

# SAINT MARGARET, QUEEN OF SCOTLAND, PARISH

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## PASTORAL TEAM

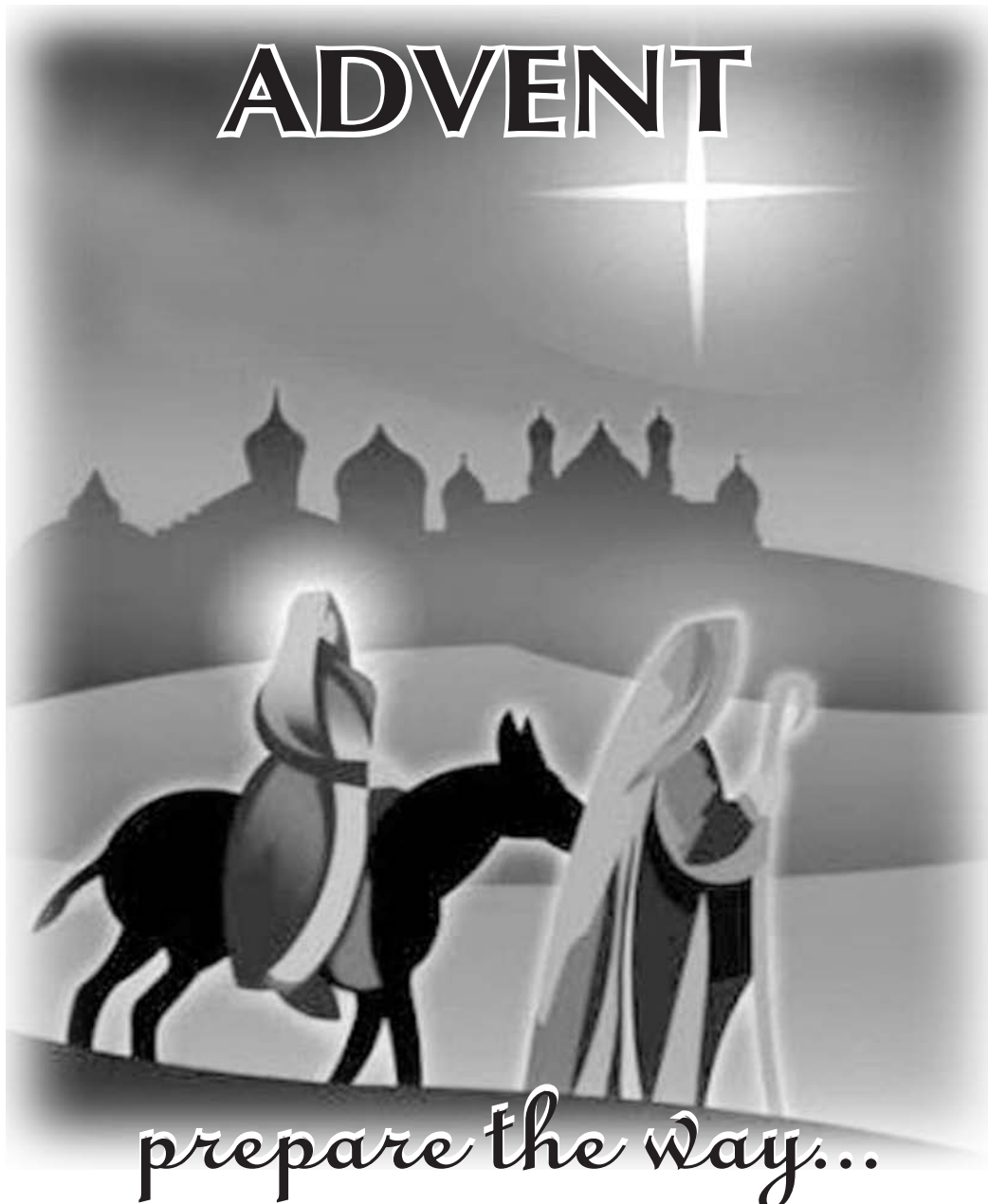
Rev. Fr. Jeremias Inoc, Pastor

Rev. Fr. Gerardo V. Laguartilla, C.P.P.S. Associate Pastor

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Cheryll Varona, Office Manager

Richard Kitchen, Custodian



# FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> – 8:20am**

For **ESTEBAN & TUBON FAMILY**

**Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup> – 7:00pm**

† **FELLESMINA CAMACHO** *Req. by Jose Camacho*

**Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> – 8:20am**

† **MRS. HO SHIU YING** *Req. by Emma & Vito Wong*

**Friday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> – 8:20am**

† **NENITA KWAN** *Req. by Visitacion Steele*

## ST. MARGARET'S LOOKING AHEAD

Sun. Dec. 18 **FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Homilist: Fr. Michael Lehman, CSB

⇒ **10:30am Mass** Last Liturgy of the Word with Children for this year; resume Jan. 15, 2023

Sun. Dec. 25 **CHRISTMAS DAY**

Homilist: Fr. Jeremias Inoc

## ST. EUGENE'S CHAPEL UPDATES

### CHRISTMAS NOVENA LITURGIES (SIMBANG GABI)

Sun. Dec. 18 10:00am & 11:30am Mass

7:30 4<sup>th</sup> Christmas Novena Mass

Mon. Dec. 19 7:30pm 5<sup>th</sup> Christmas Novena Mass

Tues. Dec. 20 7:30pm 6<sup>th</sup> Christmas Novena Mass  
(No 9am Mass)

Wed. Dec. 21 7:00pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help; 7:30pm 7<sup>th</sup> Christmas Novena Mass

Thurs. Dec. 22 7:30pm 8<sup>th</sup> Christmas Novena Mass

Fri. Dec. 23 7:00pm Devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus; 7:30pm 9<sup>th</sup> Christmas Novena Mass

Glory to the Blood of Jesus now and forever. Amen.

