

## ST. PATRICK'S PARISH



Established in 1876



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**Live Stream:** <https://www.facebook.com/stpstmchurch/>

**Pastor: Rev. Bob Glynn**

## ST. MARY'S MISSION CHURCH



**Mission Established 1855**  
**Blessing of the Church**  
**Oct 2, 2010 A.D.**

### Weekend Holy Mass Celebrations

#### St. Patrick

Sunday: 7:45 am, 9:00 am  
10:30 am (Latin)

#### St. Mary

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 10:15 am, 11:30 am

Weekday Holy Masses: see inside

#### Confessions:

St. Patrick's Parish: Tuesday - Friday 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM

St. Mary's Mission Church: Saturdays 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

First Fridays of the Month (during Eucharistic Adoration)

#### Music Ministries

##### St. Patrick's / St. Mary's

Sara Papini (piano & cantor)

647-335-5775

#### Youth Ministry

Zephania Gangl - Youth Minister - Leading Teens closer to Christ!

905-830-2644 or [zgagl@archtoronto.org](mailto:zgagl@archtoronto.org)

Youth grades (5 - 8) **Edge Ministry** Youth grades (9 -12) **LifeTeen**

#### Baptisms

Celebrated at both **St. Patrick** and **St. Mary**. Baptism application 'booklets' are available at the back of the church. Both parents are required to be registered parishioners prior to Baptism and must attend Baptism Preparation Class, 1st Tues. 7 PM St. Pat's, 1st Wed. 7 PM St. Mary's.. A copy of 1 parent and 1 godparent baptismal certificate to be attached to booklet application.

#### Marriages

The engaged couple should contact their parish priest at least one year in advance of the intended date of the Marriage. The date will not be confirmed until after the initial interview. One of the two must be a registered parishioner of St. Patrick's or St. Mary's Church for at least one year before the initial interview.

#### Marriage Counselling

Retrouvaille 416-281-6007 Marriage Encounter 905-278-5229

Catholic Family Services 416-222-0048

Marriage Course - Marilena Carinci - 416-505-2041

#### Cemeteries - Please contact Parish Office

St. Patrick's Cemetery - 905-859-5522 - St. Mary's Cemetery

#### Letters of Recommendation/Reference

For those being asked to act as Godparents for Baptism, Sponsors for Confirmation, etc., letters of recommendation are only issued to active parishioners who have been **registered for at least 2 years at St. Mary's Mission or St. Patrick's Parish.**

### Parish Organizations

**Finance Council:** Trustees: Allan McGuire, Vince Isgro, Luigi Carinci

**CWL:** St. Mary's — Michelina Di Carlo 416 999 7788

**K of C:** St. Mary's — Rick Minicucci 416-768-5564  
— Dave Sardone 416-735-3166

St. Patrick's — John Pallotto 416-525-9450

**Ladies Auxiliary** Tania Crane 416-540-1057

**Children's Liturgy:** St. Mary's - Marisa Di Passa 416-887-2297

St. Patrick's - Rose Pallotto 416-605-6843

**Gruppo di Padre Pio:** — Carmela Iozzo 905-859-0732

**Bible Study:** — Gillian Vivona 416-671-1540

**St. Mary's Tree of Life:** Sale of Memorial Leaves

For information, please call the Parish Office 905-859-5522

**St. Mary's & St. Patrick's Hall Rental:** Please contact the Parish Office

#### New Parishioners

If you wish to be a registered member of St. Patrick's Parish or St. Mary's Mission Church, please contact the parish office for a registration form. The form can be forwarded by email and returned via email to the parish office. Once registered, a box of Collection Envelopes will be assigned to you, which can be picked up at the parish office. **Pre-Authorized Giving Plan is also available.** Call the office to ask us about it!

#### Bequests

In your kindness, please remember St. Patrick &  
St. Mary R. C. Church

#### Bereavement

Rose Pallotto 416-605-6843

#### Catholic Schools

St. Patrick's CES. - Schomberg

905-939-7753 (Ms. Contatto-Giulianelli)

St. Mary's C.E.S., Nobleton

905-859-3336 (Ms. D'Andrea)

**Papal Blessings** For special celebrations, please click here:

[www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va) or [www.elemosinaria.va/papal-blessing-parchments/](http://www.elemosinaria.va/papal-blessing-parchments/)

#### 150th Anniversary St. Patrick's Est 1876

We are collecting historical pictures as we prepare to celebrate the 150th. Your photos will be scanned and copied and will be returned. We are also looking for ideas on how to celebrate this special anniversary. Please contact:

Rose Pallotto 416-605-6843 & Merilena Carinci 416-505-2041

## Mass Intentions



**Sat. Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 PM Intention for Attilio Bifolchi**  
St. Mary's req. by Bifolchi Family

