

## ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO

#### **Pastoral Staff**

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## **New Parishioners**

Welcome to our parish family! Please register by filling out a form available at the back of the church or online.

### Sacrament of Baptism

The desire for Baptism for a child must be accompanied by a very serious commitment to raise the child within the Catholic faith community and to educate the child in the truths of the church. An essential part of the commitment is regular attendance at Sunday Mass. Baptisms are usually held on two Sundays every month. Please contact the parish office for a Baptismal package.

#### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Couples planning to be married should contact the parish one year in advance. They must also attend a Marriage Preparation Course prior to entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil divorce or religious marriage with another person, please notify the priest as soon as possible as the priest is not permitted to set a wedding date until the Bishop's Office has been contacted.

#### Sacrament of the Sick

In this Sacrament we celebrate Christ's healing presence among us today. If you, a relative or friend, require this Sacrament at home or nursing home, please call the parish office. For your spiritual needs during a hospital stay, the Archdiocese of Toronto has assigned a full time Roman Catholic Chaplain to each of the two Mississauga hospitals. For the Chaplain, speak to the Nurses' Desk or call the Spiritual Care Office.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM Every 2nd & 4th Friday during Holy Hour (6:15pm to 6:45pm).

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Closed Monday, Saturday and Sunday Closed Daily: 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

MASS

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM (fulfills the Sunday obligation) Sunday: 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM & 12:00 NOON

Weekday Eucharist

Mondays / Wednesdays / Fridays 7:00 PM Tuesdays / Thursdays 8:30 AM

**DEVOTIONS** 

Holy Hour

Fridays (excluding holidays) 6:00 PM -7:00 PM

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Wednesday during Mass Rosary Monday & Wednesday at 6:40 PM Divine Mercy Friday at 3:00 PM

#### **PARISH LIFE**

 Charismatic Prayer Goup
 905-822-8132

 Legion of Mary (Wed 7:30 PM)
 905-822-8132

 Knights of Columbus (Peter Eng)
 416-986-0608

 Men of St Francis (Kurtis Chong)
 647-378-3537

 RCIA
 905-822-8132 ext. 3

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 905-822-8132 ext. 5

 Catholic Cemeteries
 416-733-8544

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# Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 26, 2025

## God, Be Merciful to Me a Sinner!

"Lord Jesus, may your love and truth transform my life - my inner thoughts, intentions, and attitudes, and my outward behavior, speech, and actions. Where I lack charity, kindness, and forbearance, help me to embrace your merciful love and to seek the good of my neighbor, even those who cause me ill-favor or offense. May I always love as you have loved and forgive others as you have forgiven." Amen.



## MONDAY, October 27 - 7:00PM

- T Danielle Schmalz
- T Angela, Anne & Patrick Moylette
- TMyrna & Conrado Espino

## **TUESDAY October 28 - 8:30AM**

TRobert Gordon

## WEDNESDAY, October 29-7:00PM

- T V.T. Thomas
- † Thomas Saldanha

S.I. Shirley & John Moylette

THURSDAY, October 30 - 8:30AM

**Mass Intentions Available** 

## FRIDAY, October 31 -7:00PM

T Joaquim Fernandes

SATURDAY, November 1- 10:00AM & 5:00PM

**All Saints Day** 

## 10:00AM

- T Paulina & Pastor Miranda
- † Leon J. Aureus Jr.

## 5:00PM

**No Mass Intentions** 

**SUNDAY, November 2-8:30AM, 10AM & 12 PM** 

**All Souls Day** 

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



## **ARCHDIOCESAN HEADCOUNT**

The annual Mass attendance headcount at St. Francis of Assisi Parish is taking place this weekend.



- The Men of St Francis: Every Saturday 8am -10:00AM, in the Parish Hall
- The Legion of Mary: Every Wednesday
   5pm 6:30pm, in the Parish Hall.
- RCIA: Every Tuesday 7pm 9pm, in the Community Room
- Bridge Club: Every Monday, 1pm -3:30pm.
- Senior Ladies of St. Francis: Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month, 1pm – 4pm
- Welcome Home Group: Every Thursday, 7pm to 8:30pm
- IN the Church:
- Divine Mercy Chaplet: Every Friday at 3PM
- Holy Hour: Every Friday at 6PM.
- Confession: Every 2nd & 4th Friday at
- 6:15PM -6:45PM and Saturdays 4PM –
   4:45PM.
- Youth Choir Practice: Every Saturday at 4PM



## **NOVEMBER – MONTH OF**

All Saints Day is Saturday, November 1st ,2025. Mass will be celebrated at 10:00am. The

> Sunday Vigil Mass will take place at 5pm as usual.

The Commemoration of All The Faithful Departed (All Souls) is Sunday November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025. Mass will be celebrated at 8:30am, 10:00am and 12:00pm.

## **BOOK OF LIFE**



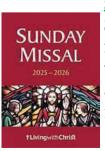
Blank Memorial Sheets will be available in the lobby of the Church, to write the names of your departed loved ones. Completed Memorial

Sheets will be placed in the Book of Life to be remembered at Masses during the month of November.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

## **All Souls' Donation Envelopes**

All Souls' envelopes can be found on the same table in the vestibule where the sheets for the Book of Life are located. Parishioners are invited to write the names of deceased loved ones on the back of the envelope and enclose a monetary offering. Kindly drop your All Souls envelopes into a collection basket (separate from your regular Sunday offertory envelope) or drop them through the mail slot at the Parish Office. One Mass each week during the month of November has been designated for "Parish All Souls Intentions": Friday, November 7th (7:00pm), Wednesday, November 12th (7:00pm), Tuesday, November 18th (8:30am), Monday, November 24th (7:00pm).



Sunday's Missals for 2025-2026 Sunday Missals will be sold for \$7.00 each, on the weekends of November 8th/9th & 15th /16th, in the church lobby.

## ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH 4<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL PASTA NIGHT

You are all invited to join us for a fun-filled evening & a delicious pasta dinner, catered by La Felicita in the St. Francis of Assisi Parish Hall on:



Saturday, November 22, from 6:15pm - 9pm Tickets are \$30 per person.

Cash Bar - wine will be sold by the glass and soft drinks will be free.

Tickets will be sold after all Masses, the weekends of November 1/2 & November 8/9.

This event has sold out in the past three years so don't miss out, and buy your tickets early! See you there!



## **REGISTRATION** OPEN!

If your child is currently in Grade 7

or older and would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation please register online at stfrancisofassisimi.archtoronto.org **REGISTRATION DEADLINES:** 

COMMUNION: NOT TO LATE TO REGISTER! CONFIRMATION: NOVEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday, November 6<sup>th</sup> due to the Parish Operational Review. The office will re-open on Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM.



## **SENIOR LADIES OF** ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Do you attend St. Francis of Assisi

Parish? Would you like to meet other women who share the same Catholic values? Develop friendships or even to socialize? Well this group is for YOU! The senior's women will gather once a month in the Parish Hall every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month, 1-4pm. Refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you there!

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