



HOLY ANGELS CHURCH



TOGETHER IN PRAYER AND WORSHIP



Holy Angels Parish walks with you in your journey of faith. We are a community of believers, coming together to pray and give glory to God through liturgy and sacraments. Our Catholic community welcomes you. We pray that each parishioner will be blessed and strengthened by the power of Jesus Christ our Saviour and live a life of abundance in fellowship, joy and love. May God bless you always!

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MASS TIMES/ORARIO DELLE MESSE:

Saturday Vigil:
5:00 p.m. English

Sunday:
9:30 a.m. Italian
11:30 a.m. English

Weekday Masses:
8:00 a.m. English
(Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri)
NO Mass on Tuesdays

CONFESSIONS/ CONFESSIONI:

4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Saturdays or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS/ ORARIO DI UFFICIO:

Monday
By Appointment Only

Tuesday
Closed

Wednesday to Friday
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Saturday/Sunday
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SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

HERE AM I, LORD; I COME
TO DO YOUR WILL.

(PS 40: 8-9)

January 15, 2023 | Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 49:3, 5-6 | 1 Cor 1:1-3 | Jn 1:29-34

Written by
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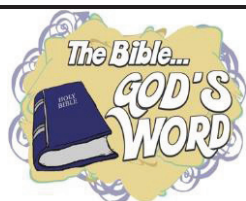
I'm not sure I've ever seen a dove close up. The dove is a powerful symbol for Jews and Christians alike, representing love and a deep sense of peace. The dove has special significance for Christians, as a sign of the Holy Spirit. In today's Gospel, John the Baptist testifies, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him ... He is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit." The Baptist further testifies that Jesus is the Son of God. The *catechism* (701) reminds us that John the Baptist not only paved the way for Jesus, but for all of us who followed: "The Spirit comes down and remains in the purified hearts of the baptized." Through our baptism, we can follow in the footsteps of John the Baptist by telling others about Jesus. The Holy Spirit will give us what we need in order to become messengers of love and peace to those we encounter.

PRAY Today's psalm reminds me of the popular hymn, "Here I am, Lord." While I love the melody, the psalmist offers a simple spoken version that we can pray to point ourselves in the direction of Jesus each day: "Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

During his 1988 campaign, President George H.W. Bush used the phrase "a thousand points of light" to describe volunteers "spread like stars throughout the nation, doing good." This phrase came to mind as I listened to the reading from Isaiah, in which the Lord vows to make Israel "a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth." John the Baptist baptizes with water to prepare the people for Jesus' coming. As we settle into the dark days of winter, today's readings challenge us to become points of light to others, leading them to Christ. How we do that will differ for each of us - praying for others, visiting an elderly relative, writing that letter we've been putting off. We may not be prophets like Isaiah and John the Baptist, but we have the gift of the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, to inspire us.



Il Domenica del Tempo Ordinario

Il Signore Gesù viene presentato con i tratti dell'agnello «che toglie il peccato del mondo». Per il credente,

come per la Chiesa, il vero volto di Cristo si svela a poco a poco, nel corso di un cammino di fede compiuto con costanza e decisione.



Thank you for supporting your church.

Collection for January 8th was \$2,832.00.

Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 8 gennaio era \$2,832.00.

Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of January 15th is offered in memory of Adelino Hilario requested by his wife Lourdes and family.



La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 15 gennaio è stata offerta in memoria di Adelino Hilario richiesta da sua moglie Lourdes e famiglia.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for January 8th was \$301.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 8 gennaio era \$301.00.

Tax Receipts for 2022: will be mailed directly to you by the end of February. Please note that any donations made after January 15th, 2023, will **NOT** be included in the 2022 year. You should all be using your new donation envelopes now. Any 2022 envelopes received after January 15th will be for the 2023 year.

JANUARY 15, 2023



Dr. Simone: We will be collecting sugar for the month of January.

Questo mese accogliamo lo zucchero per la missione del Dr. Simone.

St. Anthony Committee: The Feast of St. Anthony Committee invites all parishioners to the Annual Dinner/Dance on Saturday, February 4th at Le Tréport Banquet Hall. Tickets are \$100/person, \$40 for children under 12, all inclusive. They will be sold after each Mass at the back of the Church. To reserve tickets, please call Joe Falcone at 905-629-4080, committee members, or the church office.

Il comitato della festa di Sant'Antonio invita tutti i parrocchiani ed amici al ballo annuale, sabato 4 febbraio, presso Le Tréport. Per prenotare i biglietti, rivolgetevi al comitato, oppure chiamate Joe Falcone 905-629-4080. Il prezzo è \$100/persona, tutto incluso, \$40 per bambini sotto 12 anni.

Donation Envelopes 2023: are available at the back of the Church. *Please be sure to take the box that belongs to you.* If you wish to register for envelopes, please call the office and we will assign you a number.

Le buste dell'offertorio per 2023 sono pronte. Chiediamo di prenderne secondo il vostro numero e guardare se il numero corrisponde con il vostro nome.

Memorial Christmas Tree Ornaments: For those of you who have not picked up your ornament, they are in the office. Please come during business hours to pick it up.

Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church (73 Simcoe St. at King St. W. in Toronto) on Sunday January 22, 2023, at 4 p.m. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches.

Children's Liturgy Sunday School: Our Children's Liturgy Program has started up again during the 11:30 a.m. Mass after 2 years of hiatus due to Covid. In order to participate, you **must** be registered in the program. For more information, please email or call the office.

Spring Garage Sale/BBQ: Although we have not confirmed a date as of yet, if you are planning to purge and do some spring cleaning this year, consider bringing us your stuff to sell at our Garage Sale! More details to follow in the next coming bulletins.

Mass Intentions January 16th to January 22nd

Monday January 16th

8:00 am † Antonio Ronca by Maria Donata Maffei

Tuesday January 17th

St. Anthony, Abbot
8:00 am No Mass

Wednesday January 18th

8:00 am † Antonio Ronca by Leonardo and Domenica Di Franco
† Mary Biondich by Children
† Campese Family faithful departed by Raffaele Campese

Thursday January 19th

8:00 am † Antonio Ronca by Wife and Family

Friday January 20th

St. Fabian, St. Sebastian
8:00 am † Katerina & Wojech Szura by Mary Szura

Saturday January 21st

St. Agnes
5:00 pm † Adelino Hilario by Wife Lourdes and children

Sunday January 22nd

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 am † Graziella Dilorito by Melania Ciafaloni
11:30 am † Jose & Valdomira Cabral by Beloved daughter and grandchildren

Please welcome our newest little parishioners...



Contact the office for more information on the Baptismal Preparation process. We require 3 months advance notice.



Congratulations to our newly married couple...

One year in advance notice. A Marriage Course is required. No date may be set before meeting with the Pastor.



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