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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

St. Anthony of Padua 905-792-2282

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St. Marguerite Bourgeoise 905-454-3979

St. Thomas Aquinas Secondary 905-791-1195

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Third Sunday of Lent March 23, 2025



THE 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT



SUN MAR 23RD	
8:00 AM	PEOPLE OF ST ANTHONY ALLAN DSOUZA - BIRTHDAY ✠ VIOLET JAYASAKARA JOSHUA PEREIRA - THANKSGIVING
9:30 AM	
11:00 AM	
12:30 PM	
MON MAR 24TH	
9:00 AM	CHRISTOPHER GREGORY HIDALGO 18 TH BIRTHDAY
TUE MAR 25TH	
9:00 AM	ANGEL HIDALGO – 70 TH BIRTHDAY
ADORATION LAMPS	NO INTENTION
7:00 PM	✠ TRINETTE BALTHAZAAR ✠ CARMEL & CLIFF DAWSON ✠ DOLORES TONARO ✠ ROGRUGGER ✠ CARLOS SR. & JULIETA OANES ✠ SEBASTIAM PILLAI ✠ MARY MOORE ✠ BASIL FERNANDO ✠ JOE WTJEYERATNE ✠ GERALD YOGAN
WED MAR 26TH	
9:00 AM	PETER PHUC NGUYEN & ANNA LE HEALING & THANKSGIVING
THU MAR 27TH	
9:00 AM	✠ TERESA BOWEN
FRI MAR. 28TH	
9:00 AM	✠ JOSEPH LYTTLE
SAT MAR 29TH	
9:00 AM	✠ MARLENE GOMES - THANKSGIVING ✠ SUSAN THOMAS ✠ HARRY FEENEY
5:00PM	✠ DENZIL HARRIS

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March 16th, 2025

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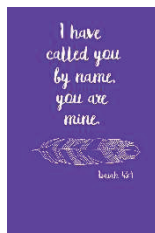
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday 9:30 AM to 6:00PM.

Spend an hour with the Lord in **silent adoration**

“O Sacrament most Holy, O Sacrament Divine. All praise and all thanksgiving. Be every moment Thine.”

STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN REFLECTION



On this Third Sunday of Lent, we are invited to reflect on one of the most famous call stories in the Bible, the call of Moses. Many of us are familiar with the events that took place as Moses comes across the burning bush in the

wilderness. There is one aspect of this episode that is particularly interesting to us as stewards, and that is the first words that God speaks out of the bush. He says, “Moses, Moses!” He calls Moses by name.

There is a particularity to Moses’ mission. God knew that Moses was the right person for the job and shows this by using his own name as he calls him forward. As stewards, we too are all called by name to a special mission. We each have our own unique set of gifts that can be used for the glory of Christ and the Church. It is up to us to heed the call of stewardship because no one can do the particular mission God has ordained for us.

One great saint who truly understood the importance of everyone’s important and individual mission was St. Teresa of Calcutta. She said, “You can do what I cannot do. I can do what you cannot do. Together we can do great things.” Stewardship isn’t a competition but rather a collaboration. Let us reflect on how we can use our time and talents to help our parish community. God is calling each and every one of us, let us readily echo the words of Moses and respond “Here I am.”

Summary

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Our greatest saint, Mary did one simple thing. She listened to God’s will—that she was to be the mother of Jesus—and she accepted God’s will.

Have you accepted God’s will in your life? Pray for an understanding of what God is calling you to do.

GOOD FRIDAY OUT DOOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Knights of Columbus, Council 9235 will be hosting its 28th annual outdoor Stations of the Cross procession on **Good Friday, April 18th at 9:00** am commencing from the steps of City Hall. This is an opportunity to reflect in prayer upon the sufferings within our community and the world united with the Cross of Jesus. Rain, Snow or shine. Please wear comfortable walking shoes and dress appropriately for the weather condition.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2025 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

VOCATION

The Lord is kind and merciful and calls us to proclaim His Name. Consider service in the priesthood or consecrated life. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationtoronto.ca

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Thank you for heeding the Lord's call to feed the hungry

For many children, the snacks and meals they receive in school may be the only nutritious food they eat all day. Studies show that children can't learn and thrive when they are hungry. Thanks to you, \$750,000 in Food Security Grants are making a difference across our community. Students receive the nourishment they deserve, and parents are supported in the process. The FoodShare program at ShareLife-funded agency Rosalie Hall "is a lifeline for families," says their Executive Director, Jane Kenny. "It helps parents provide food for their children, reduces their stress, and allows them to focus on being the best parents they can be."

Thus far we have raised **\$131,803.40** toward our goal of **\$132,000.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

LIFE-GIVING WOUNDS: A HEALING RETREAT FOR ADULT CHILDREN OF DIVORCED OR SEPARATED PARENTS

The Life-Giving Wounds retreat invites participants to move through the broken image of love that appeared to them in their parents' relationship to their deepest origin and identity as God's beloved, capable of great love. The next retreat will be from Friday, May 16 at 6 p.m. to Sunday, May 18 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Augustine's Seminary (2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough). Must be 18 or older to attend. Cost: \$340 per person (\$200 for students), which includes meals, lodging and retreat material. Limited subsidies are available if cost is a concern. Please contact lgwtoronto@proton.me.

For university/college students, contact your campus minister for more information. Space is limited. To register, visit:

<https://bit.ly/LGW-TO-Retreat-Register2025>.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR TUESDAY EVENINGS

Remembering our loved ones who have passed is a beautiful act of faith. By offering flowers and prayers, we honor them and trust that they are in God's loving care.

For those who had requested mass intentions on Tuesday's evening Mass, if you are interested, you can bring flowers to offer for them. The lectors will announce the mass intentions before the Mass. Once you hear the name of your loved ones, please come forward and put the flower in the Vase in front of the Altar.

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