

# *The Parish Community of St. Padre Pio Welcomes You*



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**St. Padre Pio Parish**

## **PARISH TEAM:**

Father George Parayil - Pastor

Father Nicetus Nicodemus Tairo - Associate 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 (Novena to St. Padre Pio,  
followed by the recitation of the Rosary)

## **OFFICE:**

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## **Office Hours:**

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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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)

First Fridays - 9:30 - 10:30 am

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

## TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### **Saturday, August 23**

5:00 pm - † Carmine Damiani

### **Sunday, August 24**

8:00 am - For Healing of John & Michelle Walsh

9:15 am - † John Carlos Santos

10:30 am - † Domenico Pirruccio and the  
Deceased Members of the  
Pirruccio Family

12:00 pm - For the People of the Parish

### **Monday, August 25**

7:00 pm - For Healing of Iride Gentilini &  
Gabriella Fabrizi

### **Tuesday, August 26**

9:00 am - † Norina Fuoco

### **Wednesday, August 27**

7:00 pm - MONTHLY MEMORIAL MASS

### **Thursday, August 28**

9:00 am - † Agustin Arcangel

### **Friday, August 29**

9:00 am - † Juanita Sioson

### **FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK**

Wednesday, August 27:

Saint Monica

Thursday, August 28:

Saint Augustine

Friday, August 29:

The Passion of Saint John the Baptist



### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY VOLUNTEERS**

The Parish is looking for additional volunteers to help with the Children's Liturgy Program. The program offers an invaluable opportunity for children ages 4 to 9 to engage with the Liturgy of the Word, Sundays at the 10:30 am and 12:00 pm Masses. Designed for children to learn more about their faith and the readings of the day in a more accessible and comprehensible format, the Children's Liturgy Program is both rewarding for the children and the volunteers who give of their time. All volunteers must be 16 years of age and up and go through the Archdiocese of Toronto Volunteer Screening Program. Please contact the office for more information.

### **ALPHA PROGRAM APPLICATIONS**

#### **ACCEPTED THIS WEEK**

Applications are open on August 23rd and 24<sup>th</sup> in the narthex of the church. Please see the team to fill out your application form. The Alpha Program is a customized 9-week program of love, sharing and learning, in a Catholic context. Participants will have a meal, meet new people and continue their journey with Christ, wherever that journey begins.

#### **RCIA**

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process whereby adults are received into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church. It is a spiritual journey of discernment, instruction, and prayer, with meetings once per week beginning this fall. If you would like to become a Catholic, please call the office to register for the 2025-2026 session.

#### **SECOND COLLECTION AUGUST 23/24**

There will be a second collection this weekend for the Canadian Missions Appeal. The Canadian Missions Collection advances and sustains the Catholic faith in remote dioceses in the Northwest Territories and northern Alberta, along with mission communities supported by Catholic Missions in Canada. Envelopes can still be found in the narthex. Please give generously to this worthwhile cause.

#### **PILGRIMAGES TO ST. PADRE PIO PARISH**

St. Padre Pio Parish is a holy place of worship designated by the Archdiocese of Toronto for this Jubilee Year. With the number of relics of St. Padre Pio, the church has established itself as a Holy place of interest for Catholics, as well as those with a devotion to our Patron Saint. If your church or religious group would like to visit, we offer a tour of the architectural



details and relics and can also tailor your visit to your group's needs. Please contact the office for more information.

## NEXT MONTHLY MEMORIAL MASS - WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27<sup>th</sup>

Families are invited to our monthly memorial mass in commemoration of the loss of a loved one. The memorial mass is celebrated on the last Wednesday of each month. The name of your loved one will be called during the mass and a family member is invited to light a candle and gather around the altar in honour of that loved one. Anniversary Mass Donation envelopes will be available before the mass begins. **Our next mass will be held on Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM.**



## FIRST FRIDAY & AN HOUR WITH JESUS



Friday, September 5 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**.

Adoration will be available for personal prayer time. **An Hour With Jesus** will begin at 6:00 PM, with adoration, praise and worship music, reflection, followed by mass at 7:00 PM. We hope to see you there!

## 2025/2026 SACRAMENTS: FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION



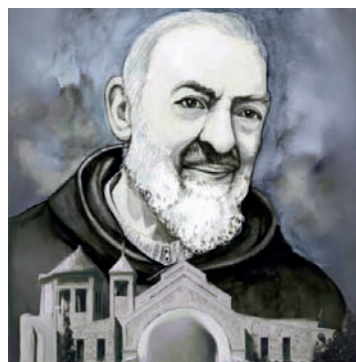
Information regarding dates for the Sacraments (**Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation**)



and the Sacramental Preparation Classes (Catechism and Retreats) for the 2025/2026 year will be released soon. This information will be shared

with the parents of children who attend our family of schools, as well as the greater community, at the beginning of the academic year. Information will be found in our bulletin, on the parish website, and will also be made during mass in the pulpit announcements and distributed through our schools. A parent meeting will be set in the fall to provide additional information, answer all questions and hand out registration forms. Please be attentive to these announcements.

## FEAST OF ST. PADRE PIO



Our Annual Feast of St. Padre Pio will take place on September 19, 20 and 21 - a three-day event in honour of our Patron Saint:

### Mass/Candlelight Procession - Friday, Sept. 19

Holy Mass, celebrated by Fr. George Parayil at 7PM, in the presence of the Relics of St. Padre Pio. The Mass will be followed by a Candlelight Procession. Confessions will be heard from 5-7 PM.

### Healing Mass - Saturday, Sept. 20

Healing Service at 5PM with celebrant Fr. Roni George, Director of the Divine Retreat Centre. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a blessing of the sick. Confessions will be heard from 3-5 PM.

### Solemn Feast and Community Celebration - Sunday, Sept. 21

Mass will be celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins at 12PM, followed by a community celebration of food and festivities.



## Baptisms

We congratulate the families of the babies who recently received the Sacrament of Baptism at St. Padre Pio Parish. May God bless them!

**Isabella Sophia Amatuzio, Gabriel Ghate,  
Jade Sienna Ghate, Levi James Glassford,  
Victoria Ella Maccani, Romeo Lupoi**



## MARRIAGES

We congratulate

**Marco Anthony Di Giovanni & Lauren Angelina Maieron  
Joseph Daniel Lesley & Julia Isabella Botter**

who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage recently at St. Padre Pio Parish.

May God continue to have a presence in your lives together and bless you each and every day.



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