



# ST. NICHOLAS OF BARI ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MESSE DOMENICALI

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

### MESSE FERIALI

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

### BATTESIMI

Chiamate in Ufficio quanto prima

### CONFESSIONI

Tutti i giorni prima della Messa. 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)  
12:00pm: Ge'ez Rite

### WEEKDAY MASSES

8:00am: Tuesday 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 12:00pm  
(Tuesday to Friday)

### Gruppo di preghiera di San Padre Pio

III Mercoledì del mese  
alle 6:45pm

### Adorazione / Adoration

1° Venerdì del Mese  
First Friday of the Month  
6:45pm

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**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**



**SUNDAY MORNINGS  
10:30 AM MASS**

The Children's Liturgy is now resuming. As you know, this is a great opportunity for our children, as it enriches their experience of the Mass while they listen to the Sunday Gospel at their own level. Any young adult wishing to help out in this ministry,

please call the office and leave your name and phone number. Fr. Bruno will be in touch with you and you'll be invited to attend some training workshops. **The Children preparing for the First Reconciliation-Communion are highly recommended to attend.**

**R.C.I.A.-PROGRAM**

**(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**

If you are or if you know someone who is interested in becoming a Christian, or a Christian who would like to become a Roman Catholic, or a Roman Catholic who has not received the Sacraments of reconciliation, Eucharist, or Confirmation, please contact the Office.

**Register for First Communion and Confirmation**

Parents of children receiving First Communion or Confirmation this school year and invited to register their children for the sacraments. Registration forms can be picked up and returned to the office Tuesday to Thursday 9AM-12PM and Sunday's 11:30 to 12:30. Registration ends October 24. Attendance will be taken following Mass.

**INCLUDE ST. NICHOLAS IN YOUR WILL**

A bequest in your will to our Church is an acknowledgment of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can have a favourable impact on your overall estate plan.

Bequests are not just for the wealthy! Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities or departments in your will. Let your will reflect your Catholic values. We have a free **estate planning guide** to help you make your plan. The Archdiocese of Toronto also maintains a list of advisors across the GTA who are available to assist in your estate planning and the preparation of a will.

Please contact us at [Development@archtoronto.org](mailto:Development@archtoronto.org) for a list of Catholic estate advisors in your area. Remember about the importance of using the **correct legal names** when arranging bequests or other planned gifts. For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 Ext. 561/519 or email at [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).

**THIS WEEK'S READINGS**

1st Reading: Exodus 17:8-13  
2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14 – 4:2  
Gospel: Luke 18.1-8

**Serving the Hidden Form of Poverty**



In 1926, Pope Pius XI declared that the second last Sunday in October would be World Mission Sunday, a day in which the entire Church renews its missionary commitment and prays for the missions. When we think of the missions in the church, we often think about those striving to spread the Gospel in remote areas ravaged by poverty. However, in our secular society there is rampant poverty all around us, for according to St. Teresa of

Calcutta, "the most terrible poverty is loneliness, and the feeling of being unloved." How often do we aspire to do great things for the church while neglecting the loneliness experienced by those in our parish communities and homes? This is a question we should prayerfully take to heart and then seek ways to act as loving stewards towards our neighbour. One tremendous, albeit often undervalued, act we can offer someone in need is a genuine smile. St. Teresa of Calcutta exhorts us saying, "let us always meet each other with smile, for the smile is the beginning of love."

**Donation of Securities**

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**OFFERINGS: \$1,365.45**

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**October 16 Sunday/Domenica**

9:00am - In onore di San Gerardo Maiella e Michele Liscio famiglia Seminero, Giovanni e Maria  
 10:30am - 65th wedding anniversary renewal vows for Salvatore and Maria Bartella; Antonietta Pallotta; Antonio Ricci  
 12:00pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

**October 17 Monday/Lunedì**

- Nessuna messa oggi/No Mass today

**October 18 Tuesday/Martedì**

8:00am - Repose of the soul of the deceased family members of Chevez, Rivas, Maravilla, Batres, Ramos, Vigil, Cedillos Rev., Repentance, confession for the families of Ania, Julian, Michael, Luana, Paul Michael, Alice, Martin Castillo; For the generosity of St. Nicholas's parishioners, For the Priests of Holy Cross of Marylake  
 11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

