



# St Augustine of Canterbury Church

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#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday	5:00 pm	English
Sunday	9:30 am	Italian
	11:00 am	English
	12:30 pm	Spanish
	7:00 pm	English

#### Weekday Masses:

Monday - Saturday:		
	8:00 am	Italian

#### Evenings: 7:30 pm

Tuesday	Italian
Wednesday	English
Thursday	Spanish
Friday	English
First Friday Eucharistic Adoration	
Friday 8:30pm to Saturday 7:00am	
First Saturday	
Holy Mass 12:00pm	Spanish
(Marion Devotion)	

#### Sacrament of Penance

(Confessions) - At all times when Priest available. Please call Parish Office prior to coming to ensure that the Priest is available.

#### Office Hours

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday  
10:00 am to 1:00 pm  
2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

#### MATRIMONY

Engaged couples should contact the parish office 1 year in advance of the anticipated wedding date to consult with the Pastor.

#### BAPTISM

Parents should contact the parish office at least 2 months prior to the Baptism. Baptisms are every last Saturday of the month, except in December.

#### RCIA (Adult Catechism classes)

The beginning of October - Contact Parish Office for information

#### CATECHISM CLASSES (from October - May)

1st Communion: Thursdays 3:30 pm to 5:15 pm. Contact Sister Angelus

Confirmation: Tuesdays 3:30 pm to 5:15 pm. Contact Sister Angelus

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you have a family member or know someone who is seriously ill or in danger of death please contact the Parish Office to request the Sacrament of the Sick.

#### JOHN PAUL THE GREAT FAMILY CENTRE HALL RENTAL

If you are interested in renting our hall for your family's festivities, please contact the parish during office hours- Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm and 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm for more information.

## December 11, 2022

### Third Sunday of Advent

#### Today's Gospel : Matthew 11.2-11

*Are you the one who is to come,  
Or are we to wait for another?*

# MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday – December 10th**  
**5:00 pm:** Pro-populo –For all parishioners of St. Augustine Parish  
**Sunday – December 11th**  
**9:30 am:**  
**11:00 am:**  
**12:30 pm:**  
**7:00 pm:**  
**Monday – December 12th**  
**8:00 am:** +Vittorio Fellin  
**Tuesday – December 13th**  
**8:00 am:** In onore di Santa Lucia e tutti i Santi  
**7:30 pm:** +Teresa Schirripa (1 month)

**Wednesday – December 14th**  
**8:00 am:** +Marianna Frasca  
**7:30 pm:** +Rose Anna Capra  
**Thursday – December 15th**  
**8:00 am:** +Nicola, Anna & Bruno Riga e tutti defunti di famiglia Riga  
**7:30 pm:** In thanksgiving for Gods mercy and for the life of Cristina, Christian and Barbara and for their well being  
**Friday – December 16th**  
**8:00 am:** +Maria Teresa Cugliari, +Giuseppe Sinopoli, +Raffaella Sinopoli, +Raffaella Barbieri  
**7:30 pm:**

**Saturday – December 17th**  
**8:00 am:** +Joseph De Vita  
**5:00 pm:** Pro-populo –For all parishioners of St. Augustine Parish  
**Sunday – December 18th**  
**9:30 am:**  
**11:00 am:** For an unborn child named Miguel Angel, +Antonino & Onofrio Loduca, +Onofrio D’Amico e tutti defunti di famiglia  
**12:30 pm:**  
**7:00 pm:**

## CHRISTMAS OFFICE HOURS:

**HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND PEACEFUL NEW YEAR!**

Monday, December 26th, Tuesday, December 27th & Monday, January 2nd:  
 Office Closed

**SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2023:** The 2023 envelopes are ready to be picked up at the Parish office during office hours. Note, this year the Church has envelopes numbered 1-350, therefore if there are any parishioners that have envelopes numbered 351-400 and would like to continue to use envelopes, please contact the Church office. An alternative option is pre-authorized giving (PAG) which comes out of your bank account once a month, whichever denomination/offering you choose, can be canceled at anytime and saves you the hassle from remembering envelopes every week. Due to privacy laws, you must come to the office to pick up your envelope. In order for you pick up someone else's envelope we need to have their permission. Please ensure that **you pick up yours only** and **PLEASE DESTROY ALL PREVIOUS YEARS IE: 2021/2022 AND DO NOT USE THEM.**

