4:00 - 4:30 pm
Any other time by appointment

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:

We are available to visit the sick in the home or hospital and to bring communion. Please contact the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest **one year in advance**. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage.

If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sat. Feb. 10

5:00pm – +Natalino Masucci, +Giuseppe Rosati

Sun. Feb. 11

8:00am –

9:15am – +Rino Mazzuca

10:30am – +Sergio Morettin

12:00pm – +Roderick Martinez and the Deceased Members of the Martinez Family

Mon. Feb. 12

7:00pm –

Tues. Feb. 13

9:00am –

Wed. Feb. 14

9:00am – +Anna Agozzino

7:00pm – +Albino Jorge & Family, +Antonio Branco & Family, +Giuseppe Miceli, +Franco Angelucci, +Vitor Daconceicao, +Michael D'Alessandro

Thurs. Feb. 15

9:00am –

Fri. Feb. 16

9:00am – +Francisco Ramos and the Deceased Members of the Ramos Family

Feast Days This Week

Sat. Feb. 10 – St. Scholastica

Sun. Feb. 11 – World Day of the Sick, World Marriage Day

Wed. Feb. 14 – Ash Wednesday

Offertory Collection

Feb. 4, 2024

Sunday Collection

\$7,226.50

Thank you for your continuous support!

Family Day Skate - Monday, Feb. 19

The Knights of Columbus invite all parishoners/families to our annual Family Day Skate.

It will take place on Monday, February 19, 2024, from 4 pm- 6 pm at the Al Palladini Community Centre, located at 9201 Islington Ave (SW corner of Islington and Rutherford). Admission is free and refreshments will be available. Collection bins from the Vaughan Food Bank will be available and you are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items. All are welcome, hope to see you there.

2023 Tax Receipts have been mailed out, if you have not receive it by February 9, please contact the parish office.

To Married Couples

As we celebrate the annual Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto, I wish to extend my prayers and best wishes to all married couples. This is a wonderful occasion to honor your commitment, fidelity and public witness to the sacrament of holy matrimony. Each day that you say "yes". You affirm the vows made on your wedding day to support one another through the joys and struggles of life's journey.

Of course, it is not an easy path and a good marriage requires patience, trust, forgiveness and mutual support. I encourage you to also ensure that prayer remains central to your relationship, ever mindful of God's role in the sacramental bond that accompanies your life-long commitment. Our Holy Father, Pope Francis, reminds us of the role of the Church in supporting married couples: *"We help them by offering welcome, closeness, accompaniment, discernment and integration into the body of the Church."*

I also express my deep appreciation for all those who are engaged in marriage enrichment programs throughout our archdiocese, from marriage preparation to ongoing support for married couples. Your service helps to foster healthy relationships and strong families infused with faith, so desperately needed in our day.

May we find inspiration in the life and personal sacrifice of our loving Mother Mary and her spouse, Joseph, and also those married couples you encounter each day; parents, grandparents, relatives and friends who are faithful witnesses, celebrating their relationships and authentic love for one another.

I reiterate my sincere gratitude and admiration for married couples throughout our beautiful archdiocese. May your love and shining example extend to your families and all those you meet, reminding us of the profound impact your deeply committed relationship can have on others each and everyday. May God continue to bless you now and always.

Sincerely Yours in Jesus with Mary
Most Rev. Francis Leo, Archbishop of Toronto

World Day of the Sick

Today on the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes we remember all those who are suffering with illness and pain. May the Lord bring them healing and comfort.

Announcing the 2024 ShareLife Campaign

As we approach our first ShareLife Sunday collection on March 17, it is essential that we come together in compassion to meet our Parish Campaign goal of \$14 million, addressing the growing needs in our communities.

By reaching this goal, our agencies will continue to:

- offer walk-in counselling to those facing mental health issues
- help victims of domestic violence
- ensure isolated seniors are not forgotten
- deliver food to children in developing countries
- form priests and deacons who will minister in our parishes. Your support of ShareLife makes these programs possible, among many others. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Lead Me To The Cross, A Musically Immersed Passion Play

St. Padre Pio's Passion Play will be performed two nights, and is a major fundraiser for our Parish. With a fully adult cast, high quality production value and over 20 singers and musicians, this Passion Play is not to be missed. Choose from Friday, March 22 or Sunday, March 24, both at 7:30 PM. Tickets go on sale Saturday, February 10th at 5PM and are \$25 each. You can purchase your tickets in person, at the church, before and after each weekend mass and also online everyday at

www.ticketor.com/stpadrepiochurch/tickets. You can choose your own seats, pay online and print your tickets at home. You can also show the ticket barcode on your mobile device. A few spaces remain to advertise in the souvenir program. For more information, contact Liana Del Mastro at stpadrepiopassionplay@gmail.com.

Knights of Columbus Council Meeting

All Knights of Columbus are invited to the upcoming general meeting on **Thursday, February 15 at 7:00 pm** in the Narthex of the church. We will be collecting dues at this meeting. If any Brother Knights, who are members of the St. Padre Pio Council have any questions or have not been receiving updates from the Council, please call or email the Grand Knight, Frank Comella, at (416) 464-6693 or fcomella@rogers.com.

St. Vincent de Paul

There will be a St. Vincent de Paul meeting on **Thursday, February 15 at 7:30pm at the side entrance of the church**. If you or someone you know is interested in joining, please come to the meeting.



ASH WEDNESDAY

Ash Wednesday Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, February 14 at **9:00am & 7:00pm**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday during the Season of Lent at **7:00pm**

PARISH LENTEN MISSION

February 19, 20 & 21 at 7:00pm (Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday)

Join us for a powerful three evening encounter with Jesus, led by Fr. Allan MacDonald, CC. Attending the mission is a truly meaningful way to experience Lent and Easter, and prepare for Holy Week. There is no cost to attend and everyone is welcome.

Fr. Allan MacDonald studied at St. Peter's Seminary in London, ON. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1994 and in 2001 he joined the Society of the Companions of the Cross. Since then, he has served as a member of the Community Formation Team, Parish Priest, Vocations Director, and General Superior of the Community. For the last 4 years he's been an itinerant preacher both in person (Missions, Retreats, etc.) and online with his YouTube ministry. For more info visit padreamac.com

PARISH LENTEN CONFESSIONS

Our Parish Lenten Confessions will take place on Wednesday, March 20 at 7:30pm. Several priests will be available to hear your confessions.

In loving Memory

We extend our sympathy and prayers to the families of our loved ones who have recently passed away:

Carmine Aloe
Maria Teresa Forte

May they rest in peace. Amen

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