# 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

EUCHARISTIC 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

martedi 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

#### **RECONCILIATON/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 .

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

### READINGS for SUNDAY, May 11th (4th SUNDAY OF EASTER)

1st Reading - Acts 13.14, 43 - 52 2nd Reading - Revelation 7.9, 14b - 17 Gospel - John 10.27 - 30

## I KNOW MY SHEEP AND THEY FOLLOW ME

There is a certainty that never fails in the life of those who have met the risen Lord and follow him: the certainty of being loved with a unique, personal, total, free love. To express this reality, Jesus uses an image very dear to him, that of the special relationship between the shepherd and his sheep, which reveals the intensity of the bond of love close to each of us, the intimate communion with him and the Father, from which nothing and no one can ever tear us away. For this reason, «the disciples were filled with joy», because, supported by the strength of the Spirit, they experienced even in the midst of adversity and tribulations the irrepressible beauty of belonging to Christ, of being «his people, a flock that he leads». Ultimately, this is where the true meaning of every vocation lies, in letting ourselves be led with confidence and docility by the "powerful tenderness" of the one who knows us like no other: the Lamb-Shepherd, who guides us "to the sources of the waters of life." What life? The eternal life that we already receive from him here and now; the only one that responds to our deep desire for happiness and fullness.



## **IO CONOSCO LE MIE PECORE** ED ESSE MI SEGUONO

C'è una certezza che mai viene meno nella vita di chi ha incontrato il Signore risorto e lo segue: la certezza di essere amato di un amore unico, personale, totale, gratuito. Per esprimere questa realtà Gesù usa un'immagine a lui molto cara, quella del rapporto particolare tra il pastore e le sue pecore, che rivela l'intensità del legame d'amore stretto con ciascuno di noi, l'intima comunione con lui e il Padre, da cui niente e nessuno potrà mai strapparci. Per questo «i discepoli erano pieni di gioia», perché, sostenuti dalla forza dello Spirito, sperimentavano anche in mezzo a contrarietà e tribolazioni la bellezza insopprimibile di appartenere a Cristo, di essere «suo popolo, gregge che egli guida». In fondo sta proprio qui il senso autentico di ogni vocazione, nel lasciarsi condurre con confidenza e docilità dalla "tenerezza potente" di colui che ci conosce come nessun'altro: l'Agnello-Pastore, che ci guida «alle fonti delle acque della vita». Quale vita? La vita eterna che già qui e ora da lui riceviamo; la sola che risponde al nostro desiderio profondo di felicità e pienezza.



#### SATURDAY, MAY 10

ST. JOHN OF AVILA.

5:00pm: † Tony Pannunzio

> † Alban & Cecilia Pereira † Mercedes Yarra Palma Gil

† Herminio Carreon

#### SUNDAY, MAY 11

4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER.

9:00am: † Earl Bastien

10:30am: Maria Perrone

> † Rosalia Martino † Angela Malfara

12:00pm:

† Patrick Miranda

† Eugene May

#### TUESDAY, MAY 13

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA.** 

† Franco Pagliuso 9:00pm:

† Ferio Compagnoni

## WED., MAY 14

ST. MATTHIAS.

9:00am: † Agostino & Salvatore Dibenedetto

## THURSDAY, MAY 15

9:00am: † Type Thomas

◊ Patients & Staff @ Etobicoke Gen Hosp.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 16

9:00am: † Frs. Vincenzo Ronchi & Livio Stella

ADORATION till 11:00am

7:00pm: **GETHSEMANE MINISTRIES** 

SATURDAY, MAY 17

5:00pm: † Mary Mano & Swampillai Manuelpillai

♦ Thanksgiving Blessings Joanne & Ashlin Shreeder

#### SUNDAY, MAY 18 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER.

† Pino Provenzano 9:00am: 10:30am: † Piero Frangella

† Angelo Ciccuto & Filippo DiCosola

† Defunti Ciccuto-Sessolo

12:00pm: † Dino Ciccarone



## **VOCATION SEEDS** 5th SUNDAY OF EASTER

The new commandment of love is required of everyone who follows the risen Lord. How do you fulfill the commandment? 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

