

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

(Closed 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.)

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 to Friday 12:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.

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

DEVOTIONALS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Mass & Novena

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday 6:30 p.m. to 6:50 pm.

Thursday 11:00 a.m. to 11:50 p.m.

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

Those interested in having their child(ren) baptized must contact the Parish office to obtain a registration package. Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month after the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

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 3X9

Principal: Richard Walo

Telephone: 416-393-5235

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49 Felstead Avenue, Toronto ON M4J 1G3

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ST. BRIGID'S OUT OF THE COLD PROGRAM

Please call St. Brigid's Parish office: 416-696-8660

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GOSPEL REFLECTION

In today's Gospel we read about Lazarus and the rich man who had all he wanted in this life but clearly lacked charity. The rich man was spiritually impoverished, whereas Lazarus was spiritually prosperous. When you can keep your eyes on what is most important in life, spiritual wealth, it will make the other hardships you endure less burdensome. Reflect upon what your own "sores" are in life. They may be varied in type, degree and number from those of other people's sufferings, but they will be encountered in your life. As you identify your suffering, turn your eyes from it to the presence of God in your soul, and allow His presence to fill you with the riches of His grace.

NEEDS OF THE CHURCH COLLECTION SEPTEMBER | 24 - 25

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) is involved in national and international areas of pastoral activity. Each year, the CCCB is asked to speak out, show leadership or provide guidelines for the faithful on a wide variety of topics. Your gifts are used by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops to represent Canadian Catholics in national and international pastoral activity. You may use the envelopes located at the entrances of the church. Thank you for your support of this important work.

K OF C WELCOME SUNDAY | SEPT 25



The St. Brigid's Knights of Columbus are pleased to host a "Welcome Sunday" in the Parish Hall after the 11:00 am Mass Sunday, September 25th. Light refreshments will be served. Take this opportunity to meet your fellow parishioners. We hope to see you all there!

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL | SEPT 29

Patron Saint of the Archdiocese of Toronto



The job of Michael the Archangel, the one "who is like God, is to defend us against evil and lead us away from temptation. St. Michael's mission is an important reminder to us about our own lives. The prayer of St. Michael reminds us of the daily struggle to accept the gifts that God has given us and strive to use them for His glory. We are called to turn away from sin and temptation and use God's gifts to seek our salvation. For the grace to do that, we may ask for the intercession of St. Michael in our time of need. May God bless all of us and our Archdiocese on this feast of our patron, St. Michael the Archangel.

NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION | SEPT 30

This year's National Day for Truth and Reconciliation will take place on Friday, September 30th. Cardinal Collins will preside at the 7:30 am Mass from St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica with participation from Indigenous members of the community. All are welcome in person or via livestream at: www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/

INDIGENOUS HEALING & RECONCILIATION FUND COLLECTION | OCTOBER 1 & 2

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the weekend of October 1/2 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation. Funds will support culture and language revitalization, education, and community building. This is an opportunity to follow the invitation of the Holy Father made earlier this year for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. Please use the orange envelopes located at the entrances of the church. Thank you for your generosity.

2023 SACRAMENT REGISTRATION

Registration packages for the 2022/2023 Sacrament Program are now available. You may obtain a copy by:

- ◆ picking up a copy at the Parish Office.
- ◆ at all Masses by seeing an usher.
- ◆ visiting our website at:



For First Communion:

<https://stbrigid.archtoronto.org/en/our-ministries/sacramental-programs/first-reconciliation--first-holy-communion/>



For Confirmation:

<https://stbrigid.archtoronto.org/en/our-ministries/sacramental-programs/confirmation/>

Completed registration forms and all requirements listed in the package must be submitted at the registration nights listed in the package.

COMMUNION PROTOCOL

As a result of disrespectful findings of the "consecrated host", new protocols have been implemented during communion service. Two ushers will be positioned at the front of the sanctuary during Communion to ensure proper consumption of the consecrated host. We thank you for your co-operation and understanding.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The regular collection for last week was **\$2,853.45**. 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.)

Season of Creation Reflection: "Everything is related, and we human beings are united as brothers and sisters on a wonderful pilgrimage, woven together by the love God has for each of his creatures and which also unites us in fond affection with brother sun, sister moon, brother river and mother earth." (LS 92)

RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

La parabola del povero Lazzaro e del ricco benestante ci esorta a far buon uso delle ricchezze e ad avere premura per i piccoli e i poveri. Su queste cose saremo giudicati dopo la morte, per cui siamo invitati a convertirci finché c'è tempo.

