# ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH 300 Wolverleigh Blvd., Toronto, ON M4C 1S6



#### EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

#### Saturday

Such		
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil
Sunday		
	8:30 a.m.	English
	9:45 a.m.	Italian
	11:00 a.m.	Family Mass
Monday		
	12:00 p.m.	Daily Mass
Tuesday		
	12:00 p.m.	Daily Mass
Wednesday		
	11:30 a.m.	Eucharistic Adoration & Prayer
	12:00 p.m.	Mass, followed by Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help
Thursday		
	11:30 a.m.	Eucharistic Adoration
	12:00 p.m.	Daily Mass
Friday		
	12:00 p.m.	Daily Mass
* 1 <sup>s</sup> Friday of each month – 11:30 a.m.		

Adoration followed by Daily Mass

#### CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. in the chapel and on request by calling the Parish office.

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Please contact the Parish office to obtain a registration package.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

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

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Brigid's Elementary School:Principal:Kevin Kerr(416) 393-5235

St. Patrick Secondary School: Principal: Tim McGrenere (416) 393-5546

NOTE: Mass is celebrated at 9:00 am on weekday statutory holidays

Pastor: Fr. Shibil John Pariyathupadavil | Parish Office Manager: Bruna Amabile | Liturgical Music: Attila Jagodits

Telephone #: (416) 696-8660 | Email: <u>stbrigids@archtoronto.org</u>

Parish Office Hours | Monday - Wednesday - Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. | (Closed: 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.) Website: www.stbrigids.archtoronto.org | Facebook: St. Brigid's Catholic Church | Instagram: st.brigidscatholic

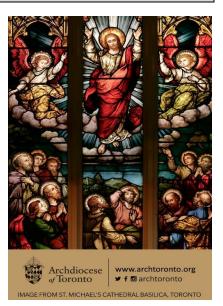
# **GOSPEL REFLECTION**

Before His ascension, Jesus tells His apostles, and us, to go into the world and spread the Gospel. To be authentic stewards we can't hang up our faith on the door as if it were a jacket we took off when we walked into the office. Rather, we should realize that living as a disciple of Christ at all times and showcasing the joy of being a Catholic is perhaps the greatest good we can do in evangelizing our neighbour.

# **ASCENSION OF THE LORD**

#### The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

Celebrates the entry of Jesus' humanity into divine glory in God's heavenly domain, 40 days after his Resurrection. From Catechism of the Catholic Church Glossary



# HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL MOMS IN THE WORLD!

As we celebrate Mother's Day, we would like to thank all moms for their generous, irreplaceable love and sacrifice.

Blessing for Mother's Day Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you give life and care for your Church. Bless these women, as we celebrate this day in their honor. May they be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor and appreciate them with a spirit of profound respect. May the example of Mary, mother

of Jesus, inspire them to live their vocation as Christian mothers and call their children to faith. Guide and protect them in challenging times and help them to continue to trust in you all the days of their life. Grant this through

Christ our Lord. Amen.

# MAY IS DEDICATED TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



"We intentionally and wholeheartedly honour, celebrate and venerate the Blessed Ever Virgin Mary, who was entrusted to us by Our Lord on the Cross as our spiritual Mother and entrusted us to her as her beloved children." ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS LEO

To read Archbishop Leo's Message on the Month of The Blessed Mother check our bulletin boards or visit: https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan /archbishop-leos-message-on-the-month-of-the-blessedmother/

# ST. MATTHIAS, APOSTLE - MAY 14

After the Ascension of Jesus, St. Peter proposed to the assembled faithful that they choose a disciple of Christ to fill the place of the traitor Judas in the first missionary band. Lots were drawn, with the result in favor of Matthias.



St. Matthias, pray that we may become worthy witnesses to the resurrection of Jesus in the way we live the eternal life we have right now.

# VICTORIA DAY LONG WEEKEND

Due to the Victoria Day holiday Monday, May 20, Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am and the Parish office will be closed. We wish everyone a safe & happy long weekend.



