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PARISH CLERGY:

Rev. Fr. Andrzej Glaba – Pastor

Rev. Paul Bégin – In Residence

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

PARISH STAFF:

Secretary: Carmenza Loaiza Accountant: Lisa Maccarone Music Director: Richard Heinzle Youth Minister: Anna Betro

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 pm.

Sunday: 8:00 am. (Italian)

9:30 am. & 11:30 am.

Daily Masses:

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 am. First Friday of the Month: 7:00 p.m.

Last Friday: (except June, July & August) 7:00 pm.

SACRAMENTS:

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the Office.

Baptism Infants: Please call the Office 3 months in advance for an appointment, instructions and Preparation Class.

Baptisms (Children age 4 - 7 only)

First Communion - Confirmation - Youth Ministry:

Please Contact Anna Betro at 416-244-3066 Ext. 7 or Email 1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):

Monday - Saturday: 7:30 to 8:15 a.m. Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 p.m. First Friday of the month: 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call the office for an interview with the Priest one year before planning your wedding date and to register for the course which begins every January.

Funerals: Please contact the office. The Funeral Liturgy is on our website under Ministries-Liturgical-Funeral Liturgy.

DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: Friday 3:00 - 6:30 pm.

Rosary Apostolate: Sunday 7:30a.m (Italian) 9:00a.m (English)

Joe Gussoni - jmgussoni@rogers.com

Bible Study Group: Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Lucy Furbacher - lucyfurb@hotmail.com Teresa Meffe - teresa.meffe@gmail.com

Queen of All Saints' Prayer Group: Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Jean Ann D'Aprile - daprile60@rogers.com

Italian Prayer Group: Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Giuseppe Campese - 416-239-2848

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For Adults or Children 7 years and up wishing to become Catholic. Igino Piattella - igino@sympatico.ca

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please register with the parish before seeking any sacraments or any other services. Registration forms are available in the church foyer or in the parish office.

NOTE: Parishioners looking for Envelopes are asked to come to the Parish Office
Remember "All Saints' Parish" In Your Will



Be perfect as your heavenly Father is perfect.

7th Sunday Ordinary Time February 23rd, 2020

Be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect. (Matthew 5:48)

How could Jesus say such a thing? He knows we're human; he knows that we can never be perfect in the sense of never committing a sin. So how can we live out this commandment?

Fortunately, God has given us some models to follow: the saints. Because they were human, they were sinners, just like us. But they were "perfect" in God's eyes nonetheless. Their perfection rested not in their sinlessness but in their commitment to love God and their neighbor with all their hearts. It was their own experience of God's love that allowed them to follow the Lord wherever he led and to love other people with the love that came from God. And so they made it their aim to be as merciful and generous as possible. They strove to love their enemies just as faithfully as they loved their friends and to pray for those who persecuted them.

Think, for instance, how Blessed Charles de Foucauld turned from a life of indulgence and selfishness and moved to the Algerian desert to live among the Tuareg people as a witness to Christ's love. Or how St. Alphonsus Liguori left a thriving law practice to become a priest so he could proclaim God's message of mercy. Or how St. Monica was so patient with her short-tempered, unbelieving husband that he eventually became a Christian.

The point is, "perfection" isn't out of our reach. It is about loving God in a way that causes us to change our lives and do whatever he asks of us. It's about loving our neighbors—and even our enemies—with the love that God has for us.

So don't get discouraged when you read this Scripture verse. God is merciful; he knows that you're a sinner. But he also knows that you can become "perfect"—with his love and grace.

"Saints in heaven, intercede for me so that I can love God and my neighbor as you did."

(Excerpt from The WORD Among Us)

MASS INTENTIONS

February 24th to February 29th

Mon., February 24th, St. Ethelbert St. Oscar Romero

Bartolomeo & Annette Perrella All Souls in Purgatory Special Intention: Safe Travel

Tues., February 25th, St. Tarasius

Giacomo & Vincenzo Cappiello & Vincenzo Cosco Clara Badour Antonio & Maria Meffe

Wed., February 26th, Ash Wednesday St. Alexander

8:15 am Mass

10:00 am Mass Fr. Serra & St. Eugene Sch.

7:00 pm Mass

Thur., February 27th, St. Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows

In Thanksgiving to the Virgin Mary Special Intention: Conversion Religious Vocations & Youth

<u>Fri., February 28th, St. Hilary, St. John</u> Cassian

Eugene Matijczyk Special Intention: Healing

Eucharistic Adoration 3:00-6:30 pm

Fri., February 28th 7:00 pm STATIONS OF THE CROSS NO Memorial Mass

Sat., February 29th, St. John Cassian

Maria Spano Antonio Paiano



SHROVE TUESDAY

February 25th
This Tuesday, February 25th is

Pancake Tuesday. The Parish Council will sponsor it with proceeds going to ShareLife. Come and enjoy pancakes, sausages, fruit and drinks from 5 to 7pm. Tickets will be sold again this weekend after each Mass. Price \$10 per ticket. Tickets are also available in the parish office.

2019 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

The Income Tax receipts for 2019 donations made to the Parish will be hand out before and after <u>All</u> Masses **this weekend** on **Sunday February 23**. Kindly, please pick up yours. They will be mailed next week.



Abstinence and Fasting are to be observed on Ash
Wednesday February 26 and
Good Friday April 10

<u>ABSTINENCE</u> is to be observed on all Fridays through the year, but Catholics may substitute this practice with special acts of charity or piety on the other Fridays. Abstinence refrains from consumption of meat. This law pertains to everyone over fourteen years of age.

