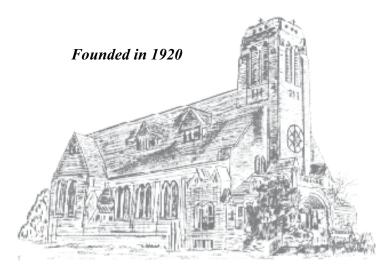
ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH

HONOURING OUR TWO PATRON SAINTS - ST. BRIGID OF KILDARE & ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA



PASTOR Rev. Carlos A. Sierra T. COORDINATOR OF

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PARISH OFFICE MANAGER Bruna Amabile

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m. (Vigil) Sunday 8:30 a.m. 9:45 a.m. (Italian) 11:00 a.m. (Family Mass)

DAILY 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.*

EUCHARISTIC 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

Please contact the Parish office to set up a time to see the pastor

*Seasonal Schedule

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 at least one year in advance.

PARISH SCHOOLS

ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC SCHOOL

50 Woodmount Avenue, Toronto, ON M4C 3X9Principal:Kimberley BlanchetTelephone:(416) 393-5235

ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL

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ST. BRIGID'S OUT OF THE COLD PROGRAM

Please Call the St. Brigid's Parish Office: (416) 696-8660

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GOSPEL REFLECTION

"You say that I am a King..." (John 18.33b-30)

On this final Sunday of the liturgical year, we celebrate Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. As we enter the season of Advent, let us reflect on how we can put God at the center of our lives.

WEEKLY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

"Spending an hour with Jesus is the only thing relating to himself that he specifically asked of us, when he said in the Garden of Gethsemane; "So, could you not watch with me one hour?" «Matthew 26:40»

All are welcome to the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm with the liturgy of the hours, followed by Novena Mass, and every Thursday from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon followed by benediction and daily Mass.

2021 YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH



Joseph, who placed your hope in the Lord, *Pray for us.* Joseph, who experienced the unconditional love of Jesus and Mary,

Pray for us. Joseph, whose poverty was turned into treasures in God.

Pray for us. Joseph, who taught Jesus how to pray, *Pray for us.*

Light of the Patriarchs, You enlighten our path by welcoming the One who is the Light of the world.

Patron of the dying, You accompany us on our journey into Life.

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fROM ACT OF ENTRUSTMENT TO SAINT JOSEPH BY THE CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS (CCCB)

December 8th will end the special year dedicated to St. Joseph as the Patron Saint of the universal Church, and Patron Saint of Canada. All our prayers dedicated to him will be offered at a special Mass on **Wednesday December** 8th at 7:00 pm when we celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

ARCHDIOCESAN DAY OF CONFESSIONS THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16th

On **Thursday, December 16th** starting at **7:00 pm** in the Church, we will celebrate the Archdiocesan Day of Confession in preparation for the season of Advent. Please wear a mask and keep physical distance while in the Church.

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY: IMAGINING THE CHURCH'S FUTURE

"Synod" comes from an ancient Greek word meaning "walking together on the road." There have been many synods in the history of the Church, but Pope Francis tells us this synod is a way of listening to and discerning what the Holy Spirit is telling us at this moment as the Church enters its third millennium.

Over the next two years, the Church will undergo this synod process. The process began on Sunday, October 10, when Pope Francis celebrated a Mass at St. Peter's Basilica in the Vatican. Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, was there for this historic occasion.

The synodal journey will next go to the dioceses around the world where local Masses will be celebrated for synodality.

This synod will put a special emphasis on listening to the people of God. The Church will hear the opinions and feedback of the faithful through February 2022. Then the Church will examine this feedback at a continental level from September 2022 to March 2023. These findings will then be discussed at a traditional synod of bishops at the Vatican in October 2023.

The goal of the synod process is to listen honestly to as many people as possible (including those who are not regular church attenders) to create practical recommendations to further our mission of evangelization. According to the Vatican, the goal of this synod is not to create more documents, but to "inspire the people of God to dream about the Church we are called to be."

A NOTE OF THANKS & GRATITUDE FROM THE CONSOLATA MISSIONS

I take this opportunity to thank you for the prayers and financial support you have sent us by collaborating with us on our missionary journey. Thank you for the sacrifice you make to always help us. It is a sign of love and collaboration in the mission of Christ and above all in the formation of future missionaries. "Asante Sana". Thank you very much for your help. God bless you all. Once again, thank you for supporting our mission. United in prayer; St. Brigid pray for us, *Fr. D. Pendawazima, IMC*.

MASS INTENTIONS

We are now booking Mass Intentions for 2022. Please call or visit the Parish office to book your intentions for your beloved departed or for Special Blessings. A \$20 donation is requested for each Mass intention.

2022 DONATION ENVELOPES



The **2022 donation envelopes** are ready for pick-up. They are located at the back of the Church and are in alphabetical order. Please contact the Parish office if you have moved or changed your contact information. All information is kept private and confidential.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The regular collection for the week ending on November 7th, was \$2,318.05. Please remember St. Brigid's Church in your last will and testament. Don't forget to ask us about Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G.)!



A "BIG" Thank You to all our St. Brigid's community for your generous contributions to the ShareLife campaign which we can proudly say, we have fulfilled the proposed goal.

RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

«Tu lo dici: si sono Re...» (Giovanni 18.33b-37) In quest'ultima domenica dell'anno liturgico, celebriamo Nostro Signore Gesù Cristo, Re dell'Universo. Mentre entriamo nel tempo di Avvento, riflettiamo su come possiamo mettere Dio al centro della vita.

GIORNATA DELLE CONFESSIONI GIOVEDÌ, 16 DICEMBRE

In preparazione per larrivo di Avvento il Giovedì, 16 Dicembre, alle 7:00 pm, la nostra chiesa di Santa Brigida celebrera la Giornata Arcidiocesana delle Confessioni. Siete tutti invitati. Si prega di Indossare una maschera e osservare le distanze fisicha.

INTENZIONI DELLE MESSE

Ora stiamo prenotando le intenzioni delle Messe per l'anno 2022. Potete chiamara o visitare l'ufficio parrocchiale per prenotare le tue intenzioni per i tuoi cari defunti o per le benedizioni speciali. Ogni intenzione delle messe è di una donazione di \$20.00.

RINGRAZIAMENTI DA UNA PARROCCHIA MISSIONARARIA IN ARGENTINA

Colgo l'occasione per ringraziarvi per la preghiera e il sostegno economico che ci avete mandato colaborando nel nostro cammino missionario. Grazie per il sacrificio che fate per aiutarci. E' un segno di amore e collaborazione alla missione di Cristo e sopratutto all a formazione dei futuri missionari. Grazie mille - "asante sana". Grazie mille per l'aiuto, cosi possiamo avere un mezzo didactico per la missione.

Sono molto grato. In comunione di preghiera in questi giorni che riccordiamo i nostri morti. Dio vi benedica. Grazie. Padre. *D. Pendawazima, IMC*.

COLLETTA SETTIMANALE

La colletta regolare della settimana 7 Novembre e' stata **\$2,318.05**. Grazie per la vostra contribuzione per aiutare alle spese della chiesa. Dio vi recompense. **Avete mai pensato che la vostra parrochia puo' essere "il terzo figlio della carità" nel vostro testamento?**

MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONI DELLE MESSE

Saturday, Nov 20th

9:00 am 5:00 pm	In honour of St. Padre Pio, req. by Gruppo di Preghiere di San Padre Pio †Antonietta & Francesco Turco, req. by Joe Naccarato †Melina Reyes, req. by Vanessa Coxson †Robert Edward James, †Santiago Quintana, †Paul Strabec, †Robert Coffey, †Isaac Rodrigues, req. by Maria Quintana James †Francesco Cicciarelli, req. by the Cicciarelli Family	
Sunday, Nov 21st - « Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe »		
8:30 am 9:45 am	Mass Pro Populo ~ Mass for All Parishioners †Giuseppe & Rosa Cozzi, req. by Chiara & Nicola Grande †Domenico & Marta Grande, req. by Chiara & Nicola Grande †Giuseppe & Lauretta Casciaro, req. by Ita Spada †Rita & Michelo Doto, req. by the Doto Family †Ippolito & Giovanna Parise, req. by Lina & Family †Giuseppe, Marianna & Ada Parise req. by Figlia e Famiglia †Maria Francesca Sacco, req. by I Genitori †Salvatore Frasca, req. by the Family ‡Angelo Pagniello, req. by the Pagniello Family	

	TANTONIO Meglio, req. by Sara Meglio		
	†Rita Maione, †Giovanni & Maria Carpino req. by the Family		
11:00 am	All deceased members of the Doria & Totino Family, req. by		
	the Doria Family		
	†Lucia Perillo, req. by Rose Perillo & Kristen		
	†Joachim Francis & Mary Antonia Xavier, req. by the Xavier		
	Family		
	†Celestine & Gertrude Lawrencepillai, req. by the Xavier		
	Family		
	†Barbara Lawrencepillai, req. by the Xavier Family		
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†Francesco Paolo Doto req. by the Meglio Family

†Anthony Lauretta req. by Filippo & Josie Palandra & Family

Monday Nov 22nd - « St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr »

12:00 pm Special Healing Blessings for all those suffering from illness, req. by the Parish

Tuesday, Nov 23rd

12:00 pm †Giovannina & Angelina Iannitelli, req. by Joe Naccarato

Wednesday, Nov 24th - « St. Andrew Dùng-LAC »

12:00 pm	†Anthony Joseph req. by the Jacob Family
6:00 pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	Meditation, Vespers - Liturgy of the Hours
7:00 pm	Novena Mass: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday, Nov 25th

12:00 pm	†Francesco Berardelli, req. by Joe Naccarato
	†Rachael Santeramo, req. by the Calo Family

7:00 pm Memorial Mass: †Silvia Turina Scofano, req. by the Family

Friday, Nov 26th

12:00 pm For all deceased members of the Loizzo & Campanelli Families, req. by Lucy Loizzo

Saturday, Nov 27th

- 9:00 am +Richard, Mary & Roger McCrurie, req. by Joe Naccarato
- 5:00 pm †Nicolo Corradino, req. by the Moore Family †Raffaele Mirra, req. by the Family

"One who desires nothing, but God is rich and happy."

St. Alphonsus Liguori

