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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:

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SOCIETY of SAINT VINCENT de PAUL

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OUR SCHOOLS:

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St. Padre Pio School 905-893-7082
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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.



Sat. Oct. 5

5:00pm – +Tecla Tarantino

Sun. Oct. 6

8:00am – +Silvano Leva

9:15am – +For the People of the Parish

10:30am – +Nieves Dela Paz

12:00pm – +Cristina and +Giovanni Di Biase

Mon. Oct. 7

7:00pm – +Rosaria Perrone

Tues. Oct. 8

9:00am – +Francesco Palladini, +Fr. Bob Banares

Wed. Oct. 9

7:00pm – +Gloria and +Manuel Rolo, +Joao Rolo, +Thomas Ferreiro, +Manuel Ferreiro

Thurs. Oct. 10

9:00am –

Fri. Oct. 11

9:00am – +Antonio Sansone and Family

Feast Days This Week

Mon. Oct. 7 – Our Lady of the Rosary

Wed. Oct. 9 – St. Denis

Fri. Oct. 4 – St. John XXIII

Offertory Collection Report For Sept. 29

Weekly Offertory: **\$7,395.25**

Thank you for your generosity!

First Communion & Confirmation Registration

Registration for 2024-2025 First Communion and Confirmation is now open. Registration will close on Friday, October 11, 2024. Registrations will not be accepted after this date. To register, please complete the package distributed at the Parent Information Meeting. If you missed the meeting, please visit the parish office to pick up a registration package, or visit the parish website at <https://stpadrepio.archtoronto.org/en/parish-life/sacrament-registration/>.

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy is in need of volunteers ages 16 and older who are interested in teaching our parish children the Gospel of the Lord. If you are interested in joining, please complete a Parishioner Volunteer Form found in the narthex or contact the parish office. Children's Liturgy will begin October 20th.

Human Trafficking Awareness Week Oct 7th to Oct 11th

The St. Padre Pio Catholic Women's League will be raising a "Stop Human Trafficking" flag at the City of Vaughan offices on Tuesday Oct. 8th at 11am. All parishioners are welcome to attend the flag raising. On Thurs. Oct 10th, the St. Padre Pio CWL will host a presentation by York Region Detectives and a Crown Prosecutor of the Ontario Human Trafficking team to bring awareness to the dangers of online activity.

CWL Harvest Fest

The CWL will be holding their annual Harvest Fest fundraiser on the weekend of Oct 5th and 6th. There will be a 50/50 draw with the proceeds going to 360 Kids to help trafficked women. Lots of Fall goodies will be sold in time for Thanksgiving.

Life Chain Sunday Oct 6th

Life Chain is a public witness of faith to proclaim the sanctity of all human life and specifically to pray against abortion. It will be held on **Oct 6th from 2:00 to 3:00 pm**, simultaneously with approximately 300 locations across Canada. We will gather at 1:50 pm in the St. Padre Pio parking lot and then walk to Major Mackenzie between St. Padre Pio Way and Islington to pray in support of women in unintended pregnancies and for the right to life of all children in the womb. Abortion hurts us all.

Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund Collection

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held this weekend, October 5/6 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land.

The Archdiocese of Toronto has raised almost 50% of its \$6 million pledge with \$2.7 million in funds already allocated to support eight projects that focus on culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth.

Let us join together and follow the invitation of the Holy Father for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. For more information or to donate online, visit:

www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation
Thank you for your generosity.

World Mission Sunday Collection

There will be a second collection the weekend of October 19/20 for the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as World Mission Sunday. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church and it is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic Communities globally. Offerings are combined with offerings from other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. We are called to share from our abundance with those less fortunate who lack the basic essentials to know, love and praise God. Thank you for your support of this important work.

Youth Ministry

We are thrilled to announce that registration for the EDGE YOUTH GROUP is now open! Designed for students in grades 6 to 8, the EDGE youth group provides a safe and enjoyable environment where young people can connect, make new friends, and strengthen their faith. Each session features a variety of activities, fun games, team-building exercises, music, food, and a short catechesis session. This program strikes a wonderful balance between spiritual development and social fun, creating an experience that students will not want to miss. If you have any questions, contact Anna at stpadrepiom@archtoronto.org or 905-893-7879. To register, please visit our website under "Youth Ministry, EDGE Youth Group" for instructions. Don't forget to follow us on Instagram @stpadrepioyouthministry for updates and events.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR Saturday, October 19, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Learn:

- How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- How to create your own legacy
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

1. scan the QR code
2. follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebOct19
3. send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar October 19" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

St. Vincent de Paul

There will be a St. Vincent de Paul meeting on Wednesday, October 9, 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.

ShareLife: Answer the call to compassion

100,000 people in Toronto are expected to turn to food charities for the first time in 2024. Through our parish's support, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto, and a generous anonymous donor are committing \$750,000 to fund food banks and meal programs throughout the Archdiocese.

Reaching our parish campaign goal will help to make these grants possible. We have currently raised **\$81,910.20** towards our suggested goal of \$87,800.00. Please help combat hunger at sharelife.org/donate or by giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your compassion.

Come & See – Discernment Weekend Retreat

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, Nov. 15 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, Nov. 17 (2 p.m.). This Retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this event in your parishes, during your announcements as well as including this event in your respective parish bulletins, it would be greatly appreciated. We have also attached a poster and ask that you kindly display it on your respective bulletin boards. Thank you in advance for your assistance as we work together to build a culture of vocations. REGISTRATION: Must be done online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee



We offer the following couples, who will celebrate the sacrament of marriage this coming week, our best wishes. We ask God to bless them and grant them happiness, peace, joy and strength in trials, all the days of their lives together.

***Tony Nicol and Julia Oliva
Emanuel De Sousa and Arianna Campanelli***

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