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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 5:00 - 5:30 pm.

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

MARRIAGE: One year notice and marriage preparation required.

ANOIDTING 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 FERIAI

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 5:00 - 5:30 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 5:00 - 5:30 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

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: Residence: _____ Postal Code: _____



NEWCOMER



REQUEST ENVELOPE



CHANGE OF ADDRESS

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS AUGUST 16 - 22, 2025

Saturday: 16 August

6:00 pm + Augusto Neves, pais, sogros e cunhados Maria e João
+ Manuel Braga e Aurelia Fagundo

Sunday: 17 August

9:00 am + Eduardo Sa
+ Per i defunti membri della Societa San Marco
10:30 am + Maria Rosa Dias, Maria Das Dores Sousa, Fernanda e Maria Da Conceição, Manuel Dos Santos

- Acção de graças por 25º ano de Casamento por Tony e Arlete Dias

+ Albina Candida Amorim

+ Daniel Goncalves Campos

+ Margarida Pereira da Silva (1 mês falecimento)

12:00 pm + Antonio & Maria Sousa

+ Carmela Cimini

+ Alzira Nunes

Tuesday: 19 August

6:00 pm +

Thursday: 21 August

6:00 pm +

Friday: 22 August

6:00 pm + Pais e irmaos de Maria Soares e marido Henriques Soares

Reflect, today, upon the fire within your own soul. How brightly is that fire burning? You need to feed that fire on a daily basis, fanning it into flame with complete commitment. Seek to become that blazing fire that the Lord desires of you and you will be amazed at how fully you can become transformed by grace.

Lord, set my heart on fire with the brightness of Your love and mercy. Help me to be open to the complete transformation of life that You desire of me. I give myself to You without reserve, dear Lord. Use me as You will. Jesus, I trust in You.

Today, August 17 there is a Collection for Canadian Missions
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.

Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine

All are welcome and encouraged to attend the
Archdiocese of Toronto's Jubilee Pilgrimage to the

**Martyrs' Shrine in Midland on Sunday August 24, 2025
with Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto.**

The program will include opportunities for the Sacrament of
Reconciliation, Holy Mass with Cardinal Leo, a rosary procession,
Eucharistic Adoration, Benediction and Fellowship.

For more info, visit: <https://www.archtoronto.org>

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to book a mass intention, please come into the office or call during office hours. The proposed offering for Mass is \$20.00. Please when making an offering write the name of the deceased or who the mass is offered for. Please do not use your weekly offering envelopes.

The office will be closed from

Monday August 25 to

Monday September 1, 2025.

**Weekly Collection August 10, 2025 - \$1965.40
THANK YOU, GRAZIE, OBRIGADO!**

SHARELIFE 2025

PARISH GOAL **\$11,000.00**

TOTAL COLLECTION: **\$8060.45**

THANK YOU, GRAZIE, OBRIGADO!

Consider Blood Donation - 1 in 2 people in Canada are eligible to donate blood and plasma. Only 1 in 81 does. To find a location: www.blood.ca or call 1-888-236-6283

God, Our Father, loving and merciful, bring together and keep all families in perfect unity of love and mutual support. Instill in each member the spirit of understanding and affection for each other. Keep quarrels and bitterness far from them, and for their occasional failures instill forgiveness and peace. May the mutual love and affection of parents set a good example. Instill in children self-respect that they may respect others and grow in mature independence. May the mutual affection and respect of families be a sign of Christian life here and hereafter, through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Men & Women Silent Retreat: Called to love as God Loves

Friday, September 19, 2025 6:30PM - Sunday, September 21, 2025 1PM

Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre Pickering

Men & Women Ignatian Retreat: Jesus Christ loves us in a certain way and we are sent to go and do likewise. To love with a love that is self-giving and self-forgetting. This SILENT retreat begins on Friday evening and runs to Sunday with lunch. The suggested offering is \$270 per person which includes two night's accommodation, meals, spiritual direction and retreat program. Facilitated by: Fr. John Sullivan, SJ
REGISTER: Via email at manresaregistration@outlook.com, online at <https://manresa-canada.ca> or call 905-839-2864.