## WEEKLY COLLECTION

Our regular collection last week was > **\$2,426.45**. We "Thank you" for your contribution to our church. Please remember to ask us about Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G)

# **RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO**

Prima della sua ascensione, Gesù dice ai suoi apostoli, e a noi, di andare nel mondo per spargere il Vangelo. Per essere autentici steward non possiamo appendere la nostra fede alla porta come se fosse una giacca che ci togliamo quando entriamo in ufficio. Piuttosto, dovremmo renderci conto che vivere come discepoli di Cristo in ogni momento e mostrare la gioia di essere cattolici è forse il bene più grande che possiamo fare nell'evangelizzare il nostro prossimo.

# PREGHIERA PER LA FESTA DELLA MAMMA 12 MAGGIO



O Maria, A te affidiamo ogni mamma, che con speranza ti guarda e ti prega. O Maria, Vergine fedele, ai piedi della croce ci hai i nsegnato come stare nel dolore. A te affidiamo og ni mamma, che soffre e geme pe r i suoi figli. O Maria, Regina del Cielo, nella casa con gli apostoli in attesa dello Spirito Santo ci hai insegnato a sperare contro ogni speranza. A te affidiamo ogni mamma, che desidera e chiede la felicità dei suoi figli. Madre tenerissima, resta con noi nel faticoso viaggio della vita, insegnaci a patire amando e quando la notte sarà scacciata dall'alba senza fine sorridi anche a noi mentre varchiamo la soglia dell'eternità. Amen.

# FESTA DI VICTORIA DAY- 20 MAGGIO

Il lunedi del Victoria Day, la messa sarà celebrata alle 9:00 del mattino e l'ufficio parrocchiale sarà chiuso. Auguriamo a tutti un lungo weekend sicuro e felice.

# **RACCOLTA SETTIMANALE**

La nostra raccolta della settimana scorsa e stata **\$2,426.45**. Vi ringraziamo per il vostro contributo alla nostra chiesa. Ricordati di chiederci informazioni sulle donazioni preautorizzate (P.A.G)

# PATRONATO INCA



Il Signor Daniele Spataro sarà a disposizione presso la nostra parrocchia mercoledì 8 maggio e mercoledì 22 maggio dalle ore 9.00 alle ore 13.30 nella sala della chiesa.

Se avete bisogno di fissare un appuntamento con il Sig. Daniele Spataro del Patronato Inca

per incontrarvi presso la nostra Parrocchia, vi preghiamo di contattarlo direttamente a **416-781-0712**.

Si prega di non chiamare l'ufficio della chiesa per gli appuntamenti Inca. Grazie.

# MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

#### Monday, May 13

12:00 pm Holy Mass

Tuesday, May 14 St. Matthias

12:00 pm †Nick Lamacchia: by the Family

## Wednesday, May 15

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration & mid-day Prayer
12:00 pm †Felicetta & Paolo Lobozzo: by Lucia Del Grande
12:30 pm Novena: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

#### Thursday, May 16

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 pm †Veronique Rapatel: by Emily Salmins

#### Friday, May 17

- 12:00 pm †Domenico, Carmine & Concetta Iacoviello: by Lucia Melino
- 1:30 pm WEDDING: Ian Bryan & Chantel Marsh

#### Saturday, May 18

5:00 pm Holy Mass

#### Sunday, May 19 Pentecost Sunday

- 8:30 am Mass Pro Populo ~ Mass for All Parishioners
- 9:45 am †Oreste Magnatta: by the Family †Lina & Joe Miniacci: by Sara Accardi
  11:00 am †Giuseppe Cornacchia: by Giovanna Cornacchia †Robert Edward James: by Maria Quintana James †James Cooney and all deceased members of the Family: by the Cooney Family †Gertude, Michael Sembaj and all deceased members of the Family: by the Cooney Family †Thomas Mervin: by Susan Mervin Sembaj and Family

In questo mese di maggio dedicato alla nostra Beata Vergine Maria preghiamo per tutti i nostri parrocchiani che soffrono di malattie.



In this month of May dedicated to our Blessed Mother Mary, through her intercession we pray for all our parishioners suffering with illness.



# **Banns of Marriage**

A promise of marriage has been made between

Ian Bryan & Chantel Marsh

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