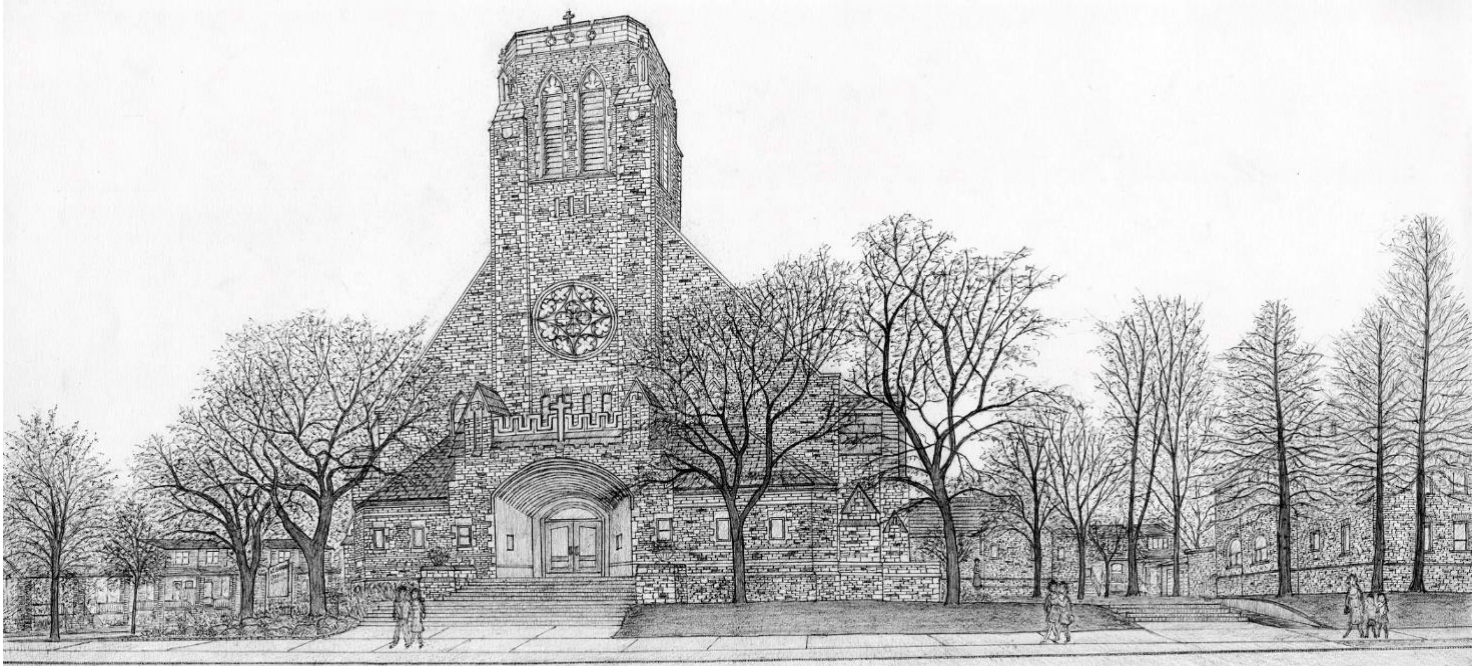


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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

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
12:00 p.m. our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday

11:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Friday

12:00 p.m. Daily Mass

* 1st Friday of each month - 11:30 a.m.
Adoration followed by Daily Mass

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

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

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 School:

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GOSPEL REFLECTION

Since evangelization is a core aspect of stewardship we should heed the words of St. Paul who says “woe to me if I do not proclaim the Gospel!” Firstly, in order for us to encourage people to follow Christ we must take the time to journey with them. It is in these interactions that they will be able to see the joy and love that emanates from the presence of Christ within us.

YEAR OF PRAYER 2024



Pope Francis announced the start of a Year of Prayer in preparation for the Catholic Church's 2025 Jubilee Year. In his Angelus address, the pope said that a Year of Prayer starting on Jan. 21 will be “a year dedicated to rediscovering the great value and absolute need for prayer in one's personal life, in the

life of the Church, and in the world.” In preparation for the 2025 Jubilee Year - entitled “Pilgrims of Hope” - 2024 has been designated as the Year of Prayer by Pope Francis. There will be a particular focus on the Our Father, which presents us with a great opportunity to go back to the basics of prayer.” A jubilee is a special holy year of grace and pilgrimage in the Catholic Church. It typically takes place once every 25 years. For more information on the Jubilee visit the official website at: [Homepage \(iubilaeum2025.va\)](http://Homepage (iubilaeum2025.va))

ASH WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 14



Ash Wednesday is one of the most important holy days in the liturgical calendar. It opens Lent, a season of fasting and prayer.

Following are the Ash Wednesday Masses:

12:00 pm	English
7:00 pm	Bilingual Mass

STATIONS OF THE CROSS - FEBRUARY 16




Please join us every Friday evening beginning February 16th at 7:00 pm, throughout the Lenten season as we pray the Stations of the Cross in both English and Italian in our Church.


