

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 Tuesday Wednesday to Friday Saturday/Sunday By Appointment Only 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Closed Closed

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July 27, 2025 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 18:20-32 | Col 2:12-14 | Lk 11:1-13

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

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

"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." Sounds lovely, doesn't it? I remember understanding this verse as though God is like a genie in a bottle and prayer is like a delivery service. But when I encountered true hardship, this interpretation was tested. I was seeking, but I couldn't find what I wanted. My request seemed to go unanswered. I was asking, but my hands were empty. I couldn't reconcile this. Did this mean God wasn't telling me the truth? Trusting that couldn't be the case, I pressed in a little harder. In time, and through the grace of God, I realized I'd been reading this verse through selfish eyes. I was understanding this passage to say, "ask for whatever you feel like in the moment, and I'll drop it on your doorstep." But what does Jesus actually say? He says that if we ask, he will always give us the Holy Spirit. This understanding can change how we pray. The Lord doesn't promise to instantly cure our maladies, or to remove every ounce of pain on this side of the veil. But he does promise to send his Advocate, the Holy Spirit, to be with us through it all. And that is far better than any type of delivery service.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Today's psalm echoes the Gospel message that the Lord never abandons us. In our response, we unite our voices with the universal Church as we say, "Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me." We encounter hardship on a daily basis. From the tiny irritations that tempt our tempers to flare to the heavy crosses we carry, we are reminded of how much we need God's help. And yet, how often is our response to turn inward and grow weary, discouraged, or angry? Next time we come eye to eye with a challenge, let's try to respond like the psalmist, and cry out to the Advocate. He is very near. *Come Holy Spirit*.

REFLECT

We are reminded in today's readings that the Lord is always near, that he hears us, and that he responds generously. Thank God this is true even when it doesn't seem like it. As we face our daily hardships, let's not forget to ask Jesus for help. Don't forget that he never rations the Spirit, and though he will never force himself on you, he's waiting eagerly to pour his love into your heart. Ask! Seek! Knock! He knows your voice, and he is ready to respond.

XVII Domenica del Tempo Ordinario



"Signore, insegnaci a pregare", chiedono i discepoli e Gesu' insegna loro il Padre nostro. Dobbiamo imparare a pregare, cioe' a ricordarci di Dio nella nostra vita: nei

momenti di gioia come in quelli di dolore.



Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for July 20th was \$2,035.00.

Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 20 luglio era \$2,035.00.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for July 20th was \$115.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 20 luglio era \$115.00.



Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of July 27th is offered in memory of Antonio Policelli & Connie Falconi requested by Giuseppina Policelli.

La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 27 luglio viene offerta in memoria di Antonio Policelli e Connie Falconi richiesto da Giuseppina Policelli.



Dr. Simone: We will be collecting pasta for the month of July.

Questo mese accogliamo la pasta per la missione del Dr. Simone.



Thus far we have raised \$34,230.00 at the Church and \$16,229.60 directly to the ShareLife office toward our goal of \$48,000.00. We have surpassed our goal! If you haven't already done so, please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope,

online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel: Lottery Winners!

Danny P.	#541
Danny T.	#590
Joe Z.	#601
Sierra C.	#096
Danny P.	#506
Joseph L.	#176
Nelson B.	#394
Danny P.	#463
Larry D.	#360
Anna M.	#631
Danny P.	#426
Liz A.	#047

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services: Our Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on Wednesday August 13 at 7 p.m. Masses throughout the Greater Toronto Area and Barrie will take place for the souls of the deceased buried at our Catholic Cemeteries.

Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's Annual Mass are as follows:

Assumption Cemetery Most Rev. Ivan Camilleri Christ the King Cemetery Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen Holy Cross Cemetery Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau Mount Hope Cemetery Most Rev. Robert Kasun Queen of Heaven Cemetery His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, Archbishop

Resurrection Cemetery Rev. Monsignor Edgardo Pan **St. Mary's Cemetery** Most Rev. John Corriveau

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



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

Mass Intentions July 28th to August 3rd

Monday, July 28th

8:00 am

† Antonio and Maria Rego by Son Antonio Jose Rego and daughter Nelia Karsai and family

Tuesday, July 29th

Ss. Martha, Mary & Lazarus

8:00 am

No Mass

Wednesday, July 30th

St. Peter Chrysologus

8:00 am

† Matteo Schiavone by Famiglia Niro

† Mariano & Inez Arruda by Valdalino & Filomena Medeiros

† Maria Inez De Ascencao by Valdalino & Filomena Medeiros

† Walter & Maria Biondic by Children Joe and Anne

7:00 pm - Memorial Mass

† Sebastiana Andreana 30 days of passing by Family

Thursday, July 31st

St. Ignatius of Loyola

8:00 am

† Vito Marinaccio by Valerie Devine

Friday, August 1st

St. Alphonsus Maria de Liguori

8:00 am

† Ambrosio Reclusado and deceased family members by Reclusado Family

6:00 pm - First Friday Holy Hour

Saturday, August 2nd

St. Eusebius of Vercelli, St. Peter Julian Eymard, Mem. of Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 pm

† Margaret Raposo by Nick Sabatino & Family

Sunday, August 3rd

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

† Francesca Lombardi (30 years of passing) by Thomas Lombardi

11:30 am

† Antonio Igreja (5 years of passing) by Daughter Lucilia & grandchildren Matthew and Gabriela



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