



# St. Matthew's Parish

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## OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday  
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
& 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.



Served by SVD  
Divine Word Missionaries  
Fr. André Grecki  
Fr. Manuel Antão

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday:

5:00 p.m. English  
7:00 p.m. Portuguese

Sunday:

8:00 a.m. Portuguese  
9:30 a.m. English & Italian  
11:00 a.m. English  
1:00 p.m. Portuguese

## MISSAS DOMINICAIS

Sábado às 7:00 p.m.  
Domingo às 8:00 a.m. e 1:00 p.m.

## MESSA DOMENICALE

Domenica 9:30 a.m.

## DAILY MASSES

Tuesday to Friday  
7:00 p.m. Portuguese

## MISSAS FERIAIS

De 3ªfeira a 6ª feira às  
7:00 p.m.

## CONFESSIONS

Friday  
6:15 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.

## CONFISSÕES

Sexta-feira  
6:15 p.m. às 6:45 p.m.

## CONFESSIONI

Venerdì  
6:15 p.m. alle 6:45 p.m.

## FIRST FRIDAY

Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
from 8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

## 1ª SEXTA-FEIRA DO MÊS

Adoração do  
Santíssimo Sacramento  
das 8:30 a.m. às 7:00 p.m.

## PRIMO VENERDÌ DEL MESE

Adorazione del  
Santissimo Sacramento  
dalle 8:30 a.m. alle 7:00 p.m.

## BAPTISMS

The Baptisms are held on the 2nd Sunday of  
each month after the 1:00 p.m. Mass.

Pre-baptism instructions are given to the  
parents and godparents on the last Thursday  
of the month at 7:30 p.m.

## BAPTISMOS

Os Batismos têm lugar no 1º Domingo de  
cada mês após a Missa das 13h00.

É mandatório que os pais e padrinhos  
participem no encontro de preparação que  
tem lugar na última 5ªfeira do mês às 19h30.

## WEDDINGS

Couples planning to be married must  
contact a priest one year in advance.

They must also receive personal  
preparation for entering marriage.

If either party has previously gone  
through any form of civil or religious  
marriage with another person, the priest  
is not permitted to set a date for the  
wedding until the Bishop's office has  
been consulted.

## CASAMENTOS

Devem ser marcados com um ano  
de antecedência.

## SACRAMENT TO THE SICK AND ELDERLY

Please notify the parish if you  
are in need of a visit.

## SACRAMENTOS AOS DOENTES E IDOSOS

Sempre que possível,  
logo que nos informem.

## SACRAMENTI AGLI ANZIANI E AMMALATI

Avvertite quanto prima  
la parrocchia.

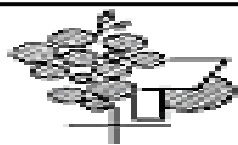
## Our Organizations:

Catechism \* Catholic Women's League \* Legion of Mary \* Nossa Senhora de Fátima \* Nossa Senhora da Luz \* Irmandade do Espírito Santo

## Catholic Schools:

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## THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD — YEAR C



### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday, January 8, 2022

5:00 p.m. Community Mass.  
7:00 p.m. Missa Comunitária.

#### Sunday, January 9, 2022

8:00 a.m. Almas do purgatório by M<sup>a</sup> Caetano.  
9:30 a.m. Messa Comunitaria.  
11:00 a.m. José Drumonde Carvalho by family.  
1:00 p.m. David Rego by família.

#### Tuesday, January 11, 2022

7:00 p.m. Almas do purgatório by Fátima Medeiros.

#### Wednesday, January 12, 2022

7:00 p.m. Missa Comunitária.

#### Thursday, January 13, 2022

7:00 p.m. Edmundo Couto by família.

#### Friday, January 14, 2022

7:00 p.m. João Tavres, Inês de Jesus Carvalho de Melo e Fernanda Tavares.

#### Saturday, January 15, 2022

5:00 p.m. Community Mass.  
7:00 p.m. Missa Comunitária.

#### Sunday, January 16, 2022

8:00 a.m. António Campinho de Lemos, João Gomes Miranda e Maria da Silva Miranda by família.  
9:30 a.m. Messa Comunitaria.  
11:00 a.m. Luigi Menis by family.  
1:00 p.m. Manuel e Horácio Alves e Maria Batista by família.

**LIVESTREAM MASS—YOUTUBE.COM/ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH—EVERY SUNDAY AT 8:00 a.m. in Portuguese and 11:00 a.m. in English**

#### GOSPEL

[Luke 3:15-16, 21-22](#)

Jesus came to the Jordan River to be baptized by John. At first John objected and said that it was he, John, who should be baptized by Jesus. Jesus indicated a future baptism when he responded to John saying that it was fitting for John to baptize Jesus. John acquiesced and at the conclusion of the baptism, the Spirit came down from heaven in the form of a dove and clearly announced Jesus as his son. God was pleased with His son.



#### THE DIVINE WORD MISSIONARIES CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF:

- **Saint Arnold Janssen:** January 15th, founder of the Divine Word Missionaries, the “Servants of the Holy Spirit,” SSpS and the “Servants of the Holy Spirit of Perpetual Adoration”, SSpSAP. There are more than 6000 Missionaries of the Divine Word (SVD), priests and brothers working throughout the world. In Canada, the SVD's work in Granby, in Sherbrook and in Montreal in the province of Quebec and in Toronto and Mississauga in the province of Ontario.
- **Saint Joseph Freinademetz:** January 29th, one of the first missionaries of the SVD to work in China.

