

# All Saints' Parish

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## PARISH CLERGY:

Rev. Fr. Andrzej Glaba – Pastor

Rev. Paul Bégin – In Residence

### Office Hours:

Mon - Fri 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Mon & Fri 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday: Closed

### PARISH STAFF:

Secretary: Carmenza Loaiza

Accountant: Lisa Maccarone

Youth Minister: Anna Betro

### Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 pm.

Sunday: 8:00 am. (Italian)

9:30 am. & 11:30 am.

### Daily Masses:

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 am.

First Friday & Last Friday of the Month: CANCELED  
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

### SACRAMENTS:

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please contact the Office.

**Baptism Infants:** Please call the Office 3 months in advance for an appointment, instructions and Preparation Class.

**Baptisms** (Children age 4 - 7 only)

**First Communion - Confirmation - Youth Ministry:**

Please Contact Anna Betro at 416-244-3066 Ext. 7 or  
Email [1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com](mailto:1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com)

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):**

or by appointment

Monday - Saturday: 7:30 to 8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Please call the office for an interview with the Priest one year before planning your wedding date and to register for the course which begins every January.

**Funerals:** Please contact the office. The Funeral Liturgy is on our website under Ministries-Liturgical-Funeral Liturgy.

### DEVOTIONS:

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Friday 3 - 6:30 p.m. (Check bulletin)

**Rosary Apostolate:** Sunday 7:30a.m (Italian) 9:00a.m (English)

Joe Gussoni - [jmgussoni@rogers.com](mailto:jmgussoni@rogers.com)

**Bible Study Group:** Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Lucy Furbacher - [lucyfurb@hotmail.com](mailto:lucyfurb@hotmail.com)

Teresa Meffe - [teresa.meffe@gmail.com](mailto:teresa.meffe@gmail.com)

**Queen of All Saints' Prayer Group:** Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Delores Miccio - [dolo.miccio@gmail.com](mailto:dolo.miccio@gmail.com)

**Italian Prayer Group:** Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Giuseppe Campese - 416-239-2848

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### SCHOOLS:

• All Saints': 1435 Royal York Rd 416-393-5290

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• St. Eugene: 30 Westroyal Road 416-393-5337

### MINISTRIES:

#### **Altar Servers:**

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#### **Marriage Preparation:**

Nick & Mariangela Mossa - [nick.mossa@sympatico.ca](mailto:nick.mossa@sympatico.ca)

#### **Parish Council:**

Verginia Aiello - [verginia.aiello@gmail.com](mailto:verginia.aiello@gmail.com)

#### **St. Vincent De Paul/ Ushers:**

Manny Poulou - 416-244-3066 ext 6

#### **Welcome Committee:**

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**Youth Ministry:** [1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com](mailto:1415allsaintsyouthministry@gmail.com)

**(R.C.I.A.) Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Children:**

For Adults or Children 7 years and up wishing to become Catholic.

Igino Piattella - [igino@sympatico.ca](mailto:igino@sympatico.ca)

## PARISH REGISTRATION

Please register with the parish before seeking any sacraments or any other services.  
Registration forms are available in the church foyer or in the parish office.

**NOTE: Parishioners looking for Envelopes are asked to come to the Parish Office**  
*Remember "All Saints' Parish" In Your Will*



2<sup>nd</sup>  
**Sunday of  
 Advent  
 December  
 6, 2020**

*They  
 acknowledged  
 their sins.  
 (Mark 1:5)*

John the Baptist is often called the “precursor” or the “forerunner” of Christ because he prepared the way for the coming of Jesus. But why was this preparation necessary in the first place? Mark gives us a clue when he calls John’s baptism “a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins” (1:4). John knew that sin kept people far from God, so he offered them the only remedy to help them receive Jesus when he came: repentance and forgiveness.

During Advent, we too are preparing for the coming of the Messiah, and part of that preparation also involves repentance. Like the people coming to the Jordan River, we know we have sinned and need forgiveness. And just as it did for them, repentance—even for minor sins—softens our hearts and opens us to Jesus and his grace.

