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OFFICE HOURS: Mon. to Fri. 8:30am to 12:00pm, 2:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays - OFFICE IS CLOSED



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WEEKDAYS MASSES:

Weekdays: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (English)
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (English)
10:00 a.m. (Italian)
11:30 a.m. (English)
1:00 p.m. (English)
2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,
only 3rd Sunday of the Month)
4:00 p.m. (English)
6:00 p.m. (Misa en español)

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St. Catherine of Siena School	905-277-2448
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Fr. Daniel Zanon School	905-279-3722

"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35
"Out of many we are one in Christ."

BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:

Saturday - *Sabado*: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

MARRIAGES - BODAS:

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

RCIA- RICA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation)
Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental)
Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY- SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usted y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.

Cultivating Truth and Responsibility

Grapes hold deep significance in the Bible, particularly in the context of vineyards in ancient Israel. These vineyards weren't just sources of fruit and wine; they symbolized the relationship between God and His people. In the first reading, the prophet likens Israel to a vineyard tended by the Lord. This imagery carries a message of care and expectation.

The parable of the wicked tenants, recounted in today's Gospel, holds a mirror to the Jewish leaders, who recognize its pointed message directed at them. Across history, prophets have faced mistreatment, and now, these leaders are poised to apprehend Jesus, unmistakably depicted as the son in the narrative.

Paul's exhortation in the second reading offers solace to this community, reminding them to embrace the peace of Christ amid tribulations. In our contemporary world, where peace often seems elusive, Paul's counsel holds resonance. Engage in heartfelt prayers, both supplicative and appreciative, staying attuned to world events while striving for the tranquil embrace of God's kingdom. We can navigate challenges with an unwavering commitment to peace, offering our prayers amidst the turmoil of the present age.

The Gospel parable also serves as a poignant call for us to actively protect and support those who courageously speak the truth, despite the challenges they may encounter. Just as the landowner's servants faced adversity, contemporary truth-bearers also confront opposition, and it's our responsibility to ensure their safety and amplify their voices.

The parable also emphasizes the importance of caring for the vineyards in our lives. The vineyard is a metaphor for the blessings and responsibilities God entrusts us with. Just as the tenants were expected to cultivate and tend the vineyard, we're called to nurture and steward the gifts bestowed upon us. This concept underscores the significance of being accountable and diligent stewards of our relationships, talents, and resources. By actively caring for our "vineyards," we honor God's intentions for us and contribute to the flourishing of our lives and the lives of those around us.

Today's reflection is attributed to young-catholics.com



- Saturday, Oct. 7, 2023** **Our Lady of the Rosary**
 8:00am Special intentions for Mary Toan & Bernie Kyles
 1:00pm *Children's Rosary in Zanon Hall*
 6:00pm + Giovanni Leonardi
- Sunday, Oct. 8** **27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 8:30am + Rod Gaudette
 10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
 11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
 1:00pm + Ann Madore
 4:00pm Special intentions of Salvador Family
 6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES
- Monday, Oct. 9** **St. Denis & Companions & St. John Leonardi**
 8:00am + Caetano Antonio De Souza
 7:00pm Thanksgiving from Marinus
- Tuesday, Oct. 10**
 8:00am Thanksgiving from Maureen Leow
 7:00pm + Dionisio, Julieta & Joao Pacheco
- Wednesday, Oct. 11** **St. John XXIII**
 8:00am Thanksgiving for 15th Wedding Anniversary of Andrew & Patricia Nasato
 6:00pm *Novena in honor of Mother of Perpetual Help*
 7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
- Thursday, Oct. 12** **St. Faustina Kowalska**
 8:00am Thanksgiving from Herminia Casin
 7:00pm + Costanzo, Caterina, Manfredo & Nancy Panetta
- Friday, Oct. 13**
 8:00am + Gerald & Irene Hendricks
 7:00pm + Alex Trinidad Fernandes
- Saturday, Oct. 14** **St. Callistus I**
 8:00am + Anthony Almeida
 6:00pm + Frank Tolomei
- Sunday, Oct. 15** **28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 8:30am + Oswald & Marguerite Lobo
 10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
 11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
 1:00pm Thanksgiving for Sheila & Wilson Coelho
 2:30pm FILIPINO MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
 4:00pm + Mary, John & John Jr. Kaszycki
 6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

