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## Capuchin Franciscan

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 8:00pm & Saturday: 9:00am - 3:00pm, Sundays & Holidays: CLOSED

### PASTORAL TEAM

|  |          |                                 |          |
|--|----------|---------------------------------|----------|
| Br. Joseph Lourdusamy, OFM Cap., Pastor      | Ext. 238 | Francisco Naar, Manager         | Ext. 224 |
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| Deacon Damien McGowan, English               | Ext. 257 | Communion, Confirmation, RCIA & |          |
| Deacon Agustin Meneses, Español, English     | Ext. 293 | Youth Minister James Sullivan   | Ext. 235 |

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**St. Andre** 36 Yvonne Ave.

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**St. Conrad** 5 Exbury Rd.

416-393-5396

**St. Raphael** 3 Gade Dr. 416-393-5285

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

**Sunday** 9:15am, 12noon, 8:00pm

Monday - Saturday 8am

### CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45pm

### EUCARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Friday 8:30a-6:30p in Our Lady of Angels Chapel, First Friday in main church. Come spend an hour adoring Jesus.

### REGISTRATION:

Welcome! Please introduce yourself to our priests. Register your family with the parish office & use envelopes each Sunday. Parishioners, please inform the parish office of any changes of telephone or address.

### BAPTISM:

Please call the parish office for an initial appointment with a Deacon. **Parents** bring your certificates: of Baptism, Confirmation & Sacramental Marriage. **Godparents** need: Confirmation & Sacramental Marriage certificates. All will take Baptism classes.

### MARRIAGE:

Engaged couples must contact a priest one year in advance. Marriage course will be taken.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK, COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:

Please call the parish office.

### HORARIO DE MISAS

Sábado Vigila: 6:30pm

**Domingo:** 1:30pm

Miércoles: 7:00pm

### CONFESIONES:

1/2 hora antes de las misas Dominicales

### ADORACION EUCARISTICA:

Cada Viernes 8:30a-6:30p en la capilla de Ntra. Sra. de los Angeles, Primer Viernes en la iglesia. Venga adorar a Jesús por una hora.

### REGISTRESE:

¡Bienvenido! Por favor de presentarse al sacerdote. Regístrese con la oficina parroquial y utilice los sobres para la colecta dominical. Por favor de informar la oficina de cambio de dirección o número de teléfono.

### BAUTISMO:

Llame la oficina de la parroquia para hacer cita con el Diacono. **Padres** traigan sus certificados de: Bautizo, Confirmación y Matrimonio Sacramental. **Padrinos** traigan sus Certificados de: Confirmación y Matrimonio Sacramental. Todos tomarán clases de Bautizo.

### MATRIMONIO:

Parejas planeando casarse deben contactar al sacerdote con un año de anticipación. Tomaran el curso matrimonial. Damos el curso aquí en la Primavera y en el Otoño.

### UNCION DE LOS ENFERMOS, COMUNION DE LOS ENFERMOS:

Llame a la oficina de la parroquia.

### ORARIO DELLE MESSE

**Domenica:** 8:00am & 10:30am

Lunedì - Sabato 7:15am

### CONFESSIONI:

Venerdì: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

### ADORAZIONE EUCARISTICA:

Tutti i Venerdì dalle 8:30a-6:30p nella cappella della Madonna Degli Angeli; e 1° Venerdì nella chiesa. Venite a stare un'ora con Gesù.

### REGISTRARSI:

Benvenuti! Presentarsi al sacerdote. E' importante che le famiglie residenti in parrocchia si iscrivano in ufficio, richiedendo le buste per l'offerta domenicale. Vi chiediamo la cortesia di informare l'ufficio per qualsiasi cambiamento di indirizzo o numero telefonico.

### BATTESIMO:

Si prega di contattare la segreteria della parrocchia per fissare il primo appuntamento con il Diacono. Si prega inoltre di fornire i seguenti certificati: **Genitori:** battesimo, cresima e matrimonio religioso; **Padrini:** cresima e matrimonio religioso. Tutti gli interessati sono tenuti a seguire le lezioni di catechesi.

### MATRIMONIO:

Le coppie che desiderano celebrare il loro matrimonio in chiesa sono pregate di mettersi in contatto con il sacerdote un anno prima. Devono seguire il corso matrimoniale.

### UNZIONE DEGLI AMMALATI, COMUNIONE AGLI AMMALATI:

Vi chiediamo di contattare la parrocchia.

