# Saint Catherine of Siena R.C. Church

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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 espanol)

#### **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:**

 St. Catherine of Siena School
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 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 usd 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.

The readings today present a striking message about the reversal of fortunes. Those who have much are warned of the dangers of ignoring those who have

#### **Amos Challenges Us to Look Beyond Comfort**

The reading from Amos delivers a strong warning. It speaks to those who live in comfort and ignore the suffering of others. Amos criticizes those who indulge in luxury while remaining blind to the needs of the poor. This message is not just for the people of his time but for us as well.

We often find ourselves comfortable in our routines and possessions. It's easy to focus on what we have and forget about those who are struggling. This kind of complacency can lead us away from God's path. Our blessings should never make us blind to the needs around us.

#### **Jesus Shows the Danger of Ignoring Others**

In the Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of Lazarus and the rich man. This story is a clear reminder of what can happen when we focus only on ourselves. The rich man enjoyed his wealth while ignoring the suffering of Lazarus, who was right outside his door. After death, the rich man faced judgment, and Lazarus found peace.

Jesus's message is clear: wealth and comfort are not the problem, but selfishness is. When we fail to see the suffering of others, we turn away from God's call. The rich man's downfall wasn't his wealth but his choice to do nothing for Lazarus. Are we aware of the needs around us? Do we use what we have to help others?

<u>Paul Encourages Us to Live with Virtue</u>
In the second reading, Paul gives Timothy practical advice. He urges him to seek virtues like faith, love, and gentleness. These virtues help us live a life focused on God and others, rather than ourselves.

Living a virtuous life means putting God first and serving others. It means being patient, kind, and steadfast even when life is hard. These qualities help us stay close to God and prepare for what is to come. They also remind us that true wealth is found in our relationship with God and our care for others.

Today's readings challenge us to examine our lives and ask whether we are like the rich man, insulated from the needs of others by our own comfort. They invite us to consider a life where our greatest joy comes not from what we have, but from what we give. This transformation is what God seeks for us, a life where we are truly rich in mercy and compassion.

> Today's reflection is attributed to young-catholics.com



#### Saturday, Sept. 27, 2025 St. Vincent de Paul

8:00am + Walter Rzeszowski 6:00pm + Rocco Antidormi

#### Sunday, Sept. 28 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Augusto Fregonese

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Francesca Turchiaro

4:00pm + Michele Sanfilippo

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

#### Monday, Sept. 29 Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

8:00am + Romeo & Angela Gauthier

7:00pm In Honour to St. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

#### Tuesday, Sept. 30 St. Jerome

8:00am Special intentions for Sophia Michelle Nucci 7:00pm + Maria Carmela Magno Javier

#### Wednesday, Oct. 1 St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus

8:00am + Frank & Ernestine Pinto (10<sup>th</sup> death Anniv.) 6:00pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help 7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

## hursday, Oct. 2 Holy Guardian Angels 8:00am Thanksgiving for 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Thursday, Oct. 2

Dominic Thai Dinh Hoang

7:00pm Deceased & living of Rimbao & Fermin

Family

#### