



# ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**THE CONSOLATA MISSIONARIES SERVE ST. ANDREW'S COMMUNITY SINCE 2003**

St. Andrew's is a diversified Community that actively includes all members and shares the Gospel of Jesus Christ with those who have fallen away or do not belong to any Church. It is a parish of families and individuals, of priests and lay leaders. St. Andrew's is a Community that understands and values the diversity of cultures, striving to accomplish its mission in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 am – 4:30 pm  
Saturday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm (*English*)

Sunday

8:00 am (*English*)

9:30 am (*Italian*)

11:00 am (*English - Livestreamed*)

12:30 pm (*English*)

2:00 pm (*Twi*) Ghanaian Community

5:30 pm (*Spanish*)

Children's Sunday Liturgy: 11 am, 12:30 pm

## WEEKLY MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday 8:00 am and 7:00 pm  
Saturday 8:30 am and 5:30 pm  
Public holidays 8:00 am

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday: 8:00 am and 4:00 pm

Wednesday: 7:30 am

Anytime by appointment

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

(Temporary cancelled)

Tuesday-Wednesday 8:30 am – 6:30 pm

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

1<sup>st</sup> Friday 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm

## PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

OR HOMEBOUND (Temporary cancelled)

Healing Service: 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 6:30 pm

Home visits: Please call the Parish office

## PARISH TEAM

Fr. Peter Ssekajugo imc, Pastor

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Fr George Kibura Njuguna imc, Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Joseph Owusu-Afriyie, Permanent Deacon

Fr Alex Osei CSSp, Ghanaian Community

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## BAPTISM (Children up to 7 years old)

Baptisms are celebrated on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of every month at 10:00am. Please contact the Parish Office at least 1 month in advance.

## MARRIAGE

Couples planning to get married must contact the Pastor, at least one year in advance, to set the wedding date.

## RITE OF INITIATION OF ADULTS INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH (RCIA)

Interested in becoming a Catholic? Please contact the Pastor.

## NEW PARISHIONER? BE MOST WELCOME!

Welcome to St. Andrew! We'd like you to know that we are here to support you and, together, become closer to Christ. Please introduce yourself to the Priests or any of the Ministers.

Pick up a membership form at the entrance of the church, complete it and submit it to the Parish office. Thank you!

**OUR LADY CONSOLATA – PRAY FOR US**

**Welcome home to St. Andrew**

**30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year B**

**Jesus, Have Pity!**

On hearing that it was Jesus of Nazareth, Bartimaeus began to cry out and say, “Jesus, son of David, have pity on me.” [Mark 10:47](#)

These words from Bartimaeus, the blind man, present us with the perfect prayer for a few reasons.

First, this prayer reveals the deep humility of Bartimaeus. By praying this prayer, Bartimaeus expresses the fact that he knew Jesus was the source of what he needed and that he was unable to help himself. Bartimaeus knew that he was weak but that Jesus was perfect strength. Thus, Bartimaeus humbly turned to Jesus in his need, recognizing Him as the source.

Second, it is a prayer that cries for “pity.” Pity is the feeling of sorrow and compassion caused by the suffering of others. Pity is mercy and is the form of love given to one by another who has no need of giving it. In this prayer, Bartimaeus asks the all-powerful Lord to show him kindness and mercy, even though he is unworthy of such a gift. This prayer reveals the fact that Bartimaeus knew he was undeserving of help from our Lord, but he cried out for it anyway in the hope that Jesus would help. And, indeed, He does.

Third, this prayer reveals a certain and deep passion. It is not just a request for God’s help; rather, it is a cry for help. It’s a plea and a form of begging. It’s an opening up of one’s soul to God, without concern of displaying one’s own weaknesses or worry that others will witness it or what they’ll think. This shows the depth of the blind man’s prayer.

Reflect, today, upon these three lessons from Bartimaeus’ short prayer. We must be humble, beg for mercy, and do so with deep passion and longing. Praying this way will most certainly dispose us to the grace and mercy of God.

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“The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.” Matthew 20:28

Whatever we do for the community is to follow Jesus’ example of unconditional love. We do not serve to satisfy our ego, desire for power, money, or fame. We do not serve for self-realization, self-gratification or to take advantage of others but to help them in their needs and make them happy, following Jesus’ example.

Fr. Peter Ssekajugo, IMC.

