

St. Padre Pio

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PARISH TEAM:

Father George Parayil - Pastor Deacon Gary Thibodeau - Deacon Assistant Deacon Curtis Boone - Deacon Assistant

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 Telephone: 905-893-7879 Fax:905-893-7885 Parish email: stpadrepio@archtoronto.org

Office Hours:

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

SOCIETY of SAINT VINCENT de PAUL

St Padre Pio Conference Phone: 289-216-2500 Email: stpadrepio.stvincentdepaul@gmail.com Website: svdptoronto.org

OUR SCHOOLS:

 St. Andrew School
 905-893-1968

 St. Padre Pio School
 905-893-7082

 Pope Francis School
 905-893-8782

 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.



<u>Sat. Aug. 3</u>

5:00pm – +Elizabeth De Rose

<u>Sun. Aug. 4</u>

8:00am – 9:15am – For the People of the Parish 10:30am – +Antonio Iunni 12:00pm – +Wilfred Garcia, +Concisa Garcia, +Avelina Garcia <u>Mon. Aug. 5</u> 9:00am – <u>Tues. Aug. 6</u>

9:00am – Healing of cancer for Shiva Sharma and Francis Brennan <u>Wed. Aug. 7</u> 7:00pm – +Angelo and Julia Riccobene <u>Thurs. Aug. 8</u> 9:00am – +Jovita Pilea <u>Fri. Aug. 9</u>

9:00am –

Feast Days This Week

Tues. Aug. 6 – **The Transfiguration of the Lord** Thurs. Aug. 8 – **St. Dominic**

Offertory Collection

Jul. 28, 2024 Weekly Offertory

\$6,878.25

Thank you for your continuous support!

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 <u>stpadrepio.archtoronto.org</u> to complete the prayer request form or email the parish office at <u>stpadrepio@archtoronto.org</u>

R.C.I.A. – Any person who would like to become a Catholic is asked to register now for the 2024-2025 session which will begin in the Fall. Also, any Catholic who would like to deepen their faith is welcome to attend the program. For more information, please call the parish office at 905-893-7879.

Longo gift cards are available for purchase in denominations of \$25, \$50, \$100, and \$500. Longo's supports our parish by donating a percentage of the cards purchased to our mortgage fund. If you shop at Longo's why not purchase a gift

card from the store and in doing so, help your parish. If you require large purchases for your company event, etc., please call the Parish Office at 905-893-7879.

Celebration of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday, August 15, 2024.

Solemn Mass – 7:00 pm followed by a Candlelight Procession and Rosary around the Church. Candles



will be sold prior to Mass in the Narthex. All are welcome to join.

First Communion and Confirmation 2024/2025

Information regarding dates and Catechism Classes will become available at the beginning of the school year. Information will be shared with the school as well as on our parish website, weekly bulletin newsletter and pulpit announcement. Please be attentive to important dates and details that will be provided.

Teacher Candidates

The York Catholic District Schools Boards amongst many others require that all applicants to submit a pastoral reference when applying for a position within the boards. It is the responsibility of the candidate to attend Sunday Liturgy, be involved in parish life and contact the parish priest well in advance. The pastor cannot complete the form if he does not know the applicant.

Golf Tournament

We're thrilled to announce that our 21st Annual St. Padre Pio Parish Golf Tournament is officially SOLD OUT! While we can no longer accommodate additional golfers,



there are still exciting ways you can be involved. Consider becoming a major sponsor, sponsoring a hole, purchasing 50/50 or raffle tickets, or making a donation to support our event. Additionally, you can purchase dinner-only tickets for \$100 each, and join us for food and fellowship after golf. For more information, please visit <u>https://stpadrepio.archtoronto.org</u> and select "Golf Tournament." If you have any questions, or would like to join our waiting list for golf please contact us at <u>stpadrepiogolf@gmail.com</u>. Thank you for your support!

Civic Day

Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am. The parish office will be closed, and the church will close following Mass. There will be no evening Mass.

EMAIL SCAM ALERT

In recent weeks there has been a sharp increase in the amount of fake/scam emails being received by parishioners throughout the archdiocese. These emails – usually sent from Gmail accounts operated by scammers - appear to be from a priest and often request the purchase of gift cards or electronic payments. Please exercise caution should you receive an email like this and contact the parish via telephone to validate its authenticity.

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.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." Today's readings remind us that the priest is ordained by the Holy Spirit to be the means by which Jesus' words are fulfilled. If you feel God could be calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997, or email vocations@archtoronto.org

Sisters of Our Lady of Usambara Tanga

On behalf of Sister Gaspara Kashamba – Mother Superior of the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Usambara, I would like to thank you for your kind donations. Your caring support will help make a difference in the lives of so many people in Tanzania.

Your generous contributions will be used to provide safe clean water to students and people in the surrounding area. It will help to provide medical services and food for the needy, malnourished, and educational materials.

Thank you again for your support and you and your loved ones will remain in our daily prayers. May God continue to bless you.

Collection for Canadian Missions

On **Sunday**, **August 11**, the Archdiocese of Toronto holds its annual collection for Canadian Missions. Proceeds go to the Dioceses of Mackenzie-Fort Smith and Grouard-McLennan and Catholic Missions In Canada, which do not receive support from October's World Mission Sunday collection. Canadian home missions face unique challenges in demanding cultural and physical environments. Your contributions to this collection provide crucial support to fellow Catholics in remote areas of our nation.

Baptism

We offer our congratulations to the parents of the children baptized in July:

Luca Mario Di Matteo Gio Livio Frisoli Sienna Grace Maglio Dante Carmine Savino Lucas Carter Costa Ariella Hackembruch Christian Jaden Moushikh Antonela Ocampo-Ayala Milana Julia Pagliaroli Pia Celina Villanueva Sanchez Salvador Antonio Martins

Marriage

We offer the following couples who will celebrate the sacrament of marriage this coming week 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.

Christopher Korzeb and Alexandra Sarunas



In loving Memory

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

Antonio (Tito) Giampaolo

May he rest in peace. Amen



