

Our Lady of the Airways Parish



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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. RUGGIERO Dibenedetto
Priest in residence: Fr. CANISIUS Raj (Chaplain for the Tamil Community)
Priest in residence: Fr. IGNACIO Pinedo (Chaplain for Pearson International Airport)
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 Baptism preparation process, please contact the parish office asap and before making any arrangements 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 are sick & would like to receive this sacrament or/and confession and 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 English
Sunday: 9:00 am English
10:30 am Italian
12:00 pm English
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

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

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

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

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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

READINGS for SUNDAY, September 7th

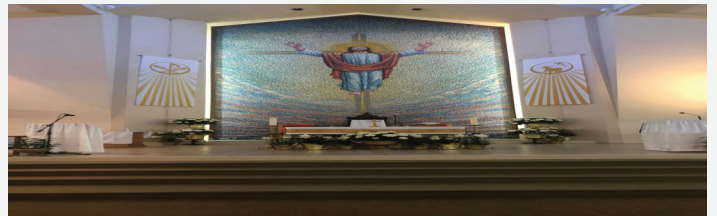
1st Reading - Wisdom 9.13 - 18
 2nd Reading - Philemon 9b - 10, 12 - 17
 Gospel - Luke 14.25 - 33

THE RADICALITY OF FOLLOWING

"What man can know the will of God?" Our reasoning is always uncertain, limited, while our intelligence and will easily tires in the worries that continually oppress us. God's plans cannot be known, unless the Lord himself reveals them to us. Only those who place themselves under God's gaze, following his inspirations, are capable of receiving the light that shows the right path. Jesus came to reveal God's plan, which is to believe in him and love him above all else. However, he also wants to free us from illusions and let us walk on a sure path. He demands of us a reflection on all our plans ("Who among you would build a tower...") so as not to build on vague hopes. Only by following Christ's path with trust can we be certain that every cross is always followed by resurrection. Knowing how to renounce everything is a sign that one is truly following Jesus. Paul is an example of this: he gives up keeping Onesimus, his dear son who had run away from his master, and sends him back to Philemon, begging him to welcome him no longer as a slave but as a brother, that is, a free man.

**LA RADICALITÀ DELLA SEQUELA**

«Quale uomo può conoscere il volere di Dio?». I nostri ragionamenti sono sempre incerti, limitati, mentre l'intelligenza e la volontà si stancano facilmente nelle preoccupazioni che continuamente ci opprimono. I disegni di Dio non si possono conoscere, a meno che il Signore stesso non ce li riveli. Solo chi si pone sotto lo sguardo di Dio, seguendo le sue ispirazioni, è capace di ricevere la luce che segna il giusto cammino. Gesù è venuto a rivelare il disegno di Dio che è quello di credere in lui e amarlo al di sopra di tutto e di tutti. Tuttavia, vuole anche liberarci dalle illusioni e farci camminare su strada sicura. Egli esige da noi una riflessione su tutti i nostri progetti («Chi di voi volendo costruire una torre...») per non costruire su vaghe speranze. Solo seguendo con fiducia il cammino del Cristo abbiamo la certezza che ad ogni croce segue sempre la risurrezione. Saper rinunciare a tutto è il segno che si cammina veramente dietro a Gesù. Paolo ne è un esempio: rinuncia a trattenere con sé Onesimo, figlio che gli sta tanto a cuore fuggito dal suo padrone, e lo rimanda a Filemone pregandolo di accoglierlo non più come schiavo ma come fratello, cioè uomo libero.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 6 OUR LADY'S SATURDAY.**

5:00pm: † Patsy Joseph
 † Florie & Joseph Fernandes

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.

9:00am: † Paul MacMillan
 ◇ Birthday Blessings for Carol Nauth
 ◇ Blessings upon Martin Song Le/Iris Truong

10:30am: † Pasquale Marrocco
 † Edoardo Capano

12:00pm: † Pina Rutigliano

TUESDAY, SEPT. 9 ST. PETER CLAVER.

9:00pm: † Agostino & Salvatore Dibenedetto

10:30am: † MEMORIAL MASS for VALERIE SCHEEL

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10

9:00am: † Mary Krane

THURSDAY, SEPT. 11

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

FRIDAY, SEPT. 12 MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY.

