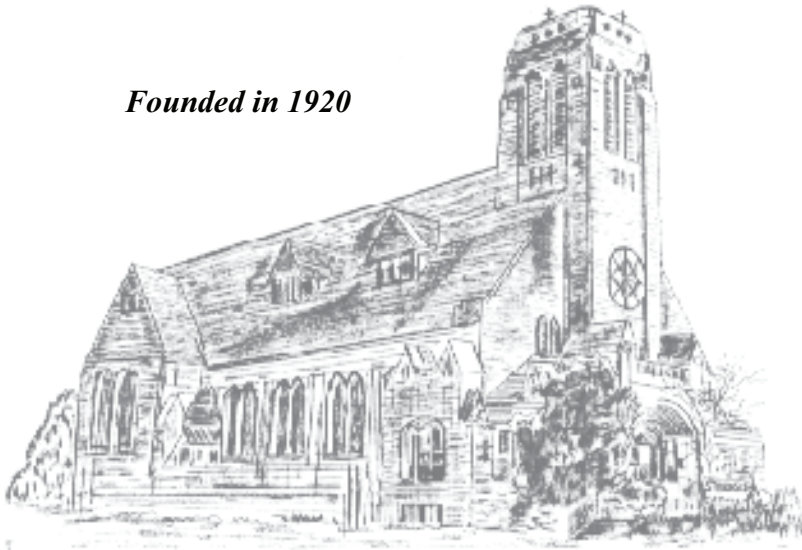


# ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH

**2019: CELEBRATING THE FUTURE / CELEBRANDO IL FUTURO**  
**MOVING TOWARDS OUR CENTENNIAL - VERSO IL NOSTRO CENTENARIO**

*Founded in 1920*



## PASTOR

Rev. Carlos A. Sierra T.



## COORDINATOR OF LITURGICAL MUSIC

Attila Jagodits



## PARISH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

Maria Frassica



## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday  
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
9:30 a.m. (Italian)  
11:00 a.m. (Family Mass)

## WEEKDAY CHAPEL MASSES

Monday - Friday 12:00 p.m.  
Saturday 9:00 a.m.

*Mass is celebrated at 9:00 a.m.  
on weekday statutory holidays.*

## DEVOTIONALS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Mass & Novena  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday 6:00 p.m. to 6:50 p.m.  
Thursday 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.

## ROSARY

Monday - Friday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday 7:30 a.m.

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday 9:30 a.m.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Those interested in having their child(ren) baptized must contact the Parish office to obtain a registration package.

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples engaged to be married must contact the Parish office one year in advance.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

### ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## TRINITY SUNDAY / C

The fundamental dogma, on which everything in Christianity is based, is that of the Blessed Trinity in whose name all Christians are baptized. The feast of the Blessed Trinity needs to be understood and celebrated as a prolongation of the mysteries of Christ and as the solemn expression of our faith in this triune life of the Divine Persons, to which we have been given access by Baptism and by the Redemption won for us by Christ. Only in heaven shall we properly understand what it means, in union with Christ, to share as sons and daughters in the very life of God.

### A SPECIAL PRAYER FOR FATHERS

*God, bless all the fathers in the world. Guide them to be good role models and loving to all their children. Help them to be a father like You are. Give them grace and patience to handle situations in a loving way. Amen. Happy Father's Day to all the Fathers, Grandfathers and Father Figures in our Parish and in our community ~ God bless you!*

### CONGRATULATIONS DEACON MICHAEL NABOR

We are happy to let the St. Brigid's Community know that **Mr. Michael Nabor Corpus**, baptized at our Parish in 1977, was ordained a Deacon at St. Barnabas Parish by His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins. Congratulations Rev. Deacon Michael, be assured of our prayers.

### SHARELIFE 2019 CAMPAIGN

#### LIVING THE GOSPEL BY HELPING HOMELESS YOUTH

On any given night, 6,000 people across Canada between the ages of 16 and 24 have nowhere to call home. This represents 20% of the total homeless population. The ShareLife-supported *Rights of Passage* program at Covenant House is making a positive difference in the lives of homeless youth on the streets of Toronto. The program matches adolescents with mentors who help them build life skills. By supporting ShareLife, you're helping at-risk youth prepare to live life on their own.

**Thank you to everyone that donated to this year's ShareLife campaign. It is not too late to make your donation. Help us to reach our goal! You may donate through our Parish or through [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org).**

### CHILDREN'S CHOIR: SATURDAY, JUNE 22

**The next practice and Mass will take place on Saturday, June 22nd. This will be the last one until September.** We would like to thank all the children that participated in this year's Choir. Special thanks to Daniel Colla for his inspirational instruction and support in starting this choir and leading the children in beautiful song.

