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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 8:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 9:15 am Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm

Liturgy of the Hours/Divine Mercy: 1 hour before Masses

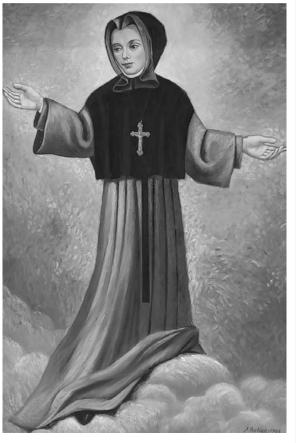
Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 9:15 am

First Friday of the Month: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:15 am Mass till 7:30 pm; Devotions at 6:30 pm; evening prayer with Benediction 7:00 pm, Mass at 7:30 pm

Reconciliation: Tuesday & Thursday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 pm and by appointment.

PARISH SCHOOLS

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Fr. Clair Tipping, 25 Mountainberry Rd.	905-789-1741
Good Shepherd, 28 Red River Dr.	905-791-1039
Our Lady of Providence, 35 Black Oak Dr.	905-458-7080
St. Isaac Jogues, 300 Great Lakes Dr.	905-799-2558
St. John Bosco, 1025 North Park Dr.	905-792-0890
Ven. Michael J. McGivney, 450 Fernforest Dr.	905-792-0630
St. Marguerite d'Youville Secondary School	905-789-5560



"Providence is wonderful, it has means we cannot understand to relieve those who put their trust in it, it provides for everything, in it is my trust."

PARISH MISSION

Marguerite d'Youville's belief in the guidance and loving involvement of God in her life has enabled her to become God's helping hands in the lives of others. In this same spirit, the parishioners of St. Marguerite d'Youville, nourished by the Word and Sacrament are called by God to foster a community of welcome and service. In union with Christ, we reach prayer and out through participation within our parish, our schools, our community and beyond. We offer our gifts and talents to everyone in need and respond in faith to the challenges of our ever-changing world.

25TH SUNDAY IN ORIDNARY TIME



MON, SEP 22 9:15 am	For the health and intentions of Ozzy & Hazel Colaco
TUES, SEP 23 7:00 pm	In thanksgiving for favours received
WED, SEP 24 9:15 am	Honorato Bettencourt †; Patricia Okorie †; For the intentions of Anayo
THUR, SEP 25 7:00 pm	Clara D'Mello †
FRI, SEP 26 9:15 am	
SAT, SEP 27 9:15 am	For All Souls in Purgatory
5:00 pm	Francisco Da Silva †; Elias Noronha †; Lourdes Gonzaga †; Domenic D'Mello †; All Souls in Purgatory †
SUN, SEP 28 9:00 am	Francis Pinto †
10:30 am	In thanksgiving - Velasco & Inlenhous family
12:30 pm	Angelito Olindan †; Sixto Viduya †; Juanito & John Elmer Go †; Paciencia, Juan & Ludano Biding and deceased members †; All Souls in Purgatory; Ofelia Pineda Merino †
8:00 pm	For the People of the Parish

THIS WEEK AT SMDY

Monday, September 22nd

10:00 am - Stitches from the heart

6:00 pm - Bereavement - A journey shared

7:00 pm - Confirmation Registration

7:00 pm - CWL General Meeting

Tuesday, September 23rd

1:00 pm - 55 Plus Club

5:30 pm - Legion of Mary - English

7:00 pm - TMIY

Wednesday, September 24th

7:00 pm - SGFM

7:00 pm - Confirmation Registration

7:30 pm - 9am Choir practice

Thursday, September 25th

7:30 pm - Alpha

7:30 pm - 10:30am Choir practice

Friday, September 26th

7:00 pm - Youth Ministry

Saturday, September 27th

3:30 pm - Children's Choir practice

6:00 pm - International Food Festival

Sunday, September 28th

8:00 am - Legion of Mary - Vietnamese

The Divine Master calls the church the house of prayer. In order to avoid irreverence and imperfections I exhort you in the Lord to:

Enter the church in silence and with great respect.

