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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon & Tues 9:30am - 12:00pm, 1:00pm - 8:00pm

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

9:30am - 12:00pm, 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Saturday 9:30am - 12:00pm, 3:00 pm - 6:30pm

Sunday 7:30am - 2:30pm

MASS TIMES

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm

Weekday Mass

Monday to Friday: 9:00am Mass. Followed by All Day Adoration

Tuesday: 7:00pm Mass. Followed by the Novena to St. Anthony

First Friday of the Month:

7:00pm Mass. Followed by Adoration until midnight

Saturdays: 9:00am Mass & Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00-4:45pm

Or another time by **appointment only**

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM

Must be registered in the parish for at least three months

QR code available in the parish office or online baptism registration on our website

SACRAMENT of MARRIAGE

Arrangements should begin one year in advance

QR code available in the parish office or online marriage registration available on our website

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

At home or hospital by appointment

Please visit our website www.stanthonyofpadua.ca for more information on each Sacrament.

SCHOOLS

Lester B. Pearson 905-793-4861

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The Baptism of the Lord January 12, 2025



BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Mass Intentions

SUN JAN 12th	
8:00 AM	FOR THE PEOPLE OF ST ANTHONY ✠ MARIE & GERALD HAIRE PARTICK & GLADYS LOPES - THANKSGIVING THOMMANA VARGHESE FAMILY (THANKSGIVING)
9:30 AM	
11:00 AM	
12:30 PM	
MON JAN 13th	
9:00 AM	✠ DAVID CALDAS & HEALING OF FAMILY
TUE JAN 14th	
9:00 AM	✠ VERNA LEGENDRE - THANKSGIVING
ADORATION LAMPS	TOMMANA & MARY VARGHESE – SAFE TRAVEL
7:00 PM	✠ JAMES BALTHAZAAR ✠ VICTORIA GRANT
WED JAN 15th	
9:00 AM	✠ MARY CHI
THU JAN 16th	
9:00 AM	AUGUSTINE FERREIRA - INTENTIONS
FRI JAN 17th	
9:00 AM	✠ DOMINICO VU_NGUYEN
SAT JAN 18th	
9:00 AM	✠ DOMINICA BELEN ✠ BASILICA REYES ✠ CATHERIN MC GINLEY
5:00PM	✠ HERLE BEIRENS

OFFERTORY

January 1, 2025

Solemnity of Mother of God - **\$8600**
Initial Offering - **\$2,157**



January 5, 2025

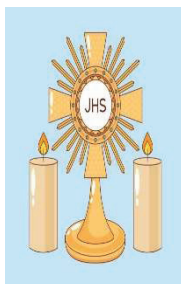
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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9:30 AM – 6:00 PM

Sign-up sheet is available in the
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HUMBLY I adore Thee, hidden Deity,
Which beneath these figures' art concealed from me;
Wholly in submission Thee my spirit hails,
For in contemplating Thee it wholly fails.

- Hymn of St. Thomas Aquinas

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If you do not wish to receive a tax receipt, you do not need to scan the QR code or enter your information – just tap the devices with your desired offertory donation amount, and it will be recorded as an anonymous contribution.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH!

SECULAR FRANCISCAN UPDATE



The Secular Franciscans of St Anthony Parish meet at 1 pm every third Friday of each month in the parish hall. We are a fraternity of lay people who try to follow the example of St. Francis of Assisi in living a spirit filled gospel life. If you are interested in learning more and would like to join us, please contact Mary Reid at mary.cffc@yahoo.ca



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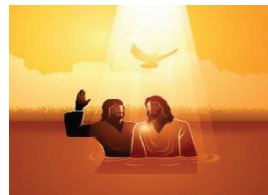
CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS

FEB 9, 2025 AT 2:30 P.M.



As part of Marriage Sunday 2025 celebrations, Bishop Ivan Camilleri will preside at a special Mass to honor married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2025. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 9, 2025 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto). All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. All are welcome to attend. Reserved seating is available for couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversary in 2025. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a first-come, first served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass. Registration and other important information can be found at www.archtoronto.org/marriage

There will be a special blessing for all the married couple in our parish on the weekend of Feb 8/9.



BAPTISM OF THE LORD
Becoming Role Models

This Sunday we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. The Catechism says that the sacrament of “baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons of God; we become members of Christ, are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission.” Let us reflect on how Jesus’ baptism can teach us more about our own baptism.

Firstly, Jesus didn’t need to get baptized because he was already without sin. However, in doing so, He became a model for how we should be baptized for the forgiveness of our sins. Similarly, as stewards we are called to be authentic models of the faith to others. When people see us, do they see what it means to be a disciple? We should be examples of how to live a holy and virtuous life so that others may be inspired by our lives of stewardship.

Moreover, not only is it important to do good, but we must also consciously try to avoid anything that may scandal others. All of the baptized, especially stewards, represent Christ and the Church. If we perform actions that are negative or hurtful, people who observe us may be turned away from the faith. Of course, we are all human and are bound to make mistakes, but we should strive to avoid anything that may significantly hinder others from accepting the faith. Let us always turn to Jesus for help, our true model of holiness and stewardship,

As we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord, we should first realize that Jesus didn’t need to be baptized but rather did so in order to give us an example to imitate. Similarly, as stewards we are called to be authentic models of the faith so that others can be inspired by our witness. Moreover, it is extremely important that we avoid anything that may scandal others because this could drive them away from the Church. Let us strive to be true models of the faith.

Source: Stewardship Bulletin Reflection

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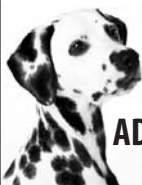
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