# EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD PARISH

THE EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD PARISE GRATITUDE & GRO

**Served by the Congregation** of the Sons of Immaculate Conception

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#### **DECEMBER 24, 2023** FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

#### **PASTOR**

Rev. Martin Cherumadathy, CFIC

#### ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Rev. Ronald Gene Generao, CFIC

#### DEACON ASSISTANT

Deacon Valentinus Danukarjanto

**Office Secretary** Kim Miranda Caretaker Peyman Amini

#### Bible Study (Online)

Monday at 7:00 p.m.

#### **Divine Mercy Chaplet**

Friday 3:00 p.m.

#### **Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration**

**Every first Friday** after the 7:00 p.m. Mass

#### Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

Saturday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass

#### **Holy Rosary**

Monday to Saturday after the 8:00 a.m.

Mass

#### **Holy Rosary Online**

Every first Saturdays for 24 hours from 9:00 a.m. Saturday to 9:00 a.m. Sunday.

Call Joseph at 647-987-4762 to join.

#### **Communion For The Sick**

Please call or email the Parish office.

#### **Daily Mass Schedules**

Monday to Saturday 8:00 a.m. Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. - Italian

Friday 7:00 p.m. - English & Italian

First Friday Mass\* 12:10 p.m.

#### **Sunday Mass Schedules**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

9:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. Sunday

11:00 a.m. - Italian

## **Adoration Chapel**

Monday 6:30 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Tuesday to Friday 6:30 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday 6:30 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.

#### **Reconciliation/Confession**

First Friday 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday Other Days - By appointment only

## **Office Hours**

Monday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Tuesday to Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed for lunch from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.)

## **Parish Schools**

Epiphany of Our Lord C.A. 416-393-5378 St. Henry C. S. 416-393-5395 St. Kateri Tekakwitha C. S. 416-393-5393 Mary Ward C. S. S. 416-393-5544

#### ALTAR SERVERS

#### BIBLE STUDY (Online)

Craig Robichaud ......416-432-5072 Jose & Florie Lee .......647-978-5948

## CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Antonette Di Marco ............ 647-992-8772 Edie Di Pede ................ 416-499-8396

#### CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUPS

(Ital.) Felina Pantaleo .......416-498-6420

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Janice Colligan ... ...... 416-886-1519

#### COMMITTEE OF ITALIAN MEN & WOMEN

Renato Baldari ......416-491-2189 Felina Pantaleo ...... 416-498-6420

## COUNTERS

Calvin Clarke ......416-495-6937 Fernando Aceto ......416-499-2196

## **COUPLES FOR CHRIST**

Norman/Marissa Tapangco.647-341-3689 Edie Di Pede .............................. 416-499-8396

## **EUCHARISTIC MINISTRIES**

(Eng.) Freddy Printer ......... 647-633-0494 Mary Huan ...... 416-410-5655 (Ital.) Renato Baldari ....... 416-491-2189

#### FAMILY & LIFE MINISTRY

Jose Lee ...... 647-978-5948 **SOCCER LEAGUE** 

#### FILIPINO CORE GROUP

#### HOSPITALITY (USHERS)

Calvin Clarke ...... 416-495-6937 Salvatore Messina ...... 416-917-5614

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Ave Maria**

#### Council 9494

Joaquim (Ross) D'Souza .... 647-639-1587

#### **LECTORS**

(Eng.) Mark Novis ...... 416-578-5457 (Ital.) Felina Pantaleo ......416-498-6420

## **LEGION OF MARY**

#### **MARRIAGE PREPARATION**

#### **MUSIC MINISTRY**

Emy De Asis ......905-305-6896 Savio Rodriguez ................647-786-9034 Frank/Grace Carrubba. 647-588-9496 Darryl Timmins ...... 416-292-2317 Noel Dabbagh ...... 416-499-2196 Eddie Shiu ...... 647-969-7131

#### **OUTREACH**

Samantha Connelly ..... 647-892-6713

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Carlo Trentadue .......... 416-497-0651

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## **SHARELIFE**

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Gino Di Pede ...... 416-499-8396

## **STEWARDSHIP**

## **SOCIAL COMMITTEE**

WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY GROUP

Maria Sivilla ...... 416-894-4859

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Chico Nuguid ...... 647-286-5831

## **AgentsofTechM**

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#### CELEBRATING EPIPHANY'S 50TH JUBILEE:

A commemorative book capturing our Parish's journey throughout the past 50 years is in the process of being designed and published. This book will be a souvenir keepsake that will be presented to each registered family in

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We invite you to include your family congratulations in this book with a picture of you and/or your family members or simply have your family names included, or perhaps you would like to have names of loved ones who have passed on included in the memorial pages. If so, please pick up a registration package from the Souvenir table in the front foyer or at the office during the week. The package includes details of the cost for each option and the process to submit your registration form. Samples of how the options will be displayed in the booklet are posted in the front and back foyers.