~ Fr. Gerardo V. Laguartilla, CPPS

## PARISH OFFICE – HOLIDAY HOURS

**Friday, Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup> – Closed at noon**

**Monday, Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> – Closed**

**Tuesday, Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> – Closed**

**Wednesday, Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> – Closed**

**Thursday, Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> – 9:00am to 5:00pm**

**Friday, Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> – Closed at noon**

**Monday, Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup> – Closed**

Closed for the holidays

## 2022 DONATION ENVELOPES

➤ We would like to remind all parishioners all donations must be received into the parish office by Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> 2022. **2022 tax donation receipts** will be issued for donations given for the 2022 calendar year, **January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup> 2022.**

➤ The following envelope numbers have not been properly identified with parishioners' information. If

you see your envelope number listed please call the parish office or write your complete information on the envelope. **Envelope numbers: 35, 53, 91, 103, 134, 216, 231, 302, 341, 431, 456, 873, 899, 900, 1004**

## 2023 SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The **2023** Envelopes are available for pick up at the back of the church. All parishioners are encouraged to use Sunday envelopes:



1. **Take any numbered box.** Please write your **full name, complete mailing address and phone number clearly** on the **first three envelopes** you use and you will be assigned the number on the box.
2. **Starting January 1<sup>st</sup> 2023 you can start using your 2023 envelopes.** **DO NOT use past year envelopes** otherwise your donation will be credited to someone else.
3. If you're **visiting or forgot your envelope** **DO NOT take one envelope from the numbered box use pink envelope.**

## WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT – December 11<sup>th</sup>

Offertory \$6,480.00      PAG \$812.50

Budget \$8,300.00      Diff (\$1,007.50)

**Thank you for making a gift to your parish!**

## ST. MARGARET'S CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, December 21st, 2022 – 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

JK to Grade 4 – Carmichael Site

All are invited to wear green/red festive colours



Treats for purchase in the gym



Donate to our Sock Drive



Visit classrooms for ornament decorating



Photos with Santa Claus – Bring your own camera





**CHRISTMAS LITURGIES**

ST. MARGARET'S	
Saturday, Dec. 24 <sup>th</sup> CHRISTMAS EVE	7:00pm & 10:00pm (No 4:30 pm Mass)
Sunday, Dec. 25 <sup>th</sup> CHRISTMAS DAY	9:00am, 10:30am & 12noon
Monday, Dec. 26 <sup>th</sup>	No 8:20am Mass
Wednesday, Dec. 28 <sup>th</sup>	No 7:00pm Mass
Thursday, Dec. 29 <sup>th</sup>	8:20am Mass
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Saturday, Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup> NEW YEAR'S EVE	4:30PM Vigil Mass
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**OFFICE OF VOCATIONS**

"Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife... When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him." Are you willing to respond as Joseph did? If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email: vocations@archtoronto.org [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

**ST. MARGARET'S SENIORS' SOCIAL CLUB**

If you are over 50 years of age! **Join Now!** Seniors' Social Club meets together for a time of bingo, bridge, social and special events and day trips planned. **Gathering biweekly (Wednesdays) • 12nn – 3:30pm**  
**St. Margaret's Parish Hall**

*Please join our friendly group! For more information please call parish office.*

**Upcoming Gatherings: Jan. 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>**

**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY  
PRAYER SERVICE 2023**

**Sunday, January 22, 2023 - 4 p.m. EST**  
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church  
73 Simcoe St. (at King St. W.), Toronto

Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the

restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches (GTACCC). All are welcome to attend in person.

**MARRIAGE SUNDAY 2023**

As part of Marriage Sunday 2023 celebrations, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, especially those celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2023. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and milestone anniversary celebrants will be honoured with a special blessing.



*A Celebration of Marriage*  
in the Archdiocese of Toronto

The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to register online. Milestone anniversary celebrants will be assured of reserved seating. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass here:

<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/> The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m. Registration opens on December 9, 2022.

Please visit [www.archtoronto.org/marriage](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage) to register and to access resources for parishes and couples.

**PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN**

**What is the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan?**

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving Plan to assist you in your support of the work of our parish church through your regular parish offerings and the mission of outreach supported through our own annual appeal, ShareLife. The work of our parish and ShareLife is made possible through the giving hearts of our parishioners. In response to changing lifestyles and demands on time and energy, the Archdiocese of Toronto seeks, through Pre-Authorized Giving, to assist you in your giving. Pre-Authorized Giving, your offering will be withdrawn from your account on or about the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month. This amount will then be deposited to the parish's account.

To enroll for the PAG please pick up a form at the back of the church or visit our website or call the office.

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