FESTA DI SAN MICHELE ARCANGELO



29 SETTEMBRE: Il compito dell'Arcangelo Michele, colui "che è come Dio, è quello di difenderci dal male e di allontanarci dalla tentazione. La missione di San Michele è un'importante promemoria per noi sulla nostra vita. La preghiera di San Michele ci ricorda la lotta quotidiana per accettare i doni che Dio ci ha dato e sforzarci di usarli per la Sua gloria. Siamo chiamati ad allontanarci dal peccato e dalla tentazione e ad usare i doni di Dio per cercare la nostra salvezza. Per la grazia di farlo, possiamo chiedere l'intercessione di San Michele nel momento del bisogno. Che Dio benedica tutti noi e la nostra Arcidiocesi in questa festa del nostro patrono, San Michele Arcangelo.

RACCOLTA DI GUARIGIONE E RICONCILIAZIONE PER L' INDIGENI

I cattolici di tutta l'arcidiocesi di Toronto sono invitati a partecipare alla raccolta che si terrà il **1° & 2° ottobre** per sostenere i Fondi indigeni di guarigione e riconciliazione. Questa è l'occasione per seguire l'invito del Santo Padre rivolto all'inizio di quest'anno a ciascuno di noi per impegnarsi nel cammino di guarigione e riconciliazione. I fondi sosterranno la rivitalizzazione della cultura e della lingua, l'istruzione e la costruzione della comunità. Si prega di utilizzare le buste situate agli ingressi della chiesa. Grazie per la vostra generosità.

PROTOCOLLO DI COMUNIONE

A seguito di irrispettosi ritrovamenti dell'"ostia consacrata", sono stati attuati nuovi protocolli durante il servizio di comunione. Durante la Comunione saranno posizionati due uscieri davanti al santuario per garantire il corretto consumo dell'ostia consacrata. Vi ringraziamo per la vostra collaborazione e comprensione.

COLLETTA SETTIMANALE

La colletta regolare della settimana è stata **\$2,853.45**. Grazie per la vostra contribuzione per aiutare alle spese della chiesa. Dio vi ricompensa.

We congratulate and pray for
Simona Speciale
William John Armellin
Elisa Marie Adele Gloria Balagot
on receiving the Sacrament of Baptism.
May God bless, guide & protect them.

Let us pray for the soul of
+Giuseppe Cornacchia
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the soul of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.



MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

Monday, September 26th Saints Jean De Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues & Companions, Saints Cosmos & Damian

12:00 pm †Luigi & Giuseppe Melino, req. by Lucia Melino
 †Margaret, Joe & Paul, req. by Julie Pradham

Tuesday, September 27th St. Vincent de Paul

12:00 pm Holy Mass

Wednesday, September 28th St. Wenceslaus, St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions

12:00 pm †Jose Pedro (Joseph) Valador, req. by the Family
 6:30 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 Meditation, Vespers – Liturgy of the Hours
 7:00 pm **Novena Mass:** Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 †Greg Green, req. by Attila & Kelly Jagodits

Thursday, September 29th Sts. Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael

11:00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 12:00 pm In honour of St. Michael, St. Gabriel & St. Raphael, req. by Josie & Filippo Paladino
 †Joseph & Magdalene Family, req. by Julie Pradham

Friday, September 30th St. Jerome | National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

12:00 pm For the children who died in residential schools

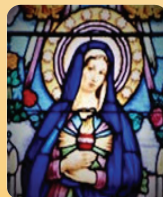
Saturday, October 1st St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus

9:00 am Holy Mass
 5:00 pm All deceased members of the Tela Family, req. by the Family
 Healing Blessings for Stephan White, req. by Theresa

Sunday, October 2nd

8:30 am **Mass Pro Populo ~ Mass for All Parishioners**


9:45 am †Per tutti i defunti della Famiglia De Fusco, req. by Guglielmo De Fusco
 †Santo Visconti, req. by Antonietta Visconti
 †Salvatore Biagini, req. by Geffa Biagini & Family
 †Maria Francesca Sacco, req. by i Genitori
 †Berardino Filardi, req. by Donato, Giovanni & Rosa Filardi
 †Krystyna Cordeiro Harasym, req. by Sara Accardi
 †Joseph Bernardo Ciddio, req. by Lydia Ciddio
 †Assunta Scarcelli e i suoi genitori, req. by il marito Nicola
 †Joe Zappula, req. by Lucia Loizzo
 †Franco, Fedele & Filomena Sannella, req. by the family
 11:00am †Nella Galea, req. by Franca & Marisa
 †Don McNab, req. by the Fernandez Family



We pray to our Blessed Mother Mary for our parishioners, friends, and family suffering with illnesses.

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