How does this happen? Repentance requires us to take a spiritual inventory of what needs to change in our lives—of where we have fallen short of God’s commands. We don’t have to do this alone; if we ask him, the Holy Spirit will help us search our hearts and will gently reveal our sins to us. Then, when we see where we have strayed, the Spirit helps us see how deeply we need his grace. That causes us to go to Jesus more often and cling to him more tightly. When we experience God cleansing us of our sins, we can’t help but be filled with thanksgiving for his abundant love and for his unfailing, never-ending mercy.

So make it a point to try to get to Confession before Christmas. Let repentance become a daily practice as well so that you can keep your conscience clean of all those sins that can pile up and obscure your relationship with Christ. Repentance is powerful. God will use it not only to cleanse you but to soften your heart and draw you closer to himself.

*“Jesus, give me the grace to recognize my sin and repent.”*

(Excerpt from The **WORD** Among Us)

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**December 7<sup>th</sup> to December 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Mon., December 7<sup>th</sup>, St. Ambrose**

Domenica Letterio

Saverio Betto

Adolfo & Elisa Mazzanti

**Tues., December 8<sup>th</sup>, Immaculate Conception**

Erminia Carinci

Halina & Aleksander Skorski

Giuseppe Battaglia

**Wed., December 9<sup>th</sup>, St. Juan Diego**

Teresa & Domenico Greco

Cosimo Comella

John Jarosz

**Thur., December 10<sup>th</sup>, Our Lady of Loretto,**

**St. John Roberts**

Yolanda Sorgini

Roy Onyschuk

Michele Lavarone

**Fri., December 11<sup>th</sup>, St. Damasus I**

Franca & Marco Tonello

Anna Kazmierowski

Thanksgiving: Yeh Family

**Eucharistic Adoration 3-5pm**

**Sat., December 12<sup>th</sup>, Our Lady of Guadalupe**

Vincenzo Pileggi

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Denis Wooley & Family



**Annual Christmas Toy Drive:**

Due to the Covid pandemic this year, the annual toy drive and shoe box campaigns have been cancelled. In lieu of same, we encourage our parishioners, who can give during these difficult times, to focus on supporting the needy families within our community in conjunction with the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The Parish will welcome gift cards/food vouchers from the following stores: METRO, NO FRILLS, WALMART, SHOPPERS DRUG MART, CHAPTERS / INDIGO, DOLLARAMA, to help the 45 families that are in need in our community. As a Parish, our goal is to provide each family with food and gift vouchers this year. These will be delivered to the families the week of December 15<sup>th</sup>. Gift cards/ Food vouchers can be dropped off in the parish office or placed in the offertory baskets during Masses over the next few weeks. If you would like to sponsor a family or for more information please email Angela Vigna at [properties@angelavigna.ca](mailto:properties@angelavigna.ca) or call her at 416-303-3758. Thank you for your kindness and generosity!

## All Saints' Roman Catholic Church Updated as Changes Evolve

Thank you for your ongoing support during this period of great uncertainty. It has been wonderful to see so many of you at Mass since we were able to re-open in June. We are grateful to all the volunteers who have done an incredible job ensuring that our church was a safe place to gather; we are especially appreciative of their sacrifice and generosity!

As you are aware, the City of Toronto will move into "Lockdown Stage" as of Monday, Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>, to help stop the spread of the COVID-19 virus. The lockdown order is in place for at least 28 days and may be extended. We recognize that this will be an extremely challenging time for many parishioners. So many of the faithful rely on our churches to find solace, peace and support in their lives, especially during this period of pandemic. We will make every effort to continue our outreach to you and to use technology to connect virtually with our parishioners.

**What this means for All Saints' Church:** Please note that this is an update from a previous communication and reflects the most current information from the Archdiocese and Toronto Health.

**Masses – For Public celebrations, all weekday and Sunday Masses** are cancelled. Communion on Sunday, as was originally communicated, is not available at this time.

