

Our Lady of the Airways Parish



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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. RUGGIERO Dibenedetto

Priest in residence: Fr. ALEXIS (Arul) Siluvairajah (Chaplain for the Tamil Community)

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 at 8:30 am
terzo martedì del mese at 8:30 am

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION: 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

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

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

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

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

READINGS for SUNDAY, October 11TH
(28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

1st Reading - Isaiah 25.6 - 10a

2nd Reading - Philippians 4.12 - 14, 19 - 20

Gospel - Matthew 22.1 - 1

EVERYTHING IS READY—BUT ARE WE?

Through the words of the prophet Isaiah, God promises to prepare a banquet for all peoples—a feast of rich foods, fine wines, and succulent delicacies. We ought to await the fulfillment of such a comforting promise with eager anticipation. Yet, when the day finally arrives and the promise is fulfilled, we often fail to promptly accept the invitation to the wedding feast. Our worries and our daily affairs distract us; what we believe we must achieve through our own efforts becomes more important and necessary to us than what God does for us. "Everything is ready," Jesus announces in the parable; it is we who are not ready to accept His invitation. God does not give up, and eventually His feast is filled with guests—"bad and good alike," the parable specifies. Yet, there is someone who appears without a wedding garment. This does not symbolize unworthy moral conduct—since both the bad and the good are invited to the feast—but perhaps it signifies our attempt to fashion this garment ourselves, with our own hands, rather than receiving it from God's grace; for we can do all things—as Paul writes—but only through Him who gives us strength!

**TUTTO È PRONTO, E NOI LO SIAMO?**

Dio ci promette, attraverso la parola del profeta Isaia, di preparare per tutti i popoli un banchetto di grasse vivande, di vini eccellenti, di cibi succulenti. Dovremmo tutti nutrire un'attesa spasmodica per la realizzazione di una promessa così consolante. Eppure, accade che, quando finalmente il giorno giunge e la promessa si compie, non sappiamo accogliere prontamente l'invito alle nozze. Le nostre preoccupazioni e i nostri affari ci istraggono, ciò che noi pensiamo di dover realizzare con il nostro impegno diventa più importante e necessario di ciò che Dio fa per noi. «Tutto è pronto», ci annuncia Gesù narrando una parabola, siamo noi a non essere pronti ad accogliere il suo invito. Dio non si arrende e finalmente la sua festa si riempie di commensali, «cattivi e buoni», precisa la parabola. C'è tuttavia qualcuno che si presenta senza l'abito nuziale. Non è un simbolo di una indegna condotta morale, dato che cattivi e buoni sono invitati alla festa, ma è forse il segno della nostra pretesa di cucirci questo abito da soli, con le nostre mani, anziché accoglierlo dalla grazia di Dio, poiché tutto noi possiamo – scrive Paolo – ma solo in colui che ci dà la forza!

**SAT. OCT. 10****OUR LADY'S SATURDAY.**

5:00pm: † Maria Amelia D'Souza

SUN. OCT. 11**28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.**

9:00am: † Sandro Kozlovic

† Earl Bastien

† Teresamma Poonoly

10:30am: † Antonio & Maria Maselli

† Lina Ursula Molinaro

12:00pm: † Antonia & Angelo Pace

† Daniela Yarosz

† Anna Maria Moglia

♦ Health Blessings Vincent Lakra

TUES. OCT. 13

9:00am: †

WED. OCT. 14**ST. CALLISTUS I.**

9:00am: † Agostino & Salvatore Dibenedetto

THURS. OCT. 15**ST. TERESA OF JESUS.**

9:00am: ♦ For Patients & Staff at Etobicoke Gen.Hosp.

