

Holy Eucharist

Daily Mass	
Monday-Thursday	8:00 a.m.
Friday (Adoration)	6:00 p.m.
(Holy Eucharist)	7:00 p.m.
Saturday Vigil	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:30 a.m.
	6:00 p.m.
Native Peoples' Mass	12:30 p.m.
Bridgepoint Hospital	2:30 p.m.

The Parish Community of St. Ann

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CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY

UNITY IN DIVERSITY: "Moved by the Good News of Jesus Christ... We value our diversity" (Mission Statement)

Celebration of Sacraments

Baptism: preparation required (please contact office)

Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:15-4:45 p.m. or by appointment

Matrimony: (couple contacts office one year in advance)

Pastoral Staff

Pastor Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC
In Residence

Fr. Francis Noronha, CSC

Secretary Aymara Toro

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Pastoral Assistant

Deacon Roshan Kiro, SJ

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Development & Peace

Catherine Barry

Food Bank

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

Music Ronald Vengie Fabre

Custodian Ed Keenan

Caretaker Rosalie Tolentino

Cook Cristina Acosta

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday – Tuesday:

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday & Thursday:

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday: Closed



"The Family That Prays Together Stays Together" - Fr. Patrick Peyton, CSC

Saturdays

9:30 - 11:30 a.m.: **Food Bank**

4:15 p.m.: **Novena to St. Bro. Andre**

4:30 p.m.: **Novena to St. Ann**

6:00 p.m.: 1st Saturdays - **Healing Service**

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.: **Holy Family Prayer Group**

Sundays

9 - 10:00 a.m.: **Tai Chi Group**

10:00 a.m.: **Divine Mercy & Rosary**

10:30 a.m. Mass: **Children's Liturgy**

11:30 a.m.: 1st Sunday **Coffee Sunday**

Tuesdays:

1:00 p.m.: **Seniors' Group**

Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council

Finance Council

Liturgy/Faith Formation

Altar Servers

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Collection Counters

Hospitality committee

Development and Peace

Refugee Resettlement Group

Holy Family Prayer Group

Holy Cross Youth Group

Handmaids of the Lord

Couples Ministry

Music Ministry

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE: NOVEMBER 26, 2017
CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF MINISTRY**

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe



Pastoral Reflections by Rev. Wilson Andrade

The feast of Christ the Eternal King is celebrated every year on the last Sunday in Ordinary time. It brings to a close the Ordinary time of the liturgical year and it begins the preparation for Advent and coming of the redeemer at Christmas. As we prepare to welcome Christ our eternal King, we are invited to recognize the nature and mission of our King.

The scriptural readings give us the image of the Redeemer King as a Good Shepherd: *'who will seek out the lost, bring back the strayed, bind up the injured, heal the sick and protect the weak.'* (Ez. 34: 15 – 17). This Shepherd King will *'lead us in green pastures, giving us rest and refreshing our soul'* (Psalm 23). This Shepherd King has protected us from our enemy *"the last enemy to be destroyed is death."* (1 Cor. 15: 26). Lastly, this Shepherd King will judge us with mercy and

love, one who identifies not with the rich and powerful but *'one who is with the hungry, the thirsty, the naked, the stranger, the sick, and the prisoner.'* (Mt. 25: 34 – 38).

Jesus Christ is our Lord and King. As followers of Jesus Christ Our King we are called to carry forward the mission of Jesus by loving God and our neighbour. Let our Shepherd King lead us on the journey of love to enter into the kingdom of God with these welcoming words:

"Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world." (Mt. 25: 33).

Sunday Collection Information

In the coming year, we encourage you to consider the Pre Authorized Giving (PAG) program for your Sunday Collection and donations. According to the Archdiocese of Toronto, this is one of the best practices in the parish administration. We are also aware that many parishioners would like to continue using the Sunday Collection Envelopes. For this purpose, we are handing out a package for parishioners to choose their preference. Please go through the information and select either PAG or fill out the form for Sunday Collection Envelopes. Please return the form with your preference **by December 10, 2017**. Thank you for your continuous support towards our parish.

