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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

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – SEPTEMBER 12, 2021



Living the Gospel by supporting residents of long-term care

The Houses of Providence in Scarborough is a ShareLife-funded agency that provides long-term care for seniors.

"It's been hard during COVID-19," says Mary, one of its residents, "but we understand the precautions that staff are taking. Providence staff have been absolutely wonderful and are doing a good job. I thank them every time I see them for their hard work."

Did you know that you can contribute to ShareLife agencies like the Houses of Providence through Pre-Authorized Giving? Please consider making a monthly contribution to ShareLife using PAG.

October 3 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously during the special collection or anytime at sharelife.org.

WHAT IS MASS?

Postures-Standing

The liturgy is meant to engage the whole person. Our posture then is a means a prayer and a means to foster unity within the community (we all sit, stand, and kneel at the same time). We stand for the Introductory Rites, the Gospel procession and proclamation, the Creed, the Prayer of the Faithful, the preparation of the gifts, the parts of the Eucharistic Prayer that are not consecration, and the Prayer after Communion. Standing is a way we show reverence and thanksgiving which is why we stand for the Gospel and the Eucharistic Prayer (in parts). It is also a posture of offering, which is why we stand for the presentation of the gifts. Most importantly perhaps it is also a posture of openness to Jesus and to the community.

FIRST COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION

Dates for this year's celebrations

First Communions

Saint Paul VI (Oct 9) : 11am-Last names A to Fed
2pm-Last names Fer to Z

Stella Maris & Others (Oct 16):
11am-Last names A to Da
2pm-Last names De to Z

Confirmations

Saint Paul VI (Oct 23): 2pm-All Families
Stella Maris & Others (Oct 30):
11am-Last names A to K
2pm-Last names M to Z

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:5-9
Psalm: Psalm 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9
2nd Reading: James 2:14-18
Gospel: Mark 8:27-35

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." — Mark 8:34

An old saying states: "Anything worth doing is worth doing well." Here's an example of what that saying means: Let's say that you volunteer to help a sick or elderly neighbor by raking his leaves, but instead of finishing the job, you leave the piles for him to bag and put out to the curb himself. Maybe you grew tired or wanted to do something that was more fun, so you left the task half done. Your intentions were good at the beginning, but unless you finished, you haven't done your job very well.

Jesus was faced with a very difficult task. He didn't want to suffer and be killed any more than any person does, but he knew people might kill him because he was standing up for the truth and trying to do the right thing. Jesus was committed to finishing the task he began out of love for us. He wouldn't stop doing the right things even though he knew he would get killed for it. As followers of Jesus, we too need to help others, regardless of the price we must pay.

Lord, help us to be generous with our love despite the sacrifices we must make.

REFLECTION OF STEWARDSHIP

In our second reading from the Letter of James we are challenged to have a living faith, a faith that is backed up by action. However, we should first realize that the most generous and loving thing we can do for someone is pray for them. However, after entrusting everything to God, we can then play our part and concretely try to help through proper use of our time and talents.

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!

24° DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO – 12 SETTEMBRE 2021



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, Gianni e Begnina Menghi e Lorenzo Rizzi

10:30 - MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED - CONFIRMATION - 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

September 13 Monday/Lunedì

Memorial of St John Chrysostom / Memoriale di San Giovanni Crisostomo

NO MASS TODAY / NON C'È MESSA

September 14 Tuesday/Martedì

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS / FESTA DELL'ESALTAZIONE DELLA SANTA CROCE

8:00am - Nilo Shorekela

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

September 15 Wednesday/Mercoledì

Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows / Memoriale della Madonna Addolorata

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Esteban Sandino, Regino Chevez, Asunta Hernandez, repentance, conversion of the families Mizko, Breggar, Rodas, Moz, Cedillos, Zambrano, Healing of Gladis Moran, Maria Villanueva, Ania Misko

September 16 Thursday/Giovedì

Memorial of Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian / Memoriale dei Santi Cornelio e Cipriano

8:00am - All souls in Purgatory, Repose of the soul of Carlos Lindo, Andrea Chevez, All priests living and deceased, Repentance, conversion for the families Recinos, Rivera, Castillo Velez, Doradea, Villanueva, Rio, healing of Maria Villanueva, Ivette Rodas, Gladis Moran, Ania Misko

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

September 17 Friday/Venerdì

8:00am - Repose of the soul Francisca Graciela Gutierrez Lira, Enemesio Chevez, Repentance, conversion of the families Aguilar, Calix, Castano, Rivas, Merlos, Sagastume, Aguirre, Copping, healing of Maria Villanueva, Ivette Rodas

7:30pm - Ortenzio Pallotta (one year anniversary)

September 18 Saturday/Sabato

8:00am - Repose of Leticia Gomez, Carmen Hushion, Priests/ Holy Cross of Marylake, Consecration of Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary, for the unborn, orphaned, unbaptized children, end of abortion and euthanasia

11:00am BAPTISM (Ge'ez Rite)

6:30pm - MISA DE VIGILIA EN ESPAÑOL

September 19 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am -

10:30 - MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED - BAPTISM - Piedad, Luis, Amable, Walter, Savino, Milton, Daniel, Jorge, Adsalon, Franco, Eri Andrade, Luis Francisco Cordova, Edemira Josefa, Carlos Marcelo Martillo, Alfre Alfonso Martillo

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

3:00pm - BAPTISM - Lopes Norbury

RIFLESSIONE SULLE LETTURE

Prima Lettura: Isaia 50:5-9

Salmo: Sal 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9

Seconda Lettura: Giacomo 2:14-18

Vangelo: Marco 8:27-35



Anche oggi si sentono le voci e i giudizi più contrastanti su Gesù: c'è chi lo ritiene un saggio, un generoso moralista, un protagonista della storia, e c'è anche chi lo calunnia, chi lo odia. Ma la sola, la vera identità di Gesù è quella proclamata da Pietro: "Tu sei il Cristo". Se riduciamo la fede cristiana al chiuso di un orizzonte umano,

per quanto nobile, siamo in errore: Cristo è venuto a portare la salvezza eterna, la speranza soprannaturale, non una dottrina per rendere più tollerabile la convivenza umana, anche se è interessato alla redenzione di tutte le realtà terrene, sempre in funzione della felicità eterna. Non basta riconoscere Gesù come Figlio di Dio: bisogna imitarlo in ciò che egli ha di più specifico, cioè nell'amore alla croce che non è il fine, ma il mezzo necessario per compiere la redenzione. Se vogliamo essere corredentori non possiamo rifugiare la croce, perché solo attraverso di essa, perdendo la nostra vita, la ritroveremo nell'eternità, partecipando alla risurrezione di Cristo.



Vivere il Vangelo sostenendo i residenti delle strutture di assistenza a lungo termine

La Houses of Providence a Scarborough è un'agenzia finanziata da ShareLife che fornisce assistenza a lungo termine agli anziani.

"È stata dura durante il COVID-19", dice Mary, una dei suoi residenti, "ma capiamo le precauzioni che il personale sta prendendo. Il personale di Providence è stato assolutamente meraviglioso e sta facendo un buon lavoro. Li ringrazio ogni volta che li vedo per il loro duro lavoro".

Sapete che potete contribuire alle agenzie ShareLife come la Houses of Providence attraverso donazioni pre-autorizzate? Per favore, prendete in considerazione di versare un contributo mensile a ShareLife usando le donazioni pre-autorizzate.

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

Ad oggi, abbiamo raccolto: \$3,151

Il 3 Ottobre è la prossima Domenica ShareLife. Per favore, donate generosamente durante la raccolta speciale o in qualsiasi momento su sharelife.org.



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