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Pastoral Team

Pastor: Br. Flavian Gondos, OFM Cap.

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Br. Martin Ngo, OFM Cap

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Parish Secretary: Daniela Gonzalez

Youth Minister: Nicholas De Castro

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Catholic Women's Group (CWG)

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

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Grupo de Oracion e Intercesion San Felipe Neri

Interceder y orar por las necesidades de la parroquia y de la iglesia en general.

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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.

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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: 6:00 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. David Twaddle from the Archdiocese of Toronto at (416) 261-7207 ext. 801.

Remember, God is never outdone in generosity!

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 17, 2026

5:00 pm † Maria de Fatima Teodoro
7:00 pm Spanish Mass

Sunday, October 18, 2026

8:00 am † Peppino e Giuseppina Fiore
9:15 am Casimiro Della Rossa, Maria Lourdes Tarela,
† Maria Dabon
10:30 am In onore di Santa Maria Salome
Defunti Romano e famiglia
† Camillo Varrasso
12:00 pm † Merly Fernandez
† Baldassare & Antonina Oliveri
1:30 pm Mass (Spanish)
8:00 pm For the People

Monday, October 19, 2026

7:00 am Mass (Italian)
8:00 am † Yolanda Piccoli. For the health of Anthony,
Catherine, Calisa & Christina Butera
7:00 pm Rosario – Messa in onore di Padre Pio

Tuesday, October 20, 2026

7:00 am Mass (Italian)
8:00 am † Yolanda Piccoli. For the health of Anthony,
Catherine, Calisa & Christina Butera
7:00 pm Memorial Mass – Giuseppe Fiorillo

Wednesday, October 21, 2026

7:00 am † Onofrio Arcuri, † Pietro Domenico Pezzo
8:00 am † Doris Tabares 2y. Anniversary,
† Vincenza & Donato Tolamo
7:30 pm Memorial Mass – Antonietta Ruscito

Thursday, October 22, 2026

7:00 am Mass (Italian)
8:00 am † Yolanda Piccoli. For the health of Anthony,
Catherine, Calisa & Christina Butera
Thanksgiving MaryAnne Jospeh
1:00 pm Wedding David y Fernanda
7:00 pm Memorial Mass – Achille Lupo

Friday, October 23, 2026

7:00 am Mass (Italian)
8:00 am Thanksgiving Teodora La Madrid
† Luciano Tonon
7:00 pm Spanish Mass

Saturday, October 24, 2026

7:00 am Mass (Italian)
8:00 am † Yolanda Piccoli, For the health of Anthony,
Catherine, Calisa & Christina Butera

Weekly Reflection

The tribute to Caesar must be paid, because the image on the coin is his; yet man—every human being—bears within himself another image, that of God, and therefore it is to Him, and to Him alone, that each person owes their existence. We were created "in His image" and we belong to Him. Furthermore, from the question posed to Him by the Pharisees, Jesus draws out a more fundamental and vital question for each of us—a question we can ask ourselves: to whom do I belong? To family, city, friends, school, work, politics, or the State? Yes, certainly. But above all—Jesus reminds us—we belong to God. This is our fundamental belonging. It is He who has given us everything we are and everything we have. And so, day by day, we can and must live our lives acknowledging this fundamental belonging and with hearts full of gratitude toward our Father, who creates each of us as a unique, unrepeatable individual, yet always in the image of His beloved Son, Jesus.

Il tributo a Cesare va pagato, perché l'immagine sulla moneta è la sua; ma l'uomo, ogni uomo, porta in sé un'altra immagine, quella di Dio, e pertanto è a Lui, e a Lui solo, che ognuno è debitore della propria esistenza. Noi siamo stati creati "a sua immagine" e apparteniamo a Lui. Gesù, inoltre, ricava, dalla domanda postagli dai farisei, un interrogativo più radicale e vitale per ognuno di noi, un interrogativo che noi possiamo farci: a chi appartengo io? Alla famiglia, alla città, agli amici, alla scuola, al lavoro, alla politica, allo Stato? Sì, certo. Ma prima di tutto - ci ricorda Gesù - noi apparteniamo a Dio. Questa è l'appartenenza fondamentale. È Lui che ci ha dato tutto quello che siamo e che abbiamo. E dunque la nostra vita, giorno per giorno, possiamo e dobbiamo viverla nel ri-conoscimento di questa nostra appartenenza fondamentale e nella ri-conoscenza del cuore verso il nostro Padre, che crea ognuno di noi singolarmente, irripetibile, ma sempre secondo l'immagine del suo Figlio amato, Gesù.