**WEEKLY LITURGY ~ MASS INTENTIONS**

† = For the soul of ♥ = Special Intention

**Saturday, Oct 23 - St. John of Capistrano**

8:30 am - Thanksgiving for Cleratte, by family

5:30 pm - † Jose Angquiliano and Maximino Abbago,

by Noel Angquiliano and family

† Estelle Jodhan-David may her soul rest in peace,

by Mr. & Mrs. Lakhan and family

**Sunday, Oct 24 – 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B**

**World Mission Sunday**

8 am - (No Intention)

9:30 am - (Ital Mass) † Giuseppe Pannia, by family

11 am - For the people of the Parish – **Livestreamed**

12:30pm - Thanksgiving for 25th Wedding Anniversary for

William and Nerida, by family

2 pm - (Twi Ghana) **Mass Livestreamed**

5:30 pm – (Spanish Mass)

**Monday, Oct 25**

8 am - † Esterina Furgieuele (2yrs death anniv.), by family

7 pm - † Nimalarajah Malvaganam, by family

**Tuesday, Oct 26**

8 am - † Hyacinth Seraphine, by family

7 pm - (No Intention)

**Wednesday, Oct 27**

8 am - † Giulia De Rose, by Josie and Nino Beltrano

7 pm - (No Intention)

**Thursday, Oct 28 - Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles**

8 am - † Tadeusz Kolodziej, by Kinga

7 pm - (No Intention)

**Friday, Oct 29**

8 am - † Mercedes Pulla, by José Pulla

7 pm - † Philomena and Savio Mascarenhas, by LaPlume family

**Saturday, Oct 30**

8:30 am - † Maria Luisa and Joao Miranda,

by Martha Miranda Lobo and family

5:30 pm - Thanksgiving to Our Lady of the Perpetual Help,

by Anthony and family

**Sunday, Oct 31 – 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B**

8 am - † Giulia De Rose, by Robert and Manuela Carino

9:30 am - (Ital Mass) † Alizea and Romeo Bandiera,

by Eveline and friends

11 am - For the people of the Parish – **Livestreamed**

12:30pm - † Mrs. Anna Carlucci, by family

2 pm - (Twi Ghana) **Mass Livestreamed**

5:30 pm – (Spanish Mass)

**St. Andrew’s Parish Stewardship**

Collections for October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021:

Sunday Offertory \$ 5,400.00

Ghanaian Offertory \$ 1,464.00

Building Fund \$ 1,656.00



The Archdiocese of Toronto is having the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Parish Ministry Conference, With Burning Hearts, which will take place from October 26 to 30, 2021. This year, the virtual conference is being offered at no cost to participants due to the generous support from our sponsors and donors. You are all invited to join for any and all of the seven dynamic sessions. Visit the website at [www.archtoronto.org/conference](http://www.archtoronto.org/conference) to learn more about this event.

## FOR WORLD MISSION DAY 2021

Here am I, send me (Is 6:8)

In his message of World Mission Sunday of last year, Pope Francis reminded us that, the sacrifice of the cross, where the mission of Jesus is fully accomplished (cf. Jn



19:28-30), God shows us that his love is for each and every one of us (cf. Jn 19:26-27). He asks us to be personally willing to be sent, because he himself is Love, love that is always “on mission”, always reaching out in order to give life. Out of his love for us, God the Father sent his Son Jesus (cf. Jn 3:16). Jesus is the Father’s Missionary: his life and ministry reveal his total obedience to the Father’s will (cf. Jn 4:34; 6:38; 8:12-30; Heb 10:5-10). Jesus makes us his disciples and sends us on a mission to the world and to its peoples.

Our personal vocation comes from the fact that we are sons and daughters of God in the Church, his family, brothers and sisters in that love that Jesus has shown us. All, however, have a human dignity founded on the divine

invitation to be children of God and to become, in the sacrament of Baptism and in the free Understanding what God is saying to us at this time of pandemic also represents a challenge for the Church’s mission. Illness, suffering, fear and isolation challenge us. The poverty of those who die alone, the abandoned, those who have lost their jobs and income, the homeless and those who lack food challenge us. Being forced to observe social distancing and to stay at home invites us to rediscover that we need social relationships as well as our communal relationship with God. Far from increasing mistrust and indifference, this situation should make us even more attentive to our way of relating to others. And prayer, in which God touches and moves our hearts, should make us ever more open to the need of our brothers and sisters for dignity and freedom, as well as our responsibility to care for all creation. The impossibility of gathering as a Church to celebrate the Eucharist has led us to share the experience of the many Christian communities that cannot celebrate Mass every Sunday. In all of this, God’s question: “Whom shall I send?” is addressed once more to us and awaits a generous and convincing response: “Here am I, send me!” (Is 6:8).

The celebration of World Mission Day is also an occasion for reaffirming how prayer, reflection and the material help of your offerings are so many opportunities to participate actively in the mission of Jesus in his Church. The charity expressed in the collections that take place during the liturgical celebrations of the third Sunday of October is aimed at supporting the missionary work carried out in my name by the Pontifical Mission Societies, in order to meet the spiritual and material needs of peoples and Churches throughout the world, for the salvation of all.

## ShareLife

Our parish’s ShareLife campaign goal this year is **\$52,000.00**. As we approach our next collection on the weekend of **October 31<sup>st</sup>**, please reflect upon your ability to contribute to our parish campaign this year.

As Cardinal Collins recently stated, “Our goal can be met, but only with your help. I invite you to join today’s generation of heroes by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife. As you contemplate the blessings God has entrusted to you, please join me in giving to ShareLife to the best of your ability.”

Once again, ShareLife Sunday is on October 31<sup>st</sup>. Please give generously.

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