



# St. Philip Neri Parish

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**Office Hours: Mon-Fri:** 9:00 am - 1:00 pm, and 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
**Saturday:** 9:00 am - 12:00 pm **Sundays & Holidays:** CLOSED

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## Pastoral Team

**Pastor:** Br. Flavian Gondos, OFM Cap.  
**Associate Pastor:** Br. Michael Mascarenhas, OFM Cap.  
**Associate Pastor:** Br. Sunil D'Costa, OFM Cap.  
**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Damien McGowan  
**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Ignacio Mateo  
**Parish Secretary:** Yesennia Guzman Calle  
**Youth Minister:** Nicholas De Castro  
**Volunteering Screening Co-ordinator:** Christie Cruz  
**Sacramental Prep Co-ordinator:** Linda Maselli-Jackman



## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 9:15 am, 12:00 pm, 8:00 pm  
Monday-Saturday: 8:00 am

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm  
Or by appointment.

## ADORATION

Friday: 8:30 am - 5:45 pm

## NOCTURNAL ADORATION

First Fridays of the month

## HORARIO DE MISAS

Sábado Vigilia: 7:00 pm  
Domingo: 1:30 pm  
Viernes: 7:00 pm (*Durante el tiempo de cuaresma esta misa será los miércoles*)

## CONFESIONES

Domingos: 1:00pm  
Viernes: 6:30 pm  
Sábado: 6:00 pm  
O por cita

## ORARIO DELLE MESSE

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

## CONFESIONI

Su appuntamento

## VOCATIONS

If you feel that God is calling you to be a Capuchin friar, contact Fr. Michael Mascarenhas, OFM Cap. at 1-(226) 238-4747. If your heart is being pulled towards the priesthood or consecrated life, contact Fr. Matthew McCarthy from the Archdiocese of Toronto at (416) 261-7207 ext. 801. Remember, God is never outdone in generosity!

### Ang Dios Gugma

Prayer group whose mission is to tell the world of God's love.

### Rizaldy Acosta

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### Catholic Women's Group (CWG)

Dedicated to serving the needs of the Parish. Check inside the bulletin for dates.

### Gloria Saccon

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### Horizons for Hope

An initiative of the Canadian Catholic Conference of Bishops to support parishioners who have questions about end-of-life care.

### Rev. Mr. Damien McGowan

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### Knights of Columbus

A world wide Catholic organization. At St. Philip Neri we focus on our community. Feeding and clothing the poor and participating in the pro-life movement.

### Rick Santilli

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### Padre Pio Prayer Group (Italian)

Envisioned by P. Pio as God's instrument of relief for a suffering world. Meets on the third Mondays of the month at 7:00pm.

### Please contact the parish office

[StPhilipNeriNO@archtoronto.org](mailto:StPhilipNeriNO@archtoronto.org)

### Renovación Carismática

Un movimiento identificado como una corriente de gracia en el Espíritu Santo, que integra comunidades y grupos de oración y alabanzas.

### Zaida Palacios & Santa Montan

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### Secular Franciscans

Catholic lay persons who seek to joyfully live the Gospel in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi.

### Teodora la Madrid

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### St. Philip Neri Table

Weekly assists +200 families in need of food every Saturday from 10am-12pm.

### Yesmil Pena Nunez & Mary Pipitone

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For volunteering opportunities please contact Christie Cruz: [ccruz@archtoronto.org](mailto:ccruz@archtoronto.org)

**Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

<b>Mass Intentions</b>	
<b>Saturday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024</b>	
5:00 pm	+Valentino Sovran by the Sovran Family
7:00 pm	Spanish Mass
<b>Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024</b>	
8:00 am	†Antonio Sestito by Family
9:15 am	† Maria De Re
10:30 am	† Rocco Tersigni by Family
12:00 pm	† Edwin by family
1:30 pm	Spanish Mass
8:00 pm	All Parishioners
<b>Monday, December 16, 2024</b>	
7:00 am	† Defunti delle famiglie Mucci e Cesare
8:00 am	† In thanksgiving from Helen Acosta
6:00 pm	<i>Memorial Mass for Antonio Luceno</i>
7:30 pm	<i>Messa in onore di Padre Pio</i>
<b>Tuesday, December 17, 2024</b>	
7:00 am	† P. Guglielmo Corbo
8:00 am	† Sitha Sam
6:30 pm	<i>Memorial Mass for Francesco Santaguida</i>
7:30 pm	<i>Memorial Mass for Antonietta Cirillo</i>
<b>Wednesday, December 18, 2024</b>	
7:00 am	† Saverio Barone
8:00 am	† Peppino and Giuseppina Fiore from Family
7:00 pm	<i>Memorial Mass for Fernando Jara</i>
<b>Thursday, December 19, 2024</b>	
7:00 am	† Onofrio Arcuri
8:00 am	† Ferdinand Yumul, Romeo Suan Sr, Milagros Suan and Norberto Suan
7:30 pm	<i>Memorial Mass for Carlo and Pasquale Cioffi</i>
<b>Friday, December 20, 2024</b>	
7:00 am	Italian Mass
8:00 am	English Mass
8:30 am	Parish Confessions until 8:30pm
5:00 pm	<i>Memorial Mass for Melina Careri</i>
7:00 pm	Spanish Mass
<b>Saturday, December 21, 2024</b>	
7:00 am	Italian Mass
8:00 am	Special intention for Francis Bello

