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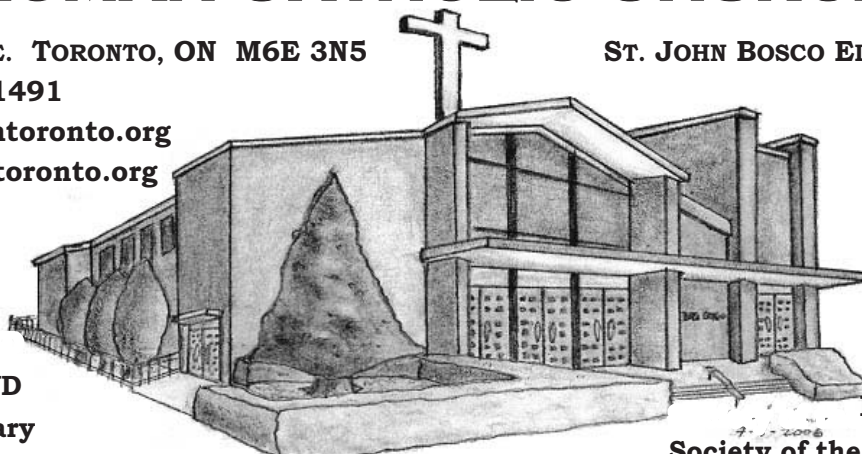
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OFFICE HOURS

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 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

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS

MASS INTENTIONS OCTOBER 3 - 9, 2026

Saturday: 3 October

6:00 pm + Manuel Machado Fernandes
+ Armindo Romeiro

Sunday: 4 October

9:00 am + Vito e Natale Marcoccia, Giuseppe, Maria, e Settimio Serrani, Ada, e Angela
+ Giuseppe Floridaia
10:30 am + Maria Rosa Dias, Maria Das Does Sousa, Fernanda e Maria Da Conceição, Manuel Dos Santos
+ Joao dos Anjos Lopes
12:00 pm + All souls in purgatory
+ Angela Posteraro
+ Nerissa Pacada

Tuesday: 6 October

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

Thursday: 8 October

6:00 pm +

Friday: 9 October

6:00 pm +



October is the Month of the Holy Rosary.
**THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER,
STAYS TOGETHER.**
LET US MAKE TIME, AS A FAMILY,
TO PRAY THE ROSARY.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER - **For mental health ministry.** Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

Each of us have a responsibility to take action in response to the injustice of abortion. As Proverbs 24:12 cautions, "...if you say, 'Look, we did not know this' - does not He who weighs the heart perceive it? Does not He who keeps watch over your soul know it? And will He not repay all according to their deeds?" One way to help the pro-life cause is to participate in Life Chain, an annual demonstration in defense of the inherent dignity of all human beings, inside and outside the womb. **Please join us this year at Dufferin/Lawrence on Sunday October 4, 2026 from 2- 3 pm.** All you have to do is hold one of the various signs provided. "Abortion Kills Children," "Abortion Hurts Women," "Adoption: A Loving Option," etc - and pray quietly for the hour.

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds and other securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and support of your Parish and various archdiocesan charities such as ShareLife, St. Augustine's Seminary, The Shepherds' Trust, and many others. For further information, contact the development office at **development@archtoronto.org**.

Parents of First Communion and Confirmation Candidates, please make sure you check in with our volunteer when coming to mass. Thank you.

Reflect, today, upon any situation in which you find yourself where you come face to face with evil. Learn from this parable that there are many times in life where rationality wins out. But there are some times when the powerful wrath of God is the only answer. When evil is "pure" it must be confronted in a direct way with the strength and wisdom of the Holy Spirit. Seek to discern between the two and don't be afraid to name evil for what it is when it is present. **Lord, give me wisdom and discernment. Help me to seek rational resolutions with those who are open. Give me also the courage I need to be strong and forceful with Your grace when it is Your will. I give my life to You, dear Lord, use me as You will. Jesus, I trust in You.**

Today, October 4, in the Archdiocese of Toronto there will be a special collection to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The fund will support both local and national programs proposed by Indigenous communities to nurture the ongoing reconciliation journey. You can donate through your local parish or online anytime at:
www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation.
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We accept physical donations every Wednesday.
Visit www.aidtowomen.ca or contact us to schedule a drop-off time.
We prioritize donations based on our current inventory, so please review the guide below before you drop off...