**Sun. Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:45 AM † Ingrid & John Kastelic**  
St. Pat's req. by Shari Kastelic

**Sun. Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM**  
St. Pat's

**St. Pat's Latin Mass-10:30 AM**

**Sun. Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 10:15 AM † Thomas Joseph McGahern**  
St. Mary's req. by Di Passa Family

**Sun. Jan 18<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 AM † Carmen Sr. De Gasperis**  
St. Mary's req. by Loretta De Gasperis

**Tues. Jan 20<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM † Sante & Maria Lenarduzzi**  
St. Pat's req. by Franca Della Rossa

**Wed. Jan 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 AM † Enio Gaspared**  
St. Pat's req. by Franca Della Rossa

**Thur. Jan 22<sup>nd</sup>, 9:00 AM Good health and reconciliation for everyone**  
St. Pat's req. by Franca Della Rossa

**Fri. Jan 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9:00 AM Available**  
St. Pat's

**Sat. Jan 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 PM Multi Intention for Rick Leach**  
St. Mary's req. by Maria Leach & Family

**Sun. Jan 25<sup>th</sup>, 7:45 AM † Laurie Kennedy**  
St. Pat's req. by St. Pat's Knights of Columbus

**Sun. Jan 25<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM † Laurie Kennedy**  
St. Pat's req. by Pallotto Family

**St. Pat's Latin Mass-10:30 AM**

**Sun. Jan 25<sup>th</sup>, 10:15 AM † Vincenzo & Lucia Baldassara**  
St. Mary's req. by Nick Capobianco & Family

**Sun. Jan 25<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 AM † Alfonso Di Carlo**  
St. Mary's req. by Di Carlo Family



*Sanctuary Light for St. Pat's & St. Mary's for the week of Jan 18<sup>th</sup> to Jan 24<sup>th</sup> is being offered for † Michele Rotundo from Trelle Family*



Please Pray for those who died this past week especially † Michele Rotundo, † Albert Zilio and those who rest in our cemeteries.



### Please Pray for Our Sick:

Justin Di Nino - Peter Duggan - Sharon Duggan - Marcel & Adrian Mascherin - Marcella Baseggio - Noreen Baseggio - Gina Mascherin - Beatrice Henriques - Rina Bortolussi - Aaron Groskopf - Kenneth Holychuk - Mara - Patty Fleetwood - Bianca & Bruno Zaino - Nadia Moroney - Frank P - Bifolchi Family - Amaya Karen - Tina Turi - VJ Anthony - Lilli Di Carlo



**Vocations...** St. Paul tells us that we have been sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be a holy people. Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you contact Father Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997

vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.com

**Pope Leo XIV @Pontifex...** In Ukraine, severe, new attacks aimed at energy infrastructure as the cold weather grows harsher are taking a heavy toll on the civilian population. I pray for those who suffer and renew my appeal for an end to the violence and for renewed efforts to achieve peace.

**St Pat's 150 / St. Mary's 171 Anniversaries**  
We are one parish with 2 Historical Milestones of 150 and 171 years of Faithfulness and Loving Service as One Faith Community. The year 2026 will be full of ways to Celebrate. The First Highlight will be an 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026, with Irish entertainment at Copper Creek Golf Course in Kleinburg, tickets \$150.00 on sale next week. St. Patrick's Parish will celebrate its 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with Cardinal Francis Leo Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 1:30pm. We are creating a historical Family photo directory. Sign up begins for St. Pat's & St. Mary's Jan 24 & 25<sup>th</sup>. Photo's will be taken Feb. 18,19 at St. Mary's and Feb. 20,21 at St. Pat's. **Much More to come!!!** Please help us! Contact; Rose Pallotto 416-605-6843 or Merilena Carinci 416-505-2041. Email: [Stp150anniversary@gmail.com](mailto:Stp150anniversary@gmail.com)



Can you imagine being on the receiving of one of Jesus' rebukes? Not fun. But Jesus never shuts a door on anyone. Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God

before us, not instead of us. Jesus seems to be giving us more chances to follow him, even when we reject him. That's especially good news for those of us whose kids or spouses or other family members have turned away from their faith. We can remember that Jesus never ever gives up on us, no matter what we do. Let's pray today that God opens closed hearts, starting with ours. God of second and third chances, open up to the closed spaces of our hearts. Fill us with your love. Help us find joy in serving you and serving others. Lord Jesus, help us follow where you lead.

### Upcoming St. Pat's KofC Meeting

Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 7:30 PM - St. Pat's Hall

### Upcoming Youth Events

**Life Night - Jan 31<sup>st</sup> 6 PM St. Mary's Church Hall**

### Upcoming St. Pat's Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 7 pm - St. Pat's Parish



*Flowers for Our Lady of Guadalupe for the week of Jan 18<sup>th</sup> to Jan 24<sup>th</sup> are being offered for the 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion and Confirmation children*



**In Our Parish...** As the parish grows so does our need for more volunteers. If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, Knights of Columbus, or Catholic Women's League; pick up an application from the back of the church or contact the office 905-859-5522. Come and join us – have fun, learn more about our faith, help by being a part of our Parish family, and make new friends.



