



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

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May 12, 2024 | Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11 | Eph 1:17-23 | Mk 16:15-20

Written by
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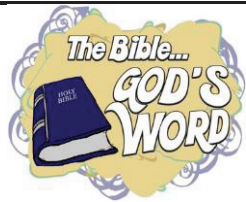
It's easy for me to get impatient with the Lord - to wonder why he makes me wait for an answer to a prayer or, worse, why his answer may be no. However, when I look back at the lessons of the Bible, it becomes clear that God works on his timetable, not mine. That same message comes through in today's first reading. The apostles ask Jesus whether he will be restoring the kingdom to Israel, and he is clear in his answer: "It is not for you to know the times or seasons that the Father has established by his own authority." And then, after saying this, he ascends to the Father. Forty days after his resurrection, Jesus has left his disciples again. But instead of leaving them to weep and mourn - as happened after his death - this time, our Lord left them with a mission. They were to "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature." They did, faithfully, and they traveled far and wide. Armed with the gift of the Holy Spirit which they received at Pentecost, they baptized countless people as they shared the Good News about Jesus and his gift of salvation.

PRAY We know the mission Jesus has given us and we know we have the Holy Spirit to help us carry it out. For prayer this week, meditate on Paul's words to the Ephesians and ask the Lord for "a Spirit of wisdom and revelation resulting in knowledge of him. May the eyes of [our] hearts be enlightened, that [we] may know what is the hope that belongs to his call."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

After Jesus gives the disciples the command to go out and preach the Gospel, he says that "whoever believes and is baptized will be saved." He offers salvation for those who believe in him. And he says that the disciples, and us, will be his witnesses in the world. Sacred tradition tells us that Andrew and Philip preached in Asia Minor while Bartholomew and Thomas spent time in India. Others are said to have gone to Palestine, Persia, and Ethiopia. All died a martyr's death - except John who had been entrusted with the care of our Blessed Mother. We are his witnesses today, and we are also commissioned to go into the world and proclaim the Gospel. Today, as we celebrate his ascension into heaven, let us allow ourselves a moment to gaze upward and behold Jesus' power and glory. Let the Ascension renew our commitment to do the work he has asked us to do, and remind us of his presence here with us in all that we do.



Ascensione del Signore

Con l'Ascensione si compie il tempo della missione storica di Gesù Cristo e si apre il tempo della Chiesa. Il Padre ha fiducia in noi e ci affida il compito di portare a tutti il messaggio di amore e di conversione del suo Figlio.

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Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of May 12th is offered in memory of Carmela and Stefano Policelli requested by their children and grandchildren.

La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 12 maggio è stata offerta in memoria di Carmela e Stefano Policelli richiesta da loro figli e nipoti.



Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for May 5th was \$2,503.00. Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 5 maggio era \$2,503.00.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for May 5th was \$352.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 5 maggio era \$352.00.





ShareLife and World Communications Day

Collection as of May 5th: \$29,747.00

Our goal is \$51,200.00

On this World Communications Day, your support of ShareLife is improving the lives of our brothers and sisters in the Deaf and hard of hearing community.

“If you ever wonder what impact you are making – you are sending Deaf kids to an accessible American Sign Language (ASL) camp in the summer; you are connecting Deaf kids with Deaf mentors; you are inspiring Deaf kids to achieve their dreams; you are teaching family members ASL so they can communicate with their Deaf children. When you give, it goes a long way.” – *Kelly Mackenzie, Silent Voice*



Devotion to Mary: Throughout the month of May, we will have a devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Please come join us in prayer through the intercession of our Blessed Mother.

Devozione alla Vergine Maria durante il mese di maggio sarà

celebrata ogni mercoledì alle ore 7:00 di sera. Preghiamo insieme a Maria Madre di Dio e nostra madre, chiedendo le sue intercessioni e le grazie di cui abbiamo bisogno.

Domenica 26 maggio Messa delle 9:30 in onore di San Filippo Neri Patrono di Roseto Valfortore. Caffè e rinfreschi in sala dopo la Messa.

St. Anthony Committee: The St. Anthony Feast Committee invites all parishioners, families and friends to the annual Cenacolo, dinner and dance, on June 1st in our parish hall. Tickets are \$60 and \$25 for children 12 and under. For tickets or further details, please contact John Menecola at 416-239-1213, or any committee members or the parish office. Also, the St. Anthony Lottery tickets have been mailed out. Please support our parish by purchasing the tickets and returning them by June 7th. If you require more to sell, you can call the office. Reminder that all **unsold tickets must be returned to the parish** for City of Toronto audit purposes.

Happy Mother's Day!

Mass Intentions May 13th to May 19th

Monday, May 13th

Our Lady of Fatima

8:00 am

Blessed Virgin Mary (Thanksgiving) by Mary Martino

Tuesday, May 14th

St. Matthias the Apostle

8:00 am

No Mass

Wednesday, May 15th

Easter Weekday

8:00 am

† Tommaso Niro by Famiglia Niro

† Tutti Defunti della Famiglia Pilotti by Clorinda Pilotti

† Jose Martins Alves by Wife and Daughter

7:00 pm - Marian Devotion

Thursday, May 16th

Easter Weekday

8:00 am

† Ken Romanowski by Jacek Sulimierski

7:00 pm - Memorial Mass

† John Giannini (40 days of passing) by Moglie e Figli

Friday, May 17th

Easter Weekday

8:00 am

† Costanza Martino by Amedeo Martino and Family

Saturday, May 18th

St. John I

5:00 pm

† Frank Szura by Wife Mary

Sunday, May 19th

Pentecost

9:30 am

† Rosa La Penna (one year of passing) by Children and families

11:30 am

† Jose Lebre by Wife and Daughter

2:00 pm - First Holy Communion 2024

Dr. Simone: We will be collecting salt for the month of May.



Questo mese accogliamo il sale per la missione del Dr. Simone.

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