Radio Maria Celebrates 30 years in Canada

Friday, October 17, 2025 06:00 PM - 11:30 PM

The Venetian Banquet & Hospitality Centre

216 Romina Drive, Vaughan

You're Invited! Radio Maria Canada Celebrates 30 Years in Canada

Reception: 6 p.m. | Dinner: 7 p.m.

This year marks a beautiful milestone — 30 years of faith-filled broadcasting in Canada! For three decades, Radio Maria has been a voice of hope, prayer, and the Gospel, reaching countless homes and hearts across the country. We are deeply honoured to welcome His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo as our Guest of Honour for this special evening. Together with our beloved listeners, volunteers, and supporters, we'll give thanks for the many blessings of this ministry. The evening will include a warm reception, a delicious dinner, and moments to reflect on Radio Maria's mission of spreading faith, hope, and love through the airwaves.

Tickets: \$130 per person

To reserve your spot: Call (416) 245-7117 or visit www.radiomaria.ca

Come and be part of this unforgettable celebration of faith and community!

XX DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

Il fuoco che Gesù è venuto a portare indica l'amore divino che purifica e trasforma, ma anche la divisione che provoca l'aderire a lui. Vivere i valori del Regno può condurre al rifiuto. Solo la croce trasforma il mondo.

Oggi che la Seconda Colleta - Agosto 17, 2025

Un pensiero partivolare dale

Missioni Cattoliche in Canada: ringraziamo davvero tanto per la continua generosità della vostra Parrocchia.

Il ricavato di questa raccikta andrà a grande beneficio delle diocesi di Mackenzie-Fort Smith e Grouard-McLennan.

Le missioni domestiche canadesi affrontano sfide uniche in ambienti culturali e fisici impegnativi. I vostri contributi forniscono un sostegno cruciale ai cattolici nelle aree remote della nostra Nazione.

LIBRO DEL'INTENZIONI DELLE MESSE

Potrete ordinare le Messe durante la settimana in ufficio. L'offerta per le Messe è di \$20.00. Si prega di scrivere il nome del defunto sulla busta. Per favore non usate le buste settimanale. Grazie.

Preghiera della famiglia unita

Signore, Padre Santo, Dio onnipotente ed eterno, noi ti benediciamo e ti ringraziamo per questa nostra famiglia che vuol vivere unita nell'amore. Ti offriamo le gioie e i dolori della nostra vita, e ti presentiamo le nostre speranze per l'avvenire. O Dio, fonte di ogni bene, dona alla nostra mensa il cibo quotidiano, conservaci nella salute e nella pace, guida i nostri passi sulla via del bene. Fa che dopo aver vissuto felici in questa casa, ci ritroviamo ancora tutti uniti nella felicità del paradiso. Amen.

PER ME VIVERE È CRISTO... Nella Eucaristia, Cristo ci offre il dono della sua stessa vita, per farci partecipi della sua divinità. Questo Sacramento è il cuore della nostra unione con Dio, realizzata attraverso la preghiera e la fede.

– San Gregorio Nazianzeno

Scintille... La gioia cristiana non è una distrazione dal dolore, ma una trasfigurazione del dolore stesso.

– Ronald Knox, teologo e scrittore

59th ANNUAL FESTA IN HONOUR OF ST. GABRIEL
Sunday, August 24th from 1:00 PM

Veneto Centre, 7465 Kipling Ave., Woodbridge

The 59th annual Festa of St. Gabriel, under the direction of the Passionist Community, will be held on Sunday, August 24th at the Veneto Centre in Woodbridge.

Relics of St. Gabriel will be present.

There will be opportunities for Confession, a special Mass outside, and Italian food. All are welcome and encouraged to attend this wonderful celebration.

