

# Saint Catherine of Siena R.C. Church

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Mon. to Fri. 8:30am to 12:00pm, 2:00pm to 4:00pm  
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays - OFFICE IS CLOSED



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## WEEKDAYS MASSES:

**Weekdays:** Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday 8:00 a.m.

## SUNDAY MASSES:

**Saturday:** 6:00 p.m. (English)  
**Sunday:** 8:30 a.m. (English)  
10:00 a.m. (Italian)  
11:30 a.m. (English)  
1:00 p.m. (English)  
2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,  
only 3rd Sunday of the Month)  
4:00 p.m. (English)  
6:00 p.m. (Misa en español)

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St. Catherine of Siena School	905-277-2448
St. Timothy School	905-277-0990
Mary Fix School	905-270-3140
Fr. Daniel Zanon School	905-279-3722

"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35  
"Out of many we are one in Christ."

## BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

*Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.*

## CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:

Saturday - *Sabado*: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

## MARRIAGES - BODAS:

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

*Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.*

## RCIA- RICA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation)

Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

*(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental)*

*Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.*

## SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY- SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

*Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.*

## PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

## REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

*Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usted y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.*

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### Grains of Wheat from the Barns of Heaven

#### St. John Baptist Scalabrini

#### TO FOLLOW THE RISEN ONE

April

"Jesus drew near and began to walk with them"  
(Lk 24:15)

"The Word of God must be internalized because the true teacher is the Lord: after the Holy Eucharist there is nothing on earth than can compare with the excellence, the nobility, the holiness, the greatness of this very Word." *Pastoral Letter 1897*

"The Eucharist is the center of our Christian religion, the synthesis of all God's gifts and almost the compendium of God's Divine Word; hence, the Eucharist was the first substantial element of identification for Christians: without it, if we leave out Jesus Christ as our Head, vain would be our glory in our religion." *III Synod on the Eucharist 1899*

"Meditation leads to deep knowledge of divine and human things to better follow Jesus Christ, and it must be transformed in love and action: 'veritatem facientis in caritate'." *III Synod on the Eucharist 1899*

"Because we are the body of Christ, our flesh, our bones and our very nature must be with Christ and in him. It is for him that we are made children of God, so that, indeed, the very Son of God extends himself in us." *Pastoral Letter 1878*

"Jesus has come to earth that we may live his life and be made one with him." *Homily of Christmas 1894*

"The foundation of the whole supernatural order is the union of Jesus with the Christian soul. Because of this, we are enabled to rise to the participation of the divine nature and can also elevate all of creation." *Christmas Homily 1894*

"Those who ignore the Eucharist do not know that it is the masterpiece of God's mind and heart, the very heart of our faith, the point where the finite and the infinite, nature and grace meet in the ineffable embrace of truth and love. They are unaware that at the foot of our altars we find both Golgotha, where we weep holding the cross, and mount Tabor, where we experience heavenly peace." *Devotion to the blessed Sacrament 1902*

### POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS –

**MAY** - For church movements and groups

"We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own chrisms at the service of needs in the world."



### Saturday, Apr. 29, 2023      St. Catherine of Siena

8:00am + Benny Fernandes & Juanita & Violet Pereira  
12:00pm WEDD: David Medeiros & Lisa Da Silva  
6:00pm + Fausto Sabatino

### Sunday, Apr. 30      Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:30am Thanksgiving from Ellen Leonard  
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI  
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS  
1:00pm + Manuel De Sousa  
4:00pm Thanksgiving from Raselin Dolores  
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

### Monday, May 1      St. Joseph the Worker

8:00am + Markupillai Emmanuel  
6:30pm Special intentions for Maria Csabai  
7:00pm **First Reconciliation** - St. Catherine & Mary Fix

### Tuesday, May 2      St. Athanasius

8:00am + All Souls in Purgatory  
6:30pm Novena in honor to St. Anthony  
7:00pm Special intentions for Terry Brown

### Wednesday, May 3      Sts. Philip & James

8:00am + Maria & Vincenzo Corrente  
6:00pm Novena in honor of Mother of Perpetual Help  
7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

### Thursday, May 4

8:00am + Nita Rosario  
7:00pm + Lawrence Lobo & Sp. Int: for Mary Coutinho  
8:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

### Friday, May 5

8:00am + Oswald & Marguerite Lobo  
7:00pm Thanksgiving from Nasato Family  
7:30pm ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament  
followed by all-night vigil

### Saturday, May 6

8:00am + Dec'd & Living of Rimbao & Fermin Family  
11:00am 65<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniv. of Remy & Martina Cruz  
1:00pm *Children's Rosary*  
6:00pm + Nicole Barys & Joseph Ryborecki

### Sunday, May 7      Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:30am + Josephine Bortolotto  
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI  
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS  
1:00pm + Grazia, Pasquale, Lino & Tony Gisondi  
& Sam Roccasalve  
4:00pm Special intention for Helen Stroz  
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

## AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL

El Jueves 4 de Mayo (8:00pm) participaremos en la Santa Misa en Español.

