

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: _____

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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

READINGS for 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

A COMMANDMENT

ALWAYS ANCIENT AND ALWAYS NEW

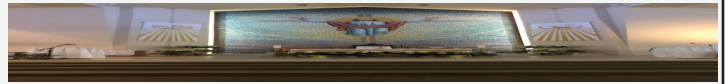
Humanity does not give up loving: love is a feeling so pervasive in our nature that it manages to overcome, sooner or later, every hatred and every form of individualism. Jesus confirms this truth to us and, by affirming that love is a commandment, allows us to understand then that God's commandments are not external impositions, but simply the expression of the truth that dwells within us: they are expressed and reaffirmed by God so that we can become more aware of them and be more willing to live them willingly. In order not to confuse love with a vague feeling, with immediate pleasure, the apostles invite Christians to remain firm in faith because love for God and neighbor do not always give immediate gratification: sometimes, indeed often, they are the fruit of perseverance, in the tribulations of life and in the toil of relationships, not always easy, but which must always be promoted, guarded and cared for. This is how, however, one reaches the new heaven and the new earth of similarity to God's way of loving.



UN COMANDAMENTO

SEMPRE ANTICO E SEMPRE NUOVO

L'umanità non rinuncia ad amare: l'amore è un sentimento talmente pervasivo nella nostra natura che riesce a superare, presto o tardi, ogni odio e ogni forma di individualismo. Gesù ci conferma questa verità e, affermando che quello dell'amore è un comandamento, permette a noi di capire allora che i comandamenti di Dio non sono imposizioni esterne, ma semplicemente l'espressione della verità che inabitava in noi: essi vengono espressi e ribaditi da Dio perché possiamo prenderne maggiore coscienza ed essere più disposti a viverli volentieri. Per non confondere l'amore con un vago sentimento, con l'immediato piacersi, gli apostoli invitano i cristiani a rimanere saldi nella fede perché l'amore a Dio e al prossimo non sempre danno una immediata gratificazione: a volte, anzi spesso, sono frutto di perseveranza, nelle tribolazioni della vita e nella fatica delle relazioni, non sempre facili ma che vanno sempre promosse, custodite e curate. È così, tuttavia, che si raggiunge il cielo nuovo e la terra nuova della somiglianza al modo di amare di Dio.



SATURDAY, MAY 17

5:00pm: † Mary Mano & Swampillai Manuelpillai

◇ Thanksgiving Blessings Joanne & Ashlin Shreeder

◇ Our Lady of Good Health Vailankanni

SUNDAY, MAY 18 **5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER.**

9:00am: † Pino Provenzano

10:30am: † Piero Frangella

† Rocco Negri

† Franco Bartolomucci

† Angelo Ciccuto & Filippo DiCosola

† Defunti Ciccuto-Sessolo

12:00pm: † Dino Ciccarone

† Gelindo Paron

TUESDAY, MAY 20 **ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA.**
WITH DEVOTION ST PADRE PIO

9:00pm: † Carmelo Fabrizio

WED., MAY 21 **ST. EUGÈNE DE MAZENOD.**

9:00am: † Agostino & Salvatore Dibenedetto

† Houda Matta & Raffaella Sacco

7:00pm: † **MEMORIAL MASS** for GENNARO GAROFALO

THURSDAY, MAY 22 **ST. RITA OF CASCIA.**

9:00am: ◇ Patients & Staff @ Etobicoke Gen Hosp.

FRIDAY, MAY 23

9:00am: † All Souls in Purgatory

ADORATION till 11:00am

7:00pm: **GETHSEMANE MINISTRIES**

SATURDAY, MAY 24 **BLESSED LOUIS-ZÉPHERIN MOREAU.**

11:30am: **BAPTISM**

5:00pm: † Maurice Braganza

SUNDAY, MAY 25 **6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER.**

9:00am: † Sandro Kozlovic

† Francisco Buning, Virgilio Lopez, Victorio Tilos

◇ Birthday Blessings Carmela Vitug-Pindon

10:30am: † Angelo Pagliuca

12:00pm: † Gabriel Venditto

◇ Health & Blessings Mathilda Pereira



VOCATION SEEDS

5th SUNDAY OF EASTER

Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life, especially for the diocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst? 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 25th
(6th SUNDAY OF EASTER)

1st Reading - Acts 15.1 - 2, 22 - 29

2nd Reading - Revelation 21.10 - 14, 22 - 23

Gospel - John 14.23 - 29





FOR THE HELP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

May we be assisted, we beseech Thee, O Lord, by the worshipful intercession of Thy glorious Mother, the ever-Virgin Mary; that we, who have been enriched by her perpetual blessings, may be delivered from all dangers, and through her loving kindness made to be of one heart and mind who lives and reigns world without end.

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**



Trip to Quebec City & Montreal:

Saturday Aug 2 to Monday Aug 4

Mark your calendars & join us for a trip to Quebec 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.



TIP 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 donations. The donation amount is set at \$10.00, tap more than once for a higher amount. **Debit/Credit cards only.** For an end-of-year tax receipt scan the QR Code and register. Contact the office with questions.

SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN



Give and live the Gospel by helping us make a difference, one donation at a time. Next collection on June 8 and Your generous donations are appreciated.



NEW BOILERS at OUR PARISH

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** Tax Receipts will be issued if you provide all the necessary information. Thank You



HABEMUS PAPAM

We welcome you, **POPE LEO 14th** and offer our sincere prayers for your guidance and leadership of our catholic Church.



TODAY ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP WEEKEND



TODAY, 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
Thank you for your donations



ST. PADRE PIO Prayer Group

Padre Pio Group will meet this Tuesday, May 20th with the Meditated Rosary starting at 8:30 am followed by the Holy Mass at 9:00 a.m. "Our Lady covers the confessional with the mantle of God's mercy".

Il Gruppo Padre Pio si riunirà questo martedì 20 maggio con il Rosario meditato a partire dalle ore 8:30 seguito dalla Santa Messa delle ore 9:00. «La Madonna riveste il confessionale con il panneggio della misericordia di Dio».

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS extra collection

Next weekend, May 25th we will have a collection to help the Pope's charitable initiatives worldwide, allowing him to contribute to a wide range of causes. *Your generous donation is appreciated.*



CELEBRATING MOTHER MARY ON SATURDAY MAY 31

The Parish is organizing a liturgical and social celebration for Mother Mary on Saturday, May 31. After the 5:00pm Mass, there will be a **PROCESSION and outside food vendors market from 4pm to 9pm.** If you wish to set up a table contact Geraldine at 647-328-7782 or Madhura at 647-895-7053.

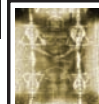


OLA Youth Ministry is back for kids between grades 5-7!

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



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.qstours.com *We will also visit the Holy Shroud in Turin and pass through the Holy Door in Rome.*

Last weekend's (May 13) collection at church: **\$ 3,955.00** Thank you for your generosity.

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