### READINGS for next SUNDAY, May 18th (5th SUNDAY OF EASTER)

1st Reading - Acts 14.21b - 27 2nd Reading - Revelation 21.1 - 5a Gospel - John 13.1, 31 - 33a, 34 - 35





## PRAYER FOR MARY'S INTERCESSION

"Mother of God and our Mother, pray for us to God, the Father of mercies, that this great suffering may end and that hope and peace may dawn anew. Plead with your divine Son, as you did at Cana, so that the families

of the sick and the victims be comforted, and their hearts be opened to confidence and trust." Amen

## ST. PADRE PIO Prayer Group

You must remember that you have in heaven, not only a Father, but also a Mother...Let us then have recourse to Mary. She is all sweetness, mercy, goodness and love for us because she is our Mother - St. Padre Pio

Ricordatevi che in cielo avete non solo un Padre, ma anche una Madre... Ricorriamo dunque a Maria. Lei è tutta dolcezza, misericordia, bontà e amore per noi, perché è nostra Madre -San Padre Pio



## **OLA Youth Ministry is back for kids** between grades 5-7!

Join the Adventure! Step into your Faith.

Important Date: FRIDAY, June 13 from 6pm to 8pm in the church hall. Scan the QR code to register. For more info, email ourladyoftheairways@archtoronto.org



## **TAP TO GIVE**

IS AVAILABLE HERE We are happy to announce that we now have "Tap to Give / Tip Tap Pay" available at our church for Parish Offertory. The donation amount is set at \$10.00,

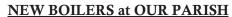
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## **COUPLES FOR CHRIST'S CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM**

Join us at Our Lady of the Airways, to bring people to a fuller experience of life in the Spirit and strengthening our community life in the parish.

The Couples for Christ (CFC) and CFC Handmaids of the Lord would like to invite all couples, men, women and singles to a Christian Life Program which will start on Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 1:30PM in the chapel. The Christian Life Program is a series of teachings on the Basic Truth about Christianity and on the Authentic and Spirit-filled Christian Life. Please more info. contact Irene at 647-621-1361 or Rebecca at 647-535-7527 ALL ARE WELCOME



This year's BIG project is to install NEW BOILERS and we need your help and generosity to proceed. You can donate for this via the envelopes dedicated for this at the church entrances or via the POS terminal at church. NEW BOILERS FUND IS AT \$ 21,771.32 (Incl. \$ 700.00 from this week) Tax Receipts will be issued if you provide all the necessary information.



## **TODAY MOTHERS DAY**

& ROSES from KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



**HAPPY MOTHER's DAY!** The Knights of Columbus will be selling Roses for Mother's Day after each Mass as we celebrate all mothers here on earth and those already gone.

AUGURI A TUTTE LE MAMME, vive e defunte.



#### **CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS 2025**

Congratulations to the children who have received their First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

THANK YOU to the catechists and their families for accompanying them & we hope to see you always.



## MAY 17-18 ST. VINCENT DE PAUL **BUNDLE UP WEEKEND**



Next weekend, a truck will be stationed in the parking lot for a collection of donations. Please check the bulletin boards on what can or cannot be donated. For more information, you can also visit www.svptoronto.ca



## **CELEBRATING MOTHER MARY ON SATURDAY MAY 31**

The Parish is organizing a liturgical and social celebration for Mother Mary on Saturday May 31st. After the 5:00pm Mass, there will be a PROCESSION and outside food vendors market from 6pm to 9pm. If you wish to set up a table contact Geraldine at 647-328-7782 or Madhura at 647-895-7053.



## Trip to Quebec City & Montreal:

Saturday Aug 2 to Monday Aug 4



Mark your calendars & join us for a trip to Ouebec City-St Anne de Beaupre & Montreal - St Joseph Oratory. Departure Saturday morning Aug. 2 and return Mon. night Aug. 4. Prices range per person. Deadline to reserve and pay for tickets at full cost is June 30. Reserve and pay before May 31 and get a discount of \$ 30.00. For reservation/info contact Silvana @ 647-978-6513 or email the church. Scan me for full itinerary/info. or go to our website to view it.



#### SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN

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## NEW ITINERARY and NEW PRICE **JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE 2025** to 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.gstours.com We will also visit the Holy Shroud in Turin and pass through the Holy Door in Rome.

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