

St. Norbert's Roman Catholic Church

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Wheel Chair accessible

PASTOR: Fr. Xavier De Pinto

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Cynthia Livera

VISITING PRIEST: Fr. Ermias Gebreegiabher
Fr. Robert Barringer

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 p.m. English (Children's Liturgy & S.F.C. Choir)

Sunday 7:45 a.m. Italian

9:00 a.m. Italian (Italian Choir)

10:30 a.m. English (Children's Liturgy & Organist/Soloist)

12:00 p.m. English (Children's Liturgy & C.F.C. Choir)

DAILY MASS:

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Italian/English (Devotion to Padre Pio)

Wednesday

and Friday 8:00 a.m. Italian

Thursday 7:00 p.m. English (Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help)

First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 8:00 a.m. mass till 9:30 a.m.



RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays 4:15-4:45 p.m. and upon request

COMMUNION SERVICE:

Mondays -8:00 a.m.

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please contact the administrative assistant Cynthia Livera at 416-636-0213 ext.0.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Please contact the pastor Fr. Xavier De Pinto at 416-636-0213 ext. 2

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Please contact the pastor at least one year in advance or earlier.

PILGRIMAGE COORDINATOR:

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Meetings 3rd Thursday of Month

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Children Names & Birthdates: _____

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

BENVENUTI ALLA NOSTRA PARROCCHIA



From the Pastor's Desk

Dear parishioners,

I hope you have had a restful summer. We have many new activities starting this year. There will be a bible study class starting and the R.C.I.A class is filling up with people who have decided to join our church.

This month will be blessing a new statue of Padre Pio graciously donated by the Bruno family.

I am happy to announce that we will be sponsoring refugees from Iraq. We are looking for accommodation for them if your able to help please contact the office. We will keep you updated.

Fr. Xavier

PADRE PIO MISSION

Come join us for a Padre Pio Mission Led by Fr. Antonio Belpiede

Friday September 20
Holy Hour 7pm.
and reflection

Saturday September 21
Holy Mass 10:30am (English)
blessing of Padre Pio statue

Sunday September 22
Fr. Antonio will be preaching at
7:45am and 9am masses (Italian)



Ritorna "Una voce per Padre Pio nel mondo" 2013

Il Canada ospiterà per il secondo anno consecutivo "Una voce per Padre Pio nel mondo" 2013, una tre-giorni di eventi dedicati al santo di Pietrelcina. Giovedì 12 settembre ci sarà un gala all'Embassy Grand Convention Centre di Brampton (8800 The Gore Road). Sabato 14 settembre ci sarà il concerto presentato dal conduttore Rai Massimo Giletti e che vedrà sul palco Michael Bolton, Al Bano, i Ricchi e Poveri, gli Stadio, Silvia Mezzanotte dei Matia Bazar, Maria Nazionale, Antonio Maggio, vincitore del Festival di Sanremo 2013 - categoria Giovani, e le TRE.N.D. Lo show si svolgerà al Powerade Centre di Brampton (7575 Kennedy Road South). Domenica 15 settembre il vescovo di Toronto William McGrattan celebrerà una messa in onore del santo di Pietrelcina alla Saint Padre Pio Church di Kleinburg. Il concerto sarà trasmesso da Rai Uno e Rai Internazionale. Durante lo show televisivo ci sarà la raccolta fondi di Una Voce Per Padre Pio Onlus, promotrice dell'iniziativa. Il ricavato sarà devoluto interamente all'ospedale Casa Sollievo della Sofferenza di San Giovanni Rotondo (Puglia), fondato nel 1956 proprio da Padre Pio.

**SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION NIGHT
FIRST COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION**

It is customary for these sacraments to be celebrated in the parish in which the family worships. Special preparation takes place in the parish. Normally, the sacrament of First Communion takes place when the child is in Grade 2 and Confirmation when he/she is in Grade 8.

