

St. Ambrose Catholic Church

Fr. Donatello Iocco, Pastor



Mission Statement:

In Christ we are all things, He is everything to us. If you have wounds to heal, He is a physician; if fever scorches you, He is a fountain. Would you punish evil doing, He is justice, If you need help, he is strength; if you fear death, He is life; if you hunger, He is food.

- St. Ambrose

MASS TIMES

Sunday Liturgy
Saturday (Vigil) 4:30 pm
Family Mass with Youth Choir
Sunday 9:00 am Cantor & Organ
11:00 am Choir & Organ

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday 8:00 am (no Mass Tuesdays)

Devotions

Holy Hour Eucharistic Adoration
First Friday 8:30 am - 9:30 am
"Can you not watch an hour with me?" Matthew 26:40
Holy Rosary Monday - Saturday 7:30 am
Divine Mercy Chaplet Monday - Saturday 8:30 am
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Wednesdays 8:45 am

BECOME A FRIENDLY VISITOR!

Under the direction of the pastor, Friendly Visitors serve those in the parish and surrounding community who are in need of social interaction. Must attend a 1 day training session when available.

PARISHIONERS

Please contact the parish office to update address/phone #s or to volunteer in ministries.

Office Hours: Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri 10 am - 3 pm
Closed Tues, Sat, Sun

New Parishioners

Welcome! To register please call the office or email rose@stambroseparish.com.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm (or by appointment)

Marriage

Couples wishing to arrange a wedding are required to contact the parish 1 year in advance and must be registered parishioners. The date needs to be confirmed with the pastor. A Marriage Preparation Course is required and can be taken at any parish. Request for Marriage forms are found on the parish website. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Sacrament of Baptism

People seeking Baptism for their children must be registered in the parish for at least three months, and must speak to the Pastor after Mass. Baptism is celebrated every 3rd Sunday of the month. Baptism forms are found on the parish website.

Sacrament of the Sick and Care for the Elderly & Shut-ins

For the Anointing of the Sick please call the parish office to arrange a visit by the Priest. Those confined to their homes by illness, infirmity or age, who would like to receive Communion contact the office.

Religious Instruction

Sacramental Preparation is offered to all registered and active parishioners. Information is provided through bulletin and pulpit announcements.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Lay Pastoral Visitors, Friendly Visitors, Greeters, Ushers, St. Ambrose Choir and Youth Choir, Catholic Women's League, Knights of Columbus & Honouring God's Creation Society

WE WELCOME YOU TO JOIN US!



TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sept 18, 2022



<i>Mon Sept 19</i>		<i>Sat Sept 24</i>	
<i>8:00 am</i>	For the Poor	<i>4:30 pm</i>	+Frank Markez (Family)
			+Darek Wroblewski (Grandma Anna Puzio)
<i>Wed Sept 21</i>			
<i>8:00 am</i>	Franca & Mario Di Stefano		+Clarence & +Carmel Goff (Mary Ritchie)
	Living Intention (Family)	<i>Sun Sept 25</i>	
		<i>9:00 am</i>	+Francesco De Cotiis (Family)
<i>Thurs Sept 22</i>			
<i>8:00 am</i>	Pro Populo		
		<i>11:00 am</i>	+Angelo Garcia
<i>Fri Sept 23</i>			+Manuel & +Gloria Garcia
<i>8:00 am</i>	For the Unborn		(Maria Garcia)

WE WELCOME INTO OUR CHRISTIAN FAMILY



Francesco Fazzari son of Daniel & Jamie
 Alro Raf DiCosola son of Alex & Amanda
 Aivy Mena DiCosola daughter of Alex & Amanda
 Violette Sharon Campbell daughter of Christopher & Maria
 Cassandra Marie Campbell daughter of Christopher & Maria

START SPREADING THE NEWS THE BAZAAR IS BACK!!



ST. AMBROSE ANNUAL MINI BAZAAR October 1, 2022 from 10:00am – 3:00pm Dear Parishioners of St. Ambrose. Our mini bazaar will be only be a one day event. As in the past we rely on donations from the parish for items for the various tables. **PLEASE NOTE NO COMPUTERS, MAGAZINES, FURNITURE, CLOTHING OR BOOKS! We ARE STILL GOING TO BE**

FOLLOWING, The Health and Safety Guidelines set by Toronto and Ontario. We will be giving you updates and progress in future bulletins and pulpit announcements. Thank you from The Bazaar Convener, Marg Gombita.

Mary, Mother of God School



Introducing Merrymakers, a dynamic afternoon program for 3-5 year olds.

Mary, Mother of God School is now registering children for 2 1/2 hours of enriched programming on Wednesday afternoons, 1:00-3:30 pm. Join us for songs, stories, poems, nursery rhymes, instruments, games, classical music, mime, drama, and lots of play. For more information, call the school office at 416-531-7897. **Location:** 1515 Queen St W. Come and make merry with us!

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**Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul**

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Looking for New Members: Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Members visit those in need in our community and provide help with food, clothing and furniture. We register

their children for our summer camps and hold Bundle Up clothing collections. Interested? **Also, an information session will be held on Sept. 22 at 7:00pm. Contact Jolanta at 647-990-2656 or jolagalazka@hotmail.com**



Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre – Peace of Mind

Let Go of Worries & Fear and Find Your Peace

Led by: Anna Racine

Date: September 23 – 25, 2022

Cost: \$325.00

Do you struggle with being consumed with worry and fear? If you do, you're not alone. Worry and fear will rob us of our joy, our peace and contentment. It wastes precious moments of our lives and takes us away from what we value most.

This Retreat will provide you with tools to find the root cause of your worries and fears and give you practical guidance on how to control your anxieties instead of having them control you. Learn how to start worrying less and living more and find peace of mind. Presenter bio at www.annaracine.org **Location:** Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre 7020 Stanley Centre, Niagara Falls, Ontario L2G 7B7 **Email:** www.carmelniagara.com **Phone:** 905-356-4113

"BABY BOTTLES FOR LIFE" CAMPAIGN – October 15-16



Aid to Women is a Christian, volunteer-based, charity offering pro-life options and practical help to pregnant women in crisis, enabling them to choose life for their unborn children. The representatives will return to the parish to pick up the bottles with your donation on the weekend of **October 15-16**. 100% of the donations received go directly to *Aid to Women's* life

affirming work. For more information or if you think you might be interested in volunteering, please contact us at 416-921-6016 or at infor@aidtowomen.ca



Relics of St. Gabriel – St. Leo's Parish

From Friday September 16th, to Sunday September 18th, St. Leo's Parish will have the incredible privilege of hosting the Relics of St. Gabriel. The first class relic and urn are here to stay in Canada not only for our personal enrichment, but also for the betterment of our entire families. **Location:** 277 Royal York Road **Phone:** 416-251-1109

Schedule for Veneration of the Relics: Sunday Sept 11th 6 – 9 pm, Monday Sept 12th 7 am – 12 Noon, Tuesday Sept 13th 7 am – 12 Noon, Wednesday Sept 14th 1 – 8 pm, Thursday Sept 15th 7 am – 12 Noon, Friday Sept 16th 7 am – 8 pm, Saturday Sept 17th 7 am – 7 pm and Sunday Sept 18th 7 am – 2 pm.



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