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MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. Mar. 29

5:00 pm -+ Digna Lino, + Jorge Estrada

Sun. Mar. 30

8:00 am - + Silvana Leva

9:15 am - +Pasquale Zollo

10:30 am - + Antonio Portaro, + Caterina Potaro

12:00 pm - +Liberata Pompilio

Mon. Mar. 31

7:00 pm - For the General Intentions of the Bansil Family

Tues. April 1

9:00 am - For the Intentions of Miranda & Fernandes Family

Wed. April 2

7:00 pm - + Sebastiano Montoni,

- + Franco Albertini,
- + Immacolata De Francesco,
- + Celestina Caputo

Thurs. April 3

9:00 am – For the Deceased Members of the Yurchesyn & Pennino Families

Fri. April 4

9:00 am – For the Deceased Members of the Virgilio & Romanelli Families

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 stpadrepio.archtoronto.org/ to complete the prayer request form.

HOLY JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

October 6 – 17, 2025 - Limited spaces are still available for our Pilgrimage to Italy. For more information, contact Stan at 647-463-9057 or the parish office at 905-893-7879.

SHARELIFE

March 30 is ShareLife Sunday. Our parish goal for this year is \$98,000.00. Thank you for heeding the Lord's call to feed the hungry. For many children, the snacks and meals they receive in school may be the only nutritious food they eat all day. Thanks to you, \$750,000 in Food Security Grants are making a difference across our community. The FoodShare program is a ShareLife funded program. Executive Director, Jane Kenny says, "It helps parents provide food for their children, reduces their stress, and allows them to focus on being the best parents they can be. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope found in the narthex or online through our parish website.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: BUNDLE UP WEEKEND & CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN LENTEN COLLECTION

The St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Up Weekend is March 29/30. Donate your 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, baby items like cribs or car seats. Please bring accepted items to the church on March 29 and 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.**

St. Vincent de Paul has also organized a Lenten Collection in collaboration with **Canadian Food for Children** for Saturday, March 29 and Sunday, March 30th, 2025.

We are accepting the following items:

- bars of soap
- · canned fish
- canned meat
- iodized salt

ONLY these specific items will be accepted for this collection to help the poor and needy of Angola, EL Salvador, Haiti, Honduras and Peru.

PASSION PLAY 2025

Don't miss your chance to see this year's This year's St. Padre Pio Parish Passion Play, *This Is Jesus* - a musically immersed retelling of the Passion of Christ. This year's show approaches the life of Christ from the perspective of the four Gospel Writers. Performances will be held on Friday, April 11 and Palm Sunday, April 13 at 7:30 PM. More than 1100 tickets have already been sold and we expect to sell out! So get your tickets online by scanning the QR code.

You can also support us by purchasing Raffle Ticket and 50/50 Ticket or by Bidding on our Silent Auction Prizes. For any inquiries contact Liana Del Mastro,



Director, at stpadrepiopassionplay@gmail.com.

FIRST FRIDAY

Friday, April 4th, is the First Friday of the month. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am, 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 6PM, with Benediction, during An Hour with Jesus, followed by the 7PM Mass.

AN HOUR WITH JESUS

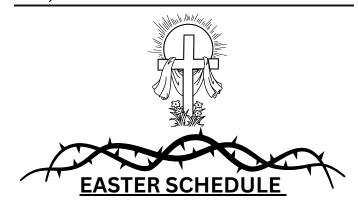
Come and spend an hour with Jesus in praise and worship music, meditation, reflection and adoration – all in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament every First Friday at 6PM. No formal prayer is needed. Just a willingness to meet with Jesus. People of all ages are welcome to attend, to sing, praise and have a dialogue with Jesus straight from their hearts.



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

> Maria Cornelio Loretta Mittone Antonia Adamo

May they rest in peace. Amen



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

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

LENTEN CONFESSIONS

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

HOLY WEEK

Wednesday, April 16

7:00 pm - Mass 7:45 pm - Tenebrae Service

EASTER TRIDUUM

Holy Thursday - April 17

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

Good Friday - April 18

9:00 am - Church is opened 11:30 am - Chaplet of Divine Mercy

3:00 pm Good Friday Service

4:30 pm - Stations of the Cross Procession outside in the parking lot, weather permitting, followed by the Veneration of the Statue of the Dead Saviour.

Holy Saturday - April 19

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

Easter Sunday – April 20

Regular Mass Schedule



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