**VOCACTIONS:** Our Father Francis' joyful presence of hope & salvation to those most in need calls to those with this same spirit. Would you, young men of courage, commitment and challenge, like to spread the Good News while being rooted in a Capuchin-Franciscan community? LIVE THE DREAM & MAKE A DIFFERENCE!! Email Vocations Director Br. Louis: [vocations@capuchinacanada.com](mailto:vocations@capuchinacanada.com) or [capuchinacanada.com/newcapuchins](http://capuchinacanada.com/newcapuchins)

**SECULAR FRANCISCANS** are Catholic lay persons, who seek to pattern their lives after Jesus Christ in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi. Are you called to joyfully live the Gospel in your daily life? Come, join and experience with the members of St. Felix of Cantalice Fraternity every 4th Sunday of the month at the 12:00 noon Mass followed by a Fraternal meeting until 3:30pm. Please email: [stfelixsfo@gmail.com](mailto:stfelixsfo@gmail.com) for more information.



The voice of the Father that addresses Peter, James and John on the Mount of Transfiguration also addresses us. We too are called to listen to Jesus in the way that Jesus listens to his Father. When we listen as Jesus does we will also hear that we too are God's beloved. Our Lenten journey reminds us that listening with our heart transforms us into vessels of God's loving mercy.

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La voce del Padre rivolta a Pietro, Giacomo e Giovanni sul monte della Trasfigurazione, parla anche a noi. Anche noi siamo invitati a dare ascolto a Gesù come Gesù ascolta il Padre. Se lo ascoltiamo come fa Gesù, allora sapremo che anche noi siamo amati da Dio. Il nostro percorso quaresimale ci ricorda che se lo seguiamo con il nostro cuore saremo riempiti della Grazia di Dio che ci ama.

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La voz del Padre que se dirige a Pedro, Santiago y Juan en el Monte de la Transfiguración también se dirige a nosotros. Nosotros también estamos llamados a escuchar a Jesús en la forma en que Jesús escucha a su Padre. Cuando escuchemos como Jesús lo hace, escucharemos que nosotros también somos amados de Dios. Nuestro viaje cuaresmal nos recuerda que escuchar con el corazón nos transforma en vasijas de la misericordia amorosa de Dios.

### CARDINAL COLLINS' CALL FOR CONSCIENCE CAMPAIGN

Cardinal Collins and bishops across Ontario are asking for an email address from every Catholic family in their community, with a goal of 100,000 email addresses collected by the end of February 2018. This information will be used locally by Cardinal Collins and trusted faith partners to communicate periodically (approximately 6-8 times each year) on issues of particular importance for the Catholic community.

The first campaign of 2018 is the Call for Conscience, inviting our elected Members of Provincial Parliament (MPPs) and those seeking office this June to increase funding/access to palliative care, to protect health care workers wishing to abstain from any involvement in euthanasia/assisted suicide and to protect faith-based facilities from participation in euthanasia/assisted suicide. The work builds on a similar campaign in 2017.

Please visit <http://bit.ly/SignUpSundayRegistration> to register yourself for this initiative. Thank you for living a faith that acts!

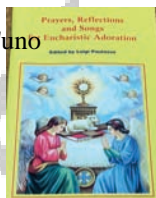
### WARM HEARTS, WARM HANDS BOILERS FUNDRAISER

Dear Friends, Thanks for all the support you render our parish. I'm certain we couldn't run our parish without both your physical as well as financial support. The parish offices, halls and Friary boiler stopped working. The mechanic advised us to purchase a new one & our Finance Council chose a company. We have new boilers to keep us all warm in these frigid temperatures. But it cost us; a total of \$62,150.00 including tax. I appeal to you for your support towards this cost. As you donate, we'll publish your name if you wish and your generous amount. You're most welcome to donate cash or cheque payable to St. Philip Neri Parish-new boilers. God bless your generosity! Thank you, Br. Joseph Lourdasamy, OFM Cap., Pastor

### LENTEN PRAYER REFLECTIONS FOR SALE ~ DE VENTA ~ IN VENDITA

Libretti per l'Adorazione Eucaristica a \$1.50 l'uno  
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Or both booklets for \$2.00 on sale!



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El Librito Negro de la Cuaresma \$1.50 cada uno.  
The Little Black Book for Lent is \$1.50 each.

THE SEASON OF LENT REMINDS US THAT IT IS NOT A TIME OF MOURNING, BUT A TIME OF PENANCE, CONVERSION AND JOY. GOD ALONE CAN GIVE US TRUE HAPPINESS.

