



Our Lady of the Airways

Padre Pio Prayer Group

The San Padre Pio Prayer Group will meet this Tuesday, April 17th. The evening schedule begins with Holy Hour at 6:00pm, the recitation of the Holy Rosary at 6:20pm and the Eucharist at 7pm.

All parishioners are welcome to attend.

Gruppo di Preghiera di Padre Pio

Il gruppo di preghiera di San Padre Pio si riunisce questo martedì 17, aprile. L'orario serale inizia con un'ora sacra alle 18:00, la recita del Santo Rosario alle 18:20 e l'Eucaristia alle 19:00.

Tutti i parrocchiani sono benvenuti.

Eucharistic Adoration

Our parish has Eucharistic Adoration in the church every Friday from 8:30am to 7pm. Can you spare a few moments from your busy schedule to come and spend some time before Jesus in prayer and adoration?



Next Sunday, April 22nd is ShareLife Sunday!

Living the Gospel by helping those with addictions...

Scarred by an abusive childhood, Andrew became addicted to hard drugs as an early teen. His next 20 years were spent in-and-out of jail and the hospital. He finally came to St. Michael's Homes, a ShareLife-funded agency that offers a residential program for those struggling with substance abuse. Now sober and equipped with coping skills, Andrew is happy and building a new life. By supporting ShareLife, you're helping people like Andrew get their lives back on track.

Please give generously.



Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) program

Our Parish offers the Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) Program. Those who wish to sign-up may do so by filling out a registration form found on the back page of the PAG brochure in the church foyer. Please submit forms with a void cheque to the office or place it in the offertory basket at any time. PAG allows you to support your parish when you are away. For more information, please contact our church office.

Thank you for your continued support!



Vocations Corner...

What could convince someone to turn to God?

The story that God became human?

The story that Jesus cured the sick?

The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead?

Or, perhaps, the story of the witness of your own life!

If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, **call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director,**

Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997.

email: vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday: April 16th

8:00am - †Giovanni & Rosaria Iorfida

7:00pm - †Tommaso Vani

Tuesday: April 17th

8:00am - †Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00pm - For the Grace of Healing -
Intercession of St. Padre Pio

Wednesday: April 18th

8:00am - †Epifanio & Lilia Gonsalves

7:00pm - †Angela Grande;

†Alex Ferro;

†Maria Bellissimo;

†Simon Thind

Thursday: April 19th

8:00am - †Eugenio Palladinelli

7:00pm - †Domenico Martino

Friday: April 20th

8:00am - †Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00pm - †Benjamin Chiavaroli

Saturday: April 21st

8:30am - †V.M. & Mary Philipose

5:00pm - †Franco Bartolomucci

Sunday: April 22nd

9:00am - In Thanksgiving Thommana
Varghese & Family

10:30am - †Vince Antidormi

12:00pm - For the People of Our Parish

**"We proclaim the
resurrection of Christ
when His light illuminates
the dark moments of our
existence, and we are able
share it with others."**

- Pope Francis



WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Last Week's Collection \$5,481.00

Building Fund \$2,427.00

Share Life \$ 205.00

Thank You For Your Generosity

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



Imagine being one of the disciples in today's Gospel. You have just heard of Jesus' appearance on the road to Emmaus, which, along with the amazing story of the tomb, has given you a surge of hope. However, the grief and fear you felt during the crucifixion still remain in your heart. You want to believe that he has risen as he said, but a pall of paralyzing uncertainty hangs over everything.

Suddenly, he's in the room, standing right in front of you. Of course, he knows what you are feeling. "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your heart?" he asks. "Touch me and see." You do see.

Appearing before the disciples, Jesus gave them precisely what they needed for the next phase of their mission. He reassured and strengthened them by replacing their fear and uncertainty with peace and joy. He made the scriptures intelligible to them so that they would be able to pass on his wisdom.

Why do fear and doubt arise in our hearts when Jesus calls us to something new? His death was the ultimate proof that his love for us knows no bounds. Just as he prepared the disciples for their mission, so he will prepare us for ours.

(Kate Larson, Living With Christ)

Gesù, venendo nel mondo, aveva come scopo ultimo della sua vita la salvezza dell'umanità. Per questo, oltre che preoccuparsi di operare la salvezza degli uomini per mezzo della sua passione, morte e risurrezione, provvide a far giungere la salvezza a tutti i popoli della terra per mezzo dell'opera della Chiesa.

A tale scopo, fin dall'inizio della sua vita pubblica, si scelse dei discepoli perché stessero con lui, perché, vivendo con lui, seguendo i suoi esempi e le sue istruzioni, fossero formati per diventare suoi testimoni qualificati tra le genti. Gesù li formò innanzitutto alla sottomissione alla volontà del Padre, cioè all'amore della croce e allo svuotamento di se stessi (Mt 16,24-25) e li consacrò alla salvezza delle anime (Gv 17,18-20).

Apparendo ai suoi apostoli, dopo la sua risurrezione, Gesù completò la formazione e l'insegnamento dato ai suoi discepoli; rivelando loro la verità del Vangelo, dette una pratica dimostrazione della realtà della vita eterna. Aprì in tal modo le loro menti alla comprensione delle Scritture e dei suoi insegnamenti, per renderli suoi testimoni autentici (cf. At 2,21-22), perché per mezzo loro la sua salvezza arrivasse a tutti gli uomini. Ogni cristiano oggi è chiamato a diventare un testimone autentico di Gesù, rivivendo in se stesso il mistero pasquale.

La sua formazione cristiana è completa quando la sua vita si apre generosamente all'opera di evangelizzazione e di salvezza dei fratelli.



Magnificat Breakfast **Saturday April 28, 2018** **9:30am to 12:30pm**

Claireport Place , Etobicoke

Join us for our 41st Magnificat breakfast for women. Treat your mother, sister, colleague, friend or yourself to an inspirational morning that includes a hot breakfast, songs of praise and worship led by our spirit-filled music ministry, a personal testimony of the transforming love of Christ in the life of an invited speaker. Priests are available for women wishing the sacrament of Reconciliation.

Guest Speaker: Neriza Neville.

For ticket registration at a cost of \$30, contact Vicky Rousselle: 416-788-4552.

Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Theology on Tap West: **The Model of Mother Mary** **Monday, May 7**



7:00pm to 9:00pm ~ Boston Pizza
50 Courtneypark Dr. E., Mississauga

Faith Connections, the Office of Catholic Youth and the local parishes invite young adults (19-39) to join us for an evening of thought-provoking conversation on theological topics!

Special guest: Katie Zeppieri, Founder and Chief Empowerment Officer, Make Your Mark.

Munchies provided, cash bar available.

Come and bring a friend! For more information, contact OCY by e-mail youth@ocytoronto.org, or phone 416-599-7676.

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EDGE

Are you in grade 6, 7, or 8?

All students in **grade 6 - 8** are welcome to our next **EDGE Night** on **Friday, April 27th**, from 7pm - 9pm.

All grades 9 - 12 are invited! **LIFE TEEN**

All Teens in grade 9 - 12 are welcome to our next **Life Night** on **Saturday, May 5th**.

'Life Teen' begins with the **5:00pm Mass**

6:00pm: Dinner (in the parish hall)

6:30pm - 8:30pm: Life Night

Follow us on Instagram: [ourladyairwaysyouth](https://www.instagram.com/ourladyairwaysyouth)

For youth ministry info, please contact 905-677-4615 or email: OLAYouthministry@hotmail.com