All Saints' Parish

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PARISH CLERGY: Rev. Fr. Andrzej Glaba – Pastor Rev. Paul Bégin – In Residence

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
Accountant: Lisa Maccarone	Ext. 9
Youth Minister: Anna Betro	Ext. 7

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: :7:00 p.m. (except July & August). Please check the bulletin or contact the office.

Pastoral References: Please make sure you have been registered for at least 6 months. Check our website under Parish Life before requesting a Pastoral Reference letter or contact the Office.

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 pm. Except in July & August (Please Check the bulletin)

Rosary Apostolate: Sunday 7:30a.m (Italian) 9:00a.m (English) Maria McEvenue - maria_mcevenue@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: Monday 7:00 p.m. & Wednesday 7:15 p.m. Dolores Miccio - dolo.miccio@gmail.com

Italian Prayer Group: Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Vanna Pintus - 416-236-0094 Teresa Meffe - 647-985-7003



SCHOOLS:

- All Saints': 1435 Royal York Rd 416-393-5290
- Father Serra: 111 Sun Row Drive 416-393-5391
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MINISTRIES:

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Parish Council:

Verginia Aiello - verginia.aiello6024@gmail.com **St. Vincent De Paul:** Neighbours in need within our catchment area, please leave your name, address & phone number at 416-244-3066 Ext. 6. **Ushers:** Teresa Meffe - teresa.meffe@gmail.com **Youth Ministry:** Anna Betro - mbetro@archtoronto.org **Virtual Recommendations & Guest Speaker Series:** allsts.guestspeaker@gmail.com

Please subscribe to receive the bulletin directly from our website, by clicking and following the instructions to sign-up: https://allsaintset.archtoronto.org/en/contact-us/sign-up/

PARISH REGISTRATION

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

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

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tree shows the care it has had. (Sirach 27:6)

A tree is meant to bear fruit. But as Sirach reminds us, the quantity and quality of the fruit are determined by the way the tree has been cared for. What kinds of nutrients have fed its roots? How much light has shone down upon its leaves?

Jesus' words in today's Gospel echo Sirach's observations. Like the Old Testament sage, Jesus tells his disciples that "every tree is known by its own fruit" (Luke 6:44). But he also says, "A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good" (6:45). That means what you put into the "storehouse" of your heart and mind—what you take in to nourish yourself—eventually flows out from you, for better or worse.

You might ask yourself, *How can I fill the storehouse of my heart with good? How can I nourish and cultivate myself so that I can bear the good fruit I was created to bear?*

There are some obvious answers to these questions. Regular prayer can help you set down deep roots in the Lord. Committing Scripture to memory can create an environment of grace and faith that will help you produce good fruit.

But there is another not-so-obvious answer: your relationships with other brothers and sisters in Christ. People who share your faith can be a great help in nourishing your heart. Sisters and brothers with whom you can pray can lift you up. People whom you can join in serving the less fortunate can help you bear the fruit of compassion. Friends who speak words of blessing and encouragement can help you steer clear of gossip, resentment, or bitterness.

Above all, never forget God's grace. It's God himself who created you to bear good fruit. He wants to fill you and enable your words to reveal his goodness and love, and he wants to use your friends to help you!

"Lord, help me bear good fruit!" (Excerpt from The **WORD** Among Us)



Pancake / Sausage Dinner March 4 @ 6pm

On Tuesday March @ 6pm, the parish youth would like to invite all families to a Shrove Tuesday Pancake

Dinner. <u>Tickets will be sold after all Masses this March</u> <u>1/2</u>. Ticket price is \$10 for adults and \$5 for seniors & children 10 & under. Proceeds will go to help those in need in our parish & school communities. Come and join us for an evening of fellowship with the youth of the parish. <u>Note: No tickets will be sold at the door.</u>

MASS INTENTIONS March 3rd to March 8th

Mon., March 3rd, St. Katharine Drexel

Emilia Scalera Giuseppe Tucci Pierina Arturi Giovanni Carinci

Tues., March 4th, St. Casimir

Siena Margani Gianluca Primucci Fernando & Maria Pina Carinci

Wed., March 5th, St. John Joseph of the Cross,

<u>St. Kieran - Ash Wednesday</u>

8:15 amEnglish Mass7:00 pmEvening Mass (English/Italian)

Thur., March 6th, St. Colette

Vito Sasso Weldon Baker, Carmi Ali Salih & Julkifley Salih Filomena Carbone

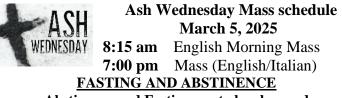
Fri., March 7th, St. Perpetua & St. Felicity

Carmela Brusatin Viliam Zitny Michael Juby

Eucharistic Adoration 3-5pm followed by 5pm Mass

Fri., March 7th – 7:00 pm: STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Sat., March 8th, St. John of God Frank & Tina Piacente Donato Campitelli Agostina Battaglia



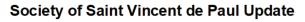
Abstinence and Fasting are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday

<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– *it remains to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday*.