November: We pray for the faithful departed



During this Year of the Family, we dedicate the month of November to those who have died in our families, friends and community. We encourage you to light a candle in their name and to include them in our Book of Remembrance.

HOLD Sunday Breakfast – December 26

Join us **today Sunday, November 26**, for the Handmaids of The Lord (HOLD) last Sunday Breakfast of the year. All are welcome to come down to the hall, after the 10:30 a.m. mass, and enjoy breakfast and fellowship.



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Mass Intentions

(November 24 – November 30, 2017)

Friday, November 24: *St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions*

7:00 p.m.: +Derdit Fernandes Req. Maria Fernandes
+Cecilia Andrade Req. Rev. Wilson Andrade
Intentions of Franco Dourado Req. Agnelo Dourado

Saturday, November 25: *St. Catherine of Alexandria*

5:00 p.m.: +Msg. Felix Otterson
Req. Anne Otterson and Claire Richard
+ K.C. Antony Req. Kannampuzha Family

Sunday, November 26:

6:00 p.m.: + Deniz Fernandes
Req. Maria Fernandes and Michael Rodrigues
Intentions of Mary Grace Santos Req. Zenny Santos

Monday, November 27:

8:00 a.m.: + Anthony and Luiza Rodrigues
Req. Maria Fernandes and Michael Rodrigues
+ Remejo Millare Req. Virgine Sison

Tuesday, November 28:

8:00 a.m.: + Peter Rodrigues
Req. Maria Fernandes and Michael Rodrigues
+Tommy Tung Nguyen Req. Jessica & Hung
Thanksgiving for Fr. Wilson Andrade

Wednesday, November 29:

8:00 a.m.: +Mercy and Lucy Rodrigues
+ Fr. Bill Boland
Req. Maria Fernandes and Michael Rodrigues

Thursday, November 30: *St. Andrew*

8:00 a.m.: + Fr. Harry Stocks Req. Maria Fernandes
+ Souls of the Chapman Family Req. Yvonne Hart

Bridgepoint Hospital Volunteers Needed

Bridgepoint Active Healthcare Hospital is currently requesting volunteers to porter patients on Sundays to and from the 2:30 p.m. Mass. Shifts usually go from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. For more information, please contact Bridgepoint Volunteer Resources department at 416-461-8252, Ext. 2076



2018 Calendars and Sunday Missals



You can now purchase your 2018 Calendar and Missal. Donations will be accepted for the 2018 Calendar, whereas Sunday Missals are available at \$5 each.

St. Ann's Parish invites you to celebrate with us this Christmas season with a Christmas Gala Evening on **Saturday, December 9**. The formal reception will be held in the Hall starting at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$30.00 with proceeds going towards the New Heating System.

Major Fundraiser Activity

After the consultation with the Finance Council, we will begin our Major Fundraiser Activity and will be distributing Donation envelopes to the members of the parish. There is a letter of Request for Donation and pledge card. Please do take one. You are welcome to give it to those whom you think could be potential donors to support our Fund Raising Activities.

Year of Ministry

With the Approval of the Pastoral and Financial council, in the coming year we will celebrate the *Year of Ministry*. We have 30 different ministries at St. Ann and Native Peoples' Mission. We will celebrate each ministry, encouraging everyone to actively participate in ministries of the Church. We will focus on the Three Cardinal Virtues of Faith, Hope and Charity and invite more people to reflect on their gifts.

Children's Christmas pageant

Rehearsals for the children's Christmas pageant **continue today Sunday after the morning mass**. If you have any questions, or would like to sign up, feel free to contact Melody or Nancy McMullan or email melody.mcmullan@ryerson.ca



Development & Peace: May Peace Be With Her

Did you know that only 2% of international funding dedicated to peace and security is allocated to equality between women and men or the empowerment of women? "For me, peace is being able to touch the hearts of people around us. It is the ability to explain what is within us so that others understand. It is being able to influence others in a positive way."

(Rabia Kadiry, House of Peace, Lebanon)





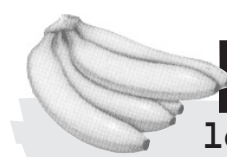
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