**Private Masses for Parishioners' Intentions:** Father Glaba will celebrate daily Mass for the booked intentions of parishioners and for those affected by Covid-19. There can be no parishioners in attendance.

**Confession:** Parishioners wishing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) can come every day from **Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 10:00 am** or call the Church office and book an appointment with the secretary. Also, we are going to have **evening Confessions on Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.**

**Private Prayer in the Church:** The foyer will be open for private prayer from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. **Masks are mandatory for the entire time you are in the Church.** A maximum of 10 people will be allowed at any given time.

**Weddings, Baptisms and Funerals - NO Masses:** Weddings, funerals and baptisms may be celebrated without Mass and only 10 persons present, including the priest. Please call the office for further details.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** This Friday we will have Eucharistic Adoration from **3 to 5 pm.**

Please remember only 10 people are allowed in the Church premises at any time given and **please make sure to disinfect the pew before leaving.**

**Livestream Mass on Sunday:** We will be livestreaming our **9:30 am** Sunday Mass. This can be accessed on our YouTube channel page at [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqCsT\\_qlZXI PMc8QzUpWH8Q](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqCsT_qlZXI PMc8QzUpWH8Q)

**Children of the Word for Children and Liturgy of the Word for the Family:** The Liturgy of the Word with the family will continue to be virtual and can be found at the following site:

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLocpP1kPHudKt6mGYtkCI99AirAmWscFa>

**Parish Communication:** We will continue to update you as the situation evolves:

- by email at [alsc1415@allsaintsrc.com](mailto:alsc1415@allsaintsrc.com)
- on our Church website [allsaintset.archtoronto.org](http://allsaintset.archtoronto.org)
- by robocall (message recorded by Fr. Glaba)
- by recorded messages on our phone number 416-244-3066 for Mass times Extension 4 and Office Hours Ext. 5.
- by messages posted on our front doors

If we do not have your email address, please forward it to us so that we may add you to our email distribution list.

**Other Resources:** There are also online resources from parishes across the Archdiocese including streamed Masses and services. Consult the list at [www.archtoronto.org/covid19](http://www.archtoronto.org/covid19) for more information on these.

**Parish Office:** For further explanation or questions, please contact our office at 416-244-3066 or email us at [alsc1415@allsaintsrc.com](mailto:alsc1415@allsaintsrc.com)

**Office hours:** We are open from Monday to Friday 9:00 am to 11 am or by appointment, Saturday and Sunday we are closed.



### The Joy of ADVENT

**Wednesday Dec 9 at 8 pm**

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Listen Live and Join parishioners Mariangela and Nick as they discuss the Joy of Advent even during these unique days of the pandemic.

A time to reflect and wait with hopeful expectancy for the coming of Jesus.



### ANNUAL CALENDAR

**2021**

The Calendars for 2021, have just arrived! Please pass by the Church to pick one up.

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## Advent Reflections



We may not be able to be together physically but let us wait for the coming of the Christ Child together by praying and reflecting on the readings during Advent. Join me for 3 Minute Reflections on the virtues of each candle and Gospel reflections for each day of Advent.

YouTube Channel: All Saints' - Youth, Catechesis, Prayers Anna B. Link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBQ1qPTNp0Br3RizMo6-pYA>

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All youth (Grades 1 to 12) and especially those preparing for the sacraments are encouraged to watch the Sunday Mass at

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqCsT\\_qLZXIPMc8QzUpWH8Q/playlists](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqCsT_qLZXIPMc8QzUpWH8Q/playlists).

A great way to understand the readings, do activities and learn about our faith.

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## YOUTH MINISTRY



We will offer Youth Events where all Youth in the Parish can participate. Watch for announcements.

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### 2021 Donation Envelopes

Some of our volunteers will be delivering many of the donation envelopes, please be patient because this might take a while to complete. If you do not receive yours within 2 - 3 weeks, please contact the office.

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John the Baptist is sent by God to prepare the way for His Son. In our present time God sends priests, religious and deacons to prepare the people to receive His Son. If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call **Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

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