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Saturday (closed long weekends): 9:00 am - 12:00 pm **Sundays & Holidays:** CLOSED

Pastoral Team

Pastor: Br. Flavian Gondos, OFM Cap.

Associate Pastor: Br. Sunil D'Costa, OFM Cap.

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Damien McGowan & Rev. Mr. Ignacio Mateo

Parish Secretary: Yesennia Guzman Calle

Youth Minister: Nicholas De Castro

Sacramental Prep Co-ordinator: Linda Maselli-Jackman

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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For immediate outreach assistance call 1-888-675-8749.

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

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Rosary Apostolate

An apostolate of evangelization through prayer by visiting schools and teaching children how to pray the Rosary.

Dan Husband

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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.

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St. Philip Neri Table

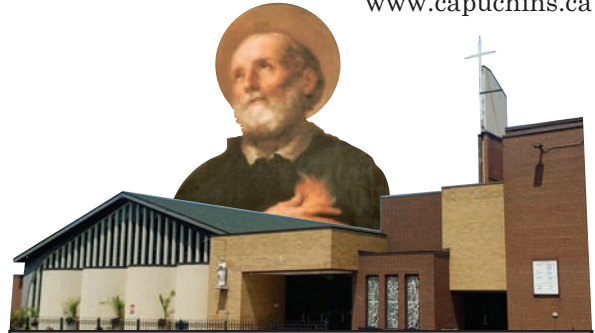
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Yesmil Pena Nunez & Mary Pipitone

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For volunteering opportunities please contact Christie Cruz: ccruz@archtoronto.org



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

CONFESSIONI

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!

Mass Intentions	
Saturday, March 8, 2025	
5:00 pm	† Ruben Sovran by family
7:00 pm	Spanish Mass
Sunday, March 9, 2025	
8:00 am	† Loreto&Francesci Gentile, Antonia Persichetti dalla famiglia
9:15 am	† Tarcisio Di Stefano
10:30 am	† Sante Fiaschetti Dalla Famiglia
12:00 pm	† Octavia, Antonio, & Esmeralda Lima
1:30 pm	Spanish Mass
8:00 pm	Pro Populo
Monday, March 10, 2025	
7:00 am	† Nicola and Michelina Martino
8:00 am	† Peppino & Giuseppina
7:30 pm	† Elia Riccio
Tuesday, March 11, 2025	
7:00 am	
8:00 am	† Rose Lucanie & family
Wednesday, March 12, 2025	
7:00 am	
8:00 am	In thanksgiving from Teresita Pompa
7:00 pm	Spanish Mass
Thursday, March 13, 2025	
7:00 am	
8:00 am	Fiffina Appleton from Nancy & family
7:30 pm	
Friday, March 14, 2025	
7:00 am	
8:00 am	† Joseph Masternack by family
Saturday, March 15, 2025	
7:00 am	† Susana Blanco & Alma Cemos
8:00 am	† Joseph Masternack by family



Weekly Collection for March 2nd, 2025
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- Weekly Reflection -
First Sunday of Lent

Lent begins with a reflection on the temptation of Jesus in the desert. We begin Lent with this story of temptations. We all have experiences of temptations. We need to face and overcome temptations as Jesus did, using the means He employed: We are tempted to sinful pleasures, easy riches, and power, and sometimes we are drawn to use unjust or sinful means to achieve those ends. Jesus is our model for overcoming temptations through prayer, penance, and the effective use of the "Word of God" in the Scriptures.

Primer Domingo de Cuaresma

La Cuaresma comienza con una reflexión sobre la tentación de Jesús en el desierto. Comenzamos la Cuaresma con esta historia de las tentaciones. Todos tenemos las experiencias de las tentaciones. Necesitamos enfrentar y vencer las tentaciones como lo hizo Jesús, usando los medios que Él empleó: Nosotros somos tentados a los placeres pecaminosos, riquezas fáciles y al poder, y a veces somos atraídos al uso de medios injustos o pecaminosos para alcanzar esos fines. Jesús es nuestro modelo para vencer las tentaciones a través de la oración, la penitencia y el uso efectivo de la "Palabra de Dios" en las Escrituras.

