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We have been called to heal wounds, to unite what has fallen apart,
and to bring home those who have lost their way.

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Closed For Lunch: 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Closed on Mondays, Saturdays and Sundays

NEW PARISHIONERS

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

BAPTISM

The desire for Baptism for a child must be accompanied
by a serious commitment to raise the child in the
Catholic faith community. Baptismal preparation is
required.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Please contact Arlene Morgan, by calling 905-822-8132,
ext. 222, or by emailing amorgan@archtoronto.org.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married should contact the
parish one year in advance and attend a Marriage
Preparation Course.

MASS

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday - 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 noon

Weekday Eucharist

Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday - 8:30 a.m.

CONFESSION

Every Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.
Every 2nd & 4th Friday during Holy Hour
6:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
Other Times Available by Appointment

DEVOTIONS

Holy Hour

Fridays - 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday during Mass

Rosary

Monday & Wednesday - 6:40 p.m.

Divine Mercy

Friday - 3:00 p.m.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or a loved one requires this Sacrament at home or in
hospital, please contact the parish office.

PARISH LIFE

Legion of Mary (Wed 7:30 p.m.) 905-822-8132

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

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

Ladies 55+ Group 905-822-8132

Millions of Monica's (Liz Pietrantonio) www.stirlingcross.ca

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) 905-822-8132

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd sfa.atrium@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul 905-822-8132 option 5

SCHOOLS

St. Francis of Assisi 905-822-3183

St. Margaret of Scotland 905-820-5115

Christ the King 905-569-0220

All Saints Day November 1, 2026

Whoever Humbles Oneself Will Be Exalted

"Lord Jesus, you became a servant for my sake to set me free from the tyranny of selfish pride and self-concern. Teach me to be humble as you are humble and to love others generously with selfless service and kindness."



MONDAY, November 2 – 7:00 p.m. (All Souls Day)
The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed
No Mass Intentions

TUESDAY, November 3 – 8:30 a.m.

† Philomena Valenton
† Giovanni Tonus

WEDNESDAY, November 4 – 7:00 p.m.

† Maria & Matteo Lombardi
† Legionaires
† Leon J. Aureus Jr.

THURSDAY, November 5 – 8:30 a.m.

For an increase in vocations to the Priesthood,
Religious Life and Permanent Diaconate.

FRIDAY, November 6 – 7:00 p.m.

† Leo Chin
† Joaquin, Amalia & Natividad Deposo
S.I. Don, Cindy & Haley Wolf

SATURDAY, November 7 – 5:00 p.m.

† Genowefa Niedzwiedz
† Teresa Babiarz
† Pawel Roztock

SUNDAY, November 8 – 8:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

Thirty – Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Bridge Club: Mondays, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

New Members Welcome!

The Men of St. Francis: Saturdays, 8:00 a.m. -10a.m.

New Members Welcome!

Legion of Mary: In the Parish Hall
Wednesdays, 5:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Ladies 55+ of St. Francis: Every 2nd Tuesday of the
month from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

New Members Welcome!

Liturgy of the Word for Children: Every Sunday at the
10 a.m. Mass

IN THE CHURCH

Millions of Monicas: Every 1st Wednesday of the
month after the 7:00 p.m. Mass. **Next Session November 4th**

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Fridays at 3:00 p.m.

Holy Hour: Fridays at 6:00 p.m.

Confession:

Every 2nd & 4th Friday, 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. Saturdays,
4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

St. Francis of Assisi 5th 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 21st,
6:15pm - 9pm**

**Tickets are \$25(Adult) &
\$10(Child).**

**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 7/8 & November 14/15.



**Wednesday, November 4th, after the 7:00 p.m.
Mass.**

St. Francis of Assisi Men's Retreat

Theme: Reflecting on the Mystery of the Incarnation with St. Francis of Assisi: Moving from Mystery to Mission

Retreat Facilitator: Father Michael Mascarenhas, OFM Cap.

When: Saturday November 7, 9a.m. – 3p.m.

Location: St. Francis of Assisi Church, Mississauga

Who is invited? Men of the parish 18 years of age and older, but feel free to invite friends and relatives from neighbouring parishes also.

Cost: \$25 per person (Lunch is included.)

The day will begin with Mass at 9a.m. Fr. Michael will speak about the mystery of the Incarnation (God becoming man) in light of the teaching and experience of St. Francis of Assisi. Participants will reflect on their own faith journey and share their experiences with other Catholic men. There will also be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and an opportunity for Confession. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to grow in your faith, deepen your relationship with Christ, strengthen bonds of fraternity and make new friends.

Pilgrimage to St. Francis of Assisi Church, in Toronto **SOLD OUT**

When: Saturday, November 14, 2026, 9a.m. - 3p.m.

Footprints in Grace - A Women at the Well Retreat – Saturday, January 9, 2027

Join us for a day of reflection and prayer as we study Women in the Bible who are fearless, loyal and faithful. By their witness, and through conversation and prayerful discernment, we will open space for the Holy Spirit to create courageous spirits in us.

For information and to register:

www.stirlingcross.ca



REGISTRATION FOR CONFIRMATION

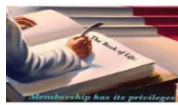
Students from Grade 7 & up are encouraged to register online to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please visit our website at: stfrancisofassisiarchtoronto.org

Parent's information meeting:

November 26th at 7p.m. or November 28th at 11:00 a.m.



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": Wednesday, November 11th (7:00p.m.), Monday, November 16th (7:00p.m.), Tuesday, November 24th (8:30a.m.), Monday, November 30th (7:00p.m.)**

Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass

On November 11, Wednesday, 7:00pm, at St. Francis of Assisi Church, The Knights of Columbus will be celebrating a memorial mass. We invite all the knights, their families and all parishioners to pray and remember our departed loved ones.

Roses-for-Life

The Knights of Columbus sincerely thank the parishioners of **St. Francis of Assisi** and **St. Ignatius of Loyola** for their generous donation in our Roses-for-Life campaign. We have raised close to \$1500 for the Vita Centre which assists young parents and expecting mothers in need.

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