Take the holy water and make the sign of the cross carefully and slowly.

At your pace, kneel down and render to Jesus the tribute of your presence.

Confide to him all your needs, and those of others.

Speak to him with filial abandonment.

Be very composed when standing up, kneeling down, and sitting.

Carry out every religious act with the greatest devotion.

Be modest in your glance.

Don't turn your head here and there to see who enters and leaves.

Don't laugh.

Don't speak to anybody, except when requested for charity or other strict necessity.

Say the words distinctly, observe the pauses, and never hurry.

Behave in such a way that all those present are edified by you.

Don't leave without asking Jesus for his blessing, and forgiveness for your shortcomings.

Leave the church recollected and calm.

- St Padre Pio (1887-1968), exhortation on how to attend Mass properly

With his feast day coming up this week, (September 23), the wise counsel of a spiritual master can assist us in drawing fruitful graces from our participation in the Eucharist. While most of St. Pio's biographies focus on his many extraordinary supernatural manifestations (stigmata, levitation, clairvoyance, bilocation, miraculous healing) or his pastoral works (the hospital, Casa Sollievo della Sofferenza, prayer groups, time spent in hearing Confessions), the more challenging aspect of Padre Pio's legacy is his hesitation in consenting to celebrate the Novus Ordo mass. While he died before the full promulgation of the Pope Paul VI missal, Padre Pio's opposition to heretical watering down of the faith was plunging him into major conflict with liberal factions within the Church. Padre Pio regarded mass as the perpetuation of the true sacrifice of Calvary and he objected vehemently to Protestant influence trying to make mass more accessible or engaging to a wider audience. His cited checklist serves as a good examination of conscience for all.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Good day, everyone. The focus of our readings this weekend is on the theme of stewardship, managing the things that God has given to us. And believe you me, God has entrusted something to offer all of us, as small and insignificant as it might be.



The reference passage when you talk about stewardship is the very first book of the Bible, the book of Genesis, particularly chapter one, verse 26 and chapter two, verse 15, where we are told that God said, let us make man in our own image and let them rule over the fish of the sea, the birds of the air, over the livestock, and over all the earth.

Everything that makes up reality has been entrusted to us, everything that is good. But we all know that stewardship is one of the most misunderstood words in the Bible. Most people think that it refers to money or to giving your collection on a Sunday, but it is not at all a financial program.

It is the most misunderstood word yet. Still, it is the second most popular theme throughout the entire Bible. Over half of the parables, including our reading this weekend, is all about stewardship.

The key to understanding what stewardship is all about occurs in verse 16 of our gospel reading this weekend, where it is mentioned that the master commended the dishonest steward for acting prudently. That gives a clue as to how we are to conduct our affairs.

As good stewards, we are to be prudent, and it probably begins with how we manage a basic thing as our time. I want to focus on the aspect of time in terms of our stewardship this weekend. Time is a very valuable commodity to be treasured. It is non-renewable and non-transferable. Treasure every moment that you have, because when you lose it said, it's gone. How do you use your time? Do you give significant people in your life the time that they deserve? Or are we always in a rush? Do we put aside the cell phone and social media when necessary? Let us pray this weekend for the ability to be good stewards.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST, 2025

CONFIRMATION

Young people in grade seven or above who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation; must attend **ONE** of the following:

Parent Information and Registration evenings

Monday, September 22nd, 2025

(Good Shepherd, & Blessed Michael McGivney, Fr. Clair Tipping)

Wednesday, September 24th, 2025

(Our Lady of Providence, St. Isaac Jogues & St. John Bosco) Children who attend Private/Public school may attend either information night. ***Items due at time of registration are***

1. Completed Registration Form; 2. copy of Baptismal Certificate & 3. Fee

FIRST RECONCILIATION/COMMUNION

Young people in grade two or above who wish to receive the Sacrament of First Reconciliation/Communion; must attend the registration evening:

