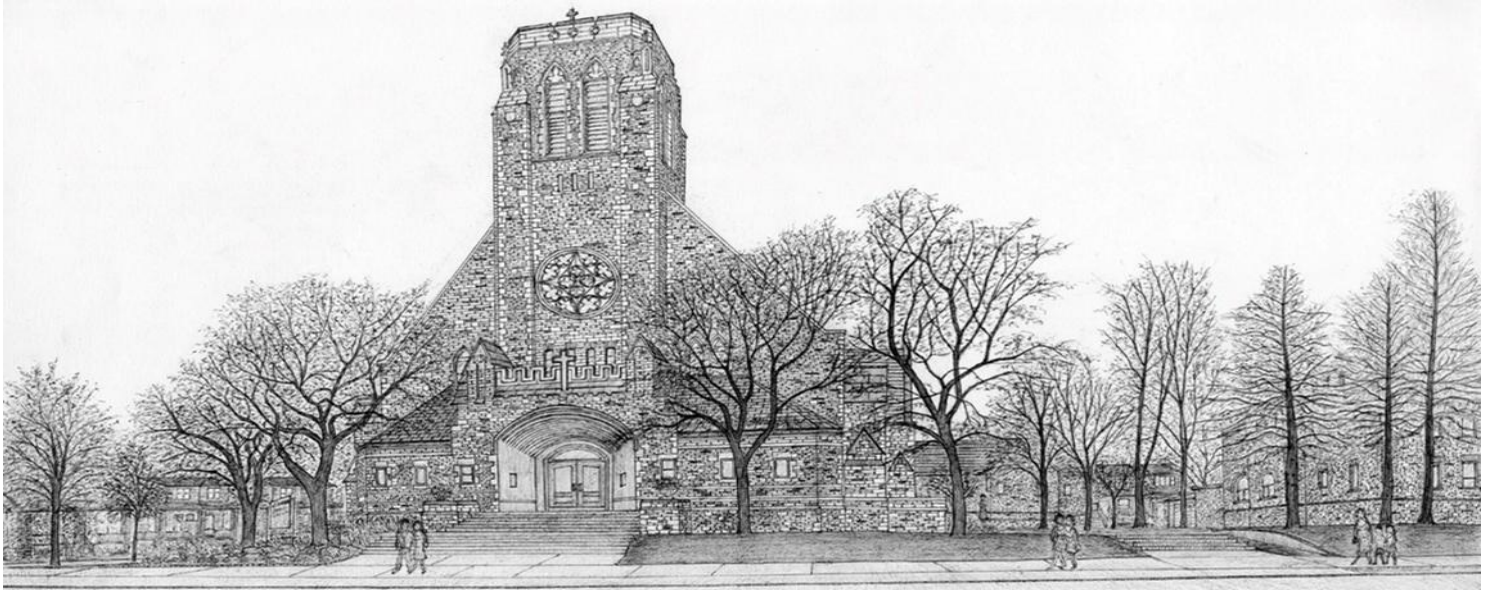


St. Brigid's Roman Catholic Church

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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)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	12:00 Noon
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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Brigid's Elementary School:

Kevin Kerr - (416) 393-5235

St. Patrick's Secondary School:

Tim McGrenere - (416) 393-5546

Please call the office to register with our Parish

Pastor: Rev. Ernesto De Ciccio (Fr. Ernie)

Parish Office Manager: Bruna Amabile

Telephone #: (416) 696-8660 | **Email:** stbrigids@archtoronto.org

Parish Office Hours | Monday - Friday 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 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](https://www.instagram.com/st.brigidscatholic)

GOSPEL REFLECTION

It is through the crucifixion that Christ defeats Satan and triumphantly attains our salvation, allowing us to enter our heavenly home. As we approach the Holy Triduum, let us take some time each day this week to reflect on the passion of Christ. We can do this in many ways such as praying the Stations of the Cross or the sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, reading the passion narratives in the Bible or simply gazing upon a crucifix.

LENT & HOLY WEEK 2025



Palm Sunday: April 13, 2025

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Mass Times: 8:30am | 10:00am (Italian) | 11:30 am



Chrism Mass: April 15, 2025 - 11:00 AM

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

Celebrant & Homilist: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo



Holy Thursday: April 17, 2025

Mass: 8:00 pm



Good Friday: April 18, 2025

Children's Service: 10:00 am

Passion of The Lord: 3:00 pm

St. Brigid's Passion Play: 7:30 pm



Holy Saturday: April 19, 2025

Easter Vigil: 8:00pm



Easter Sunday: April 20, 2025

Mass Times: 8:30am | 10:00am (Italian) | 11:30 am

EASTER FLOWERS



Please consider donating Easter Flowers / Lillies to the church this Easter for our Altar. We want St. Brigid's to be the most beautiful church! Thank you for your contribution.

SERRA CLUB



The Serra Club is a lay organization with a mission to encourage and support vocations to consecrated life. The next meeting of the Serra Downtown Toronto Club, open to all, will take place on **Wednesday April 16** in the St. Basil's Parish Hall following the 12:10 pm Mass.

The guest speaker will be Gabriel Marania, Program Co-ordinator at the Archdiocese of Toronto Office of Vocations. Gabriel will speak about the Totus Tuus ("Totally Yours") summer camp program offered in parishes throughout the Archdiocese.

Please join for Mass and to learn more about Serra's important work. St. Basil's Church is located at 50 St. Joseph St. off Bay Street just north of Wellesley Street.

SPECIAL COLLECTION – NEEDS OF THE HOLY LAND

The Good Friday, **April 18** collection "Needs of the Holy Land" is a Pontifical request in support of Christian communities, the works of the Holy Land and the upkeep of Holy Sites. Let us give generously to respond to the needs of the Church in the land of Jesus. It is needed more than ever!

