

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

Served by the Holy Cross Fathers

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CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF MINISTRY

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

Finance Anne Francis

Pastoral Assistant Maria Fernandes

Baptism Fe Santos

RCIA Rolly Cabas

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



"Many Ministries for one mission of Jesus Christ" (Cf. 1 Cor. 12)

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**
- 9:15 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

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: NOVEMBER 11, 2018
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Mass Intentions

(November 9 – November 16, 2018)

Friday, November 9: 7:00 p.m.

+ **Joseph Fernandes** *Req. Maria Fernandes*

Saturday, November 10: 5:00 p.m.

+ **Helaria Palacio & Saturnina Ofredo**

+ **Pablo & Tertuliano Ablen** *Req. Imelda Ablen*

+ **Corazon, Eulalio & Roberto Gumapac**

+ **Lydia Holgado** *Req. Leth Gumapac*

Sunday, November 11: 6:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving for Tess Alutaya *Req. Tess Alutaya*

Thanksgiving for Florie Salvatierra *Req. Florie S.*

Thanksgiving for Carmelita Millare *Req. Virgie Sison*

+ **Christine Fernandes** *Req. Maria Fernandes*

Monday, November 12: 8:00 a.m.

+ **Anthony Fernandes** *Req. Maria Fernandes*

Tuesday, November 13: 8:00 a.m.

+ **Mr. & Mrs. Francis & Piedad Fernandes**

Req. Maria Fernandes

Wednesday, November 14: 8:00 a.m.

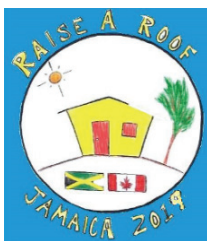
+ **Thomas Rodrigues** *Req. Maria Fernandes*

Development & Peace: Share Her Journey

“Aysha is a Syrian refugee in Lebanon since 2012. She lives in a makeshift camp with her four children and is waiting for news from her husband, who left for Germany in the hope of bringing the family there. “What I miss the most about Syria is my house, my homeland, my mother and my father. I haven’t seen them in five years. Before I felt secure, in my house, in my country. Now, my life is temporary; my tent could burn down. Two years ago, the tent we were in went up in flames.” Please read the bulletin insert today to learn about 3 women’s stories who were forced to flee their homes.”

Raise a Roof Jamaica – 2019

Next March 2019, a group of 14 local teens, joined by Fr. Wilson and 5 other adult project leaders, will be headed to Kingston, Jamaica to build houses for families in need. To fund this project, we are challenged with raising funds to cover the travel and material cost.



Please consider donating towards this cause. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Any teens (15-18 years) interested in participating in the project can contact Jenni Piette at 647-531-2471

Year of Ministry – November 2018

During the month of November we support and pray for all the liturgical Ministers especially those who are involved Music Ministry and all who help us to make our Liturgy beautiful and meaningful. We pray, support and thank you for your time, talents and effective ministry at St. Ann parish and Native Peoples’ Mission. May God continue to bless and guide you.

Celebrations for the Year of Ministry

We invite all the members of the Parish of St. Ann and Native Peoples’ Mission for the celebration and Thanksgiving dinner on **November 24**, Saturday. The program will begin at 6:30 pm in the hall, with the review of the Year of Ministry and shorts videos for reflections. The liturgical year of 2018 – 2019, we will celebrate on the Theme: **Care for Creation**. We invite everyone to join us in the celebrations.

Book of Remembrance

You can now write the name of departed family members and friends in our book of remembrance. We will remember and pray for them throughout the month of November.



Remembering Loved Ones

During the Month of November, we will remember and pray for all the people who have died in our family, our community and the world. As a concrete gesture of this memorial, we invite you to light a candle before the altar and pray for them. Please consider buying a Vigil Candle (**Cost: \$5.00**) and write the name of the person to remember in prayer.



Children’s Christmas Pageant

Rehearsals for the children’s Christmas Pageant will start the first week in December. Sign up for the pageant will begin Sunday, Nov 18/18 after the 10:30am mass and continue for two weeks. If you have any questions or would like to sign up please feel free to contact Melody or Nancy McMullan or send an email to melody.mcmullan@ryerson.ca



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Vocation: A Calling from God

God calls each of us to a particular vocation in life. The Catholic Church defines both particular vocations as three states of life: single, married, religious, and also a general vocation of all baptized believers. A person can have many different callings in life. For instance a person can have a calling to marriage, to fatherhood, and to a certain occupation. In the Catholic worldview everything we do should be ordered toward discerning and responding to the will of God, the ultimate good in an imperfect world. Ordering our lives toward God's desire is the way in which we get to heaven.

A vocation of marriage is God's call for us to make a union with a person of the opposite sex to help each other grow in holiness and love for God and to be able to share in God's creative work (bear children) if physically able. By becoming mothers and fathers God entrusts us to raise children by modeling the love of God for us to our children.

Vocations to the single life are a blessing from God. They allow someone to have more time to spend working on God's plan. In marriage, spouses need to spend time on pleasing each other sometimes taking away time that might be spent on pleasing God. Single people need only worry about pleasing God. Religious life, a call to ordained priesthood or a religious community, is a calling to serve God and his people in a unique way through prayer and service.

In any of these states of life God calls us to build up society in a manner that reflects the love of God. This is our general vocation as Christians. Even through work God wants us to build his kingdom. God calls us to meaningful work that brings value to humanity; work that does not exploit people for personal gain. In your occupation, ask yourself each day how your work will bring glory to God and help people rather than take advantage of others for personal profit.

Each vocation requires some sacrifice to die to self in the service of others. Perhaps this is the true meaning of vocation. Through serving others we act as God to others and we become more and more like Christ each day. While we might sin and fall short of what God desires for us, God still calls us to faithfully live our vocations in the hope that we will be with God in heaven some day.

Website: <http://www.aboutcatholics.com/beliefs/vocation-a-calling-from-god/>

Discernment of spirits is the interpretation of what St. Ignatius Loyola called the "motions of the soul." These interior movements consist of thoughts, imaginings, emotions, inclinations, desires, feelings, repulsions, and attractions. Spiritual discernment of spirits involves becoming sensitive to these movements, reflecting on them, and understanding where they come from and where they lead us.

Fundraising for Raise a Roof Jamaica - 2019

To support the 2019 Raise a Roof Jamaica group, we are having a "flea market" sale at St. Ann Parish on **Sunday, November 25, 2018**. There will be gently used clothing and products as well as baked goods and other handmade merchandise for sale. Join us at the parish hall after the 10:30 a.m. mass and come support the RAR-2019 Jamaica Group. Group members will be giving a short presentation and answering questions on this ministry.



St. Ann's Parish invites you to celebrate with us this Christmas season with a Christmas Gala Evening on **Saturday, December 15, 2018**. The formal reception and dinner will be held in the Hall at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$30.00. It is our Annual Fundraising Event.

Pilgrimage to Holy Land

Fr. Wilson will be going on a Pilgrimage along with 48 members to Jordon and Holy Land from November 13 to 23, 2018. In his absence Fr. Roshan Kiro and Fr. Francis will be celebrating the Masses. If there is any pastoral needs, please call the office. Please keep all the pilgrims in your prayers. Thank you and Blessings.

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