Cost for each option is as follows: Option 1 – Family picture - \$25.00 Option 2 – Family names only - \$10.00

Option 3 – Memorial of deceased loved ones - \$10.00

<u>Jubilee Souvenir Items</u> - Please look at the various Jubilee souvenir items available for sale in the front foyer after each Mass. Currently we have Thermal Water and Coffee/ Tea bottles as well as tote bags. More items will be available throughout the coming months.

Advertising — If you or someone you know is interested in placing an advertisement in our book, please pick up a letter and registration form from the souvenir table in the front foyer or at the office during the week.

The deadline to submit your registration form will be January 31, 2024.

## FEAST OF STO. NIÑO (HOLY CHILD) VIVA SEÑOR STO. NIÑO



A Special Bilingual English & Filipino Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, January 27, at 6:30 p.m. in honour of the Feast of the Santo Niño (Holy Child). Please bring Statues of Santo Niño from your home

to be blessed on this day to signify our devotion to the Holy Child. Please contact the Parish office if you wish to donate food to share a festive dinner with everyone after the Mass.

## FEAST OF EPIPHANY, JANUARY 6



A Festive Dinner and Dance in celebration of the Feast of Epiphany will be held on January 6 after the 5:00 p.m. Mass.

Dinner tickets at \$25 each are sold after all the Masses or at the Parish office during the week.

Parishioners are encouraged to come dressed in their national costumes to join in the procession at Mass.

Una cena festosa e un ballo per celebrare la festa dell'Epifania si terranno il 6 gennaio dopo le 17:00.

Messa. I biglietti per la cena a \$ 25 ciascuno vengono venduti dopo tutte le Messe o presso l'ufficio parrocchiale durante la settimana. I parrocchiani sono incoraggiati a venire vestiti con i costumi nazionali per unirsi alla processione durante la Messa.

## PRAISE & WORSHIP BY EPIPHANY'S ENGLISH CHARISMATIC GROUP



Praise & Worship Night resumes every Friday starting January 5 after the 7:00 p.m. Mass at the Chapel. Everyone is welcome. For information, contact Savio at 416-840-9034 or email at savio.r@hotmail.com.

## BIBLE STUDY GROUP (ONLINE)



No Bible Study Group on Christmas Day (December 25) and New Year's Day (January 1).

Resumes on Mondays starting

January 8, 7:00 p.m. For information to join, call Craig at 416-432-5072.

## MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE



The 2024 Marriage Preparation Course will be offered here in our Parish in March 2024. This is a mandatory course for all engaged

couples who will be getting married next year. For information to register, call:

Jose at 647-978-5948 or Florie at 416-557-1036

## May Christmas come into our hearts I home, I out into the world. Merry Christmas! Buon Natale! ~ Fr. Martin, Fr. Ronald, Deacon Val & Staff



#### **CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULES**

**Christmas Eve - December 24** 

5:00 p.m. English Family Mass 10:00 p.m. Midnight Mass

**Christmas Day - December 25** 

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9:00 a.m. **English Mass** 11:00 a.m. Italian Mass **English Mass** 1:00 p.m.

NO 7:00 p.m. Mass on December 24/25, 2023



## CHRISTMAS EVE FAMILY MASS: BLESSING OF BABY JESUS FIGURINES Sunday December 24th, 5:00 p.m.

At the end of the Christmas Eve Mass, there will be a Blessing of Baby Jesus statues to place in your Nativity scenes at home.

## NEW YEAR MASS SCHEDULES

New Year's Eve - December 31

5:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Mass 11:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration

12:00 a.m. Midnight Mass (Eng)

New Year's Day - January 1, 2024

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

9:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m. English Mass 11:00 a.m. Italian Mass

NO 7:00 p.m. Mass on December 31 2023 and January 1, 2024.