**Last Sunday Offertory Collection: \$ 3461.45**  
**Parish Debt (Bank Loan) - to date: \$ 514,040.26**  
**Interest Paid to date re Bank Loan: \$ 84,324.22**

# I T A L I A N

## CALENDARIO DELL'AVVENTO E NATALE

♦ **BUSTE PER LE DONAZIONI DOMENICALE PER 2023:** Le buste per il 2023 sono pronte per essere ritirate all'ufficio durante le ore lavorative. Per ragioni riguardanti la legge sulla Privacy siete pregati di ritirare le buste in persona. Se volete ritirare le buste di altre persone c'è bisogno del loro permesso. Per favore ritirate soltanto le vostre buste e cestinate le buste vecchie (2021/2022).

♦ **GIORNI DI CONFESSIONE DURANTE IL PERIODO D'AVVENTO:** Dal 11 fino al 17 di Dicembre, ogni parrocchia nell'Arcidiocesi di Toronto terra un giorno di confessione. Durante questa settimana riflettiamo sulla nostra relazione con Dio e cerchiamo di vedere i modi con cui Dio ci chiama a crescere spiritualmente. Nella nostra parrocchia le confessioni si terranno il:  
**Giovedì 15 dicembre dalle 9:30am- 11:30am in italiano**  
**5:00pm alle 9:00pm in inglese**

♦ **ANNO NUOVO CELEBRAZIONE:** La Parrocchia organizza un potluck sabato 31 dicembre dopo le 7:00pm Santa Messa. Siete tutti invitati a partecipare, portate qualcosa da condividere. La stessa sera avremo una raccolta fondi per il Bingo, se desideri donare qualcosa per il Bingo, comunica con l'ufficio.

♦ **VIGILIA DI NATALE – SABATO, 24 DICEMBRE**  
 • 10:30 pm - Messa in 3 Lingue **No Messe Delle 8:00am & 5:00 PM**

♦ **NATIVITA DEL SIGNORE GIORNO DI NATALE DOMENICA, 25 DICEMBRE**  
 • 9:30 am - Messa in lingua Italiana  
 • 11:00 am - Messa in lingua Inglese  
 • 12:30 pm - Messa in lingua Spagnola  
**No Messe Delle 7:00 PM**

♦ **VIGILIA DI CAPODANNO - SABATO, 31 DICEMBRE**  
 • 6:00 pm - Adorazione  
 • 7:00 pm - Messa in tre lingue **No Messe Delle 8:00am & 5:00 PM**

♦ **SOLENNITA DI MARIA, LA SANTA MADRE DI DIO- GIORNO DI CAPODANNO- DOMENICA, 1 GENNAIO, 2023**  
 • 9:30 am- Messa in lingua Italiana  
 • 11:00 am- Messa in lingua Inglese  
 • 12:30 pm- Messa in lingua Spagnola  
**No Messe Delle 7:00 PM**  
**Le messe Lunedì 26 Dicembre 2022 e Lunedì 2 Gennaio 2023 delle 8:00am che sarà cancellata.**

# E N G L I S H

## CHRISTMAS 2022 & NEW YEAR 2023 SCHEDULE

♦ **CHRISTMAS CONCERT:** To prepare ourselves for the coming of Our Lord on Christmas Day, our Parish is organizing a 'Christmas Concert' We are inviting representatives from different nationalities/cultures to present a Christmas' song/ dance originally from their home country. It will be on the 11<sup>th</sup> of December from 4:00 to 5:00 PM. Those interested in participating please contact Sister Angelus, SSVM or Michelle (Organist- Children's choir director).

♦ **ADVENT DAYS OF CONFESSION-** On December 11th to 17th, each parish in the Archdiocese of Toronto will be holding a Day of Confessions. This week, let us make the journey into the heart of our relationship with God. Take a long, loving look at the ways God calls us to grow. Take this challenge and hold it in readiness for the rich blessing that is manifest in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In our parish, the schedule for confessions is as follows: Thursday, December 15th from 9:30am - 11:30am in Italian and 5:00pm-9:00pm in both English and Spanish.

♦ **NEW YEAR'S CELEBRATION:** The Parish is organizing a potluck on Saturday December 31st after 7:00pm Holy Mass for New Year. Everyone is invited to join, please bring something to share. On the same night we are going to have a Bingo fundraiser, if you would like to donate something for the Bingo, please communicate with the office.

