

St. Brigid's Roman Catholic Church

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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	English
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	English
	10:00 a.m.	Italian
	11:30 a.m.	English (Children's Liturgy)
	3:00 pm	Ethiopian Ge'ez Mass (Fr. Binyam Yacob)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday 12:00 Noon

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment

DEVOTIONS

Wednesday	11:30 a.m.	Adoration
	12:30 p.m.	Novena: O.L. of Perpetual Help
Thursday	11:00 a.m.	Adoration
First Friday	11:30 a.m.	Adoration

Notes:

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

* All regular Masses are livestreamed via website

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are scheduled on Sundays following the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Please contact the Parish office to obtain a registration package.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples engaged to be married are kindly asked to contact the Pastor at least one year in advance.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND ELDERLY

Please call the parish office to request a visit for the infirm or elderly for Holy Communion & Sacrament of the Sick.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith and considering the possibility of becoming Catholic are asked to contact the Pastor or Parish office.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the office to register with our Parish.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

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

St. Patrick's Secondary School: (416) 393-5546 Principal: Michael Connolly

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Catholic Pastoral Centre: (416) 934-0606

Office of Vocations: (416) 968-0997

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

Central Business Office: (416) 733-8544

GOSPEL REFLECTION

The woman in the first reading was able to give from her material wealth to support the prophet, Elisha. However, while we may not have the same material wealth, we all possess the wealth of our time. As stewards we should reflect on how we can use our time to serve Christ and the church.

THANK YOU!

Thank you once again to all those who came to continue the outdoor clean-up and planting session that occurred on June 27th. All your hard work has made our grounds even more beautiful!

Thank you as well to our Children's Choir and Adult Choir that provide us with such lovely singing. They will be taking a break for the summer months.



PARISH COUNCIL

If you wish to contact the Parish Council with any items for consideration and discussion at their next meeting being held on Monday, June 29, you may do so by contacting them at: stbrigidcouncil1920@gmail.com

CANADA DAY



Please remember the daily Mass on Canada day will be moved to 9:00am on July 1st. The office will also be closed and reopen on July 2nd.

In the recent message from Frank Cardinal Leo for Canada day, he invites *“everyone to celebrate Canada Day with gratitude and reverence for the gifts that God has bestowed upon us. I would also ask that you pray for our beautiful land, its people, and its institutions (1Tim 2:1-2). May we never cease to reflect, to ask difficult questions, and to recover something essential about who we are (cf. Caritas in Veritate, 76-77). “We are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for good works” (Eph 2:10; cf. CCC 1803-1804). The future of our country will not be determined only in public debates or political decisions but will be shaped—quietly and steadily—in the hearts of its people (cf. Fratelli Tutti, 94-98).”*

YOUTH GROUP

St. Brigid's Youth Group will be taking a break for the summer months! Have a safe and enjoyable summer!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Our Children's Liturgy will take a break for the summer and will resume in September. Thank you to everyone who attends and participates in this ministry.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Graduation marks the end of one chapter and the beginning of another. As you close your high school books, open your heart to a journey of spiritual growth and community. Join a campus ministry for an opportunity to grow deeper in your faith, form lasting friendships, and experience university/college life in a different way. Your next adventure awaits - let it start with purpose! Check out Chaplaincy Connect at chaplaincyconnect.ca to find your Catholic home on campus.



WOMEN OF KILDARE

The Women of Kildare are pleased to announce the Spring Tea that was held in May raised a total of \$1,500 for the church. Thank you to everyone who supported this initiative through either volunteering their time, attending the event or supporting quietly from the sidelines.

RCIA PROGRAM 2027



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process offered to adults who would like to become fully initiated into the life of the Roman Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

Qualifications:

- At least 16 years of age
- Non-Catholics wanting to become Catholic
- Baptized Catholics wanting to be fully initiated into the Catholic Church (to receive the Sacraments of First Communion and/or Confirmation)

Enrolment for RCIA will begin in the Autumn of 2026.

For more information, please contact the Parish Office.

SHARELIFE



Your support of ShareLife connects young parents with necessary resources

Three months after welcoming her baby, young mother Annie was overwhelmed—physically exhausted, emotionally drained, and feeling completely alone. Thanks to you, she found Vita Centre, a Catholic Charities agency you support through ShareLife, where young parents receive counselling, education, and a supportive community to navigate life's challenges.

Counselling and practical programs became her lifeline. Today, with renewed confidence and a sense of possibility, she is considering going back to school. You made this possible. You can help young mothers like Annie find hope, healing, and a brighter future.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

POTENTIAL WATCH PARTY

IF Canada advances to the Round of 16, we will be hosting a watch party on **July 4 at 1:00 pm** in our Parish Hall. Bring your own food and non-alcoholic drinks. Come dressed in your favourite team gear or Canada jersey!



