

ST. ANN PARISH

& Native Peoples' Mission

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

(St. Ann Parish Mission Statement)

MEGWETCH! We are a small congregation, that gathers for prayer and worship. We value our diversity and welcome everyone. We try to provide a safe circle for the growth of the human spirit free from judgmental attitudes. Joyfully celebrating and participating in the sacraments, we are committed to just and compassionate action. (Native People's Mission Statement)

Pastor:

Fr. Francis Salasiar, CSC

In Residence:

Fr. Roshan D'Souza, CSC

Office Hours

Monday – Thursday:
9:30 am - 2:00 pm

Finance Anne Francis

Secretary Cristina Biason

Pastoral Assistant

Maria Fernandes

Food Bank

Carlos & Colette Carreiro

Music Vengie Fabre

Daily Mass

Monday-Wednesday 8:00 am

Thursday No Mass

First Fridays 6:00 pm Adoration

7:00 pm Mass

Other Fridays 6.30 p.m. Adoration

7:00 pm 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**

Sunday

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

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

12:30 pm **Native Peoples'**

Mass

Celebration of Sacraments

Baptism: preparation required
(please contact office)

Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:15 -
4:45 pm or by appointment

Matrimony: (couple contacts
office one year in advance)

Parish Ministries

Pastoral & Finance Council

Liturgy/Faith Formation

Lectors & Altar Servers

Music Ministry

Eucharistic Ministers

Collection Counters

St. Ann Parish Food Bank

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13th & 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time: June 29 & July 6, 2025



Saturday, June 28 at 5 p.m. Mass

Sunday, June 29 at 10:30 a.m. Mass *for the Intention of the Parishioners*
Carlito Acosta Jr. – For healing

Sunday, June 29 at 12:30 p.m. *Native People's Mass – Everyone is welcome*

Monday, June 30 at 8 a.m. Mass
For friends, relations, living and deceased of
Manny & Mavic Galicia – I
Roxy Blardony, Cristina & Mike
Carandang – Birthday/intention

Tuesday, July 1 at 8 a.m. Mass

Wednesday, July 2 at 8 a.m. Mass
Isa Palanca Aureus – Thanksgiving Birthday

Thursday, July 3 at 8 a.m. **No Mass**

Friday, July 4 at 6:00 p.m. Holy Hour
07 p.m. Mass

Saturday, July 5 at 5 p.m. Mass

Sunday, July 6 at 10:30 a.m. Mass *for the Intention of the Parishioners*

Sunday, July 6 at 12:30 p.m. *Native People's Mass – Everyone is welcome*

Monday, July 7 at 8 a.m. Mass
Presentacion Acosta – +

Tuesday, July 8 at 8 a.m. Mass
For all living and deceased member of
Ancheta-Piedad Family – I

Wednesday, July 9 at 8 a.m. Mass

Thursday, July 10 at 8 a.m. **No Mass**

Friday, July 11 at 6:00 p.m. Holy Hour
07 p.m. Mass

Saturday, July 12 at 5 p.m. Mass

Sunday, July 13 at 10:30 a.m. Mass *for the Intention of the Parishioners*

Sunday, July 13 at 12:30 p.m. *Native People's Mass – Everyone is welcome*

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

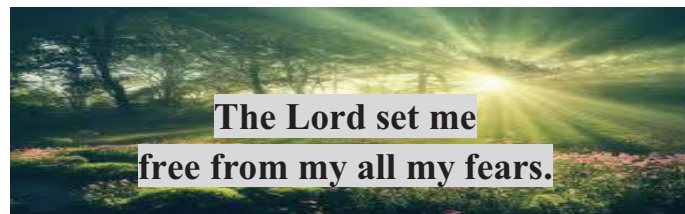


In the Gospel this Sunday we hear the following passage: **“When the days drew near for him to be taken up, Jesus set his face to go to Jerusalem.”** As

Jesus' passion on Calvary loomed nearer He did not shy away from His mission, but rather, He firmly fixed His gaze on accomplishing what He was sent out to do. This is the model that we should follow as stewards.

