

# St. Philip Neri Parish

### **Capuchin Franciscans**

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#### **Office Hours**

Monday-Friday: 9:00am-1:00pm and 2:00pm-5:00pm; Saturdays: 9:00am-12:00noon;

Sundays & Holidays: CLOSED

#### **Pastoral Team**

Pastor: Br. Flavian Gondos, OFM Cap.

Associate Pastor: Br. Michael Mascarenhas, OFM Cap.

Deacons: Damien McGowan and Ignacio Mateo

Parish Secretary: Yesennia Guzman Calle

Youth Minister: Nicholas De Castro

In Residence: Br. Charles Zichella, OFM Cap., Br. Ermias Gebreegziabher, OFM Cap., and Br. John Juhl, OFM Cap.

Volunteer Screening Co-ordinator: Christie Cruz

Sacramental Prep Co-ordinator: Linda Maselli-Jackman, Communion, Confirmation, RCIA/RCIC

For marriages, baptisms, and anointing of the sick, please contact the parish office.





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#### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

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

Monday-Saturday: 8:00am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:00-4:45pm

#### HORARIO DE MISAS

Sábado vigilia: 7:00pm

Domingo: 1:30pm, miércoles 7:00pm

#### CONFESIONES

1:00pm los domingos

6:00-6:50pm los miércoles y sábados

#### **ORARIO DELLE MESSE**

Domenica: 8:00am, 10:30am Lunedì -Sabato: 7:00am

#### CONFESSIONI

Su appuntamento

**Confessions - Other Times**: Pending priest availability. Please call parish office for an available appointment time.

**St. Philip Neri Table Food Program**: Patterned after the Capuchins' St. Francis Table on Queen St. It assists friends in need of food. Frequent high demand for: oil, salt, sugar, rice, beans, powdered milk, canned meats, and fish. Food Donation Drop-off: Parish office. Over 180 families benefit weekly from the SPN Table Food Program. The public can pick up food every Saturday of the month from 10:00am-12:00noon.

**Vocations**: Our Father Francis' joyful presence of hope and 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 AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE! Email Vocations Director, Br. Michael Mascarenhas, OFM, Cap: michaelanthony.m@gmail.com

**Secular Franciscans**: are Catholic lay persons who seek to joyfully live the gospel in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi. Are you being called to witness your love of Christ in your daily life? Come experience joy with the members of St. Felix of Cantalice Fraternity every 4th Sunday of the month at the 12:00noon mass followed by a Fraternal Gathering until 3:30pm.

Email: stfelixsfo@gmail.com for info.

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord. Jesus told His disciples: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature." While this may seem a time for sadness that the Lord has ascended to be with His Father in Heaven, the reality is He is still with us walking the earth with us each day. He has given us His Spirit to accompany us. Let us trust in His unshakable love for us.

God Bless You!



Queridos feligreses,

Este domingo celebramos la Ascensión del Señor. Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: «Id por todo el mundo y proclamad el Evangelio a toda criatura». Aunque pueda parecer un momento de tristeza porque el Señor ha ascendido para estar con su Padre en el Cielo, la realidad es que Él sigue con nosotros caminando por la tierra con nosotros cada día. Nos ha dado su Espíritu para que nos acompañe. Confiemos en Su amor inquebrantable por nosotros.

Que Dios les bendiga.



Cari parrocchiani,

Questa domenica celebriamo l'Ascensione del Signore. Gesù disse ai suoi discepoli: "Andate in tutto il mondo e proclamate il Vangelo ad ogni creatura". Sebbene possa sembrare un momento di tristezza perché il Signore è salito al Padre celeste, la realtà è che egli è ancora con noi e cammina ogni giorno sulla terra. Ci ha dato il suo Spirito per essere con noi. Confidiamo nel Suo amore costante per noi.

Dio vi benedica.

We invite our parishioners to read the message by His Grace Most Reverend Francis Leo Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto for Mother's Day 2024.

Scan the QR code to access the link.



