



ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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All Saints DAY & All Souls DAY

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD,
AND LET PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM.
MAY THE SOULS OF THE FAITH DEPARTED,
THROUGH THE MERCY OF GOD,
REST IN PEACE, AMEN

Our mission : We joyfully welcome you to our parish family of faith. May our parish be a sanctuary of peace for you as we journey together to the Father's house.

Parish Hours

DAILY MASS

MONDAY - THURSDAY 9:00 am
FRIDAY 7:00 pm
SATURDAY 9:00 am

SUNDAY MASS

SATURDAY 5:00 pm
SUNDAY 8:30 am | 10:15 am | 12:00 pm | 7:00 pm

HOLY HOUR

FRIDAY 6:00 pm - 7:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

FRIDAY 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm
SATURDAY 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm
or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:30 am - 4:00 pm (church open until 5pm)
SATURDAY 9:30 am - 12:30 pm | 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm
SUNDAY 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, 3 NOVEMBER

9:00 AM FR. MANUEL SILVA

TUESDAY, 4 NOVEMBER

9:00 AM + LOUSINHA PAES AND FAMILY

WEDNESDAY, 5 NOVEMBER

9:00 AM + FILOMENA & LEONARDO IMPIETRO
+ JOAN FERNANDES
+ WILLIAM WALSH
+ LEA CATRE
+ DOROTHY HESLAP

THURSDAY, 6 NOVEMBER

9:00 AM + CHARLIE KIRK

FRIDAY, 7 NOVEMBER

9:00 AM S.I. IN THANKSGIVING TO THE SACRED
HEART OF JESUS
S.I. FOR THE UZOMA FAMILY
+ ANTONIO M. CARVALHO
+ NATASHA FERNANDES
+ CLOTIELE BARROS

SATURDAY, 8 NOVEMBER

9:00 AM + DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE UZOMA
FAMILY
+ SRIMATHI DIAS
5:00 PM + PETER FERNANDES & EMMANUEL
QUINTAL

SUNDAY, 9 NOVEMBER

8:30 AM + JOSE & JUSTINA MOURA AND FAMILY
10:15 AM FOR THE PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH
12:00 PM + JOHNNY & PIEDADE COUTINHO
+ MICHAEL SFERRUZZI
7:00 PM + PHILOMENA CORDEIRO



VOCATIONS

Can I risk sharing the goodness God has given me? Can I care for the needs of my brothers and sisters? Can I respond to God as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you **contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997**
vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca

Let us pray! For the sick members of our parish and for those who love and minister to them.



Visit our website:

<https://stfrancisdesales.archtoronto.org/>

 ShareLife

Thank you for all that you are doing for the ShareLife campaign. We are very grateful for your generosity and support. **To date, we have collected \$77,600 for the ShareLife appeal. This is 75% of our parish goal, which is \$104,000.** You may also choose to give to the ShareLife appeal by way of credit card. To donate online go to: www.sharelife.org

All Souls Day



On Sunday November 2nd, we will be celebrating the All Souls Mass at the Sunday 12pm Mass. The names of the deceased who have died from our parish this past year will be read aloud at this Mass. Special envelopes for the deceased are available in the foyer. These envelopes are to be deposited with a donation and the name of your deceased loved ones in the offertory box in front of the pulpit. The deceased will be remembered throughout November.

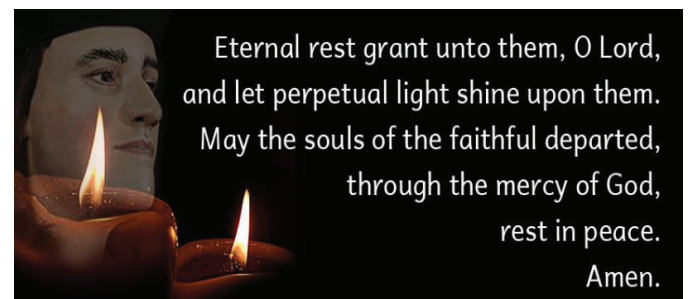


The K of C are hosting a Christmas Dinner & Dance on Saturday December 27th at St. Nedela Banquet Hall, Ajax. Please join us to celebrate the season with good food, great company, and Christmas cheer! Tickets are on sale in the foyer. It will be \$65 for adults and \$20 for children. There will be a buffet dinner, DJ, dancing, and so much more. We hope to see you there!



Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul
Ontario Regional Council

There will be a special Saint Vincent de Paul Christmas Collection on the weekend of November 8/9. Envelopes can be found in your personal donation box or grey envelopes by the poor box or you can use any envelope and mark it to SVDP. **We kindly ask that you make your donation by November 22/23.**



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God,
rest in peace.
Amen.

SVDP BUNDLE SUNDAY



Calling all Fall Cleaners! The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be collecting gently used clothing and linens on the weekend of November 15/16. You can drop off your items at the truck that will be located in the east parking lot. Please note they are not accepting any appliances, furniture, mattresses or dishes.



There will be a second collection on the weekend of November 15/16 for the Shepherd's Trust. The mission of the Shepherd's Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or are otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.

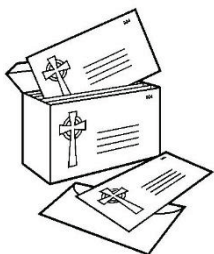


SFDS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The St. Francis de Sales choirs will be hosting our Annual Christmas Carol Concert on Friday December 5th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Through this concert, we hope to strengthen our parish community as well as raise funds for the St. Vincent de Paul Society and our parish Mortgage Fund. **Tickets are on sale after all the Masses in the foyer.** Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for students, and children 5 years old and younger get in free. There is also a \$20 family pass that includes two adults and two students. Make sure to get your tickets before they sell out! We look forward to seeing everyone for a fun night of faith and fellowship!

For those who requested a box of **2025 offertory envelopes**, please note that this is the last weekend to pick them up. Any boxes not collected after this weekend will be removed.

2026 offertory envelopes will be available in November.



Sacrament Registration for First Reconciliation/Communion & Confirmation

The 2025/2026 Sacramental registration is now closed!

Please note that the enrollment weekend (when the children receive their blessed crosses) will take place the weekend of **November 22/23 for First Communion** and **November 29/30 for Confirmation**. Please attend the Mass time that works best for your family. This is the first passport collection date. The passports will be stamped and collected after Mass and they will be returned to our 6 Parish schools throughout the week. An email will be sent to all of our sacramental families regarding the sacramental preparation classes in the coming weeks.

If you attended the registration meeting already but still have outstanding documents, please ensure you communicate with the coordinators to arrange a time to drop off the forms ASAP. Your child's passport will be given once all documents are received.

We are looking forward to seeing all of the children and their families at Mass, as they prepare for these very special sacraments!

God Bless, Dawn Selda and Noah Aquino

Handicraft Holy Land Christians

On the weekend of November 8-9, 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

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