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Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.
 Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m.
 Saturday 9:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 or by Appointment.

First Friday of the Month

Adoration/Benediction
 Following 8:30 a.m. Mass

Baptism: Contact the office to register your child. Baptism dates assigned at time of interview with Priest or Deacon.

Marriage: Contact the parish office for appointment.

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Pastoral Team

Msgr. Patrick O’Dea, C.H.H. – *Pastor*
 Rev. Andrew Taylor – *Associate Pastor*
 Rev. Mr. David Quail – *Permanent Deacon*
 Sr. Teresa Morrison, CPS – *R.C.I.A.*
 Matthew Tulio – *Seminarian*

Josie Paladino - *Secretary*
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 Gerry Robin - *Accountant*
 Clare Koo - *Custodian*

Parish Ministries

55+ CLUB - 416-222-5139
CATECHISM COURSE(S) - Msgr. Pat O’Dea
CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE - Monica Figueredo
stedwardcwl@gmail.com
GOOD SHEPHERD - Margaret Hawkins
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Mike Mastromatteo
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SOCIAL COMMITTEE - Monica Figueredo
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - 437-388-4960
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Liturgical Ministries

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LECTORS
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MUSIC MINISTRY
CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD
LITTLE LAMBS MINISTRY

Parish Schools

<u>Parish Schools</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Phone</u>
St. Edward	1 Botham Rd., North York, ON M2N 2J6	416-393-5255
St. Cyril	18 Kempford Blvd., Willowdale, ON M2N 2B9	416-393-5270
St. Antoine Daniel	160 Finch Ave. W., Willowdale, ON M2N 2J2	416-393-5339
Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts	36 Greenfield Ave., Toronto, ON M2N 3C8	416-393-5556

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Parishioners:

Firstly, I trust your summer is going well and providing you a time of rest and perhaps some family holidays.

The month of July, which has just concluded, was indeed a very active one here at the parish. For instance, we managed to host a very successful summer camp for the youth of the parish, entitled "Totus Tuus" (which means: "Totally Yours"). The day and evening programs were well attended and I thank all who assisted in any way.

We welcomed a new Associate Pastor, Fr. Andrew Taylor, who began his ministry with us July 1st. Fr. Andrew is integrating well into the parish and is looking forward to meeting all those involved in our various ministries that will soon begin again in the fall.

I thank you for your warm support of our former seminarian-intern, Matthew Tulio, who is returning to St. Augustine's Seminary to continue his formation for the priesthood. He returns knowing of your prayers and gratitude for his ministry with us this past year. I truly enjoyed having Tulio with us; his presence was indeed a special blessing for the parish.

Please continue to pray for all vocations in the Church.

God Bless.
Msgr. Pat

55+ CLUB

The seniors' group will resume on Wednesday. September 11th, 1 – 3 pm. The knitting and crochet group will continue working for our charities from home and will also resume on September 11th, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm. For more information contact Marie at 416-222-5139. Have a safe summer!

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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 5, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Noel Faustino Gloria

Tuesday, August 6, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. Healing for Grotto Group Members
Special intentions for Matthew Tulio
+ Anita Ho

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

8:30 a.m. Birthday wishes for Patricia Cheung

Thursday, August 8, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Bernadette Carvalho
Deceased members of George Chu's family
Blessings & good health for Sierra
Blessings & healing for Rosita Kan

Friday, August 9, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Niragee Laval

Saturday, August 10, 2024 Multi-intention

9:00 a.m. Deceased members of the Ong & Wong families
Deceased members of Angela Leung's family
+ Maria Deniz

4:30 p.m. Deceased members of the Amoroso & Clarke families

Sunday, August 11, 2024

8:00 a.m. Juan Medina
9:30 a.m. + Paul Ricciardi
11:00 a.m. + Maria Porcellese

OUTDOOR MASS, FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Thursday, August 15th

There will be a special Mass on the grounds of the church, by the Marian Shrine, on the Feast of the Assumption, Thursday, August 15th at 7 p.m. Feel free to bring folding chairs. We will start promptly at 7 p.m. If rain, Mass will be held in the church instead of outdoors. Same timeframe.