On the lighter side... Two old friends met by chance on the street. After chatting for some time, one said to the other, "I'm terribly sorry, but I've forgotten your name. You'll need to tell me." The other stared at him thoughtfully for a long time, then replied, "How soon do you need to know?"

Let us pray: Dear God, please embrace those who are sick and hurting today and let them feel the warmth of Your love. Amen!

20º Domingo do Tempo Comum

Como vivemos, no dia a dia da nossa vida, a opção que fizemos quando fomos batizados? A monotonia, o cansaço, a acomodação, tomaram conta de nós e caminhamos sem chama, sem alegria e sem paixão? A Palavra de Deus que hoje nos é servida convida-nos a acordar, a escutar novamente o chamamento de Deus, a redescobrir a missão profética a que somos chamados, a retomar o nosso caminho atrás de Jesus, a reafirmar o nosso compromisso com a construção do Reino de Deus.

Hoje, Segunda colecta Agosto 17, 2025

Nota especial das **Missões Católicas no Canada:**

O nosso agradecimento pela generosidade continua vinda da vossa paróquia. Esta colecta beneficiará muito as Dioceses de Mackenzie-Fort Smith e Grouard-McLennan. As missões canadenses enfrentam desafios únicos em ambientes físicos e culturais exigentes. A vossa contribuição fornece em apoio crucial a outros católicos em área remotas de nossa nação.

LIVRO DAS INTENÇÕES DAS MISSAS

Poderá fazer a marcação das missas, no escritório paroquial. A oferta da Missa é de \$20.00, dê do seu coração, seja generoso com a sua igreja.

ORAÇÃO DA FAMÍLIA

Trindade Santíssima, Pai, Filho e Espírito Santo, de quem procede a vida e o amor, abençoi a nossa família. Habitai na nossa casa, como habitastes a casa da Sagrada Família de Nazaré; ensinai-nos a ser como a Virgem Maria e S. José, esposos fiéis e generosos, servidores da vida e do amor. Firmar a nossa vontade no exercício quotidiano das virtudes que caracterizam a vida da Sagrada Família de Nazaré. Fazei-nos progredir na compreensão e perdão mútuos, para que sejamos, para os nossos filhos, e com eles, para todas as pessoas, a expressão do Vosso Amor Eterno. **Amen**

FESTA DE NOSSA SENHORA DA LUZ

Paroquia Sao Mateu - 706 Old Weston Road

Quinta-feira, 28 de Agosto de 2025

Tríduo Preparatório com o Pe. Laurensius, SVD

19h Missa Solene e Bênção dos doentes.

Sexta-feira, 29 de Agosto de 2025

19h Missa Solene e Bênção das crianças, jovens e casais.

Sábado, 30 de Agosto de 2025

18h30 Procissão da recolha das imagens.

19h Missa Solene

Domingo, 31 de Agosto de 2025

13h Missa Solene 15h Procissão

Rota: Rogers Rd. to Scott, Dunraven Dr. to Kane Ave, Kane Ave to Kersdale Ave, Kersdale Ave to Rosethorn Ave, Rosethorn Ave to Rogers Rd. to Church. Seguindo-se Arrail

Join us for Holy Smoke: S'mores & More!

Tuesday, August 19, 2025 07:00 PM - 09:00 PM

St. Patrick's Rectory Garden (enter off St. Patrick Street)

Hosted by Ignite! Young Adult Ministry (ages 18-39)

Join us for Holy Smoke: S'mores & More – a summer BBQ and bonfire right in the heart of the city. Gather around the fire for delicious make-your-own s'mores, food, and fellowship with other young adults. Admission is free – donations welcome.

Get your ticket HERE:

<https://bit.ly/HolySmokeSmoesAndMoreAugust2025>

Bring a friend and join us for a meaningful, joy-filled summer evening! (Kindly register to help us plan for the number of attendees.)



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