

# ST. ANN PARISH

Home of Native Peoples' Mission

*Served by the Holy Cross Fathers*



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

## Pastor:

Fr. Francis Salasiar, CSC

## In Residence:

Fr. Roshan D'Souza, CSC

## Office Hours

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

**Finance** Anne Francis

**Secretary**

**Pastoral Assistants**

Maria Fernandes

**Development & Peace**

Catherine Barry

**Food Bank**

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

**Music** Ronald Vengie Fabre

**Caretaker** Rosalie Tolentino

## Daily Mass

Monday-Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

Thursday No Mass

First Fridays 6:00 p.m. Adoration

7:00 p.m. Mass

Other Fridays 6.30 p.m. Adoration

7:00 p.m. Mass

## Weekend Activities

### Saturday

9:00 - 10:30 am: **Food Bank**

4:15 pm: **Novena to St. Bro. Andre**

4:30 pm: **Novena to St. Ann**

5:00 pm: **Sunday Vigil mass**

6 pm: **1st Saturdays - Healing Service**

### Sunday

9:30 am: **Divine Mercy & Rosary**

10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Mass

10:30 am Mass: **Children's Liturgy**

### 1st Sundays

11:30 am: Development and Peace

Group **Fair Trade - Coffee Sunday**

## Native Peoples' Mass

12:30 p.m.

## 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)

## Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council

Finance Council

Liturgy/Faith Formation

Altar Servers

Music Ministry

Lectors

Eucharistic Ministers

Collection Counters

St. Ann Parish Food Bank

Development and Peace

Out of the Cold Program

Handmaids of the Lord

St. Ann Rosary Makers

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**Website:** <https://nativepeoplesmission.archtoronto.org>

## 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time: October 22, 2023



Saturday, October 21 at 5 p.m. Mass

Sunday, October 22 at 10:30 a.m. Mass *for the Parishioner of St. Ann*  
**World Mission Sunday**

Sunday, October 22 at 12:30 p.m.  
**Native People's Mass – All are welcome**

Sunday, October 22 at 6 p.m. Mass

Monday, October 23 at 8 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, October 24 at 8 a.m. **No Mass**  
**St. Anthony Claret (OM)**

Wednesday, October 25 at 8 a.m. **No Mass**

Thursday, October 26 at 8 a.m. **No Mass**

Friday, October 27 at 6:30 p.m. Holy Hour, 07 p.m. Mass  
**Carmina Milaya – Thanksgiving for the gift of life**

Saturday, October 28 at 5 p.m. Mass  
**St Simon and St. Jude (F)**

Sunday, October 29 at 10:30 a.m. Mass *for the Parishioners of St. Ann*

Sunday, October 29 at 12:30 p.m.  
**Native People's Mass – All are welcome**

Sunday, October 29 at 6 p.m. Mass

### 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A



**This weekend the entire church celebrates World Mission Sunday in which we renew our missionary commitment to the Gospel.** Pope Francis said that

“the mission of the Christian in the world is a mission for all, a mission of service, which excludes no-one; it requires great generosity and in particular the gaze and heart turned heavenward to invoke the Lord’s help.” The Holy Father exhorts all of us to see ourselves as missionaries. In today’s first reading, the Lord says to us “I call you by your name.” This invitation to be a missionary is deeply

personal. All of us are called by the Lord to serve him with our whole lives and help spread the Gospel to those around us. One way we can live out this missionary call is by being faithful to our call of stewardship. In today’s Gospel

#### *Summary*

Pope Francis said that “the mission of the Christian in the world is a mission for all, a mission of service, which excludes no-one.” One way we can live out this missionary call is by being faithful to our call of stewardship. Let us strive to be grateful for the gifts we have received and offer them back to the God for Jesus says in today’s Gospel to give “God the things that are God’s.”

*-Stewardship Bulletin Reflections, Archdiocese of Toronto*



### Offertory Collections

Weekend of **October 7/8 and 14/15**

Envelopes (98) \$ 2, 045.00

Loose \$ 588.00



### ShareLife

#### **ShareLife: Combating hunger through your compassion**

Many of our brothers and sisters grapple with the daily challenge of putting food on the table. In response to their urgent need, ShareLife has launched the Food Security Grants – dedicating over half a million dollars to combat hunger.

Your compassionate support of our parish’s ShareLife Campaign will make possible this bold action. Please support our fight against hunger at [sharelife.org/donate](https://sharelife.org/donate) or by giving at the parish with a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for heeding the Lord’s call to feed the hungry in your community and beyond.

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### Serra's 'Vocation Seeds'

"Give ... to God the things that are God's." That includes you!

email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

[www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

### Pope Prayer Intentions 2023

The Pope's prayer intentions for 2023 represent a wide array of challenges facing humanity and are the result of much prayer and discernment. In **October** we pray with Pope Francis that the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world. – Pope Francis

### All Souls Day



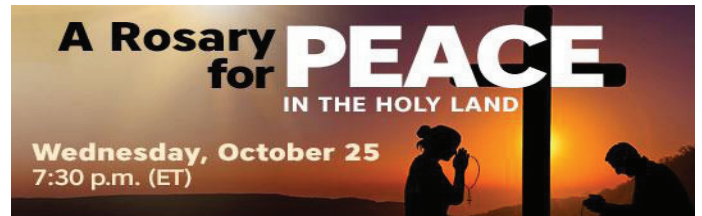
We will start the yearly tradition of remembering the deceased family members and friends. You can begin to write the deceased names on the memorial book at the entrance of the church. There will be a special mass for all the deceased members on Nov 02, 2023, at 7 p.m. We will not be selling candles as in the past years, but a week before and on the day of the mass you will be given *free candles* to light in honour of your family members. On Nov 02, at 7 p.m. Mass, you would be given an opportunity to go in procession and to place the candles in front of the altar, remembering your loved ones. You can begin writing the deceased name from all the weekends of October and you also will receive an 'All Souls Day' envelope to write the names of your deceased family members and for your free will offering.

### Barn Dance & Dinner



St Ann Parish will be holding our first event **Barn Dance and Dinner**, on **Saturday, November 25, 2023**. Please come and join us to share good moments together! All we request is your presence as we celebrate the night with our parish community. Tickets are already available, the price

for adults is **\$25.00**, kids 10 to 13 years old **\$15.00** and those below 9 are free. Those who want to help or donate to this event please contact the office at **416-466-2127**, Cristina at **647-906-4377** or Rosemarie at **416-554-8320**.



In the wake of the terrible escalation of conflict in the Holy Land, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada invites you to heed the call of the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem to observe today, October 17, as a day of fasting and prayer for peace.

### Food Bank News

Thanks to the team at St Ann Parish - Food Bank a *huge* thank you for your partnership. Since September 2022, here is the impact your location has specifically helped make:



\$398,042 -Value of Rescued Food. Track this number to see your food rescue savings over time!



329,645 lbs of Greenhouse Gases Diverted. Thank you for keeping healthy food on plates and out of landfills.



115,710 lbs Total Lbs Received. Thank you for caring for people and the planet! **Thank you note from Second Harvest.**



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