

Guardian Angels Parish

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WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Friday: 7:30 a.m.

First Friday: 7:30 p.m. (after the 6 p.m. Holy Hour & First Friday Devotion)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 30 minutes before Masses

BAPTISM IS CELEBRATED

Only for those parishioners of this parish who are currently practicing their faith. Pre-Baptismal instructions are required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact the parish priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. This means that you must take a marriage course.

OUR SCHOOLS:

Guardian Angels 905-595-0909

Principal: Melissa Daddabbo
62 Heatherdale Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 2H4

St. Angela Merici 905-840-1505

Principal: Diana Linardic
83 Edenbrook Hill Dr., Brampton, ON

St. Bonaventure 905-970-9069

Principal: Tom Condotta
35 McCrimmon Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 2Z5

St. Edmund Campion 905-846-7124

Principal: Maria Locicero
275 Brisdale Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 3C7

St. Lucy 905-840-3121

Principal: Theresa Burtnick
25 Kanata Road, Brampton, ON L7A 3R2

St. Aidan 905-840-3042

Principal: Ruben Furtado
34 Buick Blvd., Brampton, ON L7A 3B9

St. Daniel Comboni 905-495-4621

Principal: Adrian Scigliano
120 Veterans Drive, Brampton, ON L7A 3Z7

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DATE MMM-DD-YYYY New Parishioner Change of Information Moving New Address

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SPOUSE N/A

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Mass Intentions



Sunday, March 13th, 2022

- 9:00 a.m. Missa pro Populo.
10:30 a.m. Malcolm Henry James R.I.P.
12:00 a.m. Thanksgiving for Ethan Rey Valdivieso.
Req. by Mary Jane Valdivieso

Monday March 14th

- 7:30 a.m. Special Intentions of Serviliano Platon.
Req. by Ramon & Ligaya Platon
7:00 p.m. Special Intentions of The Bertazzon/Stieger Family.

Tuesday, March 15th

- 7:30 a.m. All Souls in Purgatory.
Req. by Maria Borges'
Anastacio Uy R.I.P.
Req. by Norma Uy and family'
7:00 p.m. No Mass Intentions.

Wednesday, March 16th

- 7:30 a.m. Marilyn Chavez -Ato R.I.P.
Req. by Ross, Tess, Sweet & family
7:00 p.m. Special Intentions of Sylvia Neuer.

Thursday, March 17th

- 7:30 a.m. Rainda Carvalho R.I.P.
Req. by The Amitrano Family

Saturday, March 19th

- 5:00 p.m. No Mass Intention

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

On Mount Tabor Peter, James and John got a glimpse of the glory that was hidden in Jesus. Through faith we too glimpse the glory of the risen Jesus who lives on in the Church and in each of us. Let us reflect for a moment on this.

Peter, John and James had a mountaintop experience with Jesus by witnessing His transfiguration. We too can have a mountaintop experience when we open our minds and hearts to following God's Will for our lives. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@vocations.ca www.vocationstoronto.ca

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



Heavenly Father, Lord of the harvest, call many members of our community to be generous workers for your people and to gather in your harvest. Send them to share the Good News of Jesus with all the people of the earth. Father, we ask this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen!

March 14th

ST. MATILDA (ST. MAUD)

Patroness of Queens



Matilda was born in 895. Her father was a count of Westphalia and her mother of the royal house of Denmark. She was brought up by her grandmother, who was abbes of Erfurt. Matilda grew into a beautiful, learned and devout woman. She married Henry, the son of Duke Otto of Saxony. The marriage was a happy one into which 5 children were born. In 919 Henry had become King of Germany and became engaged in many wars. Henry attributed his success to Matilda's prayers. When Henry died in 936 Matilda took off all her jewels as a sign of renouncing her position, as she already lived more like a religious than a queen. Her oldest son succeeded to the throne, while her younger son Henry became Duke of Bavaria. Her almsgiving threatened the royal revenues, therefore her sons urged her to take the veil, but she retired to her birthplace. Immediately the affairs of the kingdom took a turn for the worst and she was asked to return. Late r in 967 Matilda became seriously sick. Her grandson, by that time Bishop William of Mainz heard her confession and she wanted to give him something. Because she had no more possessions, she ordered to give him the shroud intended to wrap her body. Indeed William needed the shroud before she died as he died 12 days before she did in 968. Locally Matilda was venerated from the moment of her death. She is often shown in statues and paintings with a church or a bag of money in her hands to indicate her generosity towards the poor and religious foundations.

