#### **Holy Eucharist**

# Daily MassMonday-Thursday8:00 a.m.(Entrance: Parking Lot Side door)

Fridays (Adoration) 6:00 p.m. (Holy Eucharist) 7:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil

5:00 p.m.

**Sunday** 10:30 a.m. and 6: 00 p.m.

Native Peoples' Mass 12:30 p.m.

#### **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

#### Pastoral Staff

Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC			
In Residence			
Fr. Roshan Loy D'Souza, CSC			
Anne Francis			
Pastoral Assistant			
Maria Fernandes			
Fe Santos			
Rolly Cabas			
Development & Peace			
Catherine Barry			
Food Bank			
Carlos & Colette Carreiro			
Ronald Vengie Fabre			
Ed Keenan			
Rosalie Tolentino			

#### **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)

## ST. ANN PARISH

Served by the Holy Cross Fathers

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## CALL TO HOLINESS

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



"Abide in me as I abide in you... and you will bear much fruit and become my disciples... I have loved you, abide in my love. I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full"

John 15: 7-11

#### Saturdays

9:00 - 11:00 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

9:15 a.m.: Divine Mercy & Rosary 10:30 a.m. Mass: Children's Liturgy

1st Sundays 11:30 a.m.: Development and Peace Group Fair Trade - Coffee Sunday

4th Sundays 3:00 p.m.: Rosary Makers Program **Parish Ministries** 

Pastoral Council Finance Council Liturgy/Faith Formation Holy Cross Family Ministry Altar Servers Music Ministry Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers **Collection Counters** Hospitality committee St. Ann Parish Food Bank Development and Peace **Refugee Resettlement Group** Holy Family Prayer Group Holy Cross Youth Group Handmaids of the Lord **Couples Ministry** Grief Ministry

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT: DECEMBER 06, 2020 CELEBRATING THE CALL TO HOLINESS

## St. Ann Church, Toronto

Due to the provincial restrictions effective from Monday, Nov. 23, 2020:

- The Church is open for **private prayer** only
- Only 10 people are allowed in the building at a time
- All public masses are cancelled until further notice.

#### **Online Daily Eucharist**

Weekday Masses will be posted on the website at 7:00 am Please check Websites: <u>https://www.stanntoronto.com/</u> Or <u>https://www.hcfm-canada.com/</u>

**Personal Prayer:** The Church is Open On Sunday to Friday from 9:00 am to 10:00 am

**St. Ann Food Bank** on Saturdays Foodbank Hours: 9:00 am to 10:30 am

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation or Personal conversation

Please call the office and make an appointment to meet Fr. Wilson Andrade at 416 577 2973 or send an email to <u>stannparishtoronto@gmail.com</u>



**Envelopes for 2021** Envelopes for 2021 are now available at the back of the church. If you would like to contribute through PAG, please fill out and submit the respective form. If you have changed your address for 2020, please inform the Parish office. Thank you for your support. The Taxreceipts for 2020 will be issued only for the donations collected before December 31, 2020.

## Mass Intentions (Dec. 05– Dec. 11, 2020) Private Mass Saturday, Dec. 05:

Thanksgiving Mass – Fr. Wilson Andrade Sunday Dec. 06: Livestreaming at 10 30 am Parish Intentions

Monday, Dec. 07: Repose of Souls of the departed family members Req. Mavic Galicia <u>Tuesday Dec. 08:</u> Personal Intentions: Req. Fe Santos <u>Wednesday Dec. 09:</u> +Ronaldo Tecson Req. Mr. Cai Chen <u>Thursday, Dec. 10:</u> + Robert William McKee Req. Nancy MacMullan <u>Friday, Dec. 11:</u>

Thanksgiving Mass: Antoinette Muise

#### Call to Holiness: 2020 December - FAMILY

We begin the celebration of the YEAR of CALL to HOLINESS with the words of Pope Francis: "*The Joy of Love experienced by families is also the joy of the Church.*" (Amoris Laetitia 1:1) This month of December, we shall dedicate to all the families and all people of God that we may radiate holiness in our families, Church, Communities and the world. Let this Christmas may be a time for all to share the true holiness, joy and peace of Jesus to all and we may wrapped in the holiness of God's love.

## A Family is God's greatest Masterpiece.



## SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT: DECEMBER 06, 2020 CELEBRATING THE CALL TO HOLINESS

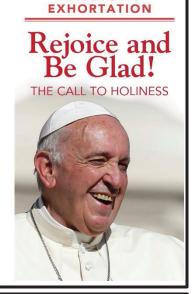
### GAUDETE ET EXSULTATE

This summary of the Apostolic Exhortation <u>Gaudete et Exsultate</u> of the Holy Father Pope Francis on the call to holiness in today's world. (Taken from: <u>https://cvcomment.org/2018/04/09/popes-apostolic-exhortation-on-holiness-a-summary/</u>)

### **CHAPTER 3: IN THE LIGHT OF THE MASTER**

The Beatitudes are Jesus's portrayal of what it means to be holy in our daily lives. Here "happy" and "blessed" become synonymous with "holy". We gain true happiness by faithful practice of the Beatitudes. We can only practice them if the Holy Spirit fills us with his power and frees us from our weakness, selfishness, complacency and pride. Pope Francis describes each of the Beatitudes and their invitation, concluding each section

- "Being poor of heart: that is holiness."
- "Reacting with meekness and humility: that is holiness."
- "Knowing how to mourn with others: that is holiness."
- "Hungering and thirsting for righteousness: that is holiness."
- "Seeing and acting with mercy: that is holiness."
- "Keeping a heart free of all that tarnishes love: that is holiness."
- "Sowing peace all around us: that is holiness."
- "Accepting daily the path of the Gospel, even though it may cause us problems: that is holiness." – Pope Francis



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### 2020 - 2021 - The Year of Call to Holiness

Thank you for everyone who help us in our parish activities throughout this year. As we all struggle to cope with many difficulties in our life, we continue to hope and trust in God's healing presence. As we conclude this liturgical year which we celebrated on the theme: Year of Joy. We would like to dedicate the new Liturgical year of 2020 - 2021 as the **Year of Call to Holiness.** 

Holiness is closely linked to joyfulness and blessedness. During this year of call to Holiness, may be a time for each one of us to listen to God speaking to us in the Scriptures or in the silence of our hearts, to renew our baptismal promises and to actively participate in the Sacraments of the Church and lastly by our Sacred service to others, we can bring God's holiness and proclaim it to the whole world.

With Grateful Hearts: We would like to Thank each and every one of you who make St. Ann parish a place of prayer and celebration of life and faith. We thank all the ministers who help us with your time and talents.

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Finance Council	Food Bank	Handmaids of the Lord
Liturgy/Faith Formation	Development and Peace	<b>Couples Ministry and Girl Guides</b>
Lectors	Collection Counters	Novena Devotions Group
Eucharistic Ministers	Volunteer Screening Group	Grief Ministry and AA group
Music Ministry	Holy Cross Youth and Jesus Youth	Bridgepoint Hospital Ministry
Children's Choir	Hospitality committee	St. Ann Rosary Makers
Children's Liturgy Ministry	Church Décor	Holy Cross Family Ministries
Altar Servers	Refugee Resettlement Group	Pilgrimages and Mission Work

