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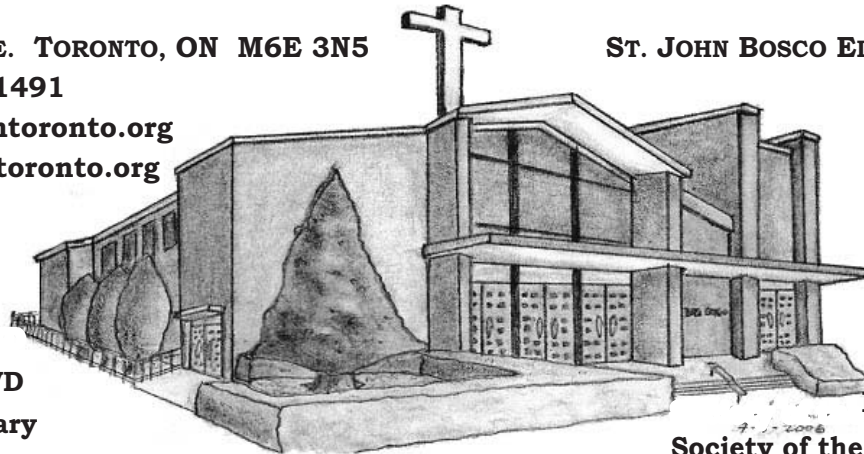
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## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday  
9:00 am – 12:00 noon  
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Closed on Wednesday

## WEEKDAY MASSES

TUESDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese  
THURSDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese  
FRIDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese

## SUNDAY

SATURDAY 6:00 pm - Portuguese  
SUNDAY 9:00 am - Italian  
10:30 am - Portuguese  
12:00 pm - English

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:45 - 5:45 pm.

BAPTISMS: At least 2 months in advance and instruction required.

MARRIAGE: One year notice and marriage preparation required.

ANOIDING OF THE SICK: Please call the office

## ORE D'UFFICIO

Lunedì a Venerdì  
9:00 am – 12:00 noon  
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Chiuso il Mercoledì

## MESSE FERIALE

martedì 6:00 pm – Portuguese  
giovedì 6:00 pm – Portuguese  
venerdì 6:00 pm – Portuguese

## MESSE DOMENICALI

SABATO 6:00 pm - Portuguese  
DOMENICA 9:00 am - Italiano  
10:30 am - Portuguese  
12:00 pm - Inglese

CONFESSIONI: Sabato 4:45 - 5:45 pm

SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI

E GLI ANZIANI: Chiamate in Ufficio

## ADORAZIONE (Portoghese)

1º Venerdì 5:00 - 6:00 pm  
1º Sabato 5:00 - 6:00 pm

## HORÁRIO DO ESCRITÓRIO

Segunda a Sexta -feira  
9:00 am – 12:00 pm  
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Fechado na Quarta-feira

## MISSAS SEMANAIS

Terça 6:00 pm - Português  
Quinta 6:00 pm - Português  
Sexta 6:00 pm - Português

## DOMINGO

SÁBADO 6:00 pm - Português  
DOMINGO 9:00 am - Italiano  
10:30 am - Português  
12:00 pm - Inglês

CONFISSÕES: Sábado 4:45 - 5:45 pm

BATISMOS: 2 mês de antecedência.

CASAMENTOS: Tratar com 1 ano de antecedência. O curso de preparação é obrigatório.

PARA OS DOENTES E VELHINHOS:

Ligue para o escritório

## HORA SANTA

1ª Sexta-feira— 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm  
1º Sabado— 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

## LEGIÃO DE MARIA

Terça feira 6:30 pm

## PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

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# SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## MASS INTENTIONS MAY 4 - 10, 2024

### Saturday: 4 May

**6:00 pm** - Acção de graças a Nossa Senhora de Fatima  
 + Manuel Lemos e familiares defunti  
 - Acção de graças a Nossa Senhora de Fatima, São Miguel e Santíssimo Sacramento

### Sunday: 5 May

**9:00 am** - In honore di Santa Rita de Cascia  
 + Famiglia defunti di Rosa Paris  
**10:30 am** + Maria Rosa Dias, Maria Das Dores Sousa, Fernanda e Maria Da Conceição, Manuel Dos Santos  
 + Maria e Manuel Costa  
 + Maria Pimental Pereira (aniv de falecimento)  
 + Fernando Ribeiro  
**12:00 pm** + Guilherme & Paulo Silva  
 - Birthday Blessing for Alicia B. Serrano, Ronald Benedict Baldon & Sr. Natalie Rossi

### Tuesday: 7 May

**6:00 pm** + Almas do purgatorio (Legião de Maria)

### Thursday: 9 May

**6:00 pm** + Jaime e Amelia Pereira, Rosa Rodrigues, João Barros, Antonio Barros, Ines Goncalves, Amadeu Goncalves, Antonio Barros

### Friday: 10 May

**6:00 pm** + Heitor e Maria Lisboa, Zeferino Rodrigues, Maria Teresa

### **Pope's Pastoral Works Collection – May 5, 2024**

Today, there will be a second collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