A través de la página de Internet de nuestra parroquia pueden participar virtualmente de nuestras celebraciones eucarísticas:

<https://stcatherineofsienami.archtoronto.org/> Debe presionar sobre el logo Mass - Live Stream

"FAMILIA MISIONERA". Reunión de formación y oración, todos los viernes a las 7:30pm en el salón parroquial "Zanon". Es una oportunidad para crecer, afianzar, dar a conocer y defender la Fe siguiendo las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica.

"GRUPO DE RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA". Igualmente todos los viernes a las 7:30pm en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini" tenemos asamblea de oración y alabanza. Bienvenidos a todos los que deseen participar en estos encuentros.

"SEMINARIO DE VIDA EN EL ESPÍRITU SANTO". El grupo de la Renovación Carismática Católica nos invita a participar en el "Seminario de Vida en el Espíritu Santo" el Viernes 13 (7:30 pm - 9:00 pm), Sábado 14 (9:00 am - 4:00 pm) y Domingo 15 de Octubre (9:00 am - 4:00 pm) en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini". El registro es gratis e incluye desayuno y almuerzo el sábado y el domingo. El objetivo principal de este Seminario es el de promover una conversión personal, madura y continua hacia Jesucristo como MI SEÑOR Y MI SALVADOR, guiados por el Espíritu Santo. Información y registro: teléfonos: 416-889-0806, 905-795-9074, 416-275-1258.

"ROSARIO Y EUCARISTIA". Todos los domingos a las 5:30pm. tenemos el rezo del Santo Rosario y en seguida a las 6:00pm la celebración eucarística en Español. Después de la misa, generalmente tenemos nuestro tradicional "Café de la amistad", en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini". Esta es una oportunidad para compartir y conocernos mejor como comunidad Hispana.

USED FURNITURE at no cost is available for any new Migrants. Please contact the office.

PARISH WEBSITE Visit us at <https://stcatherineofsienami.archtoronto.org>
Go to Live Stream to follow the Mass.

POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS

October - for the Synod

"We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world."

RCIA – Rite of Catholic Initiation of Adults.

The program started Monday, October 2nd at 7:00pm in the Main Hall. This is for ADULTS who are contemplating joining the Catholic Church. Please contact the parish office.

BIBLE STUDY Tuesday, October 10th at 7:30pm in Zanon Hall or on Zoom, ID 836 4620 6928 Password 388125. Matthew 27 will be on "The Passion of the King". All are welcome to join.

ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP every Wednesday from 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm in Zanon Hall.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE From September 27th to November 5th, you're invited to join in a peaceful daily prayer vigil on the south side of The Queensway and Confederation Pkwy.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY is collecting non-perishable food for their Thanksgiving food drive at the entrances of the church. Please check the expiry date of any food being donated.

ATRIUM for children ages 3-15. An alternative to the parish preparation program for First Communion and Confirmation.. Registration and first meeting is Wed., Oct. 11th in Scalabrini Hall 4:30 to 6:30pm.

YOUTH MINISTRY

1 - **CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST** for Grade 2 to 5 every other Friday starting October 13th in Scalabrini Hall from 5:00-7:40pm.

2 - **EDGE** for grades 6-7-8 every other Friday starting October 13th in the Main Hall from 5:00-7:40pm.

3 - **LIFE TEEN** for grades 9-12 every other Saturday starting October 21st from 6:00pm to 9:30pm in the Main Hall

PARISH HEADCOUNT The Archdiocese will conduct a headcount survey in all parishes on the weekends of October 14/15 and October 21/22.

CATECHISM PROGRAM Deadline for registrations for First Communion and Confirmation. is October 15th. Register on line on the links below. Classes will start soon.

<https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/first-holy-communion>

<https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/confirmation>

THE HOPE MOVIE coming to our Parish on Saturday, October 21st from 7:00-9:00pm in the Main Hall. Pre-sold tickets are available at the office for \$10.00 to support Evangelization in India.



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