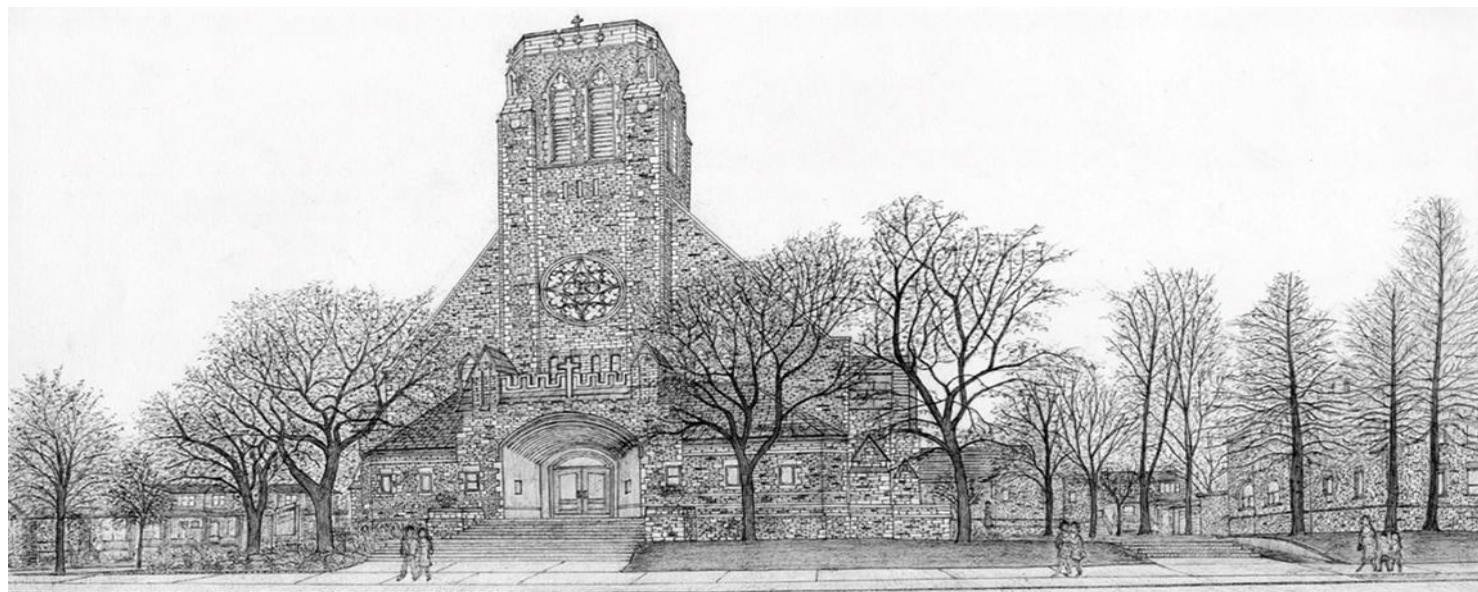


St. Brigid's Roman Catholic Church

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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	English	
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	English	
	10:00 a.m.	Italian	
	11:30 a.m.	English	(Children's Liturgy)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday	12:00 Noon
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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday	4:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or by appointment
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DEVOTIONS

Wednesday	11:30 a.m.	Adoration
	12:30 p.m.	Novena: O.L. of Perpetual Help
Thursday	11:00 a.m.	Adoration
First Friday	11:30 a.m.	Adoration

Notes:

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

* All regular Masses are livestreamed via website

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are scheduled on Sundays following the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Please contact the Parish office to obtain a registration package.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples engaged to be married are kindly asked to contact the Pastor at least one year in advance.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND ELDERLY

Please call the parish office to request a visit for the infirm or elderly for Holy Communion & Sacrament of the Sick.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith and considering the possibility of becoming Catholic are asked to contact the Pastor or Parish office.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Brigid's Elementary School:

Kevin Kerr - (416) 393-5235

St. Patrick's Secondary School:

Tim McGrenere - (416) 393-5546

Please call the office to register with our Parish

Pastor: Rev. Ernesto De Ciccio (Fr. Ernie)

Parish Office Manager: Bruna Amabile

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Parish Office Hours | Monday - Friday 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 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](https://www.instagram.com/stbrigidscatholic)

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Jesus tells us “Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives.” The world promotes peace as something that is achieved through exterior possessions or circumstances, yet it offers no remedy for times of great trial. On the other hand, with Jesus, the next time we’re in a moment that threatens to rob us of our peace, let us take a deep breath, call to mind the smiling gaze of Christ towards us, and pray, “Jesus, I love you.”

2025 SACRAMENTS – CEREMONY DATES

	Ceremony # 1
	Sunday, May 25 3:00 pm
	Ceremony # 2
	Sunday, June 1st 3:00 pm

WELCOME SUNDAY



The St. Brigid's Knights of Columbus are pleased to host “Welcome Sunday” in the Parish Hall this **Sunday, May 25**, after the **11:30 am** Mass. Light refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you there! THANKS to the Knights for hosting Welcome Sunday!