### **Catholic Education Week - May 5-10, 2024**

#### ***"We Are Called to Love":***

During Catholic Education Week (May 5-10, 2024), we give thanks for the gift of publicly funded Catholic Education in our province. Catholic schools foster supportive communities where children can experience the joy of God's love and understand the Christian mission in the world. Together, our parishes, educators and families sow and nurture the seeds of faith with the next generation of Catholics, encouraging them to live lives of holiness and Christian witness as one body in Christ. To indicate your support of Catholic education and sign-up for email updates, **visit: [www.togetherinfaith.ca](http://www.togetherinfaith.ca)**

On Sunday, May 5, 2024, Catholics throughout the Archdiocese are encouraged to participate in Mental Health in the Faith Communities Awareness Sunday. The special focus for this day is to raise awareness in our parish communities of the importance of mental health, how we need to look after it and how important it is to get help if we are struggling. In our faith communities, people often report experiencing shame or stigma attached to mental health and mental health illness. Having open conversations about mental health issues, listening and sharing information, opens doors to seeking help and healing.  
<https://www.archtoronto.org/mentalhealth>

Reflect, today, upon how well you lay down your life for others, holding nothing back. Do not hesitate to commit yourself to this depth of love. By giving yourself completely away you find yourself and discover the presence of our Divine Lord. ***My sacrificial Lord, help me to put others first. Help me to love until it hurts. And in that loving sacrifice, help me to discover the love in Your own divine heart. Jesus, I trust in You.***

### OUR LADY OF FATIMA

**ANNUAL CELEBRATION AND PROCESSION IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA 25TH OF MAY 2024 (SATURDAY)**

**7:00 PM - MASS FOLLOWED BY PROCESSION.**

On Saturday May 25, 2024 we will be having our annual procession in honour of Our Lady of Fatima. **We invite all the children who celebrated their First Communion and Confirmation** to come dressed in their 1st communion dresses and suits and join us for mass and procession. If you would like to participate please send us an email, speak with Fr. Joey or call the office. Mass will be at 7:00 pm, procession to follow after mass.

**May is the month dedicated to the Virgin Mary. Pray the Rosary! The FAMILY that prays together, stays together.**

The greatest love story that ever happened: God's continuing love for His people. All God asks is "Love one another as I have loved you". The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. **If you are willing to answer God's call, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) www.vocationstoronto.ca**

### *Prayer for Peace of Mind*

Almighty God, We bless you for our lives, we give you praise for your abundant mercy and grace we receive. We thank you for your faithfulness even though we are not that faithful to you. Lord Jesus, we ask you to give us all around peace in our mind, body, soul and spirit. We want you to heal and remove everything that is causing stress, grief, and sorrow in our lives. Please guide our path through life and make our enemies be at peace with us. Let your peace reign in our family, at our place of work, businesses and everything we lay our hands on. Let your angels of peace go ahead of us when we go out and stay by our side when we return. In Jesus' name.

### MARTYRS' SHRINE 2024 SPRING GALA

**June 12, 2024 - 5:30 pm to 9:00 pm**

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### Magnificat Breakfast

Join our Mary, Cause of our Joy, Toronto Chapter for our 48<sup>th</sup> Magnificat breakfast. Treat your mother, sister, colleague or friend to an inspirational morning that includes a hot breakfast, praise and worship led by our spirit-filled music ministry, a personal testimony of the transforming love of Christ in the life of an invited speaker. Priests are available for women wishing to avail themselves of the sacrament of Reconciliation.

**Saturday May 25, 2024 from 9:30 am – 12:30 pm**

**St. Benedict Parish Hall - 2194 Kipling Ave. Etobicoke, ON**

**Doors open at 9:00 am**

**Guest Speaker: Mariela Sol Torroba Hennigen**

**Registration \$35**

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**VI DOMENICA DI PASQUA**

Gesù non chiede ai discepoli se non quello che lui per primo ha fatto. Ci chiama amici perché è da vero amico chiedere senza ipocrisia e senza temere d'essere esigente. In effetti, Gesù chiede molto, ci chiede di amarci gli uni gli altri come lui ci amati. Ma lui per primo, per questo amore, è stato pronto a dare la vita sulla croce.

**5 MAGGIO - SECONDA COLLETA PER LE INIZIATIVE DEL SANTO PAPA. GRAZIE DEL VOSTRO APPOGIO!**

**Scintille...**Dobbiamo accendere una candela piuttosto che maledire la tenebra. – **Kallistos Ware, vescovo ortodosso**

**PER ME VIVERE È CRISTO**

Il desiderio vero e la decisione sincera di perderci in Dio, di affidarci alla sua volontà come Cristo: è il modo per entrare nel Mistero eucaristico, per partecipare attivamente alla santa Messa.  
– **Card. Angelo Bagnasco**

**Festa della Madonna di Fatima**

Il Mese di Maggio è tradizionalmente e devozionalmente dedicato alla Madonna. Siamo particolarmente incoraggiati alla preghiera del Rosario e ad altre devozioni in onore della Vergine Maria.