GOOD SHEPHERD MINISTRY

A reminder that the casseroles for Good Shepherd Ministries are due the 2nd weekend of the month. Thank you for providing a hot nourishing meal for the homeless people at Good Shepherd Centre.

NOTICE

Please note we will resume our bulletins on September 1st. Until then, Mass intentions will be posted on the bulletin board and flyers announcing special events or programs will be distributed after each Mass.

Senior Residence Masses – August 2024

Friday, August 9th – Canterbury – 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday, August 21st – Del Manor – 10:30 a.m.
Monday, August 26th – AMICA – 10:30 a.m.

AUGUST 4, 2024

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2024 AT 7:00 P.M.

CEMETERY

Assumption, Mississauga
Christ the King, Markham
Holy Cross, Thornhill
Mount Hope, Toronto
Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge
Resurrection, Whitby
St. Mary's, Barrie

CELEBRANT

Bishop. Ivan Camilleri
Rev. Msgr. Vid Vlastic
Archbishop Frank Leo
Bishop Robert Kasun
Rev. Msgr. Pat O'Dea
Bishop Vincent Nguyen
Bishop John Boissonneau

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Children's Liturgy of the Word and Little Lambs

Children's Liturgy of the Word and Little Lambs are two programs for **children aged 3-7** which features prayers and the Gospel reading tailored for young children's understanding and attention. We will begin the program on **Sunday, September 8, 2024 at the 9:30am Mass**. The program's aim is to make the Liturgy of the Word accessible to young children and make their experience of the Mass as meaningful and understandable as possible. Children will be invited to the Parish Hall during the beginning of Mass and will return at the Prayers of the Faithful.

We are also looking for enthusiastic and interested volunteers (high school students up to adults) to help us with both programs as Youth Assistants and Teachers. Please contact Martin Yeung (martin.c.yeung@gmail.com) for more information. As this Ministry interacts with children, all volunteers shall be screened.

Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

We are looking to expand our current ministries and encourage new participants. In particular we invite new candidates to serve as Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. If you would like to apply as a new member in either of these ministries in the upcoming months, or wish more information, please contact the Parish Office with your name, phone number and e-mail address and indicate which ministry you may wish to join, A coordinator (Yolanda Chin or John Ryall) will send you the application information and forms. Thank you for your interest

St Vincent de Paul Book Sale

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the St Vincent de Paul Book Sale! Thanks to your generosity we were able to raise over \$4,800! These funds will be used to meet the needs of neighbours who are unable to afford food and other basic necessities. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a lay Catholic organization whose mission is to live the Gospel message by serving Christ through the poor with love, respect, justice and joy. Thank you for helping us live out our calling! If you would like to learn more or get involved with the SSVP group at St Edwards, please call 437-388-4960.

Collection for Canadian Missions

On Sunday, August 11, 2024, the Archdiocese of Toronto holds its annual collection for Canadian Missions. Proceeds go to the Dioceses of Mackenzie-Fort Smith and Grouard-McLennan and Catholic Missions In Canada, which do not receive support from October's World Mission Sunday collection. Canadian home missions face unique challenges in demanding cultural and physical environments. Your contributions to this collection provide crucial support to fellow Catholics in remote areas of our nation.



We still have boxes for 2024 that have not as yet been picked up from the office. Please note if you do not pick up your envelopes by the end of September, you will not be assigned a box for 2025.

EMAIL SCAM ALERT

In recent weeks there has been a sharp increase in the amount of fake/scam emails being received by parishioners throughout the archdiocese. These emails – usually sent from Gmail accounts operated by scammers – appear to be from a priest and often request the purchase of gift cards or electronic payments. Please exercise caution should you receive an email like this and contact the parish via telephone to validate its authenticity.

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