

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: 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



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SCHOOLS:

- All Saints': 1435 Royal York Rd 416-393-5290
- Father Serra: 111 Sun Row Drive 416-393-5391
- St. Eugene: 30 Westroyal Road 416-393-5337

MINISTRIES:

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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:
<http://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.

Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation for the Diocese of Toronto, in Canada for the benefit of All Saints' Parish



First Sunday of Advent, November 30th, 2025

*The Son of Man
will come.
(Matthew 24:44)*

Welcome to Advent! It's a season filled with anticipation as we prepare to celebrate Jesus' birth at Christmas. It's also a season of waiting and hoping for his return at the end of time. That makes Advent a time both of certainty and uncertainty. It's a time of certainty because we know for sure that Jesus came into our world over two thousand years ago. But it's a time of uncertainty because we don't know when he will return. As Jesus himself told us, "You do not know on which day your Lord will come" (Matthew 24:42).

But even in the midst of this uncertainty, there is one definitive fact that we can rely on right here and right now: we may not know when Jesus will come again, but we do know that "the Son of Man will come" (Matthew 24:44). He can come into our hearts each and every day. He can come and show us his love and care for us. He can heal us. He can give us new insights as we prayerfully read his word. He can bring peace amid our anxiety. And he can fan into flame our hearts' longing for him.

And so every year at this time, Jesus urges us to "stay awake" (Matthew 24:42). Because even as we are waiting, he will still be present to us—and he doesn't want us to miss him!

What can you expect as you look for Jesus' coming each day? He might come to you in the whisper of an urge to pray as you run errands. He might come in an anxious child who draws you out of yourself to care for them. He might come during a candlelit liturgy as he gives you the comfort and conviction that he will take care of you.

So this Advent, of course prepare to celebrate Jesus' birth at Christmas. And of course be ready for his final coming, whenever that will be. But also be on the lookout for the ways that Jesus will come into your life every day this Advent. Because the Son of Man will indeed come!

"Jesus, I want to be ready for you!"
(Excerpt from The **WORD** Among Us)



SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

On **Monday, December 8th**, the Church will celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. **Morning Mass:** Rosary at 7:30am followed by Mass at 8:15 am. **Evening Mass:** Rosary 6:30pm followed by Mass at 7:00 pm. Join us after the evening Mass for the lighting of the outdoor Nativity and the singing of carols. A time of fellowship enjoying chestnuts and panettone will follow in the parish hall.

MASS INTENTIONS

December 1st to December 6th

Mon., December 1st, St. Edmund Campion
St. Charles de Foucauld

Giuseppe Albanese
Infant of Prague
Elena Populin

Tues., December 2nd, St. Viviana

Dolores & Antonio Ramirez
Antonio & Maria Meffe & Perrino & Meffe Families
In Thanksgiving

Wed., December 3rd, St. Francis Xavier

Pierina Arturi
Lina, Silvana & Antonietta Arturi
Rosanna & Joe Mossa

Thur., December 4th, St. Barbara, St. John

Damascene

Emilia Scalera
Virgilio Family
Ernesto Fuda

Fri., December 5th, St. Sabbas, St. Gerald

Siena Margani
Gianluca Primucci
Michael Juby

Eucharistic Adoration 3-5pm followed by 5pm Mass

Sat., December 6th, St. Nicholas

Saverio Betto
Antonina Corsetti
In Thanksgiving: Our Lady of Pompeii Group



COFFEE SUNDAY

Our next coffee Sunday will be held on Sunday December 7th. Please join us after the 9:30am Mass in the Parish Hall.



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANETTONI & TORRONI

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Panettoni and Torroni in the parish hall after all Masses on the weekends of November 29/30, December 6/7 and December 13/14. Please come and support this annual sale! Christmas Cards \$10.00 available



Bethlehem Olive Wood Art

On the weekend of December 6/7, our friends from Bethlehem will be back to sell their traditional arts and crafts in olive wood. They will be in the parish hall before and after all Masses. Please pass by the hall and support our Christian brothers and sisters in the Holy Land.



