

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 (Novena to St. Padre Pio, 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

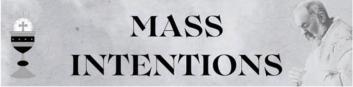
COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:

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. Mar. 15</u>

5:00pm – +Lorenzo and Vincenza Consentino Sun. Mar. 16

8:00am - +Vincenzo Gagliardi

9:15am - +Delfino Rossetti

10:30am - +Giuseppe Miceli

12:00pm - +Rachelina Ambrosio

<u>Mon. Mar. 17</u>

7:00pm - For the deceased members of the Virgilio and Romanelli Families

<u>Tues. Mar. 18</u>

9:00am - +Patricia Baptist

Wed. Mar. 19

7:00pm – ***Antonio Branco and Family**,

+Albino Jorge and Family, +Lawrence Attard *Thurs. Mar. 20*

9:00am - +Remegio D'Antoni, +Cristina

D'Antonio

<u>Fri. Mar. 21</u>

9:00am - Healing for Eva Piragic

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

<u>stpadrepio.archtoronto.org/</u> to complete the prayer request form.

FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

We will have a solemn celebration for the Feast of St. Joseph on Wednesday, March 19 at 7:00pm followed by the distribution of the blessed bread.

PILGRIMAGE MEETING

There will be a meeting on **Tuesday**, **March 25 at 7:00pm** in the narthex for anyone who will be attending **the PILGRIMAGE To Italy from October 6 – 17**, 2025

PASSION PLAY 2025

TICKETS ARE ON SALE! This year's St. Padre Pio Parish Passion Play, *This Is Jesus*, is a musically immersed retelling of the Passion of Christ. Don't miss your chance to see this incredible, theatrically riveting production. This year's show approaches the story from the perspective of the four Gospel Writers and will be performed on Friday, April 11 and Palm Sunday, April 13 at 7:30 PM. More than 700 tickets have already been sold and we expect to sell out! So get your tickets as soon as possible. Scan the QR Code to purchase your tickets.

Support us by purchasing Raffle Tickets and 50/50 Tickets or Bidding on our Silent Auction Prizes. Contact Liana Del Mastro, Director, at <u>stpadrepiopassionplay@gmail.com</u>.

SHARELIFE

ShareLife Sunday is March 30. Our parish goal for this year's campaign is **\$98,000.00**. Through your support of ShareLife, you extend the hands of Christ to those in need: the poor, the vulnerable, and the marginalized in our community. Because you care, more than 40 agencies provide strength to people of all ages in their weakest moments. You've been there for young parents as they worried about their next meal, isolated seniors yearning for companionship, teenagers seeking guidance in a confusing world, 9 refugees longing to rebuild their lives, and people with special needs striving for dignity and acceptance. Thank you for living the Gospel through your compassion. Our parish goal this year is \$98,000.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Knights of Columbus Council Meeting

All Knights of Columbus are invited to the upcoming general meeting on Thursday, March 20 at 7:00 pm in the Side Entrance 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 <u>fcomella@rogers.com</u>

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – BUNDLE UP WEEKEND

Our next St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Up Weekend is scheduled for March 29/30. By donating your used clothing items, you will be helping to support many families in our community struggling with poverty. Items that we ACCEPT include: ALL used clothing, linens, towels and drapery. Please note only NEW TOYS can be accepted.

Items that we CANNOT accept include: any type of furniture, books, videos, dishware or baby items such as cribs, or car seats.

If you would like to participate in the Bundle UP Drive, please bring accepted items to the church the weekend of March 29/30 in a sealed box or bag and look for the St. Vincent de Paul Truck parked in the rear Parking lot. Volunteers will be available to assist you with your donations before and after any of the masses on the weekend of March 29/30. Please remember DO NOT bring items into the church.

For questions, please contact us at 289-216-2500 We thank you for your continued support.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER MARCH 20

This year's World Day of Prayer Service will take place on Thursday, March 20 at 7pm at Christ Church Anglican, 8045 Islington Ave., Woodbridge. The theme this year is, **'I made you wonderful'**, written by the women of Cook Islands. Please join the Catholic Women's League of St. Padre Pio as we come together in spirit; uniting with other parishes to pray for relevant issues affecting women and children throughout the world.

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, March 26, at 7:00 pm.



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

Restituta Catallo

May he rest in peace. Amen



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday during the Season of Lent at 7:00pm, with the exception of First Friday, where the Stations of the Cross will be at 6:30pm followed by mass.

LENTEN CONFESSIONS

Our Parish Lenten Confessions will take place on **Wednesday**, **April 9 at 7:30pm**. Several priests will be available to hear your confessions.

HOLY WEEK

Wednesday, April 16 7:00pm - Mass 7:45pm - Tenebrae Service

EASTER TRIDUUM

Holy Thursday – April 17

7:30pm - Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper Private Adoration and Prayer Time to Follow Until Midnight

Good Friday – April 18

9:00am - Church is opened 11:30am - Chaplet of Divine Mercy **3:00pm Good Friday Service** 4:30pm - Stations of the Cross Procession outside in the parking lot weather permitting. 7:00pm - Stations of the Cross Presented by the Youth and the Statue of the Dead Saviour.

Holy Saturday – April 19

9:00am – Church is opened 10:00am – Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy 11:00 am – Blessing of the Easter Basket 7:30pm – Easter Vigil

> Easter Sunday – April 20 Regular Mass Schedule