**25 di Maggio - Messa 7:00 pm  
Processione dopo la messa**

**PREGHIERA MENSILE - maggio 2024**

**Del Papa:** Preghiamo perché le religiose, i religiosi e i seminaristi crescano nel proprio cammino vocazionale attraverso una formazione umana, pastorale, spirituale e comunitaria, che li porti a essere testimoni credibili del Vangelo.

**Per la famiglia:** Perché lo Spirito Santo doni agli sposi l'ardore nell'evangelizzazione, la forza nella tribolazione, la costanza nel fare il bene, la pazienza nelle fatiche, il coraggio nell'amare tutti.

**Mariana:** Perché la grazia dello Spirito Santo accenda nei nostri cuori un sentimento di riconoscenza verso colei che ci ha donato il Sal- vatore.

**Join the Archdiocese of Toronto  
Delegation International Eucharistic Congress 2024  
September 8 - 15 in Quito, Ecuador**

The Holy Father has invited Catholics worldwide to participate in the 53rd International Eucharistic Congress. To learn more about the pilgrimage, **please visit: [www.archtoronto.org.iec](http://www.archtoronto.org.iec)** Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with the Canadian delegation. Registration deadline is June 6, 2024 with early bird pricing available until May 6.

**Chuckles from the pew...**An atheist was taking a walk through the woods, admiring all that evolution had created. "What majestic trees! What powerful rivers! What beautiful animals!", he said to himself. As he was walking along the river, he heard a rustling in the bushes behind him. When he turned to see what the cause was, he saw a 7-foot grizzly charging right towards him. He ran as fast as he could. He looked over his shoulder and saw that the bear was closing. He ran even faster, crying in fear. He looked over his shoulder again, and the bear was even closer. His heart was pounding and he tried to run even faster. He tripped and fell on the ground. He rolled over to pick himself up, but saw the bear right on top of him, reaching for him with his left paw and raising his right paw to strike him. At that moment, the Atheist cried out "Oh my God....!" Time stopped. The bear froze. The forest was silent. Even the river stopped moving. As a bright light shone upon the man, a voice came out of the sky, "You deny my existence for all of these years; teach others I don't exist; and even credit creation to a cosmic accident. Do you expect me to help you out of this predicament? Am I to count you as a believer?" The atheist looked directly into the light "It would be hypocritical of me to suddenly ask You to treat me as Catholic now, but perhaps could you make the bear a Catholic?" "Very well," said the voice. The light went out. The river ran again. And the sounds of the forest resumed. And then the bear dropped his right paw.....brought both paws together...bowed his head and spoke: "Bless us, o Lord, and these, thy gifts..."

**06º Domingo da Páscoa**

A liturgia do sexto Domingo da Páscoa expõe, diante dos nossos olhos, a "rede" de amor que atravessa toda a história da salvação: Deus é a fonte primeira do amor; Ele ama o seu Filho Jesus, comunica-lhe o seu amor e envia-o ao encontro dos homens; Jesus mostrou aos homens, em gestos e palavras, o amor de Deus; os discípulos de Jesus acompanharam-no desde a Galileia até Jerusalém e foram testemunhas do seu amor "até ao extremo"; transformados em Homens Novos pelo amor de Jesus, os discípulos são agora no mundo os arautos do amor de Deus.

5 de Maio, (Domingo) a segunda coleta destinada às **Obras de Caridade do Santo Padre**. Todos os anos ajudamos com esta colecta todos os projectos sociais promovidos pelo Papa Francesco, que Deus abençoe a todos vós. Obrigado pela sua generosidade.

**FESTIVIDADES DE NOSSA SENHORA DE FÁTIMA**

**Dia 25 de Maio** (Sábado) - Missa às **19:00 hs** e seguida a Procissão com a Nossa Senhora de Fátima pelas ruas da nossa Paróquia

No sábado, 25 de maio de 2024, teremos a procissão anual em honra de Nossa Senhora de Fátima. Convidamos todas as crianças que celebraram a Primeira Comunhão e a Confirmação a virem vestidas com os seus vestidos e fatos da 1ª comunhão ou confirmação e juntarem-se a nós na missa e na procissão. Se quiser participar, envie-nos um e-mail, fale com o Pe. Joey ou ligue para o escritório. A missa será às 19h00, com procissão a seguir à missa.

**PEREGRINAÇÃO À ITÁLIA E MEDJUGORJE  
Sob a direção espiritual do Pe André Grecki, SVD,  
Pároco de Igreja de São Mateus, Toronto**

Coordenadora de Viagem (Fluente em Português):  
Luisa Fragoso - telefone 416-459-3625  
Organizado por Connaissance Travel and Tours  
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26 de Setembro- 10 de Outubro, 2024  
15 DIAS -\$5,490.00 incluindo impostos e gorjetas

**CONSELHO PASTORAL PORTUGUÊS INFORMA:** que as celebrações do mês de Maio e de Outubro deste ano em **MARYLAKE estão canceladas** devido às renovações que estão a ser feitas no recinto.

**COLLECTION**

**Weekly Collection - April 28, 2024 - \$2177.60  
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