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Secretary: Nina Marino **Office Assistant:** Maggie Mirabelli

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MESSE DOMENICALI

9:00am: Italiano
10:30am: Inglese
12:00noon: Ge'ez Rite

MESSE FERIALI

8:00am: da lunedì a Sabato
7:30pm: Mercoledì & Venerdì:
Messe memoriali (prenotare prima)

BATTESIMI

Chiamate in Ufficio quanto prima

CONFESSIONI

Tutti i giorni prima della Messa
Sabato dalle 4 alle 5pm
Altri giorni su appuntamento

MATRIMONI

Prenotarsi 1 anno prima

RITI D'INIZIAZIONE

Chiamate in Ufficio

SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI & ANZIANI

Chiamate in Ufficio qualunque giorno

SUNDAY MASSES

9:00am: Italian
10:30am: English (with Children's Liturgy)
12:00noon: Ge'ez Rite

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:00am: Monday to Saturday
7:30pm: Wednesday & Friday Memorial
mass (upon request)

BAPTISM

By appointment and after instruction.
Parents must be registered members of our
parish community

CONFESSIONS

Every day before Mass and after mass and
upon request

MARRIAGES

One year notice and marriage course
mandatory

CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Please call the Office

SACRAMENTS FOR SICK & ELDERLY

Please call Rectory anytime

The Church is open for personal
prayer and meditation from
7:30am to 7:00pm

Gruppo di preghiera di San Padre Pio

III Mercoledì del mese
alle 6:45pm

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Il parcheggio comunale è GRATIS per
tutti coloro che partecipano al Servizio
domenicale dalle 7:30am alle 3:30pm



The use of parking lot in the back of
the church is FREE during the Sunday
services from 7:30 to 3:30pm

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

Please circle/fill & place in collection basket

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NEWCOMER



REQUEST ENVELOPE



CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Hall della Parrocchia disponibile per affitto. Chiamate in Ufficio
The Parish Hall is available for rent – Please call the Office

HUMANITARIAN RELIEF FOR HAITI

The Archdiocese of Toronto has opened a humanitarian relief fund to assist Haiti, which in recent days has been devastated by a 7.2 magnitude earthquake. Then, in the wake of the earthquake, while people are still without housing or are sleeping outside because of a fear of aftershocks, Haiti was struck by Tropical Storm Grace which dumped more than 30 cm of rainfall onto Haiti's coastal areas, resulting in floods and mudslides.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will send donations through [Caritas Internationalis](#), an international confederation of Catholic humanitarian organizations with a long history of disaster relief. Caritas is already on the ground assisting Haitians, as it has been when other disasters have struck that country.

Donations to Caritas will be used for food, water, shelter, clothing and medical supplies.

Please consider donating. Donations can be made online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org, by calling the Development Office at 416-934-3411, or through the parish office.

WHAT IS MASS?

The Priest-in Mass

The Mass requires the ministry of a priest. While the priest might have many varied functions in a parish, when he says Mass he is fostering the union of Christ and His Church. He does this by acting as the head of the assembly, by preaching the Word of God in the homily, and by offering the Eucharistic Sacrifice of Christ. The General Instruction on the Roman Missal (no. 93) says that the priest, when celebrating the Eucharist, "must serve God and the people with dignity and humility, by his bearing and the way he says the divine words he must convey to the faithful the living presence of Christ" The priest is called to make the very sacrifice and person of Christ present to the people of God. For that we should all pray to God and thank Him for the gift of our priests and pray that we will be sent many more.

FIRST COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION

Dates for this year's celebrations

First Communions

Saint Paul (October 9) : 11am-Last names A to Fed
2pm-Last names Fer to Z
SM & Others (Oct 16): 11am-Last names A to Da
2pm-Last names De to Z

Confirmation

Saint Paul (October 23): 2pm-All Families
SM and Others (Oct 30): 11am-Last names A to K
2pm-Last names M to Z

OUR COLLECTIONS

Please consider supporting your parish, even if you are unable to come to the church!

For information on how to donate, please see our website (<https://stnicholasofbarito.archtoronto.org/About-Us/donate>).

Thank you for your generosity!

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1st Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7
Psalm: Psalm 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10
2nd Reading: James 2:1-5
Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

They were exceedingly astonished and they said, "He has done all things well. He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak." —Mark 7:37

In today's Gospel, we read about a fantastic miracle Jesus performed. He restored a man's hearing and speech. Imagine someone you know who is sick or hurt right now. How excited would you be if Jesus healed that person right before your eyes? It would be hard not to shout your excitement to let everyone know the good news!

But Jesus still performs miracles every day, and often we don't even notice. Place your hand on your wrist and feel your blood pumping through your body. Or, stare at a black and white image for about 30 seconds; then close your eyes and see how the image is now reversed. It's pretty amazing that God created our bodies to work the way they do. Take notice today and see how many astonishing things God has done and is still doing!

Dear Lord, help us to be attentive to your greatness and be grateful for the miracles you perform all around us.

COVID RESTRICTIONS

We are now allowed to have as many people as we can fit with 2 meters social distancing. Please remember to keep 2 meters between households in the pews.

23° DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO – 5 SETTEMBRE 2021



September 5 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Nicola Imenco

10:30 - MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED - Piedad, Luis, Amable, Walter, Savino, Milton, Daniel, Jorge, Adsalon, Franco

12:00pm - Catholic Ge'ez Rite -LIVESTREAMED

September 6 Monday/Lunedì

NO MASS TODAY / NON C'È MESSA

September 7 Tuesday/Martedì

8:00am - Angelina Bambalina Irish London

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

September 8 Wednesday/Mercoledì

FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN / FESTA DELLA NATIVITÀ DELLA BEATA VERGINE

8:00am - Thanksgiving to Heavenly Father for the Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary; Repose of the soul of Zofia Misko, Stanislaus Misko, Melvin Francisco Baez Vega; Repentance, and conversion upon Carlos Rodas, Ania Misko, Luis Doradea, Mauricio, Karla, Ivette, Michael Breggar, Martin Velez, Paul Michael, Dr. Michael's children, Maria Rio, Fernando Rio

7:30pm - Maria Assunta DeFrancesco (1 month anniversary)

September 9 Thursday/Giovedì

8:00am - Sergio Iannetta

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

September 10 Friday/Venerdì

Memorial of St. Gregory the Great / Memoriale di San Gregorio Magno

8:00am - Carmine e Nuzia

7:30pm - Caterina Tedesco

September 11 Saturday/Sabato

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Marina Carlota Moz, Cecilia Cha, Oswaldo Enrique, Rogelia de Rocero; for the Priests of Holy Cross of Marylake; Consecration of Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary; healing & blessings upon Maria Villanueva, Ivette Rodas, Ania, Gabuardi Arostegui family, Mariana Esteves Brajovich, Carlos Lindo, Concepcion Martinez, Mr. Jean Kesangana

September 12 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Antonio Mottola, Nicola, Rosa, Pasquale, Rosalinda Lavergletta, Vincenza, Pasquale de Gregorio, Luigi Montedorisio, Antonio Marino, Rocco, Pasquale, Antonietta e Carmella de Gregorio, Paolo e Rosa Pallotta e defunti famiglia Pallotta, Pasquale Vecchiarelli e defunti famiglia Vecchiarelli

10:30 - MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED - Nicola & Victoria Tedesco, Ortenzio Pallotta, Piedad, Luis, Amable, Walter, Savino, Milton, Daniel, Jorge, Adsalon, Franco

12:00pm - Catholic Ge'ez Rite -LIVESTREAMED

4:00pm - BAPTISM - Rodrigues-Dias

*Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of Axillary Bishop Robert Kasun / Anniversario dell'Ordinazione Episcopale del Vescovo Axillary Robert Kasun

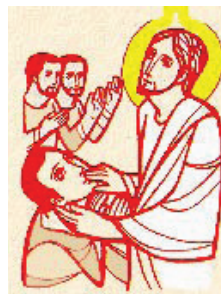
RIFLESSIONE SULLE LETTURE

Prima Lettura: Isaia 35:4-7

Salmo: Sal 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10

Seconda Lettura: Giacomo 2:1-5

Vangelo: Marco 7:31-37



Un sordomuto. Assomiglia molto a noi, quando siamo nel peccato. Possiamo avere accanto Dio, che ci sussurra le parole più dolci e imperiose. Non lo sentiamo. Possiamo aver vicino le persone più acute e più buone, che desiderano aiutarci. Non prestiamo attenzione. O passiamo davanti a chi ha bisogno di un conforto, di una speranza. È come

se fossimo soli al mondo, chiusi nel nostro egoismo.

Ma se il sacramento di Cristo ci raggiunge... Può essere la Chiesa che battezza o ci offre il perdono a nome del Signore Gesù. Le dita, la saliva, l'“apriti” possono essere l'acqua o la mano benedicente che si leva su di noi: “Io ti battezzo”; “Io ti assolvo”.

Allora avviene nuovamente il “miracolo”.

Diventiamo capaci, per grazia, di udire le consolazioni e i suggerimenti e gli imperativi di Dio. Diventiamo capaci di rispondergli con la preghiera e con la vita.

E il prossimo è colui che dev'essere ascoltato e confortato. Nasce la fraternità.

Se ci lasciamo salvare dal Signore. Se aderiamo a lui con tutte le forze.

ShareLife

Vivere il Vangelo sostenendo i non udenti

Le agenzie finanziate da ShareLife si trovano in prima linea nella lotta alla pandemia del Covid-19. Una di queste, Silent Voice, ha continuato ad offrire programmi di ASL (American Sign Language, “lingua americana dei segni”), ai non udenti.

“Con il tuo sostegno sei, a ragione, un agente di cambiamento, poiché permetti a Silent Voice di offrire, in modo completamente accessibile, programmi di ASL che aprono il mondo ai vulnerabili: adulti, giovani e bambini sordi e alle loro famiglie.”

-Kelly MacKenzie, Silent Voice

L'obiettivo della nostra parrocchia è: \$9,800

Ad oggi, abbiamo raccolto: \$3,151

La prossima raccolta di Sharelife sarà il 3 ottobre.

SALLA PARROCCHIALE DISPONIBILE PER LOCAZIONE

La nostra sala Parrocchiale (Hall) è disponibile per locazione per piccole feste: battesimi, cresima, compleanni, anniversario di matrimonio, incontri... Per ulteriori informazioni, chiamate l'ufficio.



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