

# Our Lady of the Airways Parish



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## PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. RUGGIERO Dibenedetto  
Priest in residence: Fr. CANISIUS Raj  
Secretary: Filomena

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday: 9:30 am – 3:00 pm  
Saturday, Sunday, Monday & Holiday: CLOSED

## DEVOTIONS

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Every Friday 9:30 am- 11:00 am  
**FIRST FRIDAY:** Mass at 9:00 am followed by all day adoration  
Mass at 7:00 pm followed by community adoration from 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm  
**HOLY ROSARY:** Before every Mass  
**PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP:** third Tuesday of the month/ terzo martedì del mese at 8:30 am  
**MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP:** Wednesday at 9:00 am

## BAPTISM

For information about the Baptismal Preparation process, please contact the parish office or refer to our website for details and Baptismal Registration Form.

## MARRIAGE

Couples must contact the Pastor ONE YEAR in advance, prior to making all other arrangements. Marriage Preparation course is required. Please refer to our website for details and Marriage Request Form.

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office if any of your loved ones would like to receive this Sacrament or to receive Holy Communion.

## CATECHISM & RCIA

For the sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, First Communion & Confirmation), please contact the parish office or refer to our website for details and the RCIA Initial Information Form.

## SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 9:00 am  
10:30 am Italian  
12:00 pm  
4:00 pm Tamil

## WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 am

## RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:00 pm  
Or by appointment. Please call/email the office to set a time.

## PARISH SCHOOLS

Ascension of Our Lord High School  
8640 ANAKA DRIVE 905-676-1287

Holy Cross Elementary School  
3614 MORNINGSTAR DRIVE  
905-677-5660

Saint Raphael Elementary School  
3470 CLARA DRIVE 905-677-1038

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

For assistance please call: 905-671-8382

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

To join, please call Bro Murphy  
905-672-6280

## PARISH REGISTRATION (Print clearly & completely)

We welcome you to Our Lady of the Airways Parish Community and invite you & your family to introduce yourselves to the Pastor and to REGISTER as soon as possible by checking one of the boxes below .

DATE : \_\_\_\_\_

NEW PARISHIONER     VOLUNTEER / MINISTRY \*     NEW ENVELOPES     CHANGE OF ADDRESS     MOVING PARISH

First & LAST Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Envelope No: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit / Street No: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

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Would you like to enroll in the Pre-Authorized Giving Program (PAG)?     YES     NO

\* **MINISTRY:**     Altar Server     Choir     Usher     Lector     Knights of Columbus     Catechist     other: \_\_\_\_\_ (specify)

*Please submit this form to the Parish office or place it in the collection basket on Sunday*

ANNUAL REPORT TO THE FAITHFUL 2024					
OUR LADY OF THE AIRWAYS PARISH, MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO					
RECEIPTS			PAYMENTS		
<b>GENERAL RECEIPTS</b>			<b>GENERAL PAYMENTS</b>		
Offertory	\$	231,552.45	<b>Clergy Salaries &amp; Stipends</b>	\$	<b>48,477.09</b>
Other Parish Collections		16,637.45	<b>Lay Salaries/Music Salaries</b>		<b>54,098.27</b>
Christmas and Easter		12,711.65	Musician Cp. Expenses		800.00
Baptisms/Funerals/Marriages		8,020.00	Payroll Expenses		448.40
Mass Offerings / Intentions		18,190.00	Office Services / Supplies		7,234.34
Bequests & Legacies			Mass Facility Rental		
Other Donations		33,076.10	<b>Property Insurance</b>		<b>9,123.70</b>
Rental and Interest Revenue		26,402.00	Utilities - Church		21,928.51
Parish Programs (charity, faith formation, sacramental prep, youth)		9,260.10	Repairs & Maintenance		6,557.16
Sundry (admin, subsidy, articles, candles, restricted funds, socials)		82,449.05	Grounds Maintenance/Landscaping		1,722.74
			Traffic Control / Security Service		
<b>SPECIAL DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS</b>			Choir / Music Payments		
Canadian Missions		2,257.70	Liturgy / Mass Payments		5,453.56
Evangelization of Nations (World Missions)		2,112.95	Other Church Payments		2,651.82
Humanitarian Relief			Hall Expenses		97.67
Marygrove Camp		1,915.95	Rectory Utilities		19,845.94
Mission Co-Op		4,259.10	<b>Assessments (15% to Diocese) and clergy health &amp; retirement</b>		<b>65,932.00</b>
Needs of Canadian Church (Bishops' Collection)		2,048.40	Parish Programs (charity, faith formation, sacramental prep, volunteering, youth)		2,797.64
Needs of Church in Holy Land (Good Friday)		5,620.10	Sundry (admin, articles/candles, professional fees, rental, restricted, socials, staff training)		36,943.22
Pope's Pastoral Works		1,954.40			
ShareLife		34,322.70			
Shepherds' Trust		5,299.30	<b>SPECIAL DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS DISBURSED</b>		<b>61,508.25</b>
Other/Indigenous		1,717.65			
<b>SPECIAL DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS</b>			<b>61,508.25</b>		
<b>OTHER RECEIPTS</b>			<b>OTHER PAYMENTS</b>		
New loans			Principal loan repayments		
Investments withdrawn		(123.06)	Interest Payments on Loans		
Sale of parish assets			Interest - Chancery & Family of Faith		10,043.66
			<b>Property Additions / Restorations</b>		<b>120,818.94</b>
			Equipment (POS Terminal Purchase)		1,190.65
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE PERIOD</b>		<b>499,713.99</b>	<b>TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR THE PERIOD</b>		<b>477,673.56</b>
Opening cash balance		67,290.69	Ending cash balance		89,331.12
<b>TOTAL</b>	\$	<b>567,004.68</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$	<b>567,004.68</b>
IN 2024 <b>OUR LADY OF THE AIRWAYS PARISH CELEBRATED THE FOLLOWING SACRAMENTS</b>					
**BAPTISMS		29	<b>THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND CONTINUED SUPPORT TO OUR PARISH</b>		
**1ST HOLY COMMUNIONS		37			
**CONFIRMATIONS		36			
**RCIA		4			
**MARRIAGES		4			
**FUNERALS		18			