March 17th

ST. PATRICK

Patron of Ireland



St. Patrick was born about the year 389 the date and place are uncertain. There are two surviving works written by him. "Confessions" written near the end of his live and the "Letter to the Soldiers of Coroticus", a letter of protest to a British warlord for seizing Irish converts. He was the son of Calpornius, who was a deacon. His grandfather was a priest. He most probably grew up in northwestern Britain. At 16 he was captured by a plundering band from Northern Ireland and together with some of his father's slaves brought to Ireland, where he had to serve a heathen master as a herdsman. After 6 years he escaped and returned home. In a dream he was told to go back to Ireland to Christianize her people. After 5 years studying he was ordained. In 431 he returned to Ireland and traveled the length and breadth of the island evangelizing. It was not an easy task because of the hostility of the Druids; still he succeeded in converting several members of the royal family. In 432 he was ordained Bishop and was commissioned by Pope Leo the Great to organize the Church of Ireland in 442. He ordained Bishops in various places, he founded monasteries for men and convents for women. Eventually Irish monks carried the Faith to England, France and Switzerland. After living a completely apostolic life of labour and prayer, St Patrick died March 17th, 461.

God, You sent Patrick to preach Your glory to the Irish people. Through his merits and intercession grant that we who have the honour of bearing the name of Christian may constantly proclaim Your wonderful designs to men. Amen.



March 19th

SAINT JOSEPH

Patron of the Universal Church and Patron of Canada.

St. Joseph, the pure spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the foster father of our Lord Jesus Christ, was a descendant of King David. He was a carpenter in the village of Nazareth. Joseph, as a “just man”, would have abided by the law of that time and most probably was engaged to Mary when he was between the ages of 13 and 19. When Joseph heard, that Mary was with child, he wanted to dismiss her quietly as not to disgrace her, but changed his mind, after an angel told him in a dream to take Mary as his wife and to be a foster father to the Son of God. In his purity of heart, his chastity, patience, fortitude, gentleness and manliness of character he is a true model for all mankind.

Almighty God, You entrusted to the faithful care of Saint Joseph the beginnings of the mysteries of man’s salvation. Through his intercession may Your Church always be faithful in her service so that Your designs will be fulfilled. Amen.

PARISH NEWS



Remember we are celebrating Holy Mass every weekday morning (Monday to Friday) at 7:30 a.m. in our church. What a wonderful way to start the day! Before Mass we honor our Holy Mother by praying the Holy Rosary. Come and join us.

Please note! During Lent Holy Mass is also celebrated in the evening at 7:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday. This will give everybody a chance to attend Holy Mass during Lent in preparation of Easter. Please come and celebrate Holy Mass with us. Can’t come to church? We want you to know that you can watch Fr. Jan celebrating all Masses via https://cdn.boltwave.com/ga_brampton_on_ca_cdn_stream.html

LENTEN SCHEDULE

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday at 6:30 p.m. followed by Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

LENTEN CONFESSIONS

In preparation for Easter will be heard

Friday, April 1st, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.



Lord, You reward virtue and forgive the repentant sinner. Grant us Your forgiveness as we come before You confessing our guilt. Amen.

Lord increase our eagerness to do Your will.

ACT OF CONTRITION

MY GOD, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mercy. Amen.

Are you planning to get married in the Catholic Church?

Guardian Angels Parish offers the required **MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE** held by our trained Marriage Preparation team.



Our next course will start Wednesday April 27th, 2022 and will meet every Wednesday till concluded June 1st, 2022

For more information you may contact the parish office

LENT



The word Lent derived from the old English word “lencten” which literally means, “Spring”. During the season of spring everything is made new. New life begins

and so we too should begin anew. How? Let it be the springtime of the soul, a time to make a new covenant with God. Let us develop close relationship with our Creator and discover what God is asking of us. We can look to Jesus, who taught with authority because He taught by example and what did He do? Jesus went into the desert, away from all the excitement of daily life, for forty days. These forty days Jesus spent in prayer and fasting. If Jesus who was without sin prayed and fasted for forty days, how much more do we sinners need to do the same. Hence the Church gives us forty days to prepare ourselves to be worthy to take part in Jesus’ joyous resurrection. Forty days to seek some quiet time, time we can spend in prayer. Prayer will help us with fasting. Fasting is not just less eating and drinking, fasting means also to stay away from things that we enjoy. This might make us more aware of the less fortunate all around us. Remember Jesus loved the poor and sick. During Lent we should do some “spring-cleaning” and so the Church tells us to clean our hearts and souls by going to confession. On Ash Wednesday we acknowledged that we are sinners, confession cleanses us from our sins. We should look on this season of Lent as another opportunity in which to become more faithful followers of our Lord Jesus Christ.

A Prayer for Faith in God’s Intervention

Father, even when things seem hopeless, we know that through You we are never without hope. We beg Your intervention for a world on the constant brink of war. Beat the swords into plowshares and cause the lion to lie down with the lamb. Intervene in this world that they might avoid the horrors of war and let peace rule in all lands. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



A broken, humbled heart, O Lord, you will not scorn.



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