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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday at 12.05 pm
Saturday at 9 am & 5 pm (Vigil)
Sunday at 9 am & 11 am

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday at 11.30 am
Saturday at 4.30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10 am to 4 pm
Susan Lee, Parish Secretary

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

**(Baptism, First Communion,
Confirmation, RCIA)**

Alice Warford, Sacramental Coordinator
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

GK Jude Aloysius 416.569.5833

LEGION OF MARY

Letty Denovan 416.755.9569

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Alice Warford

OUR LADY OF GOOD HEALTH

Rev Fr Charles Collins, Pastor 416.264.6544
Sunday Masses at 12.30 & 4.30 pm (in Tamil)



Monday November 12

12:05 pm † Lorenzo De Filippis
requested by his parents, Magherita & Dominic

Tuesday November 13

12:05 pm † Giovanni & Rosina Turco
requested by Maria Turco

Wednesday November 14

12:05 pm † Lorenza Erlinda Torres
requested by Tess Fernandez & Family

Thursday November 15

12:05 pm † Adelia Agra in remembrance of her birthday
requested by Amy Costales

Friday November 16

12:05 pm † Luigi Turco & Rita Maione
requested by Maria Turco

Saturday November 17

9:00 am † Joseph Rawson
requested by David & Nuala Bourke

5 pm † Mario Perri
requested by his wife, Teresa & children

Sunday November 18

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9 am † Napoleon 'Larry' Villaroman on the
1st anniversary of his death
requested by Ramon & Nimfa Santos

11 am † Deceased Legionaries
*requested by The Queen of the Most Holy Rosary
Praesidium – IHM Legion of Mary*



God's mercy and generosity are unsurpassed. All throughout Scripture, God cares for those who suffer and are vulnerable: physically, emotionally and spiritually. The greatest sign of

God's care is in the gift of his Son, Jesus, who removed the power of sin through the sacrifice of his own life. The Church now stands as the body of Christ, caring for others and showing them God's mercy, which is unsurpassed.

music at the 11 am Mass

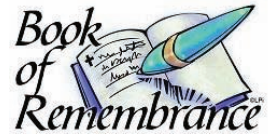
Prelude: Excerpt from Choral in E major by César Franck
Opening: #753 Praise and Thanksgiving
Offertory: #751 We Give You Thanks
Communion: #1040 Many and Great
Closing: #734 For the Beauty of the Earth
Postlude: Excerpt from Organ Sonata No.2 by Paul Hindemith

REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

During the entire month of November, a book of remembrance will be on display at the front of the Church sanctuary. All are invited to record the names of the deceased you wish to remember.

A Mass will be offered for the repose of their souls on **Friday, November 30th at 7:30 pm.**

Special 'All Souls Day Remembrance' offering envelopes are available for your convenience and can be deposited in the candle offering box located in the sacristy of the church.



Sacramental Preparation



Registration for Confirmation and First Communion is now open. Registration forms are available at the back of the Church. All completed forms can be placed in the collection basket or dropped off at the Parish Office. **Classes will begin in January and all completed forms must be received no later than January 9th, 2019.**

SHEPHERDS' TRUST

As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds' Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

For many of our retired shepherds, this means "lending a hand" to accommodate their special needs so that they continue to live with dignity. **The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 17/18. Envelopes will be distributed the weekend of November 10/11.**

This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it is a tangible way to care for those who always cared for us and give thanks for the blessings we have received through them. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



WAYS TO PRAY

FOR THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY

1. Pray the Novena to the Holy Souls.
2. Offer up your Holy Communion for the souls in purgatory.
3. Have Masses said for your departed loved ones, especially on the anniversary of his or her death.
4. Pray The Way of the Cross for the Souls in Purgatory.
5. Pray the special Holy Souls Rosary. After the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, the Holy Rosary is the most powerful prayer.
6. Obtain indulgences. This reduces or cancels the temporal punishment that we incur through sin and apply their merits to the dead.
7. Give alms. This have always been considered a penance that can be offered for the Holy Souls.
8. Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet for the intention of the Holy Souls.
9. Pray the prayer of St. Gertrude for the Holy Souls. It is a pray attributed to her and was the prayer by which she obtained the release of many souls from purgatory.
10. When passing by a cemetery, pray the short *Eternal Rest* prayer. It carries a partial indulgence applicable to the poor souls.
'Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let the perpetual light shine upon them. Ana may the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.'
11. Practice the tradition of praying the *Eternal Rest* prayer before and after your meals to remember to pray for the Holy Souls every day.
12. Visit the cemetery and pray over the graves of your departed loved ones or for those who may have no one to pray for them.
13. Eucharistic Adoration: Visit the Blessed Sacrament to make acts of reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus on behalf of those in purgatory.
14. Sacrifices: Practice small acts of self-denial throughout your day and offer these penances up for the poor souls.
15. Pray the Office of the Dead.
16. Ask for the intercession of saints for the souls in purgatory.
17. Special prayers: Throughout our day, offer up short and spontaneous prayers for the Holy Souls.
18. Repent of your offenses against God and go to confession. Confessing your own sins makes your prayers for souls of others more effective.
19. Spread devotion to the Holy Souls. Make others aware of the great need these suffering souls have for our prayers.

Come on out and support our Parish Bazaar on **Saturday,**



December 1st from 9 am to 2 pm. There will be sweets, jams at our baked table, gently used items, and some new ones too. After browsing, stop and and enjoy some homemade soup

and a sandwich. You can also check out our silent auction and our pick-a-prize table. We will be accepting donations such as baked goods and new or gently used items. Drop off time is Friday night from 6 pm to 8 pm.

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**F**or those who missed the chance to hear the Parish Choir sing at our last benefit concert, here is your second chance. **On Friday, December 14<sup>th</sup>,** we will be having a Christmas Benefit Concert. All proceeds going directly to help in repairing the stained glass windows. I think you will agree the ones already repaired look amazing! Don't miss the chance to attend what promises to be an enchanting evening. Tickets will once again be \$20.00 a person. Hope to see many of you there!



**SCARRED BY SCANDAL**

**- PUTTING THINGS INTO PERSPECTIVE -**

*Wednesday, November 21 – 1:00 to 1:45 p.m. or 6 to 6:45 p.m.  
St. Patrick's Church 131 McCaul St., Toronto*

Seeing how the recent events in the Church have affected our faith, shaken our foundations, but calls us forward without simply walking away. The first talk will follow the noon Novena Mass (1– 1:45 p.m.) and will be repeated following the 5:05 p.m. Novena Mass (6– 6:45 p.m.). Reflective Wednesdays is a series of talks offered monthly in conjunction with the Novena Devotions at the Shrine of Our Mother of Perpetual Help. Fr. Santo Arrigo CSSR will be our presenter. Pre-registration is not required. Visit our parish website: [www.stpatrickstoronto.ca](http://www.stpatrickstoronto.ca).

**Stained Glass Preservation**

**W**ork has begun on repairing the stained-glass windows of the church. This stage of the project, which includes the panels that are in most urgent need of repair, has just about been completed. We hope to proceed further next spring, but this is a pay-as-you-go project, and we are only able to restore the windows as donations for this purpose are received. Please consider whether you can contribute in some way to preserving our parish heritage. Special donation envelopes can be found at the entrances of the church.



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