

The Parish Community of St. Padre Pio Welcomes You



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St. Padre Pio Parish

PARISH TEAM:

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

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday	-	5:00 pm
Sunday	-	8:00 am Italian
2		9:15 am, 10:30 am & 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

7:00 pm (Italian)
9:00 am (preceded by the Divine
Mercy Chaplet at 8:45am)
7:00 pm (preceded by the recitation
of the Rosary at 6:45pm)
9:00 am
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

Lay Pastoral Associate: Liana Del Mastro Email: stpadrepioLPA@archtoronto.org

Youth Minister: Anna De Cicco Email: stpadrepioym@archtoronto.org

Office Hours:

Monday – Friday Saturday

8:30 am – 7:30 pm 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. Sept. 7</u>

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5:00pm - +Maria Moreira Sun. Sept. 8 8:00am – +Dishan Ravine Edirimanasinghe 9:15am – For the People of the Parish, +Natalino Masucci 10:30am - +Antonio Portaro, +Caterina Portaro 12:00pm - +Gloria Rolo, +Manuel Rolo, +Joao Rolo, +Thomas Ferreiro, +Manuel Ferreiro <u>Mon. Sept. 9</u> 9:00am - +Attilio Battaglini Tues. Sept. 10 9:00am -Wed. Sept. 11 7:00pm – +Chacko Kaviyil, +Saveiro Panetta, +Connie Bastasin, +Vigilio Bastasin, +Phillipo Capanella Thurs. Sept. 12 9:00am – +Dishan Ravine Edirimanasinghe <u>Fri. Sept. 13</u> 9:00am -

<u>Feast Days This Week</u>

Mon. Sept. 9 – St. Peter Claver Thurs, Sept. 12 – The Most Holy Name of Mary Fri. Sept. 13 – St. John Chrysostom

Offertory Collection

<u>Sept. 1, 2024</u>

Weekly Offertory \$7,313.55

Thank you for your continuous support!

Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)

Parishioners are encouraged to sign up for our PAG program - Pre-Authorized Giving. 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.

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 this program. For more information, please call the parish office at 905-893-7879 or email Liana at stpadrepioLPA@archtoronto.org



First Communion - Parents of students in Grade 2 from our Catholic, Public and Private Schools are invited to attend a Reconciliation and First Communion Parent Information Session with their child on

Tuesday, September 10, 2024, at 7:30 pm in the church. Registration information and Sacrament dates will be distributed at this meeting.

Confirmation - Parents of students in Grade 7 from our Catholic, Public and Private Schools are invited to attend a Confirmation Parent Information Session with their child on Thursday, September 12, 2024, at 7:30 pm in the

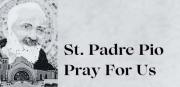


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FEAST OF ST. PADRE PIO

Our Annual Feast of St. Padre Pio will take place on

September 20, 21, and 22. Our Parish will host three days of events in honour of our Patron Saint:



Healing Mass - September 20

Special Mass and Healing Service at 7:00 PM with celebrant Fr. Francis Ching, a member of the Society of the Companions of the Cross. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a blessing of the sick after the Mass. Confessions will be heard from 5-7 PM.

Mass/Candlelight Procession - September 21 Holy Mass will be celebrated by Fr. George Parayil, the pastor at 5:00 PM, in the presence of the Relics of St. Padre Pio. The Mass will be followed by a Candlelight Procession through the neighbouring community, with a light reception after the procession. Confessions will be heard from 3-5 PM.

Solemn Feast and Community Celebration - September 22

Solemn Feast Mass of St. Padre Pio will be celebrated by Msgr. John Iverinci at 12:00 PM. The Mass will be followed by a community celebration of food and festivities. Blessed bread will be distributed.

Novena to St. Padre Pio The Novena to St. Padre Pio will be said from September 13th to the 21st, after each mass.

CWL Meeting

The Catholic Women's League will be meeting at 7:00 pm on Thursday, September 12th in the side entrance of the church. All women of the Parish 16 and older are welcome to join us. There are a lot of wonderful projects coming up and we'd love your help as we serve our Lord, our parish, and our community. Hope to see you next Thursday.

St. Vincent de Paul

There will be a St. Vincent de Paul meeting on Wednesday, September 11, 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 or contact stpadrepio.stvincentdepaul@gmail.com for more information.

Youth Ministry

Our Youth Ministry is in full swing! Plans are underway for various exciting programs and initiatives - and we couldn't be more excited! If you are interested in signing up for the program, or receiving more information, please contact Anna, our Youth Minister, at stpadrepioym@archtoronto.org. We are also distributing surveys to gather feedback from parents whose children may be interested in joining the Youth Group. By submitting the survey to the office by September 22, you will have a chance to win a back-to-school Great Clips hair styling gift basket valued at \$175.

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 the requests. If you wish to be added to the prayer line, please visit our website at stpadrepio.archtoronto.org to complete the prayer request form, or email the parish office at stpadrepio@archtoronto.org.

Archbishop Leo Encourages You To Help Your Neighbour

"We see and feel the pain of those struggling to feed their families, and it moves us deeply," says Archbishop Francis Leo. "Proverbs 22:9 reminds us, 'The generous will themselves be blessed, for they share their food with the poor.' Our faith calls and challenges us to be the beating heart and outstretched hands of Christ himself, extending his love and compassion to those in need. Together, we will continue to bring hope and dignity to our community, to those who suffer thus making a concrete difference in the lives of our neighbours." Please share your blessings by making a contribution at sharelife.org/donate or our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for living the Gospel! 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.



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, joy and strength in trials, all the days of their lives together.

Matthew Mastrangelo and Alesia Ricci Maurizio Sera and Dina Zahedi Alexander Mazzucca and Alyssa Miceli Peter Marinucci and Paola Morales



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

Vince Massimo Careri Antonio Sansone

May they rest in peace. Amen