Pray for the soul of

*†Sylvia Guerra
†Paterno Guerra*



**Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.**

**May the souls of all the faithful
departed, through the mercy of God, rest
in peace. Amen.**

RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

Gesù rivendica per sé il primato assoluto su tutto e tutti. Gli affetti familiari più cari e le amicizie più sincere non devono mai essere d'impedimento alla relazione più profonda che per il cristiano è quella con Dio. La nostra accoglienza e il rispetto sono dovuti anche agli uomini e alle donne dedicati al servizio di Dio.

FESTA DEL CANADA



Vi ricordiamo che la messa feriale del Canada Day si terrà il 1° luglio alle ore 9:00. L'ufficio parrocchiale rimarrà chiuso e riaprirà il 2 luglio.

Nel recente messaggio del Cardinale Frank Leo per la Festa del Canada, egli *“invita tutti a celebrare la Festa del Canada con gratitudine e riverenza per i doni che Dio ci ha elargito. Chiedo inoltre di pregare per la nostra splendida terra, per il suo popolo e per le sue istituzioni (1 Tim 2,1-2). Che non cessiamo mai di riflettere, domande difficili e di riscoprire qualcosa di essenziale su chi siamo (cfr. Caritas in Veritate, 76-77). “Siamo opera sua, creati in Cristo Gesù per le buone opere” (Ef 2,10; cfr. CCC 1803-1804). Il futuro del nostro Paese non sarà determinato solo dai dibattiti pubblici o dalle decisioni politiche, ma si plasmerà – silenziosamente e costantemente – nei cuori del suo popolo (cfr. Fratelli Tutti, 94-98).”*

SHARELIFE



Il tuo sostegno a ShareLife mette in contatto i giovani genitori con le risorse necessarie.

È possibile effettuare una donazione presso la parrocchia utilizzando una busta ShareLife, online tramite il sito web parrocchiale o su sharelife.org/donate.

SAVE THE DATE



The annual Feast of the Assumption of Mary Mass will be held on Sunday, August 16 at 3:00pm.

La messa annuale per la festa dell'Assunzione di Maria si terrà domenica 16 agosto alle ore 15:00.

Banns for Ordination

Mr. Francesco Joseph Rampino is to be ordained to the Sacred Order of Diaconate for the Archdiocese of Toronto on September 26, 2026, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. Please remember him in your prayers.

Canon Law (c. 1043 and 1051§2) obliges Catholics to reveal any impediments to Sacred Orders to the Bishop or Pastor.

MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

Saturday, June 27

5:00 pm Thanksgiving Blessings to our Lady of Perpetual Help

Sunday, June 28

8:30 am Mass Pro Populo – Mass for All Parishioners
10:00 am †Guglielmo De Fusco
†Paolo e Felicetta Lobozzo
†Nicola e Carmela Liscio
†Giuseppe Cavataio
†Filomena e Gioacchino Cornacchia
†Giovannina Dattoli
11:30 am †Heleodoro Ataide
3:00 pm Ethiopian Ge'ez Rite Mass

Monday, June 29 – Sts. Peter and Paul

12:00 pm Mass Pro Populo – Mass for All Parishioners

Tuesday, June 30

12:00 pm † James and Danilo Dalida

Wednesday, July 1 – Canada Day

9:00 am † Teresa De Caires

Thursday, July 2

9:30 am Funeral: Sylvia and Paterno Guerra
11:00 am Adoration
12:00 pm †Nicola and Carmela Liscio
7:00 pm Memorial Mass: †Corradina Tumminieri

Friday, July 3

11:30 am First Friday Adoration
12:00 pm †Jose and Rosalina Milan

RCIA PROGRAM 2027



Il Rito di Iniziazione Cristiana degli Adulti (RICA) è un percorso offerto agli adulti che desiderano essere pienamente iniziati alla vita della Chiesa Cattolica Romana attraverso i Sacramenti del Battesimo, della Confermazione e dell'Eucaristia.

Requisiti:

- Avere almeno 16 anni
 - Non cattolici che desiderano diventare cattolici
 - Cattolici battezzati che desiderano essere pienamente iniziati alla Chiesa Cattolica (per ricevere i Sacramenti della Prima Comunione e/o della Confermazione)
- Le iscrizioni al RICA inizieranno nell'autunno del 2026. Per ulteriori informazioni, si prega di contattare l'Ufficio Parrocchiale.

POTENZIALE GRUPPO DI GUARDA

Se il Canada si qualificherà agli ottavi di finale, organizzeremo una festa per seguire la partita il **4 luglio** alle **13:00** nella nostra sala parrocchiale. Portate cibo e bevande analcoliche. Venite vestiti con l'abbigliamento della vostra squadra del cuore o con la maglia del Canada!

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