

ST. ANN PARISH

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Holy Eucharist

Daily Mass

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.
(Use the 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.

Bridgepoint Hospital 2:30 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday – Thursday:

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday:

Closed

Pastoral Staff

Pastor Fr. Wilson Andrade CSC

In Residence

Fr. Roshan D'Souza, CSC

Finance Anne Francis

Secretary Thea Luu

Pastoral Assistants

Maria Fernandes,
Fe Santos, Rolly Cabas

Development & Peace

Catherine Barry

Food Bank

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

Music Ronald Vengie Fabre

Caretaker 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)

YEAR OF PRAYER



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

(St. Ann Parish
Mission
Statement)

"Lord, Teach us to pray" (Matt. 6:9-13)

Saturdays

9:00 - 10:30 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

9:15 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

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3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time: January 23, 2022 CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF PRAYER



Parish Administration

We request all the members attending the liturgies at St. Ann to register so we can effectively communicate with you about the Parish activities. 2022 Parish Registration Forms will be available at the entrance of the church. Please follow all Public Health Guidelines to keep everyone safe.

New Email Address and Website

With the Project Connect of the Archdiocese of Toronto, we have new and updated Parish Email address and Website to help us to connect with you. Please use only these Emails to connect us for the Pastoral needs. Thank you for your support as we implement these new changes.

St. Ann Email: StAnnsTO@archtoronto.org

Website: <https://stannsto.archtoronto.org>

Native Mission Email: NativePeoplesMission@archtoronto.org **Website:** nativepeoplesmission.archtoronto.org



Envelopes for 2022

Envelopes for 2022 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 in 2021, please inform the Parish office. The Tax-receipts for 2021 will be issued only for the donations collected before December 31, 2021.

IMPORTANCE OF THE WORD OF GOD: BIBLE PROJECT

'Word of God' Sunday



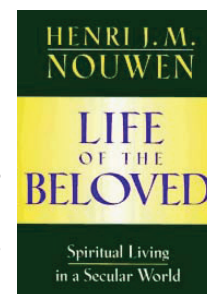
The Holy Cross Family Ministries – Canada would like to invite you for a challenge to **Read the Bible in 120 days**. It takes average 72 hours to read the entire Bible. We have developed a program to read the Bible in 120 Days. You need to dedicate **30 minutes a day** or 4 hours a week. If you complete the Program, we will give you **an official Certificate**.

Spiritual Reflection Book – January 2022

LIFE OF THE BELOVED – Spiritual Living in a Secular World

Author: Henri Nouwen. **Publisher:** The Crossroad Publishing Company, New York. 1992.

This book helps to deepen our understanding of God's love, confirmed by the invitation of Jesus to an authentic and meaningful spiritual living in our secular world. This book has 161 pages, easy to read and to reflect. It can take not more than 4 hours. Toronto Library has online copies to read for free. Make it point to read this book in the month of January and send us your reflections, observations, questions, and questions. Enjoy the Reading.



The Synod on Synodality: Share Your Thoughts

Pope Francis has launched the [Synod on Synodality](#), an ambitious two-year global process of listening to the faithful. "Synod" comes from an ancient Greek word meaning "walking together on the road." There have been many synods in the history of the Church, but these have traditionally been opportunities for bishops to come together to determine the path forward for the Church. With the Synod on Synodality, Pope Francis is asking every Catholic to help discern what the Holy Spirit is telling us at this moment as the Church enters its third millennium. The first phase of the Synod on Synodality will last through the first half of 2022 and will see the world's faithful sharing their thoughts at a diocesan level.



All those diocesan-level responses will be collected and summarized. Then the bishops of Canada will meet to discuss what they heard in their respective dioceses, followed by larger multinational meetings and, ultimately, culminating in a synod of bishops in the Vatican in 2023. Your participation is incredibly important for the success of the Synod on Synodality, kindly join in for the online questionnaire posted at the website: <https://www.archtoronto.org/>

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CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF PRAYER

YEAR OF PRAYER 2021 – 2022: “Lord, teach us to Pray” Matt. 6:9-13

January 2022 – Contemplative Prayer Baptism

Holy Cross Family Ministries – Canada would like to invite and thank you for your contributions towards our work of promoting family prayer and Rosary Makers. Recent research done in USA by the Holy Cross Family Ministries shows that 64% of the families do not have family prayer. We invite you reflect on your prayer life in your homes. Do make an effort to pray as a family and for families. We encourage everyone to have a Bible, a Rosary, and a Family Prayer book in your homes.

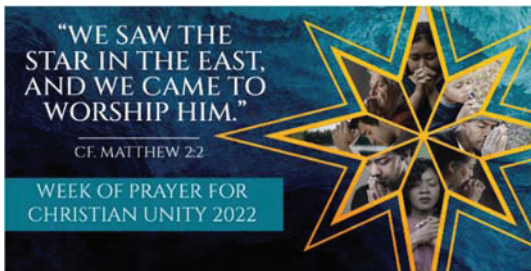
During the Month of January, let us learn about Contemplative Prayer as we reflect on the Sacrament of Baptism. Pope Francis said: “*in Baptism we put our signature to become saints.*” We dedicate all the newly baptised in the church and reflect on our baptismal promises. Let us become the Beloved Children of God.



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Prayer Service 2022

Sunday, January 23, 2022 04:00 PM - Sunday, January 23, 2022 05:00 PM

Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church 920 Progress Ave., Scarborough



Join Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church.

This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches.

All are welcome to attend in person or watch the livestream on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/TorontoArmenianChurch.



The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will be celebrated January 18 to 25, 2022

(<https://bit.ly/3GwMjlc>). Inaugurated in 1908 at the initiative of the Rev. Paul Wattson, an Episcopalian priest from the United States who would later join the Catholic Church, the event is now celebrated all around the world.

This year’s theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, “We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him” (Mt 2:2), was prepared by the Middle East Council of Churches (from Beirut, Lebanon). The theme speaks to the world’s need for solidarity and transformation in facing current political, economic, and social challenges, as well as the injustices highlighted and exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Pontifical Council for Promoting Christian Unity and the Canadian Council of Churches (CCC) have uploaded online resources to aid Christians in participating in this celebration of solidarity:

- CCC Resources: <https://www.weekofprayer.ca/2022-wpcu-resources>
- Pontifical Council for Promoting Christian Unity Resources: <http://www.christianunity.va/content/unitacristiani/en/settimana-di-preghiera-per-l-unita/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity-2022.html>

Pope Francis is calling on all Catholics to participate in this celebration: “We Christians, in the diversity of our confessions and traditions, are also pilgrims on our way to full unity, and we come closer to our goal the more we keep our gaze fixed on Jesus, our only Lord”

(<https://bit.ly/3A7nWYV>). We are invited to pray for the unity of all Christians, reflect on scripture, participate in jointly-organized ecumenical services, and share fellowship. (Source: CCCB)

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