El Viernes 5 de Mayo (7:30pm) es el Primer Viernes del mes. Por lo tanto, no habrá reunión de la Familia Misionera, ni de la Renovación Carismática Católica Hispana, para que participemos en la Santa Misa (7:00 pm) y Adoración Eucarística (7:30 pm) en Inglés.

Hoy, Domingo 30 de Abril participaremos en el Santo Rosario (5:30pm) y la Santa Misa (6:00pm) en Español.

El Sábado 12 de Agosto el Consejo Pastoral Hispano de la Archidiócesis de Toronto nos invita a participar en la Peregrinación Hispana al Santuario de los Mártires Canadienses en Midland, lugar donde también la Virgen de Guadalupe tiene su monumento. Los hispanos de la Parroquia Santa Catalina de Siena, tenemos la responsabilidad de animar la Hora Santa de nuestra peregrinación. Acompañenos en este evento de las Comunidades Hispanas de Toronto. Reservas a través de la Oficina Parroquial, el valor del transporte será anunciado próximamente.

El siguiente es el enlace del Internet para aquellos hermanos y hermanas que deseen participar virtualmente en el Santo Rosario y la Santa Misa en Español:

<https://stcatherine.ca/live-mass/>

**LEGION OF MARY** Tuesdays at 5:45pm in the Meeting Room. Everyone welcome.

**ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP**, Wednesdays from 1:30 – 2:30pm in Zanon Hall. All are welcome.

**ENGLISH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP** meets every Saturday at 2.30 pm in the Scalabrini Hall to joyfully experience the Lord's Presence in our Praise & Worship, Word of God and Our Prayers & Thanksgiving. All are welcome.

**BIBLE STUDY** Tuesdays at 7:30pm in Zanon Hall and on Zoom, ID 836 4620 6928 Password 388125.  
Next session May 2<sup>nd</sup> Parables of the Kingdom.

**NEW PARISH WEBSITE** is open. Visit us at <https://stcatherineofsienami.archtoronto.org>  
Watch for continuing updates in the days ahead.

**RIGHT TO LIFE** The annual national March for Life will take place May 11th, 2023 on Parliament Hill in Ottawa. Rally against government-sanctioned abortion-on-demand and euthanasia, to demand legal protection for every human being from conception to natural death. Several buses will leave from Mississauga (same day return). For more details please see: [marchforlife.ca](http://marchforlife.ca) Cost: \$40-\$50 per person (round trip) Contact: Mississauga Right to Life - [righttolifemb@gmail.com](mailto:righttolifemb@gmail.com) OR call Clare: 905-625-7213

## DATES FOR SACRAMENTS 2023

### **FIRST RECONCILIATION**

Mon., May 1 7:00pm St. Catherine & Mary Fix Schools  
Tues., May 23 7:00pm St. Timothy & Fr. Zanon Schools

### **FIRST COMMUNIONS**

Sat., May 6 3:00pm Mary Fix School  
Sat., May 13 10:00am St. Catherine of Siena School  
Sat., May 27 10:00am St. Timothy & Atrium Schools.,  
Sat., May 27 3:00pm Fr. Zanon & Public Schools  
Sat., June 10 3:00pm Spanish Children

### **CONFIRMATIONS**

Mon., May 29 7:00pm St. Catherine & Public Schools  
Tues., May 30 7:00pm Fr. Zanon & Mary Fix Schools  
Wed., May 31 7:00pm St. Timothy & Atrium Schools



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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will have a membership drive on Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> in Scalabribini Hall.

### **FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA CELEBRATION**

A collaboration between The Legion of Mary and the SCOS Filipino Catholic community on Saturday, May 13 from 6:30am to 9:00pm in thanksgiving for the centenary of the Legion of Mary and its 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at St. Catherine of Siena Parish. Here is the schedule of activities for that day:

6:30am – 5:30pm – 2000 Hail Marys (Main Hall)  
6:00pm – 7:00pm – Mass (Church)  
7:00pm – 8:00pm – Procession (Church Grounds)  
8:00pm – 9:00pm – Fellowship (Main Hall)  
Please invite others.

**MOTHER'S DAY** The Youth of our Parish will be selling roses on May 13 & 14 after all the Masses. Please support their fundraising.

**FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY** will begin a 7-week Marriage Enrichment program called BELOVED on Sunday, May 14 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. If you are a married couple who would like to see firsthand how to experience the wonder, mystery, and joy of this sacrament from the first "I do" through the rest of your lives, we invite you to join other couples on this exciting journey. Cost of \$30 includes access to inspiring videos, quality workbooks, and refreshments. FREE CHILDREN'S PROGRAM will be provided. Call Sandy (647)907-3877 or Vicky (905)272-1454 ext. 6 or email [office@stcatherine.ca](mailto:office@stcatherine.ca).



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