WEEKLY COLLECTION

Our regular collection last week was: > \$1,999.70.
We “Thank you” for your contribution to our church.

FEBRUARY CATECHISM CLASSES

	Reconciliation	February 10
	Confirmation	February 24

PASSION PLAY REHEARSAL DATES FOR FEBRUARY

	February 4- 11- 18-25	4:00- 6:00 pm
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ARCHBISHOP LEO THANKS YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE 2023 SHARELIFE PARISH CAMPAIGN

Dear brothers and sisters,

It is with immense joy that I extend my heartfelt appreciation to each one of you for your kind and compassionate support of ShareLife. In my brief time as archbishop, I have been deeply moved by the sensitive and giving spirit that pervades our archdiocese. Your commitment to demonstrating love through tangible actions truly inspires me. In the biblical account of the multiplication of the loaves, we witness the profound impact that love can have. Just as Jesus multiplied the loaves to feed the hungry crowd, your compassion multiplies blessings for those on the fringes of society. May you continue to be moved by His love for us and inspired to share your blessings with our brothers and sisters.


Find the complete letter posted on our bulletin boards or : ShareLife-Appreciation-letter-2024.pdf

FEBRUARY 10



St. Scholastica,
pray for us!

O God, to show us where innocence leads, you made the soul of your virgin Saint Scholastica soar to heaven like a dove in flight. **Grant through her merits and her prayers that we may so live in innocence as to attain to joys everlasting.** This we ask through our Lord.


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RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

Nel suo Figlio Gesù Cristo, Dio salva la persona nella sua totalità: corpo e anima. Dio non vuole la sofferenza, ma ne fa occasione per liberarci dal peccato e per poter vivere in lui. Persone liberate e perdonate sono il segno dell'avvento del regno di Dio sulla terra.

ANNO DI PREGHIERA 2024

Papa Francesco ha annunciato l'inizio di un Anno di preghiera in preparazione all'Anno Giubilare 2025 intitolato "Pellegrini di Speranza". Il 2024 è stato designato da Papa Francesco come Anno di Preghiera. Nel suo discorso all'Angelus, il papa ha detto che l'Anno di preghiera sarà "un anno dedicato a riscoprire il grande valore e l'assoluta necessità della preghiera nella vita personale, nella vita della Chiesa e nel mondo". Il giubileo è un anno santo di grazia e di pellegrinaggio nella Chiesa cattolica. In genere si svolge ogni 25 anni.

SANT' AGATA – 5 FEBBRAIO

Sant'Agata, donna di valore, dalla tua sofferenza siamo stati spinti a chiedere le tue preghiere, ti chiediamo di pregare per il nostro mondo. Chiedi a Dio di illuminarci perché possiamo raggiungere la pace e la comprensione. Chiedigli di inviarci il suo Spirito di serenità, e chiedi il suo aiuto per aiutarci a condividere quella pace con chiunque incontriamo. Amen.

**MERCOLEDÌ DELLE CENERI
14 FEBBRAIO**

Il Mercoledì delle Ceneri segna, nella tradizione cristiana, l'inizio della Quaresima, il tempo di preparazione alla Pasqua. Nella seguente tabella sono indicate le ore delle Messe:

12:00 pm	Inglese
7:00 pm	Bilingue

**VIA CRUCIS
OGNI VENERDÌ DI QUARESIMA**

Vi invitiamo a partecipare con noi alla devozionale delle Stazioni della Croce (bilingue) ogni venerdì di Quaresima alle 7:00 pm cominciando il 16 Febbraio.

**MASS INTENTIONS
INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE****Monday, February 5****St. Agatha**

12:00 pm Holy Mass

Tuesday, February 6**St. Paul Miki & Companions**

12:00 pm Holy Mass

Wednesday, February 7

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration & mid-day Prayer

12:00 pm Holy Mass

12:30 pm Novena: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday, February 8

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 pm Holy Mass

Friday, February 9

12:00 pm †Pasqualina & Leonardo Cornacchia: by Gilda Cornacchia

†Rocco & Erminia Lombardi: by Lucia Melino

†Adelina Civello: by Lucia Loizzo

Saturday, February 10**St. Scholastica**

5:00 pm †Francesca Mariani: by Donato & Giovanna Filardi

Sunday, February 118:30 am **Mass Pro Populo ~ Mass for All Parishioners**

9:45 am †Maria Signorello: by Carmela Spatola

†Salvatore De Angelis: by the Family

†Mario Morra: by Josie & Filippo Paladino

†Giuseppe Virgilio: by Franca & Virgilio Family

11:00 am †Giuse Mach Nguyen: by Maria Quyen

†Jeanne Cameron: by Anne Musgrave



Let us pray for the soul of

†Fr. Noel Whelan

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION
FOR FEBRUARY:****FOR THE TERMINALLY ILL**

We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.



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