Prima Domenica di Quaresima

La Quaresima inizia con una riflessione sulle tentazioni di Gesù nel deserto. Iniziamo la Quaresima con questa storia di tentazioni. Tutti noi abbiamo esperienze di tentazioni. Dobbiamo affrontare e superare le tentazioni come ha fatto Gesù, usando i mezzi che ha usato: Siamo tentati dai piaceri peccaminosi, dalle ricchezze facili e dal potere, e a volte siamo portati a usare mezzi ingiusti o peccaminosi per raggiungere questi scopi. Gesù è il nostro modello per superare le tentazioni attraverso la preghiera, la penitenza e l'uso efficace della "Parola di Dio" nelle Scritture.

- News and Events -
Lent Schedule



Stations of the Cross on Fridays
6:00 pm- English
7:00 pm- Italian
8:00 pm- Spanish

1st Sunday of Lent

Coins For Life 2025



Would you, your family and friends put aside your townies, loonies, quarters, nickels, dimes during the next 4-6 weeks, and contribute these savings to help in the struggle to end abortion and to create a **Culture of Life in Canada**? If so coins for life boxes will be handed out at the back of the church on March 5th. This project helps us to continue to run the National March for Life in Ottawa **on May 8, 2025**. Be sure that your small change can lead to a BIG change in our land and does help to save countless innocent lives now and in the future. God's preborn children in the womb have no voice but ours. You may even wish to make this a family, school, office project? Spread the good news of the sanctity of every life from conception to natural death which God created as no one has the right to destroy that life. In our present-day culture of death society we all have a role to play to reverse the tide even with this **'little project' for life**. The Parish will post the date to return the boxes and if you wish, leave your name/address/email/cell so CLC can thank you personally for your kindness. For more information call Jenny at 416-267-7126. Volunteers are always needed!

Diocesan Come & See



On March 14 - 16, 2025, we are offering a weekend Discernment Retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary for single men aged 18+ who feel the Lord may be calling them to discern the priesthood. The retreat will start on Friday evening at 6:30pm and end on Sunday afternoon at 2:00pm. Meals & Accommodations will be provided. Please contact Fr. Matt for more information: (416) 261-7207 ext. 801 or at vocations@archtoronto.org

Lift Jesus Higher Rally



Lift Jesus Higher Rally (LJHR) is an annual event for Youth and Adults that focuses on evangelizing through uplifting music, testimonials, reflections, Divine Mercy celebration and Eucharistic Adoration. It will be celebrating the 33rd year of coming together in praise and worship on Saturday, 29th March, 2025 at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. The theme this year, "Power From on High", encourages us to remember and focus on the source of our strength.

May 2025 Project Rachel retreat



Project Rachel at St. Mary's Refuge is offering a weekend retreat, May 2-4, 2025, for women who have been hurt by abortion. You can speak with someone who understands and cares, and have a chance to begin the healing from loss and grief. Phone 289-691-6840, or e-mail ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org.

Dear Parishoners of St. Philip Neri

Thank you for all that you are doing for the ShareLife campaign. We are grateful for your support and that of your parish community toward the work of our ShareLife agencies, and for the excellent achievement in the last campaign! This letter will provide your parish with the suggested goal for the 2025 ShareLife campaign. As we speak about the campaign in our parishes, we should first and foremost mention that ShareLife agencies are bringing Gospel values to life every day in our communities and around the world. The family seeking counselling, the deaf child and family receiving assistance through Silent Voice, the senior receiving support to live independently through our seniors programs, or the seminarian studying to serve as a future parish priest. Last fall, ShareLife announced an allocation of \$750,000 toward food and meal programs across the archdiocese, helping to provide food to people who cannot afford this basic necessity. There are many stories of how ShareLife agencies are making an impact on the lives of those who turn to them for support.

Prayers for the Health and Recovery of Pope Francis



The Most Rev. William T. McGrattan, Bishop of Calgary and CCCB President shared the following message, praying for the health and recovery of Pope Francis:

As President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB), I wish to assure the faithful of Canada that I am united with my brother Bishops in praying for the full recovery of the Holy Father, Pope Francis, as he continues to lead the Church with courage and a generosity of spirit. I invite individuals, families, parishes, and all Catholic movements and associations in Canada to join their local Bishops in lifting up Pope Francis in their prayers and intentions. May the Lord, through Our Lady's powerful intercession, grant him renewed strength, health, and energy in his vocation to serve the Church as the Successor of Peter and the Vicar of Christ on earth.

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