### FILIPINO FUN NIGHT - A NOTE OF THANKS

On behalf of Father Carlos Sierra, we would like to express our gratitude to everyone that came out to support our Filipino Fun Night. Special thanks to the organizing committee headed by Joven and Mida Fernandez as well as all the volunteers that took the time to sell tickets, set-up and help out at this event. We are grateful for your support!

## MONTHLY HEALING SERVICE & HOLY MASS SUNDAY, JULY 7 AT 4:00 PM

The next Healing Service and Holy Mass will take place on **Sunday, July 7th** at 4:00 pm in the Church.

### CHURCH RENOVATIONS 2019

Please note that our Church will be closed from **Monday, August 12th to Wednesday, October 16th**. All weekend Masses (Saturdays at 5:00 pm and Sundays at 8:30 am, 9:30 am and 11:00 am) will be celebrated in our Church Hall (entrance through Glebemount Avenue). Daily Masses at 12:00 Noon and the Saturday 9:00 am Mass will be celebrated in the Chapel (entrance from the side ramp). We thank you for your support and patience as we undergo these much needed renovations.

## SEVEN DAYS IN SICILY! AUGUST 14 to 20

St. Brigid's Catholic Church invites you to spend seven days in Sicily! From Tuesday, August 14th to Tuesday, August 20th. Join the many Torontonians going to Pachino, Sicily to take part in the annual Feast of the Assumption.

We will be visiting the magnificent cities of Pachino, Taormina, Caltagirone, Noto, Siracusa and a few more!

If you are interested in knowing more, please contact the Parish office. **The deadline to book is Friday, June 28th.**

**To view the poster and the itinerary please visit: [stbrigids.archtoronto.org/News-Events/Parish Events](http://stbrigids.archtoronto.org/News-Events/Parish_Events). You may also pick up the itinerary at the Church entrances or the Parish office.**

### MISSION CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM SATURDAY & SUNDAY, AUGUST 17 & 18

The Archdiocesan Mission Co-Operative Program plays an important role in connecting the parishes of the Archdiocese of Toronto with the Catholic Church in other parts of the world. This year, we are pleased to introduce our parishioners and community to **Fr. Dexter** from Alagad ni Maria (Disciples of Mary) from Antipolo City, Philippines.

### ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH WILL RECEIVE THE 2019 GREENING SACRED SPACE AWARD

For the last two years, St. Brigid's Church has been part of a case study conducted by The Archdiocese of Toronto Property Department and Faith & the Common Good (FCG), a national environmental, not for profit organization, who piloted an energy benchmarking program in Toronto to improve faith building energy. We were pleased to see that our hydro consumption decreased by 7% in 2017 (versus 2016); we attribute this to the fact that we did an LED lighting retrofit in our Church Hall and Sanctuary in 2017. Through our efforts we not only were the bench mark for other Parishes in the City, but we are also the winners of the 2019 Greening Sacred Space Award; this is truly an honour and we are very pleased to receive it.

**The award will be presented to us at our Pastoral Assembly on Sunday, September 8th.**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### MADONNA ASSUNTA FESTIVAL:

Annual Gala Dinner Dance: **Friday, August 9**

Le Parc Banquet Hall, 8432 Leslie Street

Liturgical Celebration & Festival: **Sunday, August 11**

Starting at St. Brigid's Church

### PASTORAL ASSEMBLY & COMMUNITY BBQ:

**Sunday, September 8**, St. Brigid's Church

### CAR & BIKE SHOW: Sunday, September 15

Le Parc Banquet Hall, 8432 Leslie Street

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

The regular collection for the week ending on June 9th was **\$3,233.50**. Please remember St. Brigid's Parish in your last will and testament. Don't forget to ask us about Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G.).

### SANTISSIMA TRINITÀ / C

La «Sapienza» di Dio è gioia di amare gli uomini. La pagina che ascoltiamo sulla «Sapienza di Dio» parla in profondità del Figlio «Parola vivente» che manifesta il suo ruolo non solo nel tempo e nello spazio dell'universo; ma ci fa intravedere un al di là infinitamente più vasto, un prima, in cui tutto realmente trova la sua ragion d'essere e la sua concreta origine. Questa rivelazione ci fa conoscere che Dio, nel suo sempre, ha pensato ininterrottamente e con infinita predilezione all'uomo, ponendolo al centro dell'universo.

