

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3
(followed by Novena to St. Anthony)
 5:00 pm
 + Carmela & Mirella Presti
 + Ceazer de Los Rios

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4
 8:00 am
 Intentions of St. Patrick Parishioners

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5 (ST. AGATHA)
(followed by Miraculous Medal Novena)
 5:00 pm
 + Klasina Van Hees

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6
 (ST. PAUL MIKI & COMPANIONS)
 8:00 am (8:30 - 9:30 am adoration & recitation of Divine Mercy Novena)
 + Orminda Alves

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7
 9:00 am - *First Saturday Mass*
 5:00 pm
 + Antonio Machado
 + Elizabeth & Glen Miller & Family
 + Conceicao Goncalves
 + Maria da Luz Garcia
 + The Unborn

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8
 8:00 am
 9:00 am + Paul Luu Van Dong
 11:00 am - for the People - *pro populo*

OFFERTORY

JANUARY 25, 2026

Sunday Envelope Contributions	\$1,964.00
Loose Collection	\$ 458.20
EFT Donations	\$ 997.50
Total Collection – Thank you!	\$3,419.70



If you are visiting today,

St. Patrick's Parish welcomes you.

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY, SAN MARINO,
 MONTENEGRO, GREECE & CROATIA

Featuring a 7 night Eastern Mediterranean cruise under the spiritual direction of Fr. Joe Selvanayagam. Visiting: Milan, San Marino, Ravenna, Kotor, Athens, Fira, Zadar and Padua. September 9 - 20, 2026, 12 days, \$4,990 (taxes and tips included) for Toronto departure. Travel arrangements by QS Travel & Tours Inc. Contact QS Travel for more information or to book your pilgrimage. Call at 1-800-565-3619 or email at group@qstours.com

ST. PATRICK'S PATRONAL LUNCH PARTY

Let's celebrate and lunch together. Please join us on Saturday, March 14 @ 10:30 am to celebrate our Patronal Feast Day with Mass at St. Patrick Church. Following Mass, everyone is invited to attend a **St. Patrick's Patronal Lunch Party @ 12 noon.** This year we will be celebrating at The Cambridge Centre for the Arts - Toyota Auditorium, 60 Dickson Street, Cambridge.

Tickets for Admission:

\$30 per adult, children under 12 years \$15

Tickets are on sale now at St. Patrick Parish Office or before and after most weekend Masses.

Admission Includes:

- Doors open to ticket holders @ 11:30 am
- Buffet style luncheon @ 12:30 pm
- Games, fun, cash bar, wheelchair accessible



LAMP OFFERING

February 1 - 7

February 8 - 14

SANCTUARY LAMP

Intentions of Cathy

Intentions of Lydia Froklage

LADY ALTAR LAMP

+ Sr. Celeste Swan

+ Rosemary Astley

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

FEBRUARY 7 & 8

	5:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Lectors	C. McArthur	K. Imperatore A. Sousa	B. O'Brien
Communion	H. Nearing T. Nearing	S. Braga A. Jose	D. Corbeil T. Cabral

FEBRUARY 1, 2026



FIRST SATURDAY MASS
 The First Saturdays Devotion, **also known as the “Five First Saturdays”** is a special request by Our Lord and Our Lady to make reparation for all the sins against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Our Lady promised personal salvation if we fulfill the five consecutive First Saturdays. At St. Patrick Church we will honour the First Saturdays Devotion throughout fiscal year

2025 to console the Hearts of Jesus and Mary and make reparation for the sins of others. The continued practice of the First Saturdays will help bring about a period of peace and the salvation of many souls as Our Lady promised (Fatima, July 13, 1917). The next first Saturday Mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick Church on Saturday, February 7 at 9 am. All are welcome.

VOTIVE CANDLES

Please note that an offering of \$2 per votive is requested when lighting a votive candle at either the Sacred Heart Votive Stand or at the Lady Altar Votive Stand. So for example, if you light three candles a \$6 offering is requested. *Many thanks.*



BLESSING OF THROATS

For centuries it has been a tradition for Catholics to have their throats blessed on or about the Feast of St. Blaise, the patron saint against throat ailments. This year, the Blessing of Throats will take place at St. Patrick's Parish following the 5 pm Mass on Tuesday, February 3.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Anointing of the Sick will take place at St. Patrick's Parish on Wednesday, February 11 during the 8 am . All those suffering chronic pain, illness or the burden of years are welcome to receive this sacrament.

LAMP OFFERINGS

To request that the Sanctuary Lamp or the Lady Altar Lamp be lit for your intentions, or in memory of a loved one, please call or email the parish office. A stipend of \$10 per lamp is requested at the time of booking.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

The next Knights of Columbus Galt Council # 2184 meeting will be held at 10 am on Saturday, February 7 at St. Patrick Church in the parish hall. All men over the age of 18 are welcome to attend.

REFLECTING ON MERCY

The works of mercy are charitable actions by which we come to the aid of our neighbour in his spiritual and bodily necessities. When we attend to the needs of those in want, we give them what is theirs, not ours. More than performing works of mercy, we are paying a debt of justice (CCC 2446-2447).

The seven corporal works of mercy:

1. Feed the hungry.
2. Give drink to the thirsty.
3. Clothe the naked.
4. Shelter the homeless.
5. Visit the sick.
6. Visit the imprisoned.
7. Bury the dead.

The seven spiritual works of mercy:

1. Counsel the doubtful.
2. Instruct the ignorant.
3. Admonish sinners.
4. Comfort the afflicted.
5. Forgive offences.
6. Bear wrongs patiently.
7. Pray for the living and the dead.



CONVALIDATION

Church law requires baptized Roman Catholics to marry before a bishop, priest, or deacon and two witnesses. Catholics who have married outside of the Catholic Church are encouraged to have their civil marriage recognized by the Church. This is called *convalidation*. The process does not cost anything, is often not very difficult and always helps the couple live their faith more fully. Please contact the parish office for more information or to arrange an appointment to begin the process of convalidating your civil union.

Love, as distinct from “being in love,” is not merely a feeling. It is a deep unity, maintained by the will and deliberately strengthened by habit; it is reinforced by (in Christian marriages) the grace which both partners ask for and receive from God.

~ C.S. Lewis, *Mere Christianity*

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday	<i>The Presentation of the Lord</i>
Tuesday	Rev. Allen Varlaki
Wednesday	Missionaries
Thursday	Rev. Charles Jordan
Friday	Rev. Ken Miskiewicz
Saturday	Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.

Families who pray together, stay together!