POPE’S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION

This weekend **May 24 & 25**, there will be a second collection for the Pope’s Pastoral Works. The Pope’s Pastoral Works collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. By contributing to the Pope’s Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity. The Pope’s Pastoral Works displays Christ’s love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

WOMEN’S GROUP

Following the wonderful response to our inaugural meeting, we are excited to meet for our next gathering on **Wednesday, May 28 at 7:00 PM** in the church hall.

The steering committee will present a draft mission statement along with proposed events and initiatives, all shaped by the thoughtful input shared at our first session. We welcome your feedback and ideas as we continue to shape the future of this ministry together.

We’ll also enjoy some lighthearted **icebreaker activities** to help us connect and build community. If you were unable to attend the first meeting, please know you are warmly invited to join us—we’d love to have you!

If you would like to be added to the women's ministry e-mail list to receive future updates and event information, please message allyson.pell@gmail.com.

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Thanks for your living the Gospel and for your generosity!

CONGRATULATIONS & THANK YOU!



CONGRATULATIONS!! We would like to congratulate all the children who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend. May The Holy Spirit continue to guide & bless them.

A special Thank You to all our catechists and volunteers for all their dedication and hard work in the catechism program and ceremony preparations. May God bless you!

MAY IS DEDICATED TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

The month of May is dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God. We offer the Virgin Mother more fervent and loving acts of homage and veneration during this month.



**Hail Mary, full of grace.
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou amongst women,
and blessed is the fruit of thy
womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray
for us sinners, now and at the hour
of our death. Amen.**

PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND



Father Ernie will be leading a group of pilgrims from St. Brigid's to Ireland on **August 18 to 29, 2025**. This 12-day journey of faith will cost \$5,595 per person (Toronto departure including all taxes & tips, double occupancy) with breakfast, dinner and great accommodations. Do not miss this wonderful opportunity to journey in faith to the land of St. Brigid and St. Patrick. Please call Henry at 647-272-2811.

RIFLESSIONE DEL VANGELO

Gesù ci dice: "Vi lascio la pace, vi do la mia pace. Non come la dà il mondo, io la do a voi". Il mondo promuove la pace come qualcosa che si ottiene attraverso beni o circostanze esteriori, ma non offre alcun rimedio per i momenti di grande prova. D'altra parte, con Gesù, la prossima volta che ci troviamo in un momento che minaccia di derubarci della nostra pace, facciamo un respiro profondo, ricordiamo lo sguardo sorridente di Cristo verso di noi e preghiamo: "Gesù, ti amo".

OPERE PASTORALI DEL PAPA

Questo weekend, **24 e 25 maggio**, ci sarà una seconda colletta per le Opere Pastorali del Papa. Contribuendo alle Opere Pastorali del Papa, i fedeli canadesi conferiscono una dimensione universale alla loro carità. Le Opere Pastorali del Papa mostrano l'amore e la compassione di Cristo per le persone in disperato bisogno. Vi preghiamo di donare generosamente.

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Grazie per aver vissuto il Vangelo e per la vostra generosità!

MAGGIO È DEDICATO ALLA BEATA VERGINE MARIA

Il mese di maggio è dedicato a Maria, la Madre di Dio. In questo mese offriamo alla Vergine Madre atti di omaggio e venerazione più fervidi e amorevoli.



*Ave Maria, piena di grazia,
il Signore è con te.
Tu sei benedetta fra le donne, e
benedetto è il frutto del tuo seno, Gesù.
Santa Maria, Madre di Dio, prega per noi
peccatori, adesso e nell'ora della nostra
morte. Amen.*

DOMENICA DI BENVENUTO



I Cavalieri di Colombo di Santa Brigida sono lieti di ospitare la "Domenica di Benvenuto" nella Sala Parrocchiale questa domenica **25 maggio**, dopo la Messa delle **11:30**. Verrà servito un rinfresco leggero. Vi aspettiamo! GRAZIE ai Cavalieri per aver ospitato la Domenica di Benvenuto!

MASS INTENTIONS INTENZIONE DELLE MESSE

Saturday, May 24

5:00 pm †Concetta Santamaria

Sunday, May 25

8:30 am Pro Populo – For All Parishioners

10:00 am †Guglielmo DeFusco

†Giovanna Lobozzo

†Giuseppe Distefano

11:30 am †Santiago Quintana, Robert James,
Isaac Rodrigues & Rosa Quintana

3:00 pm **First Communion Ceremony**

Monday, May 26 St. Philip Neri

12:00 pm †Giovanni Cardamone

Tuesday, May 27

12:00 pm In honor of Our Lady of the Assumption

Wednesday, May 28

11:30 am Adoration

12:00 pm †Mary Connolly

†James McGoldrick

†Selene Ramirez Lopez

12:30 pm Novena Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday, May 29

11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 pm †Nonni Francesco & Rosa Viscomi

Friday, May 30

12:00 pm †Giovannina Lobozzo



We congratulate and Pray for

Sofia Lynn Maldonado

James Donald McGregor

Mia Siobhán Knight

*Who will be receiving the
Sacrament of Baptism.
May God bless them and their families!*



Pray for the soul of

†Corradina Ruscica

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





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