

# The Parish Community of St. Padre Pio Welcomes You



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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:

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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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## 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.

## FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



### Sat. Nov. 30

5:00pm – +Luigi Gatti

### Sun. Dec. 1

8:00am – +Tony Maniaci

9:15am – +Antonio La Penna, +Rosa La

Penna, +Maurizzio Muzzati, +Rita Muzzati

10:30am – **For the deceased members of the  
Sirizzotti and Zeppieri Families.**

12:00pm – +Antonio Del Duca

### Mon. Dec. 2

7:00pm – +Gerarda Tersigni

### Tues. Dec. 3

9:00am – **For the deceased members of the  
Arigenello and Tassone Families.**

### Wed. Dec. 4

7:00pm – **In thanksgiving for all blessings  
received. +Tony Maniaci, +Marina Cervoni,  
+Nicola Rotolone**

### Thurs. Dec. 5

9:00am – +Patricia Virgilio, **For the  
intentions of personal healing.**

### Fri. Dec. 6

9:00am – **For the deceased members of the  
Ramos Family.**

7:00pm – **Vincenzo Licata**

### Feast Days This Week

Sun. Dec. 1 – **First Sunday of Advent**

Tues. Dec. 3 – **St. Francis Xavier**

Sat. Dec. 7 – **St. Ambrose**

### Offertory Collection Report For Nov. 24

Weekly Offertory: **\$8,293.75**

**Thank you for your generosity!**

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### **Knights of Columbus Panettone Sales**

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Christmas Panettone and other Christmas items this year until December 15, 2024. These make excellent gifts for your family, friends and employees, and for every \$25 spent, you will receive a free cheese. The money raised allows the Knights to assist many charities.

### **Upcoming EDGE Youth Group**

Saturday, November 30, 2024

- Saturday, December 14, 2024
- Saturday, December 21, 2024

If you are interested in learning more about our program, please contact our Youth Minister, Anna: [stpadrepioym@archtoronto.org](mailto:stpadrepioym@archtoronto.org) or call 905-893-7879.



### ***The Feast of the Immaculate Conception***

Mon. December 9<sup>th</sup>, we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception.

Masses will be celebrated:

- 9:00am – English
- 7:00pm – Italian

**2025 Sunday Missals** – are now available for purchase in the narthex. Please feel free to pick up a copy for \$8.

### **First Friday**

Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, is the First Friday of the month. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am, followed by the Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Eucharistic Adoration will be available for personal prayer time until 6:00 pm with Benediction, during An Hour with Jesus, followed by the 7:00 pm Mass.

### **An Hour with Jesus**

Can you spend an hour with Jesus? What would you talk about? Come and find out every First Friday at 6PM. You can come and spend an hour with Jesus in praise and worship music, meditation, reflection and adoration – all in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. At the heart of Eucharistic Adoration is our Lord Jesus Christ – so come and spend some time with him. No formal prayer is needed. Just a willingness to meet with Jesus. People of all ages are welcome to attend, to sing, praise and have a dialogue with Jesus straight from their hearts.

DECEMBER 1, 2024

### St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Drive

The St Padre Pio Conference of The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be holding its annual Christmas Drive, beginning the weekend of November 23/24 and running until Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup>.

We will be accepting monetary and gift card donations. The preferred gift cards are **No Frills** and **Walmart**. Individuals who wish to receive a charitable tax receipt for their donation may do so by using the St. Vincent de Paul donation envelopes, located next to the Poor Box in the Narthex of the church. Please note that tax receipts will only be provided for donations of \$20 or more. Your complete address, including postal code must be filled out on the envelope in order for you to receive your tax receipt in the mail.

Please stop by the St. Vincent de Paul table after any of the masses from November 23/24 until December 7/8 to drop off your monetary or gift card donation.

As the Angel who proclaimed the good news of great joy to the shepherds, let's unite to bring hope and blessings to those who are in most need.

Thank You and God Bless

### Christmas Raffle

Come and see the beautiful display of prizes to be won in the narthex following masses.

Tickets Prices:

1 for \$10, 3 for \$25, 10 for \$70 and 15 for \$100

### Parish Advent Confessions

**Wed. December 18 at 7:30pm** – Advent Confessions. Following the 7:00pm mass, many priests will be available to hear confessions.

### Christmas Show Event

SAVE THE DATE! We will be holding our annual Christmas Show on **Sunday December 8th at 7:00 PM**, in the church. This is not a ticketed event. Admission is free and seating is on a first come basis – so please bring your entire family and your friends to enjoy music, singing, comedy and more! We will provide an opportunity, for anyone who wishes to do so, to give a voluntary donation before, and after the concert. 100% of these donations will go to the church. The theme of our show this year is **"The Gift of Christmas"** – a night where you will experience choir pieces, duets, and solos from our Music Ministry, as well as scenes of the season performed by some of our parishioners. Doors will open at 6:30 PM - and together, we will share in the joy of the

season, experiencing the power of music and theatre... all for the glory of God.

### HOLY JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY October 6 – 17, 2025 \$5,190.00

Under the spiritual direction of Fr. George Parayil, Pastor he will be leading a group on a 12-Day Pilgrimage to Italy. Price includes Flight, Hotel, 2 Meals Daily, Sightseeing as per itinerary, Tips to driver, Guides, Restaurants and Hotels. For more information and registration, you can visit the website at: <https://www.ihtours.com/tour/pilgrimage-to-italy-27/> or contact Stan at 647-463-9057 or the parish office at 905-893-7879. Flyers can be found in the narthex for more information.



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

**Theodore Augustus Carano**  
**Luna Corina Aruta**  
**Giuliano Giuseppe Cammalleri**  
**Charlotte Marie Da Silva**  
**Sandro Miguel Duarte Oliveira**  
**Meadow Veneziano**

May the Holy Spirit bless them with a long-lasting faith, love, and hope.  
Congratulations on your baptism!



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

**Sergio Gosio**

May he rest in peace. Amen



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