9:00am: † Marie Chandrawarnam

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament TILL 11:00am

7:00pm: Gethsemane Ministries

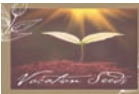
SATURDAY, SEPT. 13 ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM.

11:30am: BAPTISM

5:00pm: † Franco Pagliuso

SUNDAY, SEPT. 14 EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS.

9:00am: † Earl Bastien
 10:30am: † Francesco Farronato
 12:00pm: † Alicia Queano

**VOCATION SEEDS****23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Having a loose grasp on those things that rightly belong to God is required of every follower. The open hands you are left with will be filled by God and overflowing. Can you let go? 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, Sept. 14th
 (EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS)**

1st Reading - Numbers 21.4 - 9
 2nd Reading - Philippians 2.6 - 11
 Gospel - John 3.13 - 17





CARLO ACUTIS CANONIZATION

SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

The canonizations September 7th 2025 of the two young saints Carlo Acutis and Pier Giorgio Frassati - one from the early 20th century, the other the first of the 21st century - have been greatly anticipated due to the great devotion among the faithful. Pier Giorgio Frassati died at an early age of 24 known for his deep spirituality, love for the poor and enthusiasm for life, Carlo Acutis died at the age of 15 known for his use of technology to promote faith, will become the first millennial saint after a second miracle was recognized.



WELCOME BACK to SCHOOL

Welcome back to school, dear students! We hope you had a fantastic summer and are ready for an exciting new school year. Remember the church is always open and the Lord is waiting for you.



Join the Adventure! Youth Ministry at Our Lady of the Airways Parish.

Scan To Register



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ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

Do not fear. Jesus is more powerful than all hell. At the invocation of his name every knee in heaven, on earth and in hell must bend before Jesus; this is a consolation for the good and terror for evil. (St. Padre Pio).

Non temere. Gesù è più potente di tutto l'inferno.

All'invocazione del suo nome ogni ginocchio in cielo, in terra e all'inferno deve piegarsi davanti a Gesù; questa è una consolazione per i buoni e un terrore per i cattivi. (San Padre Pio)

ENVELOPES info update

To ensure we have the complete information for you *or* to make corrections for your envelope number (you might have moved, changed your telephone or updated your email address...), please **FILL** out each envelope of this month of September with your current info. You can contact the office at 905-677-4615 or by email ourladyoftheairways@archtoronto.org.



Thank you for your generosity



PREPARATION FOR 2024-2025 SACRAMENTS



1st COMMUNION -

Meeting Tues Sept 16 at 7pm

CONFIRMATION - Meeting Tues, Sept. 23 at 7pm

We would like to invite the Families of Children entering grade 2 (or above) and grade 7 (or above) in September to prepare themselves for the upcoming Sacraments. **NEEDED = For First Communion** Registration form and a copy of the child's Baptism (not birth's) Certificate; **For Confirmation** Registration form and a copy of the child's Baptism Certificate **PLUS** the Sponsor Information and Confirmation Certificate.

SCAN ME to find Registration forms, dates and frequently asked questions. Go to our website <https://oltheairwaysmi.archtoronto.org>. Click on "Sacrament"

GET READY & PREPARE YOURSELF.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) registration is open

IF YOU ARE AN ADULT and

1) you are interested in becoming a catholic, **2)** Or receive confirmation, **3)** or wishing to embrace Catholicism for full reception into the Church; **4)** if you wish to have your civil marriage blessed and validated at church. Contact us by email ourladyoftheairways@archtoronto.org



ADORATION

Every Friday from 9-11am. **ALL ARE INVITED**

BOILERS & other PROJECTS

Thank you for your continued generosity towards our project for the **new Boilers** and an enclosure at the base of the Bell Tower for displays.



CATHOLIC REGISTER and other religious flyers are AVAILABLE and FREE AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH. PLEASE HELP YOURSELF

VOLUNTEER SCREENING

As per instruction from the Diocese, we have now put a team together for mandatory screening of all volunteers. You will be contacted and go through the process and for all steps, go to our webpage under the heading "Community" or for further information email MPaternostro@archtoronto.org



Last weekend's (August 31st) collection at church: **\$ 3,646.05** *Thank you for your generosity.*

BOILER FUND As at Sept 7th \$ 44,520.32 on **\$145,000** total cost of the project

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