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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 – 4:00 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) 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

Wednesday (Iraqi - Rosary & Mass) 5:00 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

Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am - 6:30 pm **1st Saturday Devotions** 9:30 am - 10:00 am

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND

Home visits: Please call the Parish office

PARISH TEAM

Fr. George Kibura Njuguna imc, Pastor StAndrewsET@archtoronto.org

Rev. Mr. Joseph Owusu-Afriyie, Permanent Deacon

Fr Alex Osei CSSp, Ghanaian Community

Mr. Martins Igbinoba, Parish Council

Mr. Joseph Fragomeni, Finance Council

Mrs. Cora deNully, Parish Office standrewspar@yahoo.ca

Ms. Carolina Chavez, Parish Office standrewparish.office@gmail.com

BAPTISM (Children below 7 years old)

Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd 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 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time – Year C

True Righteousness

Jesus addressed this parable to those who were convinced of their own righteousness and despised everyone else. <u>Luke 18:9</u>

This Scripture passage is the introduction to the Parable of the Pharisee and Tax Collector. This parable offers quite a contrast between two general attitudes. First, the Pharisee's attitude reveals that he is very impressed with himself, thinking highly of his public image, and is unaware of his own sin. Second, the tax collector's attitude reveals that he is deeply aware of his own sin, is sorry for it and knows he is in need of God's mercy. The result of these two very different attitudes is that the tax collector went home justified whereas the Pharisee did not.

What does it mean to be justified? It means that the tax collector had a clear conscience and was grounded in the truth. He knew his need for mercy, begged for it and received it. He did not lie to himself, to others or to God. He knew who he was and it is this truth that allowed God to exalt him. The tax collector's justification came through the forgiveness of his sins and the bestowal of the mercy of God in his life.

The Pharisee may have felt good about himself to a certain extent in that he elevated himself for all to see. He was convinced of his own self-righteousness but, in truth, was not righteous. He was only self-righteous. He was living a lie and most likely believed that lie and even may have convinced others of that lie. But the fact remained, the Pharisee was not righteous and he was not truly justified.

What we must take from this passage is a profound realization of the importance of living in the truth. Those who paint a false image of themselves may fool themselves and may even fool others. But they will never fool God and they will never be able to achieve true peace in their soul. We each must realize the humble truth of our sin and weakness and, in that realization, beg for the only remedy – the mercy of God.

Reflect, today, upon the prayer of this tax collector: "O God, be merciful to me a sinner" (<u>Luke 18:13</u>). Make it your prayer. Admit your sin. Acknowledge your need for the mercy of God and allow that mercy to exalt you within the righteousness of God.

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WEEKLY LITURGY ~ MASS INTENTIONS

 \dagger = For the soul of \mathbf{v} = Special Intention

Saturday, Oct 22 - St. John Paul II

8:30 am - †Monica Perez (2yrs death anniversary), by José Pulla 5:30pm -Thanksgiving for Thomas Crowley, by Tony & Kathy Rea

Sunday, Oct 23 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

8 am - Thanksgiving for Fr. George for God's blessings and guidance in his new mission, by Tony and Kathy Rea

9:30 am - (Ital Mass) † Nicola, Anna, Filippo, Franco e Giovanna, by Zampino family

11 am - For the people of the Parish

12:30pm -† Tadeusz Kolodziej, by family

2 pm - (Twi Ghana)

5:30 pm - (Spn. Mass)

Monday, Oct 24 - St. Anthony Mary Claret

8 am - † Jorgen Hiorth, by Araceli and family

7 pm - Thanksgiving for Joanne Joseph, by Tony Joseph and family

Tuesday, Oct 25

8 am - † Esterina Furgiuele (death anniversary), by family

7 pm - † Teresa Anne Kudirka, by Paul and Anna Vella

Wednesday, Oct 26

8 am - † Hyacinth Seraphine, by family

7 pm - (No Intention)

Thursday, Oct 27

8 am - † Edith Akins John and Oliver Bullen, by Tony Joseph and family

7 pm - (No Intention)

Friday, Oct 28 - St. Simon and St. Jude

8 am - Thanksgiving for Lily, by family

7 pm - (No Intention)

Saturday, Oct 29

8:30 am - † Mercedes Pulla, by José Pulla

 $5{:}30 pm$ - Thanksgiving, by Dias family / $Fr.\ George\ Kibura$

Njuguna's Installation—presided by Most Rev. Ivan Camilleri (livestreamed)

Sunday, Oct 30 – 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

8 am - †Anna Carlucci, by family

9:30 am - (Ital Mass) † Joseph De Francesco,

by Maria Pia Di Nardo and family

11 am - For the people of the Parish

12:30pm -† Sixta and Benito Perez, by Juliana Cuyno

2 pm - (Twi Ghana)

5:30 pm - (*Spn. Mass*)

St. Andrew's Parish Stewardship

Collection for Oct 16th, 2022

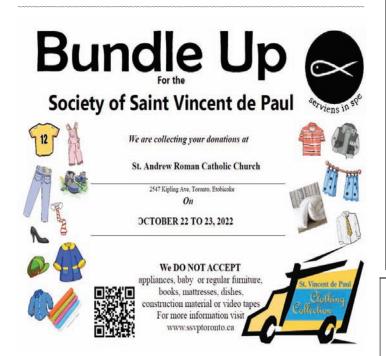
Sunday Offertory \$ 6,934.00

Pastor's Installation at St. Andrew Church



Dear Parishioners you are invited to attend or to view (livestreamed) the Installation of Father George Kibura Njuguna, IMC as our new Pastor at St. Andrew Church, presided by the Most Reverend Ivan Camilleri, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto in charge of the Western Region. This ceremony will take

place on Saturday, October 29th at 5:30 pm Mass. Let's congratulate our Pastor and celebrate this new chapter in our congregation's life.



October 22-23, 2022 – is Bundle Up weekend in favour of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Please bring your gently used clothing, shoes, linen and household goods in the truck that will be parked in the Church parking lot: share what you can with those less fortunate.



First Holy Communion Classes will begin on Saturday, November 5th 2022 and end on April 15th 2023. Classes will take place on Saturdays from 9:30am to 11:00am at St. Andrew's School. For more information call the parish office.

World Mission Sunday Special Collection October 22/23

be a second collection for There will the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as World Mission Sunday. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church and it is our opportunity to at-need Catholic communities assist Offerings are combined with offerings from other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. We are called to share from our abundance with those less fortunate who lack the basic essentials to know, love and praise God. Thank you for your support of this important work.

All Souls Day Mass

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the All Souls' Day Mass on Saturday November 5 at 2 p.m. All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations:

- Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga
 Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum
- Christ the King Cemetery, Markham Reception Centre
- Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill Holy Family Mausoleum
- Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge
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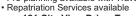
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