

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH

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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Saturday

5:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday

8:30 a.m. English

9:45 a.m. Italian

11:00 a.m. Family Mass

Monday

12:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Tuesday

12:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Wednesday

11:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Prayer
Mass, followed by Novena to
our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday

11:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Friday

12:00 p.m. Daily Mass

NOTE: First Friday of each month at 11:00 am please join us for an Holy Hour of Adoration followed by Mass at Noon in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday

9:00 a.m. Daily Mass

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

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays:

9:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. and

4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. in the chapel

and on request by calling the Parish office

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Please contact the Parish office to obtain a registration package.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples engaged to be married must contact the Parish office at least one year in advance.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Brigid's - Elementary: Richard Walo (416) 393-5235

St. Patrick - Secondary: Tim McGrenere (416) 393-5546

ST. BRIGID'S OUT OF THE COLD PROGRAM

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

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

Parish Office Hours | Monday to Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. | (Closed: 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.)

Website: stbrigids.archtoronto.org | **Facebook:** St. Brigid's Catholic Church | **Twitter:** @StBrigidsTO


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REFLECTION

Advent is a time to prepare for the Lord's coming on Christmas Day as well as his final coming at the end of time. It is also a moment to remind ourselves that our own individual judgement day is coming too, where we will stand before the throne of God and give an account of all the gifts and blessings we have received. Let us take this Advent to re-examine how we are being stewards of the gifts in our lives and recommit to fully living the Gospel.

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION | DECEMBER 8th

Please join us as we celebrate a special Bilingual Mass for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception on Thursday, December 8th, 2022, at 7:00 pm.



The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
DECEMBER 8

Father, you prepared the Virgin Mary to be the worthy mother of your Son. You let her share beforehand in the salvation Christ would bring by his death, and kept her sinless from the first moment of her conception. Help us by her prayers to live in your presence without sin. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

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ANNUAL OUT OF THE COLD CHRISTMAS COLLECTION | DECEMBER 10th & 11th

Our Out of The Cold Program continues to prepare home cooked takeaway meals for those in need. We thank the cooks and volunteers for making this possible. Thank you to our parishioners and all who continue to donate program. There will be a special collection on the weekend of December 10th & 11th to support the preparation of the Christmas takeaway meals.

2023 DONATION ENVELOPES



The 2023 donation envelopes are now available and are located at the front entrance of the Church in numerical order. If you don't know your envelope number, please refer to the binder with names

listed in alphabetical order or see an usher for assistance. We Thank you for your cooperation.

**THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
CANDLE: PEACE**



During this second week of advent, we reflect on our lives and work on becoming better versions of ourselves in preparation for Jesus' coming. We remember the journey Joseph and Mary took from Nazareth to Bethlehem.

**ST. BRIGID'S DAY OF CONFESSIONS
DECEMBER 16th**

Please join us as we celebrate the Archdiocesan Day of Confessions in preparation for the season of Advent on



Friday, December 16th.
11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

2022 ~ 2023 CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE



Saturday, December 24th Christmas Eve Vigilia di Natale	5:00 pm	Family Mass
	10:30 pm	Christmas Carols
	11:00 pm	Bilingual
Sunday, December 25th Christmas Day Giorno di Natale Nativity of The Lord Nativita di Gesù	8:30 am	English
	9:45 am	Italian
	11:00 am	Family Mass
Monday December 26th	No Masses	
Saturday, December 31st New Years Eve	5:00 pm	English
	8:30 am	English
Sunday, January 1st Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Solennità di Maria, Madre di Dio	9:45 am	Italian
	11:00 am	Family Mass

RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

La figura di Giovanni Battista ci sollecita alla conversione. Non facciamo cadere invano le sue parole benché esigenti. Il Signore viene, il regno dei cieli è vicino, ma non ci sarà nulla per chi si sarà fermato ai buoni propositi. Dio non si ferma alle apparenze ma legge nei cuori.

SECONDA DOMENICA DI AVVENTO

La Seconda Settimana di Avvento significa Fede. Ci ricorda di preparare la via del Signore Gesù.

Com'è scritto nel libro degli oracoli del profeta Isaia: Voce di uno che grida nel deserto: Preparate la via del Signore, raddrizzate i suoi sentieri! Ogni burrone sia riempito, ogni monte e ogni colle sia abbassato; i passi tortuosi siano diritti; i luoghi impervi spianati. Ogni uomo vedrà la salvezza di Dio! (Luca 3, 4 – 6)

SOLENNITÀ DELL'

IMMACOLATA CONCEZIONE | 8 DICEMBRE



Unitevi a noi l'8 di dicembre alle 7:00pm per la Messa solenne in onore della festa dell'Immacolata Concezione. La messa sarà celebrata sia in inglese che in italiano.

CONFESSIONI DI AVVENTO

La nostra chiesa di Santa Brigida celebrerà la Giornata Arcidiocesana delle Confessioni. Siete tutti invitati il:

Venerdì, 16 Dicembre

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

BUSTE DONAZIONE 2023

Le buste per le donazioni 2023 sono ora disponibili e si trovano all'ingresso principale della Chiesa in ordine numerico. Se non conosci il numero della tua busta, fai riferimento al raccoglitore con i nomi elencati in ordine alfabetico o chiedi assistenza a un usciere. Vi ringraziamo per la collaborazione

We pray to our Blessed Mother Mary for all suffering with illnesses.



Preghiamo la nostra Beata Maria per tutti i parrocchiani e amici malati.



"The giver of every good and perfect gift has called upon us to mimic His giving, by grace, through faith, and this is not of ourselves."

— St. Nicholas



Confirmandi Homily Reflections

Sunday Stars of the week

CONGRATULATIONS
Noah Toma
&
Isabel Paul-Batista

We congratulate and pray for



Emilia Louise Tammam
Juliano Roman Paolo Vaccarella
Amadu David Kamara
Brianna Isatu Kamara
Monre Carl Delahaye-McKenzie
Monte Carl O. McKenzie

On receiving the Sacrament of Baptism.

MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

Monday, December 5th

12:00 pm †Regina Long, req. by Mary Beth Law
†Silvia Norori, req. by Tania Ferrufino

Tuesday, December 6th St. Nicholas

12:00 pm †Angelo Cornacchia, by Gilda Cornacchia
†Leonardo Ambrosini, req. by Maria Ambrosini

Wednesday, December 7th St. Ambrose

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration & mid-day Prayer
12:00 pm †Elaina Romita, req. by the Family
12:30 pm **Novena:** Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday, December 8th Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Eucharistic Adoration &
Noon Mass cancelled for this Thursday only

6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm **Solemn Mass:** Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday, December 9th St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin

12:00 pm For the personal intentions of Ignacio

Saturday, December 10th Memorial of Our Lady of Loreto

9:00 am Holy Mass

5:00 pm †Nicolo & Leonarda Corradino, req. by Marianna Martin

Sunday, December 11th

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

9:45 am Per tutti defunti della famiglia DeFusco, req. by Guglielmo DeFusco

Per tutti defunti della famiglia Valentini, req. by Maria Valentini

In Onore di Santa Lucia, by Antonietta Visconti

†Carmelo Grosso, req. by Nicolina Grosso

†Angelo Pagnello, req. by the Family

†Nicola Grande, req. by the Paladino Family

†Antonino Spano Greco, req. by the Family

11:00am †Giacomo Savatti, †Vanda Savatti, †Giuseppe Loiacono, req. by Grace Savatti & Family

†Barbara Lawrence Pillar & †Lawrence Suosaitason req. by Chrysantha Xavier

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