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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

LET'S REMEMBER OUR LOVED ONES



In the Christian tradition, November is the Month of the Dead, starting with The Solemnity of All Saints and the Commemoration of All The Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day). During the entire month, special prayers for the Faithful Departed are offered during Mass. If you wish to write the name of your loved ones in the Book of Life which will be placed in front of the Baptismal Font, please take some time to prayerfully do so. Kindly place all special offerings in the envelopes provided and place them in the slot at the back of the Church by the candles. Thank you!

WE NEED YOU!

Your participation in Mass is essential to our worship at St. Nicholas. We are fortunate to have some very dedicated volunteers. But, we can use more help. We need YOU! If you've ever thought about reading at Mass, being an usher, or being an Altar server, now is a great time to let us know so that you can learn more about being involved and helping everyone worship God here at St. Nicholas. If you're interested, please see Anthony after Mass or send him an email at aspellacy@archtoronto.org

WHAT IS MASS?

Postures-Genuflecting

We genuflect to acknowledge the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. The General Instruction of the Roman Missal proscribes three places where genuflections happen. The priest genuflects during the Institution Narrative to show faith, humility, and devotion and before the invitation to Communion. It is appropriate for all people to genuflect to Christ in the tabernacle as a sign of faith and devotion. Genuflection is also the appropriate gesture to the Cross from Holy Friday to the beginning of the Easter Vigil. At its core, genuflecting is the way we show respect for Christ. Because of that, we only genuflect to Christ, never to relics or other living people.

REFLECTION OF STEWARDSHIP

We can learn a great lesson in stewardship from the widow who put in all she had, two small copper coins, into the treasury. We shouldn't imitate the wealthy people in the Gospel and give from what we have leftover. Rather, we should give the "first fruits" of our time and our talents because we want to show God how grateful we are for all He has given us.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

- 1st Reading: 1 Kings 17:10-16
- Psalm: Psalm 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10
- 2nd Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28
- Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

***"Do not be afraid...first, make a little cake and bring it to me. Then you can prepare something for yourself and your son."* —1 Kings 17:13**

The poor widow did not refuse the prophet Elijah's request, even though she barely had enough flour and oil to prepare one meal for her own family. She made a cake for Elijah, and afterwards, the Lord blessed her family with enough to eat for a full year. It must have been so hard for her to offer the last of her food to someone else when she didn't know where any more would come from. This is one of many stories in the Bible when God provides for people when they are self-less and share what they have with others. Do I trust God this much—enough to put others' needs before my own?

Dear Lord, please give us the faith and trust to put the needs of others before our own. Help us to see you in the poor and to care for them as we would care for our own family. Help us remember that everything we have is a gift from you for us to share. Please give us the grace we need to trust you in all things.

SHEPHERD'S TRUST SPECIAL COLLECTION, November 13/14



As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds' Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes of the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 13/14

This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it represents a very tangible gesture of thanks for the blessings we have received. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

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!

32° DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO – 7 NOVEMBRE 2021



November 7 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Messa per i caduti in Guerra delle Associazioni D'Arma di e Corpo di Polizia Italiana (Ontario Federation of Italian Veterans)

10:30am - MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED -

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

November 8 Monday/Lunedì

No MASS TODAY / NON C'È MESSA

November 9 Tuesday/Martedì

FEAST OF THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERN BASILICA / FESTA DELLA DEDICAZIONE DELLA BASILICA DI LATERN

8:00am - Angelina Bambalina Irish London; Ercole Tenuto messa del passaggio, richieste della Moglie

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

November 10 Wednesday/Mercoledì

Memorial of St Leo the Great / Memoriale di San Leone Magno

8:00am - Michele e Giuseppe e Prudenzia Liscio

November 11 Thursday/Giovedì

Memorial of St. Martin of Tours / Memoriale di San Martino di Tours

8:00am - Eugenio Caira, Pasquale e Saveria Ciara, Alberto Sturino, Francesco, Rosaria e Onorina Sturino, Alfredo Furguele, Michele e Saveria Furguele, Beniamino e Giulietta Caira

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

November 12 Friday/Venerdì

Memorial of St. Josaphat / Memoriale di San Giosafat

8:00am - Repose of the soul of George Floyd, Eusebia Arce Velasquez, Terry Fox and Giulio Averza (one year anniversary); For the healing of Maria Villanueva, Ivette Rodas, and Gina; and for special intentions

November 13 Saturday/Sabato

8:00am - Peter Albanese

9:30am - Ercole Tenuta (one month anniversary) richiesta della moglie e degli figli

2:00pm - Eritrean Youth Retreat

6:30pm - MISA DE VIGILIA EN ESPAÑOL

November 14 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Caterina e Giuseppe Leone, Famiglia Bosco Michele e Angela e Figli Francesco, Flora Estera, Oscar Ippolito e Antonio, Maria Altomare, Joe e Luigi Del Degan, Famiglia Del Degan and Valsechi

10:30am - MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED -

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

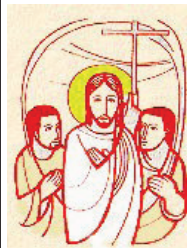
RIFLESSIONE SULLE LETTURE

Prima Lettura: 1 Re 17:10-16

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

Seconda Lettura: Ebrei 9:24-28

Vangelo: Marco 12:38-44



Gesù contrappone qui due tipi di comportamento religioso. Il primo è quello degli scribi pretenziosi che si pavoneggiano ed usano la religione per farsi valere. Gesù riprende questo atteggiamento e lo condanna senza alcuna pietà. Il secondo comportamento è invece quello della vedova povera che, agli occhi degli uomini, compie un gesto irrisorio, ma, per lei, carico di conseguenze, in quanto si priva di ciò di cui ha assolutamente bisogno. Gesù loda questo atteggiamento e lo indica come esempio ai suoi discepoli per la sua impressionante autenticità. Non è quanto gli uomini notano che ha valore agli occhi di Dio, perché Dio non giudica dall'apparenza, ma guarda il cuore (1Sam 16,7). Gesù vuole che guardiamo in noi stessi. La salvezza non è una questione di successo, e ancor meno di parvenze. La salvezza esige che l'uomo conformi le azioni alle sue convinzioni. In tutto ciò che fa, specialmente nella sua vita religiosa, l'uomo dovrebbe sempre stare attento a non prendersi gioco di Dio. Scrive san Paolo: "Non vi fate illusioni; non ci si può prendere gioco di Dio. Ciascuno raccoglierà quello che avrà seminato"

MESE DEI FEDELI DEFUNTI



In ogni Messa del mese di Novembre, siete invitati a scrivere i nomi dei vostri defunti nel LIBRO DELLA (accanto a Fonte Battesimale). Le vostre intenzioni saranno messe sull'altare, ricordando i nostri cari nella preghiera eucaristica. Se desiderate, usate la busta che avete con le buste domenicali o prendetene una nell'atrio della chiesa. (Le offerte mettetele nella cassetta delle offerte.) Grazie!

LA COLLETTA SHEPHERD'S TRUST



Come già sapete, è un programma di assistenza che dà la possibilità ai nostri sacerdoti anziani e infermi, di avere un appoggio finanziario per poter vivere con dignità la loro avanzata età, dopo aver dato anni e anni di servizio. All'entrata della chiesa ci saranno dei foglietti informativi su Shepherd's Trust come anche le buste apposite per la colletta annuale che si tiene oggi 14 Novembre. Grazie dell'amore che dimostrate ai nostri sacerdoti che hanno avuto un ruolo importante nella vita della vostra famiglia lungo gli anni.



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