♦ **CHRISTMAS EVE—SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24TH**  
 • 10:30 pm - Trilingual Mass  
**No 8:00am & 5:00pm Mass**

♦ **NATIVITY OF THE LORD -CHRISTMAS DAY -SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25TH**  
 • 9:30 am - Italian Mass  
 • 11:00 am - English Mass  
 • 12:30 pm —Spanish Mass  
**No 7:00pm Mass**

♦ **NEW YEAR'S EVE—SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31ST**  
 • 6:00 pm—Adoration  
 • 7:00 pm—Trilingual Mass  
 • 8:00 pm—Potluck Dinner  
**No 8:00am & 5:00pm Mass**

♦ **SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD—NEW YEAR'S DAY— SUNDAY, JANUARY 1ST, 2023**  
 • 9:30 am - Italian Mass  
 • 11:00 am - English Mass  
 • 12:30 pm—Spanish  
**No 7:00pm Mass**

♦ **MASS CANCELLATION:** Please note on Monday December 26th and Monday January 2, 2023, there will be no 8:00am Mass.

# E S P A Ñ O L

## NAVIDAD Y AÑO NUEVO: MISAS Y EVENTOS

♦ **SOBRES DE OFERTORIO 2023:** Sobres para las ofrendas dominicales para el 2023: los sobres ya estan listos para ser retirados en la oficina parroquial durante los horarios de oficina. Una pequena aclaracion: este año la Iglesia tiene los sobres numerados del 1 al 350; por lo tanto, si hay algun parroquiano que tenga caja de sobres numerados del 351 al 400, y desearia continuar usando los sobres, por favor, ponganse en contacto con la oficina parroquial. Una opcion alternativa a los sobres es el PAG (por sus siglas en Ingles) que es donar a la iglesia desde su cuenta de banco una vez al mes, que puede ser cancelada en cualquier momento y le ahorra a uno el tener que acordarse de los sobres cada Domingo. Debido a las leyes de privacidad, tiene que retirar sus sobres personalmente en la oficina; y para que usted pueda retirar los sobres de otra persona, necesitamos tener su permiso. Por favor, asegurese de que solo recoje sus sobres y por favor destruya todos los sobres de años pasados (por ejemplo 2021- 2022) y no los use. Gracias.

♦ **DIA DE CONFESSION DURANTE EL ADVIENTO:** Del 11 al 17 de Diciembre cada Parroquia de la Arquidiocesis de Toronto tendra su dia de confesion. Durante esta semana hagamos el viaje al corazon de nuestra relacion con Dios. Heche una larga y amorosa mirada a los caminos por los que Dios nos llama a crecer. Acepte el desafio y tengalo listo para las muchas bendiciones que se manifiestan en el Sacramento de la Reconciliacion. En nuestra Parroquia, la fecha para las confesiones sera el:  
**Jueves 15 de Diciembre, de 5:00 a 9:00 de la noche.**

♦ **CELEBRACION DE ANIO NUEVO:** La Parroquia esta organizando una cena a la canasta para despues de la Santa Misa de Anio Nuevo. Estan todos invitados; por favor, traigan algo para compartir a la cena. Esa misma noche haremos un Bingo para juntar fondos para la

Parroquia; si quiere donar algo para el Bingo, por favor avisar a la Oficina Parroquial.

♦ **SÁBADO 24 DE DICIEMBRE, VÍSPERAS DE NAVIDAD**  
 • 10:30 pm - Misa trilingue  
**No habrá Misa de 8am & 5pm**

♦ **DOMINGO 25 DE DICIEMBRE, LA NATIVIDAD DEL SEÑOR**  
 • 9:30 am - Misa en italiano  
 • 11:00 am - Misa en inglés  
 • 12:30 pm - Misa en español  
**No habrá Misa de 7pm**

♦ **SÁBADO , 31 DE DICIEMBRE FIN DE AÑO**  
 • 6:00 pm—Adoración Eucarística  
 • 7:00 pm—Misa Trilingüe  
**No habrá Misa de 8am & 5pm**

♦ **DOMINGO 1 DE ENERO, 2023, SOLEMNIDAD DE SANTA MARIA MADRE DE DIOS, AÑO NUEVO**  
 • 9:30 am - Misa en italiano  
 • 11:00 am - Misa en inglés  
 • 12:30 pm - Misa en español  
**No habrá Misa de 7pm.**



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