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, November 6 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 8 (2 p.m.). This Retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this event in your parishes, during your announcements as well as including this event in your respective parish bulletins, it would be greatly appreciated. We have also attached a poster and ask that you kindly display it on your respective bulletin boards. Thank you in advance for your assistance as we work together to build a culture of vocations. Registration must be done online at
www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee
For more information, email: vocations@archtoronto.org.

Silent Ignatian Retreat for Women: Christmas Already!
Friday, October 23, 2026 6:30 PM - Sunday, October 25, 2026 1:30 PM
Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre
Ignatian Retreat for Women: Hebrews 1:1. 'In times past, God spoke in various ways.... through the prophets... now God has spoken through his Son.' — and so we have Bethlehem and Christmas. In 2026, God continues to speak to us. What message have you heard?
This SILENT retreat begins on Friday evening and runs to Sunday with lunch. The suggested offering is \$280 per person which includes two nights' accommodation, meals, spiritual direction and retreat program.
Facilitated by: Fr. Michael Coutts, SJ.
REGISTER: Via email at manresaregistration@outlook.com,
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XXVII DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO**MERAVIGLIA PER I NOSTRI OCCHI!**

A traverso il profeta Isaia (I Lettura), Dio descrive il suo popolo come una vigna che produce acini acerbi, anziché l'uva desiderata. Nella parabola narrata dal Vangelo la vigna sembra produrre i frutti attesi, ma sono i contadini a impossessarsene con la violenza. Giungono addirittura a uccidere il figlio del loro signore, in modo da appropriarsi della sua eredità. Le due parabole della vigna ci descrivono così due modi opposti per non consentire alla grazia di Dio di fruttificare nella nostra vita. O renderla vana, senza lasciare operare in noi la sua fecondità, oppure appropriarci dei suoi frutti, ritenendo che siano prodotti dal nostro impegno, anziché da ciò che Dio compie nella nostra esistenza. La cura di Dio per noi e per la sua vigna è tuttavia più forte e tenace delle nostre infedeltà. Paradossalmente, ma si tratta del paradosso della Pasqua, persino l'uccisione del Figlio fa sì che la grazia di Dio si estenda e produca i suoi frutti in tutti i popoli della terra, chiamati – come scrive san Paolo (II Lettura) – ad essere custoditi nella sua pace. Davvero questo supera la nostra intelligenza ed è meraviglia per i nostri occhi! **d. Luca Fallica, Abate di Montecassino**

Oggi, il 4 di ottobre chi sera la seconda raccolta per la Guarigione e Riconciliazione degli Indigeni

Il fondo sosterrà i programmi locali e nazionali proposti dalle comunità indigene per promuovere il cammino di riconciliazione in corso. Potete donare tramite la nostra Parrocchia oppure, in qualsiasi momento, potete fare una donazione sul sito web: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation.

Preghiera a Maria

O Maria, Tu risplendi sempre nel nostro cammino come segno di salvezza e di speranza. Noi ci affidiamo a Te, Salute dei malati, che presso la croce sei stata associata al dolore di Gesù, mantenendo ferma la tua fede. Tu, Salvezza del popolo romano, sai di che cosa abbiamo bisogno e siamo certi che provvederai perché, come a Cana di Galilea, possa tornare la gioia e la festa dopo questo momento di prova. Aiutaci, Madre del Divino Amore, a conformarci al volere del Padre e a fare ciò che ci dirà Gesù, che ha preso su di sé le nostre sofferenze e si è caricato dei nostri dolori per condurci, attraverso la croce, alla gioia della risurrezione. Amen. Sotto la tua protezione cerchiamo rifugio, Santa Madre di Dio. Non disprezzare le suppliche di noi che siamo nella prova, e liberaci da ogni pericolo, o Vergine gloriosa e benedetta.