**October 19 Wednesday/Mercoledì**

8:00am - For the Repose of the soul of Lescek, Kristof, Wadek, Wiesiek, Helena; Repentance, confession for the families of Carlos, Mauricio, Karla, Austin, Ivette, Arturo, Moshen, Dinora; Healing of Irena, Ania Misko, Heide Park; For all souls in Purgatory; Blessings upon Colette and her relatives  
 6:45pm - Gruppo Preghiera di San Padre Pio

**October 20 Thursday/Giovedì**

8:00am - Luigi De Ciantis  
 10:00am - St. Paul School Thanksgiving Mass  
 11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

**October 21 Friday/Venerdì**

8:00am - Repose of the soul Tadeusz, Gienek, Krystina, Janina, George Floyd; Repentance, confession, conversion, peace, unity in the world; For all Priest living and deceased, for all migrants, refugees, prisoners, dying, sick, lonely, unemployed, poor  
 7:30pm - Memorial Mass - Maria Antonietta Santalucia (one month anniversary)

**October 22 Saturday/Sabato**

8:00am - Antonio Palladino, Filomena e Nicola Palladino; Vitoria, Antonio e Pasqualina, Serio e defunti Serio; For the repose of the soul of Milagros Garzon, Carmen Flores, Luis David Garzon; For the unborn, orphan & unbaptized children; Thanksgiving to Heavenly Father for all Sacraments; Healing of Mary Wahba, Heide Park, Glenda Flores, Gloria de Guardado Thanksgiving for the anniversary of ordination of Rev. Priest Ismael Naranjo Silva  
 6:30pm - Spanish Group Mass

**October 23 Sunday/Domenica**

9:00am - Antonio Mottola, Nicola Rosa, Pasquale, Rosalinda Laverghetta, Vincenza de Gregorio, Pasquale de Gregorio, Luigi Montedorisio, Antonio Marino, Rocco, Pasquale, Antonietta e Carmela de Gregorio; Angelo Orsi e famiglia Orsi defunti e famiglia Mancini defunti; Maria e Domenico Pileggi e defunti Maria e Luigi Basile e defunti  
 10:30am -  
 12:00 pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

**LETTURE**

Prima lettura: Esodo 17:8-13  
 2a lettura: 2 Timoteo 3:14 - 4:2  
 Vangelo: Luca 18:1-8

**Al servizio della forma nascosta di povertà**



Nel 1926, Papa Pio XI dichiarò che la penultima domenica di ottobre sarebbe stata la Giornata Missionaria Mondiale, un giorno in cui tutta la Chiesa rinnova il suo impegno missionario e prega per le missioni. Quando pensiamo alle missioni nella Chiesa, spesso pensiamo a quelle che si sforzano di diffondere il Vangelo in aree remote devastate dalla povertà. Tuttavia, nella nostra società secolare c'è una povertà dilagante intorno a noi, perché secondo Santa Teresa

di Calcutta, "la povertà più terribile è la solitudine e la sensazione di non essere amati". Quante volte aspiriamo a fare grandi cose per la Chiesa trascurando la solitudine vissuta da coloro che vivono nelle nostre comunità parrocchiali e nelle nostre case? È una domanda che dovremmo prendere a cuore con la preghiera e poi cercare il modo di agire come amministratori amorevoli nei confronti del nostro prossimo. Un gesto straordinario, anche se spesso sottovalutato, che possiamo offrire a chi ha bisogno è un sorriso genuino. Santa Teresa di Calcutta ci esorta dicendo: "incontriamoci sempre con un sorriso, perché il sorriso è l'inizio dell'amore".

**Donazione di titoli**

La donazione di titoli è uno dei modi più semplici e intelligenti di fare donazioni in Canada. Quando fate una donazione all'Arcidiocesi di Toronto, sapete che state creando il massimo impatto sulla Chiesa e su coloro che serviamo. Prendete in considerazione la possibilità di fare una donazione di titoli alla vostra parrocchia o a una delle nostre organizzazioni caritative arcidiocesane.

Con un dono di titoli, potete ricevere immediatamente una ricevuta di donazione per il valore equo di mercato del titolo. Inoltre, non si applica l'imposta sulle plusvalenze a qualsiasi beneficio ricevuto dalla vendita di questi titoli. I titoli quotati comprendono azioni, obbligazioni e fondi comuni di investimento.

Per donare titoli quotati in borsa, è possibile ottenere il nostro modulo, la Lettera di direzione, visitando questo link: <https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/social-justice--outreach/development-and-sharelife/home/gifts-of-securities/>.

Per ulteriori informazioni, contattate l'ufficio Sviluppo al numero 416-934-3400 Ext. 561/519 o all'indirizzo e-mail [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).

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