**Baptism Preparation...** The Baptism of your child is an important event in the life of St. Pat's Parish and St. Mary's Church. **Next meetings:**

**Tues. Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm at St. Pat's**

**Wed. Feb 4<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm St. Mary's**





**Steubenville Youth Conference**

Main Campus 2 (Franciscan University, Ohio) June 26–28, 2026  
Cost: \$525 per person (includes coach transportation, conference fee, on-campus accommodations and meals, conference t-shirt, 2 group shirts, and conference pizza).

**\$75 deposit due to the parish office by January 29, 2026.**

When things are tough and I want to give up, I found this poem to help me through the darker time. I thought I'd share it with you as well.

**Don't Quit**

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will,  
When the road you're trudging seems all uphill,  
When the funds are low and the debts are high,  
And instead of a smile you have to sigh,  
When care is pressing you down a bit,  
Rest, in God's love - and never quit.

Life is strange with its twists and turns,  
As every one of us sometimes learns,  
And many a failed person has turned away,  
When with God's help he'd have won the day.  
Don't give up though the pace seems slow,  
For you may succeed with another go.

Success is failure turned inside out,  
The silver tint of the clouds of doubt,  
You never can tell how close you are,  
The goal may be near when it seems so far,  
So turn to the Lord when you're hardest hit—  
Put your trust in the Lord and never quit.

**Bible Study Course: Abraham Father of Faith**

When: Monday 7:30-9:30 PM - St. Mary's Church Hall Dates:  
Jan. 26-June 15 (excluding 4 holiday Mondays) Cost: \$60.00  
Contact: Parish Office at 905-859-5522 or  
gillianvivona@gmail.com for registration and inquiries.

**Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop John Boissonneau  
Feb. 8, 2026 at 2:30 p.m.**

Marriage Sunday 2026 celebrations, Bishop John Boissonneau will preside at a special Mass, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2026. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 8, 2026 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto). Married couples will be able to renew their marriage commitment during the mass. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. Livestream Mass available. Registration and other information at [www.archtoronto.org/marriage](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage).



**Have a Blessed Week!!**

**Confirmation Enrollment Masses for  
Confirmandi Jan 31<sup>st</sup>/Feb 1<sup>st</sup>  
& Feb 14<sup>th</sup>-Feb 15<sup>th</sup> at all Masses.**



"Pray for us now" promises we can do God's work now, even as sinners. We were not conceived without sin or preserved from sin all our life, as Mary was. We are what we are. So we do that we can now, while we keep growing into more surrender, letting Jesus act with us, in us, and through us as his still-imperfect body on earth. But God's promise that, in the "graduation ceremony" of death, we will surrender ourselves totally, as Jesus did, saying "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit." Now we offer our lives daily, so that, at the hour of our death, all of God's promises will be fulfilled. Then our waiting will be over. The Word will be made flesh throughout creation. "Every valley shall be filled, every mountain and hill made low, the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God." (Luke 3:5). Whatever you do, see it as a moment of building up to the total gift of yourself at the hour of final surrender, loving God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength."

**Prayer for Christian Unity**

**O God, holy and eternal Trinity, we pray for your church  
in the world. Sanctify its life; renew its worship;  
empower its witness;  
heal its divisions; make visible its unity.  
Lead us, with all our brothers and sisters,  
towards communion  
in faith, life and witness so that, united in one body  
by the one Spirit, we may together witness  
to the perfect unit of your love. Amen**

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**

**Sun, Jan 18, 2026 – Sun, Jan 25, 2026**

**Communion Reflection...**Did you ever notice that the angel didn't stick around after sharing the hugely important news with Mary? There's no hovering or checking it to see how she's doing. It's like Gabriel knew Mary had a lot to do, trusted her to do it, and got out of the way. When we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe in December, we remember how she appeared to a poor, middle-aged man, brought healing to his family, and helped convince a bishop to build a church. We remember how roses bloomed in the middle of winter, an image of Mary appeared on a cloak, and how 9 million people sought baptism afterwards. Mary works tirelessly to bring us to her son. Most of us have now returned to work after our Christmas break, whether in the office or remotely so I ask, what is your work today? How does Mary help you?

**A big thank you to all the volunteer decorators at  
Srt. Pat's & St. Mary's for taking down all the  
Christmas decorations.**

*Thank You*

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**A big thank you to Allan McGuire at St. Pat's  
Parish for all his work finishing the woodworking  
around the front doors.**