



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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January 12, 2025

The Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 | Acts 10:34-38 | Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Written by
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GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

In many renditions of the Baptism of Jesus, artists connect the scene at the Jordan River with Jesus' death. A withered tree, for example, reminds us of the cross, or a mountain points to Mount Calvary. These connections show a real relationship between Jesus' baptism and his passion: his baptism marks the acceptance and beginning of his mission, which would ultimately lead to his crucifixion. For us, too, baptism is a decisive moment which destines us for – you guessed it – death! Not physical death (which will happen regardless), but a death to everything that is not of God. By making us part of God's family as his adopted children, our baptism summons us to “die” to our old life of sin and take on new life in Christ. This means turning away each day from sin so we can become increasingly fit to spend eternity with God. Like Jesus who rose both from the baptismal waters and from the tomb, we are meant, by our daily efforts to be faithful – to “rise” with him in the new life he won for us.

CELEBRATE

Find the date (or approximate date) of your baptism and the baptismal dates of your immediate family members. Make a list of the dates and spend time thanking God for his fatherly care for you. Then, when someone's baptismal anniversary comes around, make sure to celebrate!

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

After Jesus is baptized, two important events occur immediately: the Holy Spirit descends upon him while God the Father proclaims his delight in his Son: “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.” Here we see the profound meaning of our own baptism and its effects. In addition to cleansing us from the stain of original sin, baptism: 1) gives us the gift of the Holy Spirit; and 2) welcomes us into God's family as his adopted children. Armed with the Holy Spirit and the assurance of God's fatherly care, we are equipped to engage in the daily struggle of dying-and-rising in Christ. We can always call on the Holy Spirit for strength when we face temptations or difficult decisions. Likewise, when we are discouraged or we confront our own weaknesses, we can look to the Father for help. Recall the words which the Father spoke to Jesus, and which he says to us in our baptism (and he doesn't take them back!): *You are my beloved son. You are my beloved daughter. With you I am well pleased.*

Battesimo Del Signore



Mentre Gesù sosta in preghiera dopo il battesimo, il cielo si apre e discende sopra di lui lo Spirito Santo, in forma di colomba, e una voce dal cielo dice: “Tu sei il Figlio mio, l'amato: in te ho

posto il mio compiacimento”.



Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of January 12th is offered in memory of the Giovanni, Maria and Antonio Giannini requested by Maria Finelli.

La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 12 gennaio è stata offerta in memoria di Giovanni, Maria ed Antonio Giannini richiesta da Maria Finelli.



For where your Treasure is, there your heart will be also

Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for January 5th was \$2,161.00.

Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 5 gennaio era \$2,161.00.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for January 5th was \$472.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 5 gennaio era \$472.00.



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

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

There will be no MASSES celebrated during Retreat Days January 20-24. The regular Mass schedule will resume January 25th.

Preparing for the Ordinary Jubilee of the Year 2025: As



Jubilee 2025
PILGRIMS OF HOPE

in the past, we have invited a Jubilee church to host a regional celebration to focus our attention

on the Jubilee Year as a faith community. These celebrations will take place as follows (all at 7:00 p.m.) with receptions to follow Mass unless noted:

Western Region - Wednesday, January 29, 2025

St. Mary's Parish, Brampton

Northern Region – Tuesday, February 4, 2025

St. Padre Pio Parish, Kleinburg

Eastern Region – Wednesday, February 19, 2025

St. Barnabas Parish, Scarborough

Central Region – Tuesday, February 25, 2025

St. Edward the Confessor Parish, North York

St. Anthony Committee: The Feast of St. Anthony Committee invites all parishioners to the Annual Dinner/Dance on Saturday, January 25th at Le Tréport Banquet Hall. Tickets are \$100/person, all inclusive. To reserve tickets, please call Rosanne 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 25 gennaio, presso Le Tréport. Per prenotare i biglietti, rivolgetevi al comitato, oppure chiamate Rosanne Falcone 905-629-4080. Il prezzo è \$100/persona, tutto incluso.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Committee: Carissimi Amici, Parrocchiani, e devoti tutti! Con gioia, fiducia ed entusiasmo invitiamo tutti a questo cammino di ripresa per le prossime festività della Madonna del Carmine. Venite numerosi a questo Evento di rinascita domenica 2 marzo 1:00 p.m., presso Le Treport Banquet Hall. Per biglietti rivolgersi dal Comitato.

Mt. Carmel Committee is happy to announce this upcoming Event : All invited for a day of Celebration as we resume the Festivities with a Luncheon at Le Treport - Sunday March 2nd at 1:00 p.m. - tickets available from members - or call Maria Giannini at 905-270-7681.

Save the Date!



Pancake Breakfast will be on March 2nd after the 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Masses.



Fish & Chips will take place on Good Friday, April 18th following the 3:00 p.m. service.

Mass Intentions January 13th to January 19th

Monday, January 13th

St. Hilary of Poitiers

8:00 am

† David Vieira Genio by Daughter Amelia and family

Tuesday, January 14th

8:00 am

No Mass

Wednesday, January 15th

8:00 am

† Modesto Mendoza (2 years of passing) by Wife and Family

† Bill Riley by Bernadette Cheng

† Antonio Ronca by Leonardo & Domenica Di Franco

† Emma de Guzman by Bernadette Cheng

† Keith & Barry Ellson, Rolland & Mercy Haig by Peter Dawson

Thursday, January 16th

8:00 am

† Michael Mayer by Mom and family

Friday, January 17th

St. Anthony

8:00 am

† Carmine & Nicola Vecchiarelli and Assunta & Michele Martino by Mary Martino

Saturday, January 18th

5:00 pm

† Antonio Ronca by Wife and Family

Sunday, January 19th

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

† Stefano Finelli (15 years of passing) & Rosaria Finelli (1 year of passing) by Children and families

11:30 am

† Francesco Simone by Saverio Simone and Family



Please welcome our newest little parishioner... **Amelia Jackson Mudaliar**



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