First Communion

01 October, (Tuesday)
08:00 pm – In Church



Confirmation

08 October, (Tuesday)
08:00 pm – In Church



For all above meetings **ADULTS ONLY ATTENDING PLEASE!!!!**

**PET PRAYERS & BLESSINGS
ON 22 SEP – 1:30 P.M.**

Fr. Xavier De Pinto will bless the animals outside the Parish Hall, if weather permits. If not, it will be held in the Hall. Please remember, all dogs must be on leashes and cats in cages. If you have a large animal Such as a horse, please bring a photograph to be blessed. You could also bring a photograph of a pet you have lost. Remember; please bring only small domesticated animals. Thank you and we hope to see you there.



**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
(R.C.I.A.)**

If you know anyone who might be interested in joining us as a member of the Catholic Church, NOW is a very good time to invite them to make Enquiries through the R.C.I.A. process. There is no obligation on their part, only a warm welcome, and answers to their questions. The next RCIA meeting will take place on Thursday, September 12 at 7:30 PM, in the Angelo room. Please phone Fr. Xavier at 416-636-0213 ext. 2.



BIBLE STUDY

We are planning to hold a Bible Study here at St. Norbert's which will include prayer, a presentation, group discussion, and study. The group will meet every 2nd Wednesday evening at 7.30pm beginning Wednesday, September 25th. For more information, or to register, please phone Marilyn at 905-428-8650





Voler essere discepoli del Cristo significa avere scelto e deciso di seguirlo, significa avere scelto Cristo come unico punto di riferimento della e nella nostra vita. Lo seguiamo perché lo amiamo e perché abbiamo fondato su di lui, e solo su di lui, il nostro progetto di vita.

Vivremo, nonostante tutto, infedeltà ed errori quotidiani, ma non saranno questi a troncare la nostra sequela se sapremo accettarli e viverli come limite e quindi come parte della croce che ogni giorno ci è chiesto di portare. Una croce fatta di grandi e piccole sofferenze e miserie, ma è proprio l'adesione alla "nostra" croce la via per divenire e rimanere suoi discepoli.

La Chiesa, oggi e sempre, è costruita da chi ha il coraggio di affidarsi soltanto a Dio e seguire Gesù con totale abbandono e senza nessun compromesso.



Mass Intentions

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 10

7:00 PM

St. Lucia; St. Damiani; St. Cosmo

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 11

8:00 AM

Intention available

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 12

7:00 PM

Intention available

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 13

8:00 AM

Intention available

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 14

5:00 PM

+Pasquale Siconolfi

+Rocchina Lamanna

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 15

7:45 AM

+Giovanni Pallegirino

9:00 AM

+Oto Rochina Palandra

10:30 AM

+Miguel & Mercy Calzado

12:00 PM

+Gregorio Limcumpao

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A
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We would like to develop a system in our parish enabling everyone who would like to attend Sunday Mass to be able to do so. Most probably there are parishioners of St. Norbert's who wish to come to Sunday Mass, but for various reasons, cannot do so.

If you are in this position, or know of someone else who could use a ride to church, please let us know by calling 416-274-8033.

At the same time, if you are able to offer transportation to the church on Saturday or Sunday for one or more parishioners who need a ride, please let us know, also by calling 416-274-8033.

Please join us in celebrating
Madonna's 50th Anniversary
On Sunday, October 6, 2013



Dedication Ceremony,
Mass and Lunch

At Madonna Catholic Secondary School
20 Dubray Avenue, Toronto
from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Please visit the site below to register on or before
September 13, 2013

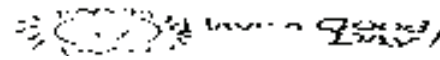
<http://www.tcdsb.org/schools/Madonna/MadonnaCelebrates50Years/>

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Maintenance - 817.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY



I hear, and I forget. I see, and I remember. I do, and I understand. - Chinese Proverb

You learn something every day if you pay attention. - Ray LeBlond


Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever. - Mahatma Gandhi

We learn more by looking for the answer to a question and not finding it than we do from learning the answer itself. - Lloyd Alexander

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