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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 o dopo la 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 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
(Monday 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
8:30am - 9:00am

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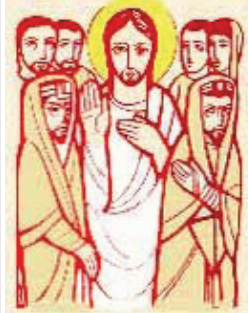
Hall della Parrocchia disponibile per affitto. Chiamate in Ufficio
The Parish Hall is available for rent – Please call the Office

CHILDREN'S LITURGY



The Children's Liturgy has resumed. 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.**



Mal 1:14-2:2, 8-10; 1Thess 2:7b-9, 13; Matt 23:1-12

One of the shared criticisms directed at Catholics by our Protestant fundamentalist brethren especially the Born-again Christian groups (whom as someone called as Born-against Christians), is about the address we give to our Pope as "Holy Father" and the priests as "Fathers". They say that this is against the teaching of Christ in the Bible. They cited today's gospel especially in verse 9 that says: "...do not call anyone your father, only one is your father, the one in heaven." What Christ wants us to teach is that, our concern should not be after honors, worldly dignity and crave for first places in gatherings. If we extend our helping hands to others in need, we should not be proud of it that it is coming from us but rather, we should announce that it is coming from God because we don't have as our own. We just doing our job and not expecting any return.

The Shepherds' Trust Special Collection, November 19, 2023



The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to raise awareness and collect funds so the elderly priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. The Trust supports the needs of retired clergy in the Archdiocese of Toronto who have served for many years.

Through our support of The Shepherds' Trust, the retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years.

For more information about The Shepherds' Trust please go to: www.shepherdstrust.org

LET'S REMEMBER OUR LOVED ONES



Special Prayers for the FAITHFUL DEPARTED is offered during the month of November. If you wish to write the name of loved ones in the BOOK OF LIFE, placed before the Baptismal Font, please take some time to prayerfully do so. Kindly have all special offerings dropped in the offering slot at the back of the church. Thank you!

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS



Wednesday, November 8, 2023 at 7:00pm in the church
Children and Parents to attend.

JOIN THE CHOIR



If you love singing, please consider joining the choir for the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass.

You will learn more about the liturgy, you will praise joyfully, and meet new friends. If interested, please talk to Josephine on Sunday after Mass.

CONFIRMATION CLASS



The Confirmation Class will be held on Tuesday November 14@6:00pm to 8:00pm in the Parish Hall. Students to attend.

Celebration in Honour of St. Nicholas—Our Patron Saint - December 3, 2023



The Guardiaregia Community invites us to a Solemn Mass at 3:00 p.m., followed by reception in the church hall, the traditional distribution of "bread and beans."

OUR COLLECTIONS OCTOBER 29, 2023 OFFERINGS: \$1,198.65

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



November 5 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Messa per I caduti in Guerra della Federazione D'Arma e Corpo di Polizia Italiana (Ontario Federation of Italian Veteran)

10:30am -

12:00pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

November 6 Monday/Lunedì

- No Mass Today

November 7 Tuesday/Martedì

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Lucia Carlota Ayala de Ycaza, Harry Ycaza, Clelia & Pedro Pablo Sevilla, for the generosity of St. Nicholas's parishioners, Holy Spirit's guidance for the families who have difficulties with separation, divorce, court hearings, custody of children, housing, peace in the world

11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

November 8 Wednesday/Mercoledì

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Rev. Priest Juan Triviño, Bruna & Tony Creglia Eusebia Arce, Encarnacion, Bernadette Cardyn, St. Joseph help upon Colette and Alistair, Linh, Dinora, Irena, Ania, Chistian & Marthita Ortiz, Bryan Galindo, Luba, Ernesto Zepeda

7-8pm : Session #2 First Communion

November 9 Thursday/Giovedì

8:00am - Maria & Antonio, Augusta e Elio, Giuseppe Campolietti e defunti, Francesca, Eliglio De Marco