## 8th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### READINGS for SUNDAY, March 2<sup>nd</sup> (8<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

1st Reading - Sirach 27.4-7  
2nd Reading - 1 Corinthians 15.54-58  
Gospel - Luke 6.39-45

### SATURDAY, MAR. 1<sup>ST</sup> 2025 OUR LADY'S SATURDAY.

5:00pm: † Antao Paulo Carrasco  
† Giuseppe Molinaro

### SUNDAY, MAR. 2 8<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00am: † Alicia Queano  
10:30am: † Santina Stifano  
12:00pm: † Geralyn Capistrano  
† Effren Cabbab Balayan  
† Cycilia Gonsalves

### TUESDAY, MAR. 4 ST. CASIMIR.

9:00pm: † Agostino & Salvatore Dibenedetto  
† Hameeda Hans

### WEDNESDAY, MAR. 5 ASH WEDNESDAY.

9:00am: † Deceased of Noce Family  
7:00pm: † Umberto De Dominicis

### THURSDAY, MAR. 6

9:00am: † Luciana Louro  
♦ Patients & Staff @ Etobicoke Gen. Hosp.

### FRIDAY, MAR. 7 (1 FRIDAY) STS. PERPETUA & FELICITY.

9:00am: † Palmira Zaino D'Argenio

*ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament ALL DAY*

7:00pm: MASS & STATIONS OF THE CROSS VIA CRUCIS

### SATURDAY, MAR. 8 ST. JOHN OF GOD.

5:00pm: † Paolo Marchiamo'

### SUNDAY, MAR. 9 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

9:00am: † Earl Bastien  
10:30am: † Maria Mirella Nardulli  
† Maria Ercole Perrone  
† Francesco Frano, Agostino Morson Deceased of Fam.  
12:00pm: † Alicia Queano

### READINGS for Next SUNDAY, March 9<sup>th</sup> (1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT)

1st Reading - Deuteronomy 26.4-10  
2nd Reading - Romans 10.8-13  
Gospel - Luke 4.1-13

### VOCATION SEEDS

#### 7<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"In the Lord your labour is not in vain". Is the Lord calling you to work in His vineyard? Pray to hear God's call. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations 416-968-0997 or vocations@archtoronto.org



### LENT: Ash Wednesday this week

We are starting the 40 days of Lent that should be filled with reflection, penance and prayer. Come and journey with us and develop a closer relationship with God. **This Wednesday the 5<sup>TH</sup> is ASH WEDNESDAY and we will have two Masses at 9am and 7pm.** Then, during Lent, every Friday join us for Mass and Stations of the Cross at 7pm. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**

### NEW BOILERS at OUR PARISH

*This year's BIG project is to install NEW BOILERS (what we have, are still the original ones...)* and we need your help and generosity to proceed. Envelopes dedicated for this are located at the church entrances or the terminal at church are available. **NEW BOILERS FUND \$ 4,045.00. Thank You**



### ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament



March 7<sup>th</sup> is the 1st Friday of the Month, we are having Adoration all day long (please sign the paper at the back) till 6:45pm followed by Mass at 7:00pm & Stations of the Cross. **ALL ARE INVITED**

### CLOCKS SPRING FORWARD 1 HOUR

**MARCH 9, 2024 at 2:00am**

Don't forget to move your clocks forward 1 hour on Sunday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00am. We look forward to seeing you **ON TIME** next Sunday.



### LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY POWER FROM ON HIGH

*Saturday, March 29 at 9:00am.* Join us and experience why thousands of people return each year.... For info/tickets, [www.LJHR.ca](http://www.LJHR.ca)

### ST. PADRE PIO Prayer Group

Let us bind ourselves tightly to the Sorrowful Heart of our heavenly Mother and reflect on its boundless grief of how precious is our soul. - St. Padre Pio



### SAN PADRE PIO Gruppo di Preghiera

*Leghiamoci strettamente al Cuore Addolorato della nostra Madre Celeste e riflettiamo sul suo sconfinato dolore per quanto preziosa sia la nostra anima. - San Padre Pio*



### NEW ITINERARY and NEW PRICE 2025 JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE FRANCE and ITALY



Under Spiritual Guidance of Fr. Ruggiero, our Pastor. **September 11-23, 2025 / 13 days \$5,490 (Taxes & Tips Incl.)** for Toronto departure. Travel arrangements by **QS Travel & Tours** Tel. 905-412-2242 or 1-800-565-3619 [www.qstours.com](http://www.qstours.com) CA\$50 OFF for registration before Feb. 28, 2025! CA\$100 OFF for non-credit card payment.

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