Monday, September 29th, 2025 at 7:00pm

(Fr. Clair Tipping, St. Isaac Jogues, Blessed Michael McGivney)

•Wednesday, October 1st, 2025 at 7:00pm

(Good Shepherd, Our Lady of Providence, St. John Bosco) ***Items due at time of registration are***

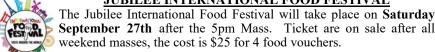
1. Completed Registration Form; 2. copy of Baptismal Certificate & 3. Fee

Forms have been distributed to our parish schools or can be pick up at the parish office or download is available on our website.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Sacraments contact Maura at email: <u>mhernandez@archtoronto.org</u> or call the parish office at 905-792-7497.

Registration forms WILL NOT be accepted before the registration nights!

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RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Interested in becoming Catholic and learning about the faith. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (or RCIA) is the program that allows you to be part of this amazing journey. Those interested are asked to call the office to register. Classes begin on Tuesday, October 14 at



We are also looking for RCIA sponsors in the parish, practicing Catholics to help journey with our candidates, those that are past or the journey of becoming Catholic. If you're interested in journeying with one of our candidates, please let the office know and we will get back to you as soon as possible. Thank you.

MARRIAGE PREP COURSE



The Fall Session dates for the Marriage Preparation Course have now been set; the course will be held for 4 consecutive Saturday's October 25th, Nov 1st, 8th & 15th from 12:00pm - 7pm. \$250.00 per couple. To sign up, please contact the parish office.

SERRA'S VOCATION SEEDS

We cannot serve two masters. Which one are you willing to follow? Could it be you are being called to serve the Master as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email: voca-



tions@archtoronto.org or www.vocationstoronto.ca



If you are interested in volunteering at the parish, please email Linda at LYeh@archtoronto.org with the following information:

1. Your first and last name, phone number and email address. 2.Are you an Adult (18+) or Minor (under 18)

3. Which ministry you are interested in.

DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS!!!

If you use envelopes from a previous years your donation will NOT be attributed to your name!



If you wish to make a donation to the church please use the pink visitors envelopes and make sure you write clearly your full name and address so your donation can be assigned

to your name or pick up a set for this year at the parish office during office hours.

PARISH BOOK STORE

The Parish bookstore is open on the first and third weekend of every month after all Masses. If you are interested volunteering please contact Linda LYeh@archtoronto.org.

THE 55+ CLUB

The club meets weekly on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm 4:00pm. All are welcome! For more information contact Sandy at 905-791-7315 or email: in22@gmail.com

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a charitable Catholic organization, active throughout Canada. The work of the society is to assist those in need who live within our parish boundary. If you are in need of assistance please contact the St. Marguerite d'Youville Conference directly at 647-642-4906 or email: vincentdepaulsmdy@gmail.com

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one and require support, please contact the Bereavement Ministry by email at Bereavement.smdy@gmail.com

STITCHES FROM THE HEART

Stitches from the heart group will resume on Monday September 8th,2025. Everyone is welcome to join us whether you knit or would like to learn. For further information contact Mary at 905 915 8765. Any donation of yarn would be greatly appreciated.

ROSARY APOSTOLATE

Would you like to pray, Mother Mary's most favourable prayer, the Holy Rosary with the children at our schools? The Rosary Apostolate is going back to in person. JOIN US! Training and supplies will be provided. For more information leave a message for Paula at the office.

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary, a world-wide apostolic organization of Catholics, meets every Tuesday: Adults: 6pm and Sundays at 8am for the Vietnamese Legion. Our Lady of Fatima statue will visit your home. For more information, please leave message for Lina Go or Annette Fernando at the parish office.

SMALL GROUP FAITH MINISTRY

"Where two or three come together in my name, I am there with them." (Matthew 18:20) If you would like to apply what you have learned from Scripture, teachings, and practical personal reflection questions, join the SGM meetings on Wednesdays and Saturdays. For more information, email Olivia Saqui at SGFM.smdy@gmail.com



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