All Saints' Parish

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Office Hours:

Mon - Fri 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. & 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Holidays, Saturday & Sunday: Office is closed

PARISH STAFF:

Secretary: Carmenza Loaiza Ext. 0
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Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. (Italian)

9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

Daily Masses:

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 a.m. Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. **First Friday of the Month:** 5:00 p.m.

Last Friday of the Month: Canceled until further notice.

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 1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):

Monday to Friday from 7:30 am to 8:00 am, Saturday from 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm or by appointment. Please contact the office or check the bulletin.

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 once a year in February.

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

DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: First Friday of the month 3:00-5:00 p.m.

(Please Check the bulletin)

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.

Dolores Miccio - dolo.miccio@gmail.com Italian Prayer Group: Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Vanna Pintus - 416-236-0094, Teresa Meffe 416-985-7003

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Virtual All Saints' Guest Speaker Recommendations. Outreach Ministry.

allsts.guestspeaker@gmail.com

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.



Fifth Sunday of Lent March 26th, 2023

Jesus wept. (John 11:35) Kara's close friend

had just passed away from cancer, leaving behind a husband and four young children. So many people had prayed for her to be healed, but it didn't happen. Kara was baffled. How could a good and loving God allow this?

Kara searched the Scriptures for answers. Nothing satisfied her until she read these words in today's Gospel: "Jesus wept" (John 11:35). It didn't solve the mystery of why God allows suffering, but it did comfort her. She knew that the Lord was with her and with all the people who were grieving the death of this young woman. In fact, she sensed that he was weeping along with them.

Jesus' weeping at the tomb of Lazarus demonstrates how, as a human being, he experienced every emotion we experience, including grief. John writes that when Jesus arrived in Bethany and saw Lazarus' sister Mary weeping, he was "deeply troubled" (John 11:33). This shows us that Jesus understands exactly what we are going through when we lose a dear friend or loved one. Not only that, but he feels the pain and sorrow that we are feeling. That's why we can find so much solace in drawing near to him in those difficult times.

The reality of death was painful for Jesus even though he was planning to raise Lazarus. We might believe that a loved one is with God, and perhaps feel guilty about grieving because of the joy that they are now experiencing in heaven. But Jesus' example shows us that it's human to be sad, and that our faith isn't somehow deficient if we grieve.

If you are experiencing grief, know that Jesus is with you in your sorrow, not as a dispassionate bystander, but as a fellow mourner. He understands your pain, and in your darkest hour, he is with you to comfort and console you.

"Jesus, thank you for never abandoning me, in good times and in bad."

(Excerpt from The WORD Among Us)

SL ShareLife

This weekend is ShareLife Sunday

ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish's annual campaign. In the words of Cardinal Collins: "Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part."

Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$153,000.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope or online at https://sharelife.org/donate/

March 27th to April 1st

Mon., March 27th, St. Gregory of Narek

St. John Damascene

Maurino Guido & Rosina Cairo Ernesto & Maria Arturi Donato & Lina Mideo

Tue., March 28th, St. Guntram

Maria Sebastiano Rinella Matteo Tarantino Tomaso Butera

Wed., March 29th, St. Gundleus

Giuseppe & Louisa Leone Francesco & Angelina Arturi Rosanna Mossa

Thur., March 30th, St. John Climacus

Tony Ceccanese Grazia Maida Lina, Silvana & Antonietta Arturi

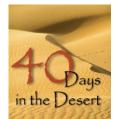
Fri., March 31st, St. Benjamin

Mario Simone Francesco Galati Filomena & Salvatore Canzona

<u>Fri., March 31st, 7:00 p.m.</u> STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Sat., April 1st, St. Hugh

Frank Cairo Saverio & Sisa Betro Maria & Vittoria Vetro & Rosa Faga



Methodical Lent: Self reflection Listen Live on radiomaria.ca Thur. at 9 pm and Sat. at 2 pm

Please join parishioners Mariangela and Nick on their program *Jesus with Us: Reflections of Joy* as they reflect on making Lent methodical leading to a

deeper experience and closeness with Jesus. The desert is described as a metaphor of Lent and Mother Mary's life is described as a great example of journeying, surrendering and meditating during Lent. Through various prayers and affirmations, this episode ends with a reflection on how we can find joy in Lent.



Parish Lent Confessions: Tuesday, March 28th from 7 to 9pm

Several priests will be available to hear Confessions in English, Italian, French and Polish.

Come and celebrate the gift of God's forgiveness. Please check the whole schedule for Lent, Holy Week & Easter at https://allsaintset.archtoronto.org/en/parish-life/lent/







Kidz Clubhouse - Little Saints for students in Grades 2 - 4 @ 6:45 – 8 PM in the Parish Hall - Friday, April 21, 2023.

Ryan Defrates – The Strawberry Shrinkray

Theme: Encouraging Others

EDGE - Raising Saints - for students in Grades 5 - 8

@ **7 – 8:30 pm** - Friday, April 14, 2023

Topic: The Big Lie



Parish Resources

All Saints' Parish - Catholic Family Resources

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBQ1qPTNp0Br3Riz Моб-рҮА

This weeks' video: Seven Last Words of Christ https://youtu.be/7Z4 BSu1n2U

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> This weeks' video: Mary of Nazareth https://watch.formed.org/mary-of-nazareth



MEETING FOR ALTAR SERVERS

There will be a meeting for all Altar Servers this Sunday, March 26th at 2pm in the Music Room. Anybody wishing to become an altar server is also

welcome to attend. Refreshments will be provided.



Palm Sunday Procession

Children present at any of the Masses (Except 8AM) will be called to the hall to prepare to process into the church with Palms. A great way to begin Holy week.



OFFICE SCHEDULE:

Good Friday April 7 and Easter Monday April 10 the Parish Office will be closed.



Holy Thursday, April 6th From 9 to 11 pm

After the Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7pm, stay and spend an hour with Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane: be with Jesus before

He enters into the Passion. A moment for individual reflections, silence and meditation.



Good Friday Procession Youth of Parish at 5:30 pm

We would like to invite all our parish youth and children to join the Youth Ministries on Good Friday, April 7 to rotate in carrying a small cross in the Good Friday Procession. We encourage children to bring crosses from home as

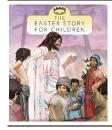
well. Older students assist to carry the large cross in the procession. We will meet in the Church at 5:15 pm to organize ourselves. After the Good Friday Procession, stay with us in the church for the Stations of the Cross.



Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land on Good Friday, April 7

The Good Friday collection is requested by the Holy See to help maintain the Church's holy places in the Holy Land, so important to the faith of Christians everywhere, and also to support the faithful who struggle to survive under

political and economic oppression and persecution. Those who would like to contribute online please visit www.commissariat.ca/supporting-us. Envelopes can be found at the entrance of the Church.



Easter Monday Children's Story

We invite all families to bring their children to talk about the Easter Story with them, join in prayers and receive an Easter Treat. We will gather in the Church on Easter Monday, April 10th at 10:45 AM. All are welcome.

All Saints' First Post-Pandemic Guest Speaker Event

Dr. Moira McQueen **Canadian Catholic Bioethics Institute End-of-Life Matters** Palliative Care, MAiD

Saturday, April 22 and Saturday, April 29, 2023 9:30 am to 11:30 am No Fee, Contributions welcome

Mark your calendar – Seat reservation details forthcoming.



Pre-Registration for Sacraments 2023-2024 opens May 1st to August 30: More information on

our website at: https://allsaintset.archtoronto.org/en/parish-

life/sacramental-preparation/ "Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the

glory of God?" Do you believe that your plan is God's plan? If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

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