*“We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him.” (Mt.2:2)*

#### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 18-25, 2022

The Annual Week of Prayer Service for the Greater Toronto Area will be held at

#### Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church

920 Progress Avenue, Scarborough, ON  
on Sunday, January 23, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.

#### CATECHISM NEWS

At the present moment our in-person masses for our catechism children will be moved to online and it will be changed when the children return physically to school. Starting this weekend, your children's mass is on SUNDAY AT 11:00 A.M. on the parish YouTube channel. Please connect with the parish through the [www.Youtube.com/ St. Matthew's Parish](http://www.Youtube.com/St.Matthew's.Parish). Leave your child's name or group number on the comment box. Those that wish to attend mass in person are free to do so. At this moment we will not take attendance. Be safe.

January 9, 2022

**MESSA TRASMESSA IN DIRETTO**  
**YOUTUBE.COM/ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH**

Le nostre messe domenicali sono solo livestreamed alle **8:00 di mattina Portoghese e 11:00 mattina Inglese.**

**MISSIONARI DEL VERBO DIVINO CELEBRA LA FESTA DI:**

- **15 gennaio: Sant'Arnoldo Janssen**, fondatore del Missionari del Verbo Divino, delle Serve dello Spirito Santo e delle Serve dello Spirito Santo dell'Adorazione Perpetua. Ci sono più di 6000 Missionari della Società del Verbo Divino (SVD), padri e fratelli che lavorano in 79 paesi nel mondo intero. Nel Canada, lavorano nel Granby, Sherbrooke ed a Montreal nella provincia del Quebec ed a Toronto e Mississauga nella provincia di Ontario.
- **29 gennaio: Santo Giuseppe Freinademetz** è stato uno dei primi SVD missionari ha lavorare in Cina.

**PARISH ENVELOPE SYSTEM**

**What are the benefits of using the parish envelope system?**

- **Participation:** by using the envelope when you come to Mass it is direct sign of your active participation at St. Matthew's Parish.
- **Tracking your donations for Tax Purposes:** all of you give so generously, with your time, your talent, and your treasure. We want to ensure any donation given to our parish is registered properly.
- **Gauging Mass Participation:** every weekend we are blessed with a large number of faithful.

**Change of Information:** From phone numbers to name and addresses changes, sometimes the church is the last institution to know of these changes. The envelope is a great way to pass on these changes. By **using the parish envelope system** you will be helping the parish and the parish will be helping you as well. If you do not know your envelope number, or wish to start using the envelopes, please contact the parish office 416-653-7191 or email us at [stmatthewspar@gmail.com](mailto:stmatthewspar@gmail.com).

**KEEP THE CHURCH CLEAN**

Once again it is the time of year that we ask for your cooperation in keeping the church clean.

- Shake off well your boots/shoes before entering the church.
  - Wipe your feet well on the entrance floormat.
- Thank you for your cooperation.

**BAPTISM:**

**Maya Gonzalez Cavalete**

**MISSA EM DIRETO**

**YOUTUBE.COM/ ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH**

As nossas missas dominicais são transmitidas em direto no canal do YouTube às 8:00 de manhã em Português e às 11:00 de manhã em Inglês.

**EVANGELHO**

No Evangelho, aparece-nos a concretização da promessa profética veiculada pela primeira leitura: Jesus é o Filho/"Servo" enviado pelo Pai, sobre quem repousa o Espírito, e cuja missão é realizar a libertação dos homens. Obedecendo ao Pai, Ele tornou-se pessoa, identificou-se com as fragilidades dos homens, caminhou ao lado deles, a fim de os promover e de os levar à reconciliação com Deus, à vida em plenitude.

**MISSIONÁRIOS DO VERBO DIVINO CELEBRAM A FESTA DE:**

- **15 de Janeiro: Santo Arnoldo Janssen**, fundador dos Missionários do Verbo Divino, das Missionárias Servas do Espírito Santo e das Servas do Espírito Santo da Adoração Perpétua. Actualmente há mais de seis mil missionários da Sociedade do Verbo Divino (SVD), padres e irmãos que trabalham em 79 países em todo o mundo. No Canadá trabalham em Grandy, em Sherbrooke e em Montreal na província do Quebec e em Toronto e Mississauga na província do Ontario.
- **29 de Janeiro: Santo José Freinademetz**, foi um dos primeiros missionários do Verbo Divino a trabalhar na China.

**OUTRAS DEVOÇÕES**

- **Primeiro Sábado do mês, 8 de Janeiro de 2022:** Terço e devoção ao Imaculado Coração de Maria após a Missa Comunitária.
- **Terço da Divina Misericórdia:** todos os domingos às 12h40
- **Rosário pela Paz**, domingo, 9 de Janeiro de 2022 às 16h.

**CATEQUESE**

Neste momento, as missas presenciais para as nossas crianças da catequese, estão mudadas para a missa **ONLINE** e serão alteradas quando as crianças regressarem fisicamente para escola. A partir deste fim-de-semana, a missa dos vossos filhos será no **DOMINGO às 11:00 da manhã no canal do YouTube da paróquia**. Por favor, conete-se com a paróquia através do YouTube: [www.Youtube.com/Paróquia de São Mateus](http://www.Youtube.com/Paróquia de São Mateus). Deixe o nome ou o número do grupo dos vossos filhos na caixa de comentários. Os que quiserem participar em pessoa poderão fazê-lo no horário regular das missas e durante este período não marcaremos presença. Obrigado.

**“Senhor, faça-se a tua vontade! A batalha da vida consiste em que sacrifiquemos muito do que tínhamos sonhado e desejado.” St.º Arnoldo**





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