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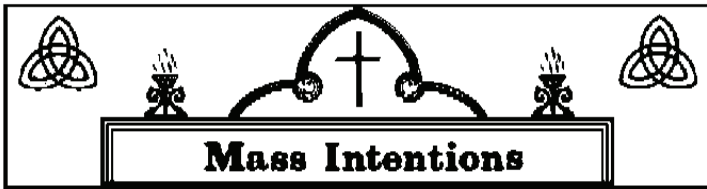
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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



Sat. May. 25

5:00pm – +Gloria and +Manuel Rolo, +Joao Rolo, +Thomas Ferreiro

Sun. May. 26

8:00am – +Silvano Leva

9:15am – For the People of the Parish

10:30am – +Ernesto and +Francesca Mollicone

12:00pm – +Giuseppe Miceli

Mon. May. 27

7:00pm –

Tues. May. 28

9:00am –

Wed. May. 29

7:00pm – +Pietro Pasquini, +Fernanda and , +Francisco De Melo

Thurs. May. 30

9:00am –

Fri. May. 31

9:00am – +Franca D'Blasio

Feast Days This Week

Sat. May. 25 – St. Gregory VII

Sun. May. 26 – The Most Holy Trinity

Mon. May. 27 – St. Augustine of Canterbury

Wed. May. 29 – St. Paul VI

Fri. May. 31 – The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Offertory Collection

May. 19, 2024

Weekly Offertory

\$7,313.00

Thank you for your continuous support!

CWL Pro Life Rosary for May

The Catholic Women's League is inviting all parishioners to pray the Pro-Life Rosary with us, every Sunday morning in May. We will begin at 11:35am before the 12:00pm Mass. Please join us as we pray this powerful rosary for the little ones who have no voices and for their mothers who feel they have no choice and need our love and support.

Baptism

There will be a baptism preparation class on **Thursday, May 30 at 7:00pm** in the church for parents and Godparents of the children being baptized in June.

Corpus Christi Procession

There will be a procession on Sunday, June 2 following the 12:00noon mass celebrating the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. The procession will take place in the streets of our parish community.

All are welcomed to join us in this celebration.

The Feast of Corpus Christi, also known as the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, observed this year on June 2, celebrates institution of the Eucharist.

The Corpus Christi procession is a centuries-old tradition of the Catholic faith to process the Real Presence of Jesus — the Eucharist — in public. The feast of Corpus Christi was established in Liege, Belgium, in 1247. Pope Urban IV extended it to the universal Church almost two decades later, and the Corpus Christi procession followed soon after. Centuries later, the tradition continues at many parishes in the Archdiocese of Toronto, including at the Cathedral Basilica of Saint Michael.

Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)

Parishioners are encouraged to sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG). It is a convenient, easy, and automatic way to support your parish. This allows the parish to meet its monthly obligations, such as hydro, heat, payroll etc. All donations are tax deductible and can be stopped at any time. Donations can be directed to your weekly or building fund offering or both and will be deducted from your bank account on the 20th of the month. Thanks to all our parishioners who give so generously.

St. Padre Pio 21st Annual Golf Tournament

Save the date for our 21st Annual St. Padre Pio Parish Golf Tournament. This year's tournament will be held on Wednesday, August 14, 2024 at Royal Woodbine Golf Club (195 Galaxy Blvd. Toronto, Ontario). Registration information and details about the tournament will be announced soon. If you have any questions, or would like to get involved in this major parish fundraising initiative, please contact stpadrepiogolf@gmail.com.



ShareLife Collection – June 2

There will be a second collection next Sunday for ShareLife.

ShareLife isn't just local. Your ShareLife gift extends mercy and justice to people beyond our borders by supporting the humanitarian projects of our agencies, particularly those that prioritize taking care of hungry children in vulnerable communities.

"We are so incredibly grateful to you, ShareLife and your supporters, for your steadfast commitment to our vision that no child should go hungry in this world of plenty. On behalf of all the children you have helped, thank you." – Keli Marshall, Mary's Meals Canada

Thus far we have raised **\$41,608.00** toward our goal of **\$87,800.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Monthly Memorial Mass— Families are invited to our monthly memorial mass in commemoration of the loss of a loved one. The memorial mass will be celebrated on the last Wednesday of each month. A family member will be invited to light a candle and gather around the altar in honor of a loved one when the names are called. Anniversary Mass Donation envelopes are available in the narthex. Our next mass will be held on **Wednesday, May 29, at 7:00**.

The North of 60 Food Drive.

The North of 60 Food Drive is a project organized by participating Saint Vincent de Paul groups in York Region to help our Canadian brothers and sisters in Taloyoak, Nunavut. Our St. Padre Pio Conference is seeking your assistance in collecting specific food items beginning the weekend of May 18/19 to support the Inuit in the Canadian Far North.

Taloyoak has no roads beyond the immediate community and it is impossible to grow crops there. This makes food prices very high. In fact, groceries cost 4-5 times higher than here in York Region.

If you can help, we are collecting the following items: Lipton Chicken Noodle or Onion Soup, Mr. Noodle Soups, Pasta, Pancake Mix, Cake Mix (Chocolate & vanilla), Banana Bread Mix, Minute Rice

***Please Note: Since food items will not arrive before the fall 2024, All Expiry Dates should be Dec 2024 or later

All food donations must be dropped off by the weekend of June 8/9, 2024.

The food will then be dropped off at a central location and loaded into a sea container. The container will be driven to Port of Montreal and then loaded onto the annual supply ship for Nunavut.

DATE CHANGE: Knights of Columbus Council Meeting

All Knights of Columbus are invited to the upcoming general meeting on **Monday, May 27 at 7:30pm** 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

Website Prayer Line – Our parish receives many prayer requests per day from people all over the world who are in need of urgent prayer. These prayer requests are given to our parishioners who volunteer to pray for these requests. If you wish to be added to the prayer line, please visit our website at www.stpp.church to complete the prayer request form or email the parish office at stpadrepio@archtoronto.org

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Marriage

We offer **Kyle Pennett** and **Jessica McConnell** who will celebrate the sacrament of marriage on June 1, our best wishes and ask God to bless them and grant them happiness, peace, and joy and strength in trials, all the days of their lives together.



In loving Memory

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

**Fiore Isabella
Fausto Figliomeni
Gaspere Galati**

May he rest in peace. Amen

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