**Weekly Collection for December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

\$ 8990

*Thank you for your generous sacrifice  
and contribution*

### Parish News

#### Cancelled- New Years Party 2025 !



Unfortunately, the New Years Eve party has been canceled due to lack of interest. Thank you to all who supported the event.

#### Items for Sale



2025 Sundays missals- \$10

2025 Christmas calendar- The Heralds of the Gospel will be selling calendar for the new year. 2 for \$5 or 5 for \$10.

Christmas buttons- \$2 each. Proceeds go towards the purchase of the new sound system.

#### Handicraft Holy Land Christians



On the weekend Dec 21-22, we will welcome our special guest Sebastien Cardinal representing "Handicraft Holy Land Christians", who after all the masses will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land. Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase after every mass. Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. May God Bless you for your generosity, for your help and for your prayers." Cash, debit, credit cards and cheque will be accepted. You can visit and support us at [www.HolyLandChristians.ca](http://www.HolyLandChristians.ca)

#### Advent Reflections



This Advent season, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) presents an online weekly video series titled "Journey through Advent." This year's English reflections will be led by Cardinal Francis Leo. The series is intended to help the faithful prepare for the Nativity of Our Lord by offering meaningful reflections on the Gospel readings during each of Sundays of Advent. "Journey through Advent" will be released weekly and will be available on the CCCB website and on their YouTube channel. The series is also available via our own website at: [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org).

#### Parish Confessions

Friars will be available from 8:00am to 8:30pm on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024 to hear confessions in English, Spanish, Italian, Romanian, Portuguese and Eritrian. If it has been a while since your last Confessions, the friars will help you. Scan the QR code for an examination of conscience.





# - Christmas Schedule -

**20**  
Dec

**08:00 AM -  
08:30 PM**

## **Advent Confessions**

English, Italian, Spanish, Romanian,  
Portuguese, Eritrean.

*The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in  
the Church during this period.*

**24**  
Dec

**7:00 AM**

## **Italian Mass**

Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Advent

**8:00 AM**

## **English Mass**

Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Advent

**4:30 PM**

## **Christmas Carols**

Inside the Church

**5:00 PM**

## **English Children Mass**

Christmas Vigil

**7:00 PM**

## **Spanish Mass**

Christmas Vigil

**8:45 PM**

## **Christmas Carols**

Inside the Church

**9:00 PM**

## **English/Italian Bilingual Mass**

Christmas Vigil

**11:00 PM**

## **Tamil Mass**

Christmas Vigil

**25**  
Dec

**8:00 AM**

## **Italian Mass**

**9:15 AM**

## **English Mass**

**10:30 AM**

## **Italian Mass**

**12:00 PM**

## **English Mass**

**1:30 PM**

## **Spanish Mass**

**28**  
Dec

**7:00 AM**

## **Italian Mass**

Feast of the Holy Innocents

**8:00 AM**

## **English Mass**

Feast of the Holy Innocents

**11:30 AM**

## **Children English Mass**

Feast of the Holy Innocents, light reception to follow

**01**  
Jan

**8:00 AM**

## **Italian Mass**

**9:15 AM**

## **English Mass**

**10:30 AM**

## **Italian Mass**

**12:00 PM**

## **English Mass**

**1:30 PM**

## **Spanish Mass**

### **December 31st**

7:00 am (It.) & 8:00am (Eng.)

11:00 pm - Vigil Tamil Mass

**Solemnity of Mary, mother of God- Holy Day of Obligation**

December 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 are  
normal Mass schedule



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