EASTER HOLIDAY PARISH OFFICE HOURS



The parish office will be closed on Good Friday **April 18** and Easter Monday **April 21**. Monday April 21 daily Mass will be celebrated at **9:00 am**.

Wishing you all a blessed Easter Holiday. May your homes be filled with joy, peace and love.

CATHOLIC REGISTER

Good news, those interested in the weekly Catholic Register will now be able to obtain their copy directly from the church, just in time for Easter. Please note that parishioner subscriptions have been discounted.

PERPETUAL MASS CARDS

Perpetual Mass Cards from the Society of the Divine Word (SVD) are now available at St. Brigid's and can be obtained by calling the office. There are many beautiful images to choose from and are available in both English and Italian for \$20 each.

2025 SHARELIFE



Your devotion enables the Office of Catholic Youth to fulfill their mission of helping youth and young adults to encounter, love and serve Jesus Christ. Through your loving support of ShareLife, young people are empowered to become Christian leaders who know Christ and have a growing relationship with Him. We remind you that our next Sharelife Collection dates are **May 4 and June 8**.

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

THANK YOU / GRAZIE

A special thanks to Joe Egan, Attila Jagodits, Mario Vecchio & Franca Arabia and all the volunteers that helped prepare & serve the soup & bread, provided music and great insight on the topic of Forgiveness. Thanks to all, our Twilight Retreat was a great success!

PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND

Father Ernie will be leading a group of pilgrims from St. Brigid's to Ireland on **August 18 to 29, 2025**. This 12-day journey of faith will cost \$5,595 per person (Toronto departure including all taxes & tips, double occupancy) with breakfast, dinner and great accommodations. Do not miss this wonderful opportunity to journey in faith to the land of St. Brigid and St. Patrick. Please call Henry on 647-272-2811.

RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

È attraverso il crocifisso che Cristo sconfigge Satana e ottiene trionfalmente la nostra salvezza, permettendoci di entrare nella nostra dimora celeste. Mentre ci avviciniamo al Triduo Santo, prendiamoci del tempo ogni giorno di questa settimana per riflettere sulla passione di Cristo. Possiamo farlo in molti modi, come pregare la Via Crucis o i misteri dolorosi del Rosario, leggere i racconti della passione nella Bibbia o semplicemente contemplare un crocifisso.

FIORI DI PASQUA



Si prega di considerare di donare fiori di Pasqua/gigli alla chiesa questa Pasqua per il nostro altare. Vogliamo che St. Brigid's sia la chiesa più bella!

Vi ringraziamo per la vostra continua generosità!

COLLETTA – TERRA SANTA

La colletta del Venerdì Santo, **18 aprile**, "Bisogni della Terra Santa" è una richiesta pontificia a sostegno delle comunità cristiane, delle opere in Terra Santa e della manutenzione dei Luoghi Santi. Doniamo generosamente per rispondere ai bisogni della Chiesa nella terra di Gesù. Ce n'è bisogno più che mai!

MESSE PERPETUE

Le Messe Perpetue della Società Del Verbo Divino (SVD) ora sono disponibili qui a Santa St. Brigida e possono essere ottenute chiamando l'ufficio. Sono disponibili numerose splendide immagini tra cui scegliere, sia in inglese che in italiano, al prezzo di 20 dollari l'una.

ORARI D'UFFICIO PARROCCHIALE



L'ufficio parrocchiale rimarrà chiuso Venerdì Santo **18 aprile** e il Lunedì di Pasqua **21 aprile**. Lunedì 21 aprile la messa quotidiana verrà celebrata alle ore **9:00 am**.

Auguriamo a tutti voi una serena Pasqua. Che le vostre case siano piene di gioia, pace e amore.

MASS INTENTIONS
INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

Saturday, April 12

PALM SUNDAY VIGIL

8:00 pm Pro Populo – For All Parishioners

Sunday, April 13

PALM SUNDAY

8:30 am Pro Populo – For All Parishioners

10:00 am Pro Populo – For All Parishioners

11:30 am Pro Populo – For All Parishioners

Monday, April 14

12:00 pm †Maria & Giovanni Naccarato

Tuesday, April 15

12:00 pm †Felicetta & Paolo Lobozzo

4:00 pm **WEDDING:** Jacob La Brier & Sabrina Basta

Wednesday, April 16

11:30 am Adoration

12:00 pm †All deceased members of the Romano & Dwyer families

†Rosalbino & Giuseppina Iannitelli

†Reverend Eugene W. Tremble O.S.A.

†Vito & Brigida Tassone

†Vito & Mariarosa Viscomi

†Lucia, Marco, Carmen and all deceased members of the Maglietta families

†Luigi Lamanna

12:30 pm Novena Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday, April 17

HOLY THURSDAY**THE LORD'S LAST SUPPER**

8:00 pm Pro Populo – For All Parishioners

Friday, April 18

GOOD FRIDAY – PASSION OF THE LORD

10:00 am Children's Service

3:00 pm Good Friday Service

7:30 pm Passion Play

36TH ANNUAL PASSION PLAY 2025

*Out of infinite love, He bore the Cross for us—
let us come together in prayerful reflection.*

Join us on **Friday, April 18, at 7:30 p.m.** at St. Brigid Parish for a deeply moving reenactment of the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ, lovingly presented by the youth and adults of our faith community. Now in its 36th year, this solemn production invites us to walk with Christ in His suffering, death, and ultimate sacrifice for our salvation.

Please arrive early for seating.

With heartfelt gratitude, we thank our sponsors for their generosity in making this event possible: The Maria Assunta Committee, Lakeside Wellness Therapy Affiliates, and Summerhill Prestige Real Estate Ltd.





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