Abstinence refrains from consumption of meat. This law pertains to everyone over fourteen years of age.

Fasting 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.*

Click to see Lent, Holy Week & Easter Schedule





SSVP's Bundle-Up Weekend at All Saints' Parish

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be parking a 20' long Walk-In bin in our parking lot on **Saturday, March 22 and Sunday, March 23, 2025**. We are invited to fill it with: Gently Used Bedding, Drapery, Textiles, Clothing, Coats, Boots, Shoes, Towels and New toys only. Start packing!! Items <u>we do not accept</u>: Appliances, dishes, books, all baby furnishing and items, large furniture items and beds, used toys, construction material, video or cassettes.

All Saints' Virtual Recommendations for March 2025 Perspectives on Current Events that Impact our Church Brought to you by allsts.guestspeaker@gmail.com <u>Access current and past recommendations here:</u> <u>https://allsaintset.archtoronto.org/en/ourministries/outreach/virtual-recommendations/</u>



<u>Choosing Hope in 2025</u> **NEW** Half Hour Program on <u>Radiomaria.ca</u> Thursday at 9 pm or Saturday at 2 pm Kindly click <u>On Air Live / English Canada</u>

Please join parishioners Mariangela and Nick: Part 1 – Hope: A Theological Virtue and its importance in our lives. We discuss how we can be renewed in Hope and get closer to Jesus. Part 2 – Lectio Divina: Read Reflet Respond Rest on the Word of God using a Bible passage of Hope so as to deepen our Catholic faith.



Join us! Chess Fun Time at All Saints Church (Hall) Drop-in & Board Games OPEN TO CHILDREN 6-18 Beginner to Experts <u>Tuesdays</u>: March 25, April 1, 8 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm <u>Saturdays</u>: March 22, 29, April 12 from 3:00pm to 4:30pm. Contact Carmela <u>carmelacieri@gmail.com</u> *Volunteers Welcome*

"In the Lord your labour is not in vain". Is the Lord calling you to work in His vineyard? Pray to hear God's call. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. <u>vocations@archtoronto.org</u> or visit <u>www.vocationstoronto.ca</u>



LITTLE SAINTS - for students in Grades 2 - 4 Meets every 3^{rd} Friday of the month @ 6:45 - 8 PM in the parish hall. Next session March 21.

EDGE – Raising Saints - for students in Grades 5 - 8 Meets every $2^{nd} \& 4^{th}$ Friday of the month @ 7 – 8:30 pm. Next session March 14.

THE SAINTS – *Pizza Nights* - for students in Grades 9-12 Meets every 1st Friday of the month @ 7 – 8:30 pm. Next session March 7. *Please confirm attendance at* <u>1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com</u>

> Living Stations of the Cross Actors & Readers Needed Fri. April 11

The Living Stations of the Cross experience will be presented on Friday, April 11, 2025 at 7PM. Volunteer "silent" actors/actresses and readers are needed (ages 10 and up). Volunteer hours available. There will be 2 Rehearsals: **Sunday, March 23 and March 30 from 5:30** – **7:00 pm**. No experience necessary as the stations are portrayed in still-life with no spoken lines to memorize. All are welcome and families, siblings, couples and friends are encouraged to participate together. Consider offering your time in this prayerful presentation for Holy Week. Please contact Anna at <u>mbetro@archtoronto.org</u> by <u>March 1st</u> if you can be part of the Living Stations of the Cross.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE:

Parish pilgrimage to Portugal, Spain & France visiting Fatima & Lourdes departing Oct 14, 2025 is almost sold out! If you are thinking of joining this group, please do so as soon as possible. We have 6 seats left out of a group of 45. Call Henry at International Heritage Tours 647-272-2811 to reserve your spot. A \$300 deposit required.



Stations of the Cross:

We will be praying the Stations of the Cross at 7 p.m. on Fridays from March 7 until April 11. All are welcome!



PARISH COUNCIL MEETING Our next Parish Council meeting will be held this Monday, March 3 at 7pm in the Music Room. All are welcome to attend.



Pre-Registration for Sacraments 2025-2026 (Baptism children ages 4 to 7,

First Communion & Confirmation) opens May 1st to Aug. 30. <u>https://allsaintset.archtoronto.org/en/parishlife/sacramental-preparation/</u>



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME:

Daylight Saving Time starts next Sunday, March 9th. Please set your watches and clocks ONE HOUR AHEAD!