It can also be accessed online though the archdiocesan website: https://www.archtoronto.org/en/



Archbishop Francis Leo will ordain Br. Sunil D' Costa, OFM Cap to the priesthood on Friday May 17th, 2024 at 7:00pm. His first Mass will take place on Saturday May 18th, 2024 at 8:00am.

You are all welcome to attend!



Sunday May 26th marks our patronal feast, St. Philip Neri! However, its festivities will be moved to **Monday May 27th, 2024**. We will have a solemn mass in his honour at our regular morning mass in English at 8:00am. All are welcome to come.



The Knights of Columbus will be selling embordered roses and lapel pins before and after all Sunday masses through the month of May. The cost is \$2.00 and \$5.00.

All proceeds will go towards the pro-life cause.



#### St. Philip Neri Youth Ministry

#### LIFETEEN Nights – May 17th

If you are in Highschool (Grade 9 to Grade 12), join us for LIFETEEN every 1st and 3rd Friday of the month from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. Join us for a free dinner, games, prizes, and small groups!

#### Totus Tuus is coming! – July 14th to July 19th

Join us for Totus Tuus this summer from July 14th-19th! It's a fun-filled program where children and youth learn about our faith through catechesis, Mass, confession, songs, and games. The Grade school program (Grades 1-6) runs Monday-Friday, 9am-2:30pm, for only \$20 per person. The Intermediate/High Schoolers (Grades 7-12) program runs Sunday-Thursday, 6-9pm, for \$10. You can grab a form at the parish office.



We give thanks to God for the commitment and labour our pastoral team, volunteers and families have put into this year's sacramental preparation.

- More than 180 children have received their First Communion.
- More than 120 youth and adults have received the sacrament of Confirmation.
- Among those, more than 80 will have complete the Rite to Initiation for Adults program. This program is run for adults seeking to convert and enter into full communion with our Catholic faith.

Please keep them and their families in your prayers as they embark on this new journey of life.

May Mary, Mother of us all, protect and guide us towards her Son and towards the path He has prepared for us on our pilgrimage on Earth.

# We pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and the religious life

As St. Francis of Assisi embraced the leper, may we embrace our vocation that God has given to us. As Capuchins, we serve the poor and humble Christ in the poor. If you or anyone you know is interested in a vocation to become a Capuchin brother, please contact the vocation director, Fr. Michael Mascarenhas OFM Cap. (226-238-4747) or michaelanthony.m@gmail.com

#### The Ascension of the Lord - May 12, 2024

#### **Mass Intentions**

#### Saturday, May 11, 2024

5:00 pm † Luigi and Angela

by Sovran Family

7:00 pm Spanish Mass

#### Sunday, May 12, 2024

8:00 am † Angela, Gregorio

e Giovanni Costa

9:15 am † Angela Mucci-Artale

by family

10:30 am † Maria Vendrasco

dalla famiglia Dodaro

12:00 pm † Lea Paolella by family

1:30 pm Spanish Mass

8:00 pm Livia Ciotti by family

#### Monday, May 13, 2024

7:00 am † Rosaria Ferlito dalla famiglia 8:00 am † Silvano Passera from Delfina

#### Tuesday, May 14, 2024

7:00 am † Giulia e Giuseppe Carabetta

8:00 am † Anna Gri

#### Wednesday, May 15, 2024

7:00 am † Geraldina Zichella Falciati

8:00 am † Luciana Zeppieri 7:00 pm Spanish Mass

#### Thursday, May 16, 2024

7:00 am † Deceased of the

Zichella Family

8:00 am For the Dziedziura Family

#### Friday, May 17, 2024

7:00am † Vincenzo Sestito

8:00am † Cristita Benedicto

#### Saturday, May 18, 2024

7:00am † Peppino e Giuseppina Fiore

dalla famiglia

8:00am For Frank and David

by Franca Sovran

### Capuchin Corner

"And he departed from our sight that we might return to our hearts and find him there. For he left us, and behold, he is here."

-Saint Augustine



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