<u>FASTING</u> prescribes that only one meal be taken in a day, but it does not forbid taking more nourishment in the morning and in the evening, according to the needs of each individual. Fasting binds those between eighteen and sixty years of age. Individual cases, for just reason (e.g., the sick), receive dispensation from the obligation.

SL ShareLife

Share Life 2020 Campaign Launch Our parish goal this year is \$132,500.00. Last year thanks to generous donors like you Share Life agencies helped 140,000 people locally.

This year over and above your personal sacrificial donation, we will host a parish raffle with popular items every month for the duration of the campaign. The first draw for **two tickets** to see the **Toronto Raptors Vs Memphis Grizzlies** on **Monday March 30 at 7:30pm** will be awarded at our first Sunday of the month coffee social on March 1st. Raffle tickets are 1 for \$5.00 or 3 for \$10.00 and can be obtained in the foyers after all Masses or from the parish office. **Thank you for supporting Share Life!**

LADIES AUXILIARY

The Ladies Auxiliary Group is starting their Tuesday afternoon mat knitting & socializing. Come and join us every Tuesday afternoon at 12:45pm. We are asking for donation of wool. The Ladies will be knitting items (hats, mitts) to be donated to out of the cold programs. Thank you. Connie Ciampa, President.

"Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect." Do you feel called to help people get closer to God? If you think God is calling you to be a, priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997 or Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

ALL SAINTS LENTEN MISSION 2020



"God's Mercy Endures Forever" God's Mercy has a name - it's Jesus God's Mercy has a face - it's His

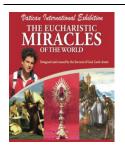
Please join us for our 3 night Parish Mission when we'll not only explore but experience God's Mercy through Scripture, Prayer, Song and Reflection. Dates: **March 9 to 11 from 7 to 8 pm.** God's Mercy is real, God's Mercy is ours, God's mercy is at All Saints. Presented by: Fr. Dennis J. Mason, OFM Conv.

Coffee Sunday

Coffee Sunday will be held on Sunday March 1, 2020 after the 9:30am and 11:30am Masses and it will be hosted by the Altar Servers Ministry. All are welcome to attend.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Our next Parish Council meeting will be held on March 2^{nd} at 7:30pm in parish hall. All are welcome to attend.



All Saints' is Hosting the Vatican International Exhibition of the Eucharistic Miracles of the World

Sat., March 14 - 8am to 6pm & Sun., March 15 - 8am to 3pm in the Parish Hall

Designed and created by the young Italian Servant of God **Carlo Acutis**, each panel tells the story of a Eucharistic Miracle. The exhibit's purpose is to increase awareness of the Real Presence of our Lord in the Eucharist and promote Eucharistic Adoration.

All Parishioners are welcome!

Please check the following videos, which are very inspiring.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dSi3qtmbfNwhttps://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w2guMP8cs6Uhttps://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vYstMhaoRF8

POSTER: http://bit.ly/ChurchExhibitAllSaints

Commemorate the Centenary of the Canonization of St. Gabriel of the Sorrowful Mother (Patron Saint of Youth)

Thurs., Feb 27 at 7pm (Rosary) 7:30pm (Mass)

All Saints Church & the United Society – *Società Unita* invites you to a Mass to be celebrated by Fr. Claudio Piccinini, CP., with the relic of St. Gabriel present for veneration in a replica of the original urn.

CONTACT: The United Society – *Società Unita* **EMAIL:** info@teopoli.com **PHONE:** 416-243-7319

POSTER: http://bit.ly/StGabrielCentenary







All Programs run in the Parish Hall EDGE – Raising Saints (Grades 5 – 8)

Friday, February 28 @ 7 pm

*Topic: "Desert Wandered"*Little Saints (Grades 2 – 4)

Friday, March 20 @ 6:30 pm

Topic: Fun Night

<u>The Saints'</u> (ages 15 - 35)

Friday, March 6 @ 7 pm Topic: "Fears vs. Dreams"



LENTEN CONFESSIONS

Fr. Serra School Mon. Mar. 23 at 10am All Saints' School Tue. Mar. 24 at 9:30am St. Eugene School Wed. Mar. 25 at 9:30am

Parish Lent Confessions Mon. Mar. 30 at 7pm

<u>Daily</u> Monday to Saturday: 7:30 to 8:15am; Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45pm; First Friday of the month: 5:30 to 6:30pm. For info on how to make a good Confession visit https://www.archtoronto.org/confession/Pages/Examination-of-Conscience.aspx

42nd Annual Concelebrated Mass in Honour of Saint Patrick March 1, 2020 - 3:30 to 6:00 p.m. St. Cecilia's Church 161 Annette Street, Toronto Principal Celebrant and Homilist will be his Bishop Robert Kasun, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto. Eithne Heffernan will be the Guest Irish Harpist. Ceremonial co-ordinator will be Hugo Straney. A reception will follow the Mass in the church hall, with refreshments and Irish entertainment provided by Michael Kelly and Irish dancers from the Johnson School of Dance. St. Cecilia's parish office: 416-769-8163 email: steeciliatoronto@gmail.com

Come and See Weekend – Friday, March 13 (begins at 7 pm) to Sunday, March 15 (ends at 1:30 pm) at St. Augustine's Seminary

Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca Registrants 17 years old require parental consent. For more information, please contact (the Parish Priest) or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org

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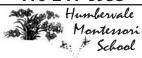
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