-POPE FRANCIS



Br. Joseph Lourdasamy, OFM Cap., Pastor

### Living the Gospel by supporting vocations...

"Living and studying at St. Augustine Seminary has brought untold blessings to my life," shares Matthew Gunnarson, one of 80 seminarians undergoing formation at the joint campus of St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Seminary. He adds, "The seminary could not run without the generous support of ShareLife donors." By supporting ShareLife, you are helping our future priests follow God's call.  
1st ShareLife collection—March 18! Please give generously!



### Second Sunday of Lent

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints. Ps 116: 15  
† Let us pray for the souls whose Funerals were held here in our parish:

Nicola Tantalo



Catholic Women's League next meeting is Wednesday, March 5 at 7pm.



Supporting new and expectant mothers, giving them the opportunity to know each other, and serving them with dignity is a pro-life response that everybody can embrace.  
Contact: Br Jorge (647) 209-4839.

### 2018 LENT ~ CUARESMA ~ QUARESIMA

VIA CRUCIS, Venerdì di Quaresima 6:00pm in Italiano.  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS, Lent Fridays 7:00pm in English.  
VIA CRUCIS, Viernes de Cuaresma a las 8:00pm en Español.  
March 23: Via Crucis 6:00pm in Italiano.  
March 23: Stations of the Cross 7:45pm in English.  
March 23: Via Crucis a las 8:45pm en Español.

ADORACION~ADORATION~ADORAZIONE EUCARISTICA  
Viernes ~ Fridays ~ Venerdì: 8:30am to 6:00pm

LENTEN MISSION with Br. Henry Alva in English  
March 11-15. Please see posters.

MISIONE di QUARESIMA con Don Francesco Armenti  
in Italiano Marzo 18-21.

LENTEN PRO LIFE ALMSGIVING  
BLOOD DRIVE Give of yourself to save a life.  
Monday, March 5 from 3:00p to 7:00p  
Please register at blood.ca



MONEDAS PARA LA VIDA, Campaña Anual de Cuaresma. Los invitamos colectar monedas con sus hijos para salvar vidas. !Gracias!

COINS FOR LIFE is our annual Parish Lenten Project. Please collect spare change from a coffee, latte or pop to help the unborn. Show your children they can make a difference! Thank you!!

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE for St. Vincent de Paul Emergency Pantry  
Please bring dry packaged food . PLEASE WATCH EXPIRY DATES.  
Needed: baby food, baby formula, baby cereal, can ham, veggies, fruit, tuna, rice, beans, etc. GOD BLESS YOUR GENEROSITY! Place in lobby bin!

### LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

Saturday, March 3, 2018, at Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 9am-6pm  
"FIRE ON THE EARTH"

Guest speakers and Mass with Cardinal Thomas Collins  
Last Chance to buy TICKETS AT THE PARISH OFFICE:  
Adults-\$25.00; Youth 13-18 \$15.00 each



### MINI WINTER RETREAT

#### NEW BEGINNINGS

March 10 from 9:30am to 12:30pm  
Canticle of the Creatures  
a Healing Journey with Creation  
Br. Ignatius Feaver, OFM Cap  
At St. Roch's Church on  
Islington Avenue, Call the office.

#### Last Week

2018 \$ 9,260.00  
2017 \$ 9,571.00

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de la Misa  
Intenzione della Messe

#### Monday, Feb 26

7:00 am † Movimento Pro Vita  
8:00 am † Josie Carovillano

#### Tuesday, February 27

7:15 am † Intenzione delle Parrocchia  
8:00 am † Maria Elisabetta Sinopoli

#### Wednesday, February 28

7:15 am † Anime in Purgatorio  
8:00 am † Sr. Caritas Forte

#### Thursday, March 1

7:15 am † Selena, Rigo & Suora Virginia  
8:00 am † Cesar Davila

#### Friday, March 2-World Day of Prayer

7:15 am † Lampade Viventi  
8:00 am † Irene & Ernesto Santiago

#### Saturday, March 3-St. Katharine Drexel

7:15 am † Stewart Villamar  
8:00 am † Giuseppe & Lucia Falovo

5:00 pm † Nicola Celenza  
6:30 pm Misa en Español

#### Sunday, March 4-Third Sunday of Lent

8:00 am † Filippo, Salma Federico  
9:15 am † Francesco & Angela Scali  
10:30 am † Francesco, Rosetta Reda,  
Antonio & Salema Chiapetta  
12:00 pm † Ruben Sovran  
1:30 pm Misa en Español  
8:00 pm For all parishioners

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