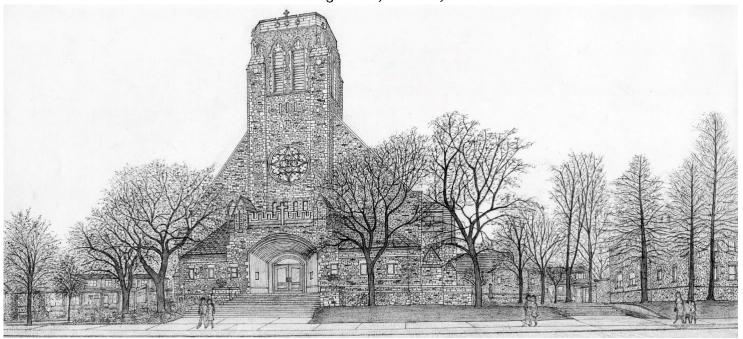
# ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH

300 Wolverleigh Blvd., Toronto, ON M4C 1S6



#### **EUCHARISTIC 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

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11:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration & Prayer
12:00 p.m. Mass, followed by Novena to

Daily Mass

Daily Mass

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 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rt</sup> 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:

**Principal:** Kevin Kerr (416) 393-5235

St. Patrick Secondary School:

Principal: Tim McGrenere (416) 393-5546

Pastor: Fr. Shibil John Pariyathupadavil | Parish Office Manager: Bruna Amabile | Liturgical Music: Attila Jagodits

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

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

Website: www.stbrigids.archtoronto.org | Facebook: St. Brigid's Catholic Church | Instagram: st.brigidscatholic

#### **GOSPEL REFLECTION**

In the first reading, God tells the prophet Jeremiah, "But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people." For the Lord to insist on writing the law on our hearts, He implies that this covenant will be extremely personal and intimate. Let us strive to go to Him and bear our heart to Him, that we may be able to grow deeper in relationship with Christ.

#### SHARELIFE SUNDAY - MARCH 16& 17



ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish's annual campaign. In this time of Lent, please reflect on the great needs of our brothers and sisters who are helped through your kind support of ShareLife. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope,

online through our parish website, or at <a href="https://www.sharelife.org/donate">www.sharelife.org/donate</a> We thank you for your kindness and generosity.

#### FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH - MARCH 19



In honor of St. Joseph, a special Mass and blessing of the bread will be celebrated at the 12:00 noon Mass on **Tuesday, March 19**. All are invited!

We thank Lucia Loizzo from North Pole Bakery for donating the bread for this feast day.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Please join us every Friday evening at 7:00 pm, throughout the Lenten season as we pray the Stations of the Cross.

We are happy to announce that our Confirmation Candidates will be leading the Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 22 in English. All are invited!

#### **LENTEN CONFESSIONS - MARCH 23**



Our Lenten Confessions will be held in our parish on Saturday, March 23 at the following times.

10:00 am - 12:00 pm 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

#### **WELCOME SUNDAY - MARCH 24**



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, March 24. Light refreshments will be served. Take this opportunity to meet your fellow parishioners. We hope to see you all there!

### HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE SETTIMANA SANTA



		NO.
MARCH 23	5:00 pm	Holy Mass (Vigil)
MARCH 24	8:30 am	Holy Mass
PALM SUNDAY	9:45 am	Santa Messa
DOMENICA DELLE PALME	11:00 am	Holy Mass (Palm Sunday Procession in the church)
	7:00 pm	Holy Mass
MARCH 25 (no 12:00 pm Mass)	7:30 pm	Mini Lenten Retreat
(no 12.00 pm mass)	8:30 pm	Confessions
MARCH 26	12:00 pm	Holy Mass
MARCH 27	12:00 pm	Holy Mass
MARCH 28 (no 12:00 pm Mass)	7:00 pm	Holy Mass Santa Messa Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper & Washing of the Feet (Bilingual)
HOLY THURSDAY GIOVEDI SANTO	8:30 pm to 11:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration Adorazione Eucaristica
MARCH 29 (no 12:00 pm Mass)	12:00 pm	Liturgia della Passione (Italian)
GOOD FRIDAY VENERDI SANTO	3:00 pm	Liturgy of the Passion followed by Stations of the Cross (English)
	7:00 pm	Passion of The Lord Play
MARCH 30 (no 5:00 pm Mass) HOLY SATURDAY SABATO SANTO	7:00 pm	Easter Vigil Veglia Pasquale (Bilingual)
MARCH 31	8:30 am	Holy Mass
_	9:45 am	Santa Messa
EASTER SUNDAY PASQUA	11:00 am	Holy Mass

#### WEEKLY COLLECTION

Our regular collection last week was: ➤ \$2,702.75. We "Thank you" for your contribution to our church.

#### RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

Gesù oggi ci parla della propria glorificazione, il mistero della sua croce e risurrezione, usando l'immagine del chicco di grano che, proprio quando sembra morire, produce molto frutto.

#### **DOMENICA DI SHARELIFE - 16 & 17 MARZO**



Questa Domenica di ShareLife rappresenta la prima raccolta della nostra campagna parrocchiale.

Durante questo periodo di quaresima, ti invitiamo a riflettere sulle grandi

necessità dei nostri fratelli e sorelle che sono assistiti attraverso il tuo generoso sostegno a ShareLife. Potete fare una donazione presso la parrocchia utilizzando le buste di ShareLife, oppure via internet tramite il sito web della parrocchia, o tramite www.sharelife.org/donate.2024

#### FESTA DI SAN GIUSEPPE - 19 MARZO



In onore di San Giuseppe ci sarà una Santa Messa il **Martedì 19 Marzo** alle 12:00pm (mezzogiorno). Durante la Messa ci sarà la benedizione del pane. Venite tutti per celebrare questa festa con noi.

Ringraziamo Lucia Loizzo di North Pole Bakery per aver donato il pane per questa festa.

#### **CONFESSIONE DI QUARESIMA - 23 MARZO**



Unitevi con noi per la giornata di confessione quaresimale il **Sabato 23 Marzo** gli orari sono:

10:00 am - 12:00 pm 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

#### **VIA CRUCIS**



Vi invitiamo ad unirvi con noi per il devozionale della Via Crucis (bilingue) ogni venerdì di Quaresima alle 19:00. Venite tutti a partecipare. Siamo felici di annunciare che venerdì 22 marzo il nostro gruppo di Cresimandi guideranno la Via Crucis in inglese. Tutti siete invitati!

# PASCHAL CANDLE FUNDRAISER MARCH 16 & 17



This weekend, volunteers from the Newman Centre Catholic Mission at the University of Toronto will be selling Paschal Candles - just in time for Easter! This fundraising initiative is in support of the many faith-based student programs at the Newman Centre and 10% of every candle sold will stay right here at our Parish. Your support is greatly appreciated!

# MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

#### Monday, March 18

12:00 pm †Giuseppe & Maria Naccarato: by Joe Naccarato

Tuesday, March 19 St. Joseph

12:00 pm Holy Mass: In Honour of St. Joseph & Blessing of the Bread †Sally Lucille Theresa Goreski-Tay: by Lynn Tay, Jonathan Tay & Kimberly Anderson & Theresa Tay

#### Wednesday, March 20

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration & mid-day Prayer

12:30 pm Novena: Our Lady of Perpetual Help 7:00 pm **Memorial Mass:** †Frank Politano

#### Thursday, March 21

11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration

#### Friday, March 22

†Maggie Clarke: by Peter & Katie Thomson

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross/ Via Crucis

#### Saturday, March 23

5:00 pm †Frank Politano: by The Family

†Mercedes Alvarez: by The Bernardo Family

#### Sunday, March 24 Palm Sunday

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

9:45 am †Marisa Colombo: by la sorella Lucia Morana

†Rosario Bonfanti & †Elena Rodaro: by Agata Toso

†Oreste Magnatta: by the Family

†Gina & Natalino Schiavo: by Sara Meglio

†Carmelo Grosso: by Concetta Romagnuolo

†Rocco lacoviello & Family: by Lucia Melino

†Giuseppe & Gaetana Tumminieri: by the Family

†Concettina & Ottino Puzo: by Antonietta Schiavo & Family

†Giovanni Agosta, †Santo & Carmela Gradanti: by Corradina Agosta †Emanuele Infanti & tutti defunti della famiglia Infanti & Pirrotta: by

Nella Infanti

†Adriano Tranquilli, †Louidiana Francia, †Claudio Ruscitti: by

Stefano Viola

†Nicola Grande: by Chiara Grande

†Giuseppe & Rosa Cozzi: by Chiara Grande & Family

†Domenico & Marta Grande: by Chiara Grande & Family

†Anime del purgatorio: by Chiara Grande & Family

11:00 am †Rosalina Milan: by the Bernardo Family †Val Dumais: by Carmela Spataro

All deceased members of the Calo Family: by the Calo Family



May the strength of God pilot us, may the wisdom of God instruct us, may the hand of God protect us, may the word of God direct us. Be always ours this day and for evermore.

~ St. Patrick

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