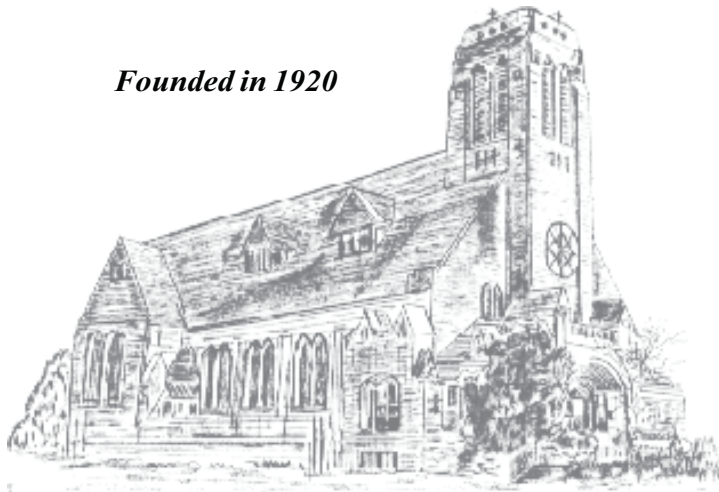


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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday

9:30 a.m. - 12:00 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.\*

## 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

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

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*\*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

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Telephone: (416) 393-5235

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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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## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Jesus says in the Gospel that “everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” As stewards we should always strive to love others, but we should remember that love isn’t reserved solely for grand gestures but can also be displayed through small charitable acts. St. Therese of Liseux tells us to “*miss no single opportunity of making some small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there by a kindly word; always doing the smallest right and doing it all for love.*”

## A FOND FAREWELL FOR FATHER CARLOS



Please join us on June 26th at the 11:00 am Mass for a special farewell celebration for Father Carlos.

Following Mass, all are welcome in the church hall to give Fr. Carlos their good wishes over refreshments.

## WELCOME FATHER SHIBIL



Please join us in extending a warm welcome to our new Pastor, Fr. Shibil John Pariyathu Padavil. Fr. Shibil will be joining our Parish effective June 29<sup>th</sup>.

Father Shibil comes to us from St. Fidelis Parish. We look forward to getting to know him and wish him all the best during his ministry in our parish.

## CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to all the children who received their First Holy Communion this weekend. May they be fed with Jesus’s love and grace and may they always welcome his living presence.

## SPECIAL COLLECTION: MAY 21 / 22 POPE’S PASTORAL WORKS

The *Pope’s Pastoral Works* collection allows the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly in aiding victims of war, famine and natural disasters. By contributing to the Pope’s Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity.

## ELECTION DEBATE FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

The Archdiocese of Toronto is pleased to announce that we will host another “Election Debate from a Catholic Perspective” on **Wednesday, May 18** starting at 7:30 p.m. Anyone can watch the debate live on the Archdiocese of Toronto’s YouTube channel or Facebook page or on Salt+Light TV. The debate will also be available for catch-up viewing on the Archdiocese of Toronto’s social media channels.

## VICTORIA DAY LONG WEEKEND: MAY 23rd



Due to the Victoria Day holiday Monday, Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am and the Parish office will be closed.

## A THANK YOU FROM OUT OF THE COLD

"The Volunteers of the St Brigid's Out of the Cold program would like to thank the parishioners of St Brigid's for their generous donations to the December OOTC Fundraising Campaign and to the Purple Lenten bags. From February 18th to September 2nd over 15 weeks we served 939 meals to the food insecure. From November 18th to April 21st over 23 weeks we served 1778 meals. You are making a difference."

## 2021 / 2022 SISTER SUSAN MORAN VOLUNTEER AWARD

Congratulations to Jackie Rodriguez the **2021** Award Winner for her dedication and hard work with the Out of the Cold Program. She has been involved in this great cause for over 20 years. Her organization, cooking skills and delicious recipes were very much welcomed and enjoyed by the needy in our community.



Congratulations to Father Carlos the **2022** Sister Susan Moran Award Winner. Fr. Carlos was instrumental in linking our community with other Out of the Cold Programs. Working with other religious leaders he succeeded in getting our politicians to recognize the Out of the Cold Program and in acquiring financial aid for the program from the City of Toronto.

The St. Brigid’s community is proud of these two outstanding Sister Susan Moran Volunteer Award winners!

## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



Saturday, June 4th, 2022.  
11:00 am



Thank you for your donations towards our ShareLife Campaign. Thus far we have raised \$12,327 toward our goal of \$31,000. **The next ShareLife collection will take place on the weekend of June 4th & 5th. Please give generously.**

## FEAST OF SAINT ANTHONY: JUNE 13

Please join us on **Monday, June 13th at 7:00 pm** as we celebrate a special Mass in honour of Saint Anthony. There will be a blessing of bread in honour of this great Saint. **“Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak.”** - St. Anthony of Padua

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

The regular collection for the week ending on May 8th, was **\$2,181. 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.)!**

### RIFLESSIONE

Gesù dice nel Vangelo che "tutti sapranno che siete miei discepoli, se avrete amore per l'un l'altro." Come amministratori dovremmo sempre sforzarci di amare gli altri, ma dovremmo ricordare che l'amore non è riservato solo ai grandi gesti, ma può anche essere mostrato attraverso piccole carità.

Santa Teresa di Liseux ci dice di *“non perdere una sola occasione di fare qualche piccolo sacrificio, qui da uno sguardo sorridente, lì da una parola gentile; sempre facendo il più piccolo bene e facendo tutto per amore”*.

## UN AFFETTUOSO ADDIO A PADRE CARLOS



Unisciti a noi il 26 giugno alla messa delle 11:00 per una celebrazione speciale in onore di Padre Carlos. Dopo la Messa, tutti sono i benvenuti nella sala della chiesa per dare i loro auguri a Padre Carlos e per un rinfresco.

## BENVENUTO PADRE SHIBIL



Un caloroso benvenuto al nostro nuovo Parroco, Padre Shibil John Pariyathu Padavil che sarà con noi a partire dal 29 giugno.

Padre Shibil viene della parrocchia di St. Fidelis. Accogliamo con vero cuore qui a Santa Brigida per la riuscita del suo ministero tra noi.

## FESTA DI SANT’ ANTONIO

Lunedì 13 Giugno alle ore 7:00 pm celebreremo una Messa speciale in onore di Sant’ Antonio con la benedizione del pane in onore di questo grande Santo.

## COLLETTA SETTIMANALE

La colletta regolare della settimana 8 maggio e’ stata **\$2,181** Grazie per la vostra contribuzione per aiutare alle spese della chiesa. Dio vi recompense.

## FESTA DEL VICTORIA DAY : 23 MAGGIO



A causa della festa del Victoria Day, lunedì 23 Maggio la Messa sarà celebrata alle 9:00 del mattino e l'ufficio parrocchiale sarà chiuso.

## MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONI DELLE MESSE

### Saturday May 14th « St. Matthias »

- 9:00 am Special Blessings for all the children receiving their Sacrament of First Holy Communion, req. by the Parish
- 5:00 pm †Antonio Meglio, req. by the Family  
†Robert Edward James, †Santiago Quintana, †Paul Strabec, †Isaac Rodriguez, req. by Maria Quintana James  
†Angela Tadili & †Emilio Tadili, req. by Lydia Tadili & Family  
†Nick Lamacchia, req. by the Family

### Sunday May 15th

- 8:30 am **Mass Pro Popolo ~ Mass for All Parishioners**
- 9:45 am †Rocco & Leonardo Lamanna, req. by Nicolina Grosso and Concetta Romagnuolo  
†Antonia & Assunta Orlandi, req. by Maria Ambrosini & Family  
†Raffaele Accardi, req. by Sara Accardi  
†Lina Miniaci, req. by Sara Accardi  
†Giuseppina Bonaci e tutta la famiglia Accardi, req. by Sara Accardi  
†Angela & Pasquale Gagliano, req. by Maria Ambrosini & Family  
†Per la memoria del cogniato Antonio Natoli, req. by Giuseppe Frassica e Famiglia  
†Luisa Berti, req. by the Family
- 11:00 am †Teresa Lomaistro, req. by Lucia Loizzo

### Monday May 16th

- 12:00 pm †Daisy Chow, req. by Lucia Loizzo

### Tuesday May 17th

- 12:00 pm †Carmine, †Domenico & †Concetto Iacoviello, req. by Lucia Melino
- 7:00 pm **MEMORIAL MASS:** †Lucia Diano, req. by the Family

### Wednesday May 18th

- 12:00 pm †Antonija Ovcjak, req. by the Catholic Refugee Sponsors Council
- 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 May 19th

- 10:00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 12:00 pm †All souls in purgatory, req. by Lucia Loizzo

### Friday May 20th

- 12:00 pm †Assunta Cascone, req. by Maria Valentini

### Saturday May 21st

- 9:00 am †Rosie Natalizio, req. by Vanessa Coxson  
†Pasquale Melino, req. by Gruppo di Padre Pio di Santa Brigida  
Chaplet of San Padre Pio
- 5:00 pm †Elisabetta Campanelli, req. by Lucia Loizzo




Let us pray for all our parishioners, friends, and family suffering with illnesses, especially,  
❖ Zoey Hills

**“As I have loved you, so you also should love one another.” – John 13:34**

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