Special Candlelit Mass for the Deceased Friday, December 29, 7:00 p.m.



Write the names of your departed loved ones ones and bring them on the day of the Mass for special prayers and intentions.

Scrivi i nomi dei tuoi cari defunti sull'apposita busta e restituiscili il giorno della Messa per preghiere e intenzioni speciali.



## ADVISORY!

Tuesday, December 26 (Boxing Day), Church will be closed after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Office will be closed.

MONTHLY FOOD DRIVE, LAST DAY: DEC. 31 When Every Donation Makes A Difference



Our monthly food drive ends December 31. Many thanks to your donation of non-perishable food to

share with the less fortunate through our local food bank. Our next food drive resumes on January 15. Thank you for your generosity.

La nostra raccolta alimentare mensile termina il 31 dicembre. Molte grazie a voi che avete donato cibo non deperibile da condividere con i meno fortunati attraverso il nostro banco alimentare locale. La nostra prossima raccolta di cibo inizia il 15 gennaio. Grazie per la vostra generosità.

For Parish updates and announcements, please visit and subscribe to our website at epiphanyofourlordsc.archtoronto.org



Please take more time to be in communion with God by visiting www.masstimes.org for a list of Catholic Churches if you will be spending your days elsewhere, within Canada or in another country.

Per favore, prendete più tempo per essere con Dio visitando <u>www.masstimes.org</u> per un elenco delle Chiese cattoliche che offrono Santa Messa, in Canada o in un altro paese.

#### **DONATIONS AND TAX RECEIPTS 2023**



**IMPORTANT REMINDER!** Please be advised that the cut-off date to drop-off your donations for 2023 is Sunday, December 31<sup>st</sup>. Donations received <u>after</u>

this date, starting January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024, will not be included for tax receipting for 2023. Thank you for your cooperation.

PREMEMORIA IMPORTANTE! Si ricorda che la data limite per il ritiro delle donazioni per il 2023 è domenica 31 dicembre. Donazioni ricevute dopo il 1 gennaio 2024, non saranno incluse nella ricevuta fiscale per il 2023. Grazie per la collaborazione.

### CALLING EPIPHANY PARISHIONERS SINCE 1974 & 1975



In preparation for our Parish's 50th Jubilee celebration next year, we ask parishioners who remain with the Parish <u>since</u> 1974 & 1975 to kindly give us a call to include you in our list of honorees.

Thank you. In preparazione alla celebrazione del cinquantesimo giubileo della nostra parrocchia il prossimo anno, chiediamo ai parrocchiani che rimangono con la parrocchia dal 1974 e 1975 di chiamarci gentilmente per includervi nella nostra lista di premiati. Grazie.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of † ROSARIO PONTIERI

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul rest in peace. Amen.

#### 2024 OFFERING ENVELOPES



Your 2024 Donation Boxes are ready for pick-up at the front foyer and are arranged in

alphabetical order by your last name. Please make sure that you pick up the correct box number of envelopes with your name and address on the label of the box. Otherwise, please contact the Parish office for the necessary changes. Thank you for your continuous support to the needs of Le tue scatole per le donazioni 2024 our Parish. sono pronte per essere ritirate nell'atrio anteriore e sono disposte in ordine alfabetico in base al tuo cognome. Assicurati di ritirare il numero corretto di buste con il tuo nome e indirizzo sull'etichetta della scatola. In caso contrario si prega di contattare l'Ufficio Parrocchiale per le modifiche necessarie. Grazie per il vostro continuo sostegno alle necessità della nostra Parrocchia.

### MARRIAGE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10/11, 2024



In celebration of Marriage Sunday, February 10/11 back-to-back with our upcoming 50th Jubilee next year, we call on all couples who got married here at Epiphany from 1974

onwards to kindly give us a call to honour you with special blessings on these dates. Please provide us with you Date of Marriage for our reference. Thank you. Per celebrare il matrimonio domenicale, 10/11 febbraio, in concomitanza con il nostro prossimo cinquantesimo Giubileo del prossimo anno, invitiamo tutte le coppie che si sono sposate qui all'Epifania dal 1974 in poi a chiamarci gentilmente per onorarvi con benedizioni speciali il queste date. Ti preghiamo di fornirci la data del matrimonio come nostro riferimento. Grazie.