### UNA PREGHIERA PER LA FESTA DEL PAPÀ

*Benedici, o Signore, il mio padre! Benedici la sua lunga e operosa giornata. Concedigli la forza di affrontare il lavoro con serenità, di adempierlo con gioia, di concluderlo con soddisfazione. Fa che tornando trovi nella sua casa pace per il suo riposo e nei nostri affetti il migliore compenso per il suo sacrificio. Concedigli, anche per noi, una lunga vita rasserenata dal nostro affetto. Buona festa del papà a tutti i padri e i nonni nella nostra parrocchia e nella comunità ~ Dio vi benedica!*

### RISTRUTTURAZIONI DELLA CHIESA

La nostra Chiesa sarà chiusa da lunedì 12 Agosto a mercoledì 16 Ottobre. Tutte le Messe Domenicale (il Sabato alle 5:00 pm e le Domenica alle 8:30 am, alle 9:30 am e alle 11:00 am) saranno celebrate nella nostra sala Parrocchiale (entrata a Glebemount Avenue). Le Messe giornaliere alle 12:00 pm e la Messa del Sabato alle 9:00 am saranno celebrate nella Cappella. Vi ringraziamo per il vostro supporto.

### SETTE GIORNI IN SICILIA! AGOSTO 14 - 20

La Chiesa di S. Brigida ti invita a trascorrere sette giorni in Sicilia! Da Martedì 14 Agosto a Martedì 20 Agosto. Se siete interessati per sapere di più, contatte l'ufficio parrocchiale. La scadenza per prenotare è Venerdì 28 Giugno.

### COLLETTA SETTIMANALE

La colletta regolare di 9 Giugno e' stata **\$3,233.50**. Per favore, ricordate la nostra parrocchia nel vostro testamento. Avete mai pensato che la vostra parrocchia puo' essere "il terzo figlio della carità" nel vostro testamento?

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, June 15th

9:00 a.m. San Pio di Pietralcina, req. by Gruppo di Preghiera S. Brigida

11:00 a.m. **Wedding Mass:** Fabrizio Stasolla & Veronica Criollo

5:00 p.m. +James Monaghan, req. by Paul Monaghan  
+Vincenzo Santaremo, req. by Maria Calo & Family

### Sunday, June 16th ~ Trinity Sunday

8:30 a.m. **Mass Pro Populo ~ Mass For All Parishioners**

9:30 a.m. Per Tutti I Defunti Delle Famiglie Campanelli & Loizzo, req. by Lucia Loizzo

+Santo Visconti, req. by Antonietta Visconti & Family

+Carmelo Grosso, req. by Nicolina Grosso

+Carlo Villacci, req. by Pasqualina Villacci & Family

+Carmine Schiavo & Pierina Caruso, req. by the Family

+Luigi Di Marco, req. by the Family

+Vincenzo Fragale, req. by Pietrina Fragale

+Salvatore Biagini, req. by the Family

+Alfredo & Fedele Sollecito, req. by Sestito Family

+Vincenzo, Vito & Enzo Sestito, req. by Sestito Family

+Pietro & Pasquale Macchione, req. by Sestito Family

+Antonio & Maria Granata, req. by Tina Morlando

+Emilio, Alfredo & Angelina Bruno, req. by the Family

+Luigi Francella & Franco Mandarino, req. by the Family

+Rab Concepcion, req. by Joseph Rampino

+Grazia Cusma, req. by the Parish

11:00 a.m. For All the Souls in Purgatory, req. by Maria Calo & Family

+Paolo Calo, req. by Maria Calo & Family

+Leonardo & Ambrogio Masellis, req. by the Family

+Dionisio Burgos Sr., req. by the Family

+Buenaventura Fernandez, req. by Joven & Mida Fernandez

+Pietro Angelone, req. by the Parish

### Monday, June 17th

12:00 p.m. +Onorino Ruggiero, req. by Rocchina Ruggiero

+Maria De Manche, req. by Patrick & Carmel Galvin

### Tuesday, June 18th

12:00 p.m. +Giovannina Lobo, req. by Lucia Del Grande

### Wednesday, June 19th ~ St. Romuald

12:00 p.m. +Betty McShane, req. by Frances McShane

6:00 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
Meditation, Vespers-Liturgy of the Hours

7:00 p.m. **Novena Mass:** Our Lady of Perpetual Help

### Thursday, June 20th

10:00 a.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

12:00 p.m. +Maria Mendicino, req. by Guglielmo & Carmine De Fusco

7:00 p.m. **Memorial Mass:** +Angelo Pagniello

### Friday, June 21st ~ St. Aloysius Gonzaga

12:00 p.m. In Thanksgiving for Graces Received,  
req. by Bill & Cathy Betsworth

### Saturday, June 22nd ~ St. Paulinus of Nola, St. John Fisher

9:00 a.m. +Shane Beal, req. by the Parish


5:00 p.m. +Joan Turner, req. by the Family

*Please pray for all our parishioners, friends and family suffering with illnesses, especially, Bishop Robert Kasun, Nelda Montesa, Marta Delle Fave, Ethan Shoot, Eva Cioffi, Thomas Richardson, Maria Distasio, Josie Reilly, Gianna Penna-Avveduto, Consiglia Lamanna, Maria Sgrignuoli, Maria Avarino, Ray Dwyer, Allan Roxas, and Joe Cavataio.*



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