2026 DONATION ENVELOPES

The new donation envelopes for 2026 will be available in the Parish Hall on the weekends of **Nov. 29 & 30** and **December 6 & 7**. please have your envelope number ready to locate them easily.



Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace

Thur. at 9 pm / Sat. at 2 pm

Internet program on radiomaria.ca
Click On Air Live / English Canada

Join parishioners
Mariangela and Nick

Part 1 – We will discuss the ways Jesus brings Peace to the world in the season of Advent, preparing for Christmas.

Part 2 – Lectio Divina: Read, Reflect, Respond, Rest on the Word of God. Isaiah 9:1-6. “Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”



RAISING SAINTS Youth Group for students in Grades 5 – 8 meets on Friday, November 28 and December 12 at 7PM in the Parish Hall. Come join us.

Little Saints Youth Group for students in Grades 2 – 4 meets will meet on Friday, December 19 at 6:45 pm in the Parish Hall. Come join us.

Students in Grades 9 -12 are invited to the SAINTS Youth Group on **Friday, December 5, 7PM** in the parish hall. No registration required. Please RSVP to 1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com for the food order. Come join us.



Faith Formation

Sessions are held in the parish hall. Sessions offered on two dates to accommodate schedules:
Topic: The Holy Spirit in Sacred Scripture. **Presenter:** Fr. Sunil D’Costa. **Dates:** Thursday, December 4 from 7-8 pm or Sunday, December 7 from 4-5 pm.

Topic: Prayer- Reconciliation – An Encounter with God’s Love and Mercy. **Presenter:** Fr. Martin Ngo. **Dates:** Thursday, January 15 from 7-8 pm or Sunday, January 18 from 4 – 5 pm.



All youth in Grades 2-12 are invited to participate in the Christmas Pageant at the Dec. 24th Mass at the 5 pm. If interested, please contact Ms. Anna at mbetro@archtoronto.org as soon as possible. There will be one rehearsal on December 20 from 3-4:30 pm.

Bible Study

Do you want to go more deeply into the scriptures and to connect meaningfully with some of your fellow Catholics? We meet every Tuesday evening on Zoom, with occasional in-person get togethers. We follow Catholic bible study courses with a video component, a personal study book and we always have time to discuss with each other what we have heard. If you feel this might be for you, contact Lucy Furbacher - email lucyfurb@hotmail.com or tel. 416 819 2508, or Teresa Meffe - teresa.meffe@gmail.com for more details. The next session will start on January 13.

St. Eugene Catholic School, Annual Christmas Market Sat., December 6 from 10am - 4pm

30 Westroyal Road, Etobicoke ON M9P2C3. Come and join us for a fun filled day of Christmas activities: Games, Delicious Treats, Holiday Goodies, Special Guests and more. Please pick up a flyer from the Church entrance for info.

“They shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks.” If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email vocations@archtoronto.org or www.vocationstoronto.ca

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Update



Huge thanks to our **All Saints’** parishioners and ministries!!

Our Knights of Columbus donated 13 new winter jackets and \$400 worth of school supplies for our Neighbours in Need.

Our Italian Prayer Group, aka Cenacolo della Divina Misericordia, which meets on Thursday’s, has donated \$300 to SSVP.

Our parishioners generously donated non-perishable food for our Thanksgiving Food Deliveries.

Furthermore, our Parish Council members have been extremely supportive facilitators in preparing for the Christmas Grocery Gift Card drive and in procuring food collections from our schools and from Toronto Police.

We are so appreciative of this valuable in-house collaboration on behalf of our **All Saints’** community. What a team!

Our local recipients have expressed heartfelt gratitude.



ALL SAINTS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CARD DRIVE RETURNS!

Following last year's very generous response to our Christmas gift card drive, the tree and gift card suggestions will be in the foyer starting this weekend. Drop your gift cards into our collection baskets at any weekend Mass or deliver to the parish office during office hours. The gift cards that we are requesting are any of the following stores-Loblaws (No Frills, PC, Superstore), Metro (Food Basics), Walmart, and Dollarama. These gift cards will be used to support many of our outreach projects! Thank you in advance for your continued support and generosity!

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