Scintille... Le azioni che fai potrebbero essere l'unico sermone che alcune persone ascolteranno oggi. – *San Francesco d'Assisi*

PER ME VIVERE È CRISTO... Gesù si rivolge a noi, si fa "incontro" per noi, chiedendoci una cosa sola: non "che cosa hai fatto?", ma "mi ami?". – *Mons. Luigi Giussani*

PREGHIERA MENSILE ottobre 2026

Del Papa: Preghiamo affinché la pastorale della salute mentale si integri in tutta la Chiesa, aiutando a superare lo stigma e la discriminazione nei confronti delle persone con malattie mentali.

Per la famiglia: Perché in ogni famiglia s'impari ad essere generosi e attenti verso i missionari e chi si dedica ai poveri, offrendo loro sostegno spirituale, morale e materiale.

Mariana: Perché la Vergine del Rosario, ci dischiuda le insondabili ricchezze dei misteri della vita del Signore

27° DOMINGO DO TEMPO COMUM

A liturgia do 27° Domingo do Tempo Comum utiliza a imagem da "vinha de Deus" para falar desse Povo que aceita o desafio do amor de Deus e que se coloca ao serviço de Deus. Desse Povo, Deus exige frutos de amor, de paz, de justiça, de bondade e de misericórdia. No Evangelho, Jesus retoma a imagem da "vinha". Critica fortemente os líderes judaicos que se apropriaram em benefício próprio da "vinha de Deus" e que se recusaram sempre a oferecer a Deus os frutos que Lhe eram devidos. Jesus anuncia que a "vinha" vai ser-lhes retirada e vai ser confiada a trabalhadores que produzam e que entreguem a Deus os frutos que Ele espera.

Hoje, 4 de outubro temos a segunda colecta Fundo de Cura e Riconciliação Indígena O fundo apoiará programas locais e nacionais propostos pelas comunidades indígenas para nutrir a jornada de reconciliação em curso. Poderá fazer o seu donativo através da paróquia ou on-line a qualquer momento em: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation

Oração a Maria

Ó Maria, Vós sempre resplandeceis sobre o nosso caminho como um sinal de salvação e de esperança. Confiamo-nos a Vós, Saúde dos Enfermos, que permanestes, junto da cruz, associada ao sofrimento de Jesus, mantendo firme a vossa fé. Vós, Salvação do Povo Romano, sabeis do que precisamos e temos a certeza de que no-lo providenciareis para que, como em Caná da Galileia, possa voltar a alegria e a festa depois desta provação. Ajudai-nos, Mãe do Divino Amor, a conformar-nos com a vontade do Pai e a fazer aquilo que nos disser Jesus, que assumiu sobre Si as nossas enfermidades e carregou as nossas dores para nos levar, através da cruz, à alegria da ressurreição. Amen. À vossa proteção, recorreremos, Santa Mãe de Deus; não desprezeis as nossas súplicas na hora da prova mas livrai-nos de todos os perigos, ó Virgem gloriosa e bendita.

O nosso agradecimento à Lidia Ferreira que doou a vela para o Sagrado Sacário durante um ano. A família vem desta forma agradecer as muitas graças que tem recebido. A vela será oferecida durante o mês de outubro.

Intenções de oração do Papa Outubro: Pela pastoral da saúde mental. Rezemos para que a pastoral da saúde mental seja integrada em toda a Igreja, ajudando a superar o estigma e a discriminação contra as pessoas com doenças mentais.

Consider Blood Donation - We're asking everyone who is eligible across Canada to join Canada's Lifeline and donate. To find a location: www.blood.ca or call 1-888-236-6283

FOOD DRIVE - We do not only give thanks to God for all the blessings that we continue to receive but we must also share them with our brothers and sisters who are in need. We invite our parishioners to bring non-perishable food to the church which we will be collecting for **GOOD SHEPHERD CENTRE**. **Thank you.**

**WEEKEND - September 27, 2026**

Sunday Collection - \$1829.70

Needs of the Canadian Church - \$1056.05

THANK YOU, GRAZIE, OBRIGADO!

Catholic Register Newspaper

available at the entrance of the church, please take a copy.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died especially: **Maria Do Darmo Ferreira**. Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light



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