FRI. OCT. 16**ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE.**

9:00am: † Anna Maria Moglia

† Eufemia & Nicola Mantenuto

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament TILL 11:00am

7:00pm: **GETHSEMANE MINISTRIES****SAT. OCT. 17****ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH.**

5:00pm: †

SUN. OCT. 18**29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.**

9:00am: † Diana Kozlovic

† Sally Ann Perriman

10:30am: † Francesco Furlano

12:00pm: † Joseph Camilleri

† Maria Camilleri

† Jane Esodo

† Anna Maria Moglia

♦ Health Blessings Vincent Lakra

**VOCATION SEEDS OCT. 11th**
28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

How has Jesus touched you and made you whole! Ask Him how He would like you to respond. Could Jesus be calling you to follow Him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact **Fr. David Twaddle**, Director of Vocations 416-968-0997 / vocations@archtoronto.org

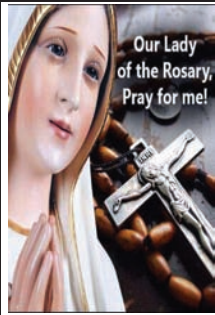
READINGS for next SUNDAY, October 18TH
(28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

1st Reading - Isaiah 45.1, 4 - 6

2nd Reading - 1 Thessalonians 1.1 - 5ab

Gospel - Matthew 22.15 - 21





OCTOBER MONTH OF THE ROSARY

The Holy Rosary "Say the Rosary every day... Pray, pray a lot and offer sacrifices for sinners.....

I'm Our Lady of the Rosary. Only I will be able to help you....In the end My Immaculate Heart will triumph."

Our Lady of Fatima

BIBLE CLASS

Bible Study has started join us **Every Tuesday @ 7:00pm.** Entrance will be by the side door of the Church in front of the garage. *Bring your own Catholic Bible and come to know God and learn more about our faith.*



ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED. YOU?

Have you received your First Communion and do you want to serve at the altar to assist during the Sunday Mass? If you would like to join, contact us at ourladyoftheairways@archtoronto.org

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- 1) Online through the website www.archtoronto.org
- 2) By phone 437-529-1287
- 3) Through the parish, cheques payable to: **Our Lady of the Airways Parish** – *on the Memo Line write: Humanitarian Relief. Please donate, Thank You*



WORKS update

Work and maintenance at our parish continues *we are updating the air ventilation system in the church hall downstairs, and it is almost complete, also, we would like to purchase new equipment for the choir area.* Make your generous donation towards these projects for our church.



YOUTH MINISTRY

Join our next meeting, Friday, October 23, 6:30pm-8:30pm ***in the church hall.*** See bulletin for details or scan the qr



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...) contact the office by email ourladyoftheairways@archtoronto.org



KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS THANKSGIVING CHARITY DRAW

CONGRATULATIONS to the winners of the draw. Thank you to everyone who purchased a ticket to help us help others.



ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

Padre Pio Group will meet on Tuesday, October 20th with the Meditated Rosary starting at 8:30 am followed by the Holy Mass at 9:00 a.m.

"Indulge in reading holy books...they are like pasture to the soul and a great support on the way to perfection"

Il Gruppo Padre Pio si riunirà martedì 20 ottobre con il Rosario meditato a partire dalle ore 8:30 seguito dalla Santa Messa delle ore 9:00. "Aiutatevi maggiormente colla lettura dei libri santi...pascolo all'anima e di grande avanzamento nella via della perfezione"



PREPARATION FOR

2026-2027 SACRAMENTS of FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION



REGISTRATION for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion (gr. 2 and up), Confirmation (gr. 7 and up) will be **Wednesday, November 4th, 2026, starting with Mass at 7pm.** Please bring **ALL** necessary documents: **Both First Holy Communion & Confirmation:**

- 1) A copy of the candidate's Baptismal certificate
- 2) Registration form - completed
- 3) Fee (card payment preferred).

For Confirmation candidates only:
A copy of the Sponsor's Confirmation certificate
Registration forms will be available at the parish office, local Catholic elementary schools and on our website.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Classes Every Tuesday @ 7pm



IF YOU ARE AN ADULT and 1) you are interested in becoming a catholic and/or be confirmed. 2) you are already-baptized in other Christian denominations, but wishing to embrace Catholicism for full reception into the Church; 3) you wish to *have your civil marriage blessed and validated at church*, please contact the office or email ourladyoftheairways@archtoronto.org

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