Our mission is to gratefully and generously offer our time and talents to our parish community as a means of serving Christ and the Church. While our stewardship will undoubtedly be filled with many moments of great peace and joy, we are also sure to experience moments of hardship. We may experience the temptation of giving up or making excuses as to why we shouldn't continue to serve. We may also be afraid of the crosses that arise during our apostolates. Jesus too was aware of the great cross and suffering that lay in the horizon of His mission. Despite all this, He remained steadfast. We should pray to God every day, asking Him for the strength to persevere in our call of stewardship. Even in difficult moments, let us readily turn to God. St. John Paul II encourages us saying, “Don't be afraid of the radicalness of His demands... If He asks much of you it is because He knows you can give much.” The Lord has great plans to use us as missionary disciples, we just need to say yes to His invitation.

-Stewardship Bulletin Reflections, Archdiocese of Toronto



14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



In the Gospel reading, Jesus commissions the disciples who were following him and sent them out two by two to all the places which Jesus intended to go. They

were sent to prepare the way, and to prepare the hearts of the people, that they will be able to receive Jesus and his message when he comes. However, there are two stark realities that Jesus conveys to the disciples about their journey.

First, the harvest is plenty, but the labourers are few. The world is ripe for the harvest, but unfortunately,

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the number of people willing to go out and work for the sake of the building up of the Kingdom of God is few. This reality was present in Jesus' time and continues to be a reality today. Jesus calls many yet only a few listen and answer the call. The second reality is that when we are sent, we are like lambs in the midst of wolves. Jesus knew that the preaching of the Gospel would come with its opposition and persecution. These same oppositions are what would ultimately lead Jesus to the cross and cause the deaths of many of his disciples.

Jesus knows that the work will be difficult and warns the disciples of this, yet he promises to be with us. As the Lord speaks through Isaiah in the first reading, he tells us that as a mother comforts her child, so the Lord will comfort those who are doing his will. As stewards, we are called to labour for God's kingdom, a work that can be difficult and a work that is lifelong. The harvest is plenty, and the labourers are few. Let us spend time to reflect on the ways that the Lord calls us, and to be open-hearted to accept Christ's invitation to share our time and talent. Let us also pray in a special way this week for those who are labouring, and that even more people may hear the Lord's call and work in his harvest.

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Offertory Collection

Weekend of **June 21/22**

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Pope's Prayer Intention 2025

The Pope's prayer intention for 2025 addresses challenges facing humanity and assists the mission of the church. These intentions serve as principles

guiding our lives and mission. In **June**, let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world. – **Pope Francis**

Praise and Worship ADORATION

Please join us this first Friday, July 4th, at 6 PM for praise & worship and adoration. Followed by the Holy Eucharist at 7 PM.



Commemoration of the Feast of Saints Ann and Joachim

Join us in celebrating the feast of our beloved patrons, Saints Ann and Joachim, on **July 26, 2025**. We will begin our celebration with a vigil mass on **Saturday, July 26th at 5:00 p.m.**, and continue with our **Feast Day Mass on Sunday, July 27th at 10:30 a.m.** followed by a time of fellowship. **Please note:** There will be **no 12.30 p.m. mass** on that day. More details to be shared soon. We look forward to celebrating this special occasion with you.



Children's Liturgy – Summer Break Notice

Our **Children's Liturgy of the Word** will be taking a **summer break** and will **resume in September**. A heartfelt thank you to all the **leaders, helpers and families** who have supported this ministry throughout the year. Your dedication has made a meaningful impact in nurturing the faith of our young ones. This is a wonderful opportunity for young families to get involved. If you're interested in **volunteering**, please speak with **Father Francis**. **Thank you and have a blessed summer!**

Coffee Sunday

Come together! Please join us this coming Sunday, **July 6, 2025**, for a coffee and fellowship with our parish community immediately following the 10:30 a.m. mass at the back of the church. All are welcome.





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