11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

November 10 Friday/Venerdì

8:00am - Michele, Giuseppe, Prudenzia Liscio, Repose of the soul of Betty Elisa Guerrero de Perez, Nelson Claros, Marcy Barrios de Lopez, for the Priests/ Holy Cross of Marylake, for the unborn, orphan & unbaptized children, All souls in Purgatory, end of abortion and euthanasia, Birthday blessings upon Jose Mauricio Castaño

7:30pm - Benito Lupetto

November 11 Saturday/Sabato

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Jose Villanueva Barragan, Zoila Margarita Perdido de Mojica, Esteban Bermudez, Priests/Holy Cross of Marylake, for all migrants, prisoners, dying, sick, lonely, unemployed, poor, Thanksgiving to Heavenly Father for all Sacraments, Healing of Omela Boodram, Jacob Lee McEwan, Idali Bermudez, Birthday blessings upon Nelson Claros

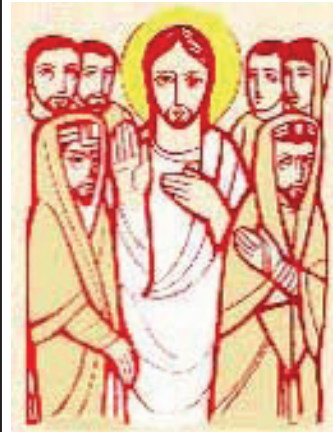
November 12 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Rosa e Paolo Pallotta e defunti fam. Pallotta, Pasquale Vecchiarelli e defunti fam. Vecchiarelli, Michele Nicola Isabel, Francesco e Concetta Raso, Santo Raso e Luigina Raso e Rosaria Paolo, Franca Abate, Vittorio Settino e Figlio Giovanni

10:30am - Eugenio Caira, Pasquale e Saveria Cairo, Michele e Saveria Furguele, Alberto Sturino, Onorina Sturino, Giuseppina Marino

Baptism: Luke Deonarine

12:00 pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)



Mal 1:14-2:2, 8-10; 1Tes 2:7b-9, 13; Matteo 23:1-12

Una delle critiche comuni rivolte ai cattolici dai nostri fratelli protestanti fondamentalisti, in particolare dai gruppi di cristiani born-again (che qualcuno ha chiamato "cristiani born-against"), riguarda l'indirizzo che diamo al nostro Papa come "Santo Padre" e ai sacerdoti come "Padri". Dicono che questo è contrario all'insegnamento di Cristo nella Bibbia. Hanno citato il Vangelo di oggi, in particolare il versetto

9 che dice: "... non chiamate nessuno padre vostro, uno solo è il padre vostro, quello del cielo". Ciò che Cristo vuole insegnarci è che la nostra preoccupazione non deve essere quella di ottenere onori, dignità mondana e di desiderare i primi posti nelle riunioni. Se tendiamo la mano ad altri bisognosi, non dobbiamo essere orgogliosi di dire che viene da noi, ma piuttosto dobbiamo annunciare che viene da Dio, perché non abbiamo nulla di nostro. Facciamo solo il nostro lavoro senza aspettarci alcun ritorno.



COMMEMORAZIONE DI TUTTI I FEDELI DEFUNTI

In ogni Messa del mese di Novembre, siete invitati a scrivere i nomi dei vostri defunti nel **LIBRO DELLA** (accanto al 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!



CELEBRIAMO SAN NICOLA

Domenica, 3 Dicembre 2023

3:00pm: Messa Solenne con il comitato di Guardiaregia in Onore di S. Nicola. Seguirà nella sala parrocchiale la distribuzione del pane e fagioli come tradizione. Tutti siete benvenuti!

ROSARIO PER I DEFUNTI A PROSPECT CEMETERY
5 NOVEMBRE alle ore 2:30pm. Tutti siete invitati.

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