Hay que rendir tributo al César, porque la imagen en la moneda es suya; pero el hombre, cada hombre, lleva dentro de sí otra imagen, la de Dios, y, por lo tanto, a Él, y solo a Él, le debemos nuestra existencia. Fuimos creados «a su imagen» y le pertenecemos. Jesús, además, extrae de la pregunta planteada por los fariseos una pregunta más radical y vital para cada uno de nosotros, una pregunta que podemos hacernos: ¿a quién pertenezco? ¿A la familia, a la ciudad, a los amigos, a la escuela, al trabajo, a la política, al Estado? Sí, por supuesto. Pero, ante todo —nos recuerda Jesús— pertenecemos a Dios. Esta es la pertenencia fundamental. Él es quien nos ha dado todo lo que somos y todo lo que tenemos. Y así podemos y debemos vivir nuestras vidas, día a día, reconociendo esta pertenencia fundamental y reconciliándonos con nuestro Padre, quien nos crea a cada uno de nosotros individualmente, de forma única, pero siempre a imagen de su amado Hijo, Jesús.

**Weekly Collection for
October 11, 2026
\$ 12,264.65**



Upcoming Event

Support the St. Philip Neri CWG at their annual Bazaar on Saturday, November 7, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Stop by to find fantastic bargains and support our parish, with all proceeds directly benefiting the church.

First Communion & Confirmation

Parents/Guardians of children in grades 2-6 who have not received the sacrament of First Holy Communion, or children in grades 7 and 8 who have not received the sacrament of Confirmation, please note that there will be information nights in November. You are invited to pick up an information sheet at the back of the church for more detailed information.

Frars Student Writing Contest 2027

November 3, 2026 - January 11, 2027. Theme: "Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom." (cf. Luke 12:32). High school students (ages 13-19 years) in the Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to submit a 450-500-word essay and should consult the resources of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2027 at bit.ly/4yutVEZ. Entries can be submitted at: <https://www.catholicregister.org/writingaward>. For further information, please contact ecumenicalandinterfaith@archtoronto.org or call (647) 258 4740.

Who Stands with Persecuted Christians?

On November 18, 2026, Canadians are invited to participate in Red Wednesday, led by Aid to the Church in Need (ACN). The initiative began officially in 2016, and has spread to more than 20 countries, uniting communities worldwide in defence of religious freedom. The day remembers Christians who face violence, discrimination, or death for their faith. In Toronto, home to Red Wednesday since 2018, a Mass will be held at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica where Bishop Vincent Nguyen, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will preside. The Cathedral's facade will once again be illuminated in red, a powerful symbol of solidarity. More info: acn-canada.org/red-wednesday or contact Evellyne Lemos at el@acn-canada.org. An ACN Canada initiative with the support of the Archdiocese of Toronto.

World Mission Sunday

Today's second collection is for the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as World Mission Sunday. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church and it is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic Communities globally. Offerings are combined with offerings from other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. We are called to share from our abundance with those less fortunate who lack the basic essentials to know, love and praise God. Thank you for your support of this important work

Católicos en Recuperación

Sendero Amistad y Esperanza es una comunidad de personas que buscan una solución a las adicciones, compulsiones, y apegos poco saludables integrando la fe católica con los 12 pasos de recuperación. Intégrate a nuestras reuniones semanales. Es completamente confidencial. St. Philip Neri Church, todos los lunes de 7 a 9 pm en el Salón 4.

All Souls' Day

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed is a day of prayer and remembrance for the Faithful Departed. Through prayer, intercessions, alms and visits to cemeteries, people commemorate their loved ones that have passed. Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the All Souls' Day Mass on Saturday, November 7, 2026 at 2 p.m. All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations: Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga – Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum Christ the King Cemetery, Markham – Reception Centre Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill – Holy Family Mausoleum Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge – St. Anthony's Mausoleum (Liturgy in Italian and English) Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby – Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum More information can be found here: <https://www.catholic-cemeteries.ca/news/all-souls-day-mass/>

Edge And Lifeteen Nights Are Back!

Jesus calls us to friendship with Him – and to live our faith together. Our parish youth nights are a perfect opportunity to grow in faith, make new friends, and have lots of fun along the way! EDGE (for middle schoolers in grades 6 to 8) every second and fourth Friday of the month from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Join us for our Kickoff Night on Friday, October 30th. LIFETEEN (for highschoolers, grades 9 to 12) every first and third Friday of the month from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM (includes a light dinner). Join us for our Kickoff Night on Friday, October 23rd. Each night is filled with fun games, a talk on the faith, and a time for prayer! Email Nicholas, our youth minister, via ndecastro@archtoronto.org for any questions. Register for these programs using the QR Code below.



Municipal Elections 2026 – Cast Your Vote!

The upcoming municipal election will take place on Monday, October 26, 2026, and all Catholic voters are strongly encouraged to participate. To help you learn about the Catholic School Board Trustee candidates, Cardinal Leo has authorized the distribution of campaign literature outside of Mass on weekends from October 3/4 through October 24/25. At the polling booth, please verify that you are registered as a separate school supporter to ensure you can cast your vote for trustee. If your status is incorrect, you can immediately request, complete, and submit an Application to Amend Voters' List directly at the station.

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