

Summer Schedule

During the summer months our Mass schedule remains the same.

Baptism Sponsors

Before inviting the sponsors for your child's baptism, it is important to know if they are practicing catholics and did receive the sacrament of confirmation.

1
 Holy Spirit, Lord divine,
 Come, from heights of heav'n and shine,
 Come with blessed radiance bright.

2
 Come, O Father of the poor,
 Come, whose treasured gifts ensure,
 Come, our heart's unfailing light!

3
 Of consolers, wisest, best,
 And our soul's most welcome guest,
 Sweet refreshment, sweet repose.

4
 In our labour rest most sweet,
 Pleasant coolness in the heat,
 Consolation in our woes.

5
 Light most blessed, shine with grace
 In our heart's most secret place,
 Fill your faithful through and through.

6
 Left without your presence here,
 Life itself would disappear,
 Nothing thrives apart from you!

7
 Cleanse our soiled hearts of sin,
 Arid souls refresh within,
 Wounded lives to health restore.

8
 Bend the stubborn heart and will,
 Melt the frozen, warm the chill,
 Guide the wayward home once more!

9
 On the faithful who are true
 And profess their faith in you,
 In your sev'nfold gift descend!

10
 Give us virtue's sure reward,
 Give us your salvation, Lord,
 Give us joys that never end!

St. Mary's Church

Rev. Msgr. Fernando Couto (Pastor)
Rev. Fr. Andre de Lima (Associate Pastor)

Parish Council

Parish Finance Council

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
First Friday of Every Month at 5:00 p.m.

English Choir
Susan Taylor 416-277-6291

Portuguese Choir
Ana da Silva 905-891-5444

Santo Cristo
Artur Rocha 647-624-7113

Santo Cristo Band (Hall) 416-703-2231
Paul Valerio (President) 647-998-5916

Santo Cristo Association
Please contact the parish 416-703-2326

Espirito Santo
Jose & Margarida Silva 905-873-1908

Saint Vincent De Paul 416-247-8868

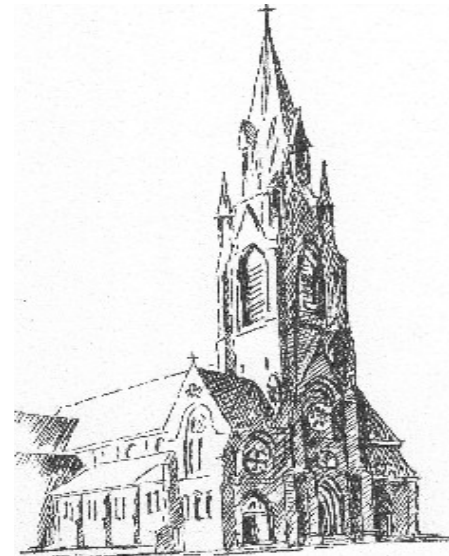
Volunteer Co-ordinator
Delia Medeiros (contact the parish)

Baptism—Sundays
Baptisms will be booked by appointment only

Marriages
Please contact the priest 12 months in advance

Confessions
Every day before Mass, except on Sunday

Schools
St. Mary Elementary 416-393-5205
Bishop Macdonell 416-393-5462



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OFFICE HOURS
Mon.—Fri. 8:30—12:00 and 1:00—4:00

Sunday Masses
8:30 am Portuguese
10:00 am Portuguese
11:30 am English
1:00 pm English

Weekday Masses
Monday—Friday 9:00 am Portuguese
6:00 pm English
Saturday 5:00 pm English



PENTECOST

**Pentecost Sunday
May 19, 2024**

Pentecost saw the birth of a new community, the Church. This is the day the apostles left the upper room, where they had been hiding for fear of the Jews, and went out fearlessly to preach the Gospel to the world. They could not have done this if they had not received power from on high, that is, the Holy Spirit. We too need the Holy Spirit in order to live as Christians.

Luke has the giving of the Spirit happening on the feast of Pentecost. Jewish tradition saw Pentecost as the feast of the giving of the Law on Mount Sinai. According to a legend a mighty wind turned to fire and a voice proclaimed the Law. In a further refinement, the fire split into seventy tongues of fire corresponding to the seventy nations of the world: the law was proclaimed, not only to Israel but to all humankind.

Luke exploits this tradition. He, too, has the mighty wind and tongues of fire coming upon the group of disciples. But for Luke the universal proclamation was not that of the Law, but of the Good News, a proclamation that has undone the sentence of Babel and reunited the scattered nations.

In his Gospel, John has the giving of the Spirit happening on Easter Day. However, we must avoid any impression of a two-fold initial solemn bestowal of the Spirit. Luke and John are saying the same thing: the risen Lord gives the gift of the Spirit, and inaugurates the mission of the Church.

Come Holy Ghost

Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest,
and in our hearts take up Thy rest;
come with Thy grace and heavenly aid
to fill the hearts which Thou hast made,
to fill the hearts which Thou hast made.

O comforter, to Thee we cry,
Thou heavenly gift of God Most High,
O fount of life and fire of love,
and sweet anointing from above,
and sweet anointing from above.

Praise be to Thee, Father and Son
And Holy Spirit, three-in-one
And may the Son on us bestow,
The gifts that from the Spirit flow,
The gifts that from the Spirit flow.

Veni Sancte Spiritus

**Veni Sancte Spiritus,
Veni Sancte Spiritus. (2x)**

Come Holy Spirit,
from heaven shine forth
With your glorious light,
Veni Sancte Spiritus.

Come, Father of the poor,
Come, generous Spirit.
Come, light of our hearts.
Veni Sancte Spiritus.

One Bread, One Body

**One bread, one body, one Lord of all,
one cup of blessing which we bless.
And we, though many,
throughout the earth,
we are one body in this one Lord.**

Gentile or Jew, servant or free,
woman or man no more.

Many the gifts, many the works,
one in the Lord of all.

Grain for the fields,
scattered and grown,
gathered to one for all.

Love Divine All Loves Excelling

Love divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heav'n to earth come down,
fix in us Thy humble dwelling;
all Thy faithful mercies crown!
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love Thou art;
visit us with Thy salvation;
enter every trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit
into every troubled breast!
Let us all in Thee inherit,
let us find the promised rest.
Take away our love of sinning;
Alpha and Omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning,
set our hearts at liberty.

**Masses
This Week**

Saturday, May 18

5:00 p.m. Mariano Machado—José Francisco Gomes—
Alcino dos Santos Pinho—António Dantas

Sunday, May 19

8:30 am. Olivia João & Fernando—José Horácio Furtado
10:00 am. Community—Maria de Fátima Melo—Pedro de
Paula Lima—António & Margarida Sousa & family
11:30 am. Arlindo, Ilda & Richard Vicente—Cajetan
D'Souza

1:00 pm. Berino Cabral

Monday, May 20

9:00 am. Liberal Paul Silva
6:00 pm. No Mass

Tuesday, May 21

9:00 am. Intention of Isabel Gomes
6:00 pm. Intention of Carlos Arruda

Wednesday, May 22

9:00 am. Intention of Carlos Arruda & Evaristo Arruda
6:00 pm. Carolina Meneses

Thursday, May 23

9:00 am. Nancy, Ricardo & Horácio da Costa, souls in purgatory
6:00 pm. Manuel Medeiros, pais, sogros & sister

Friday, May 24

9:00 am. Luis & Conceição Soares
6:00 pm. Veronica Franco

Saturday, May 25

5:00 pm. In honour of God the Father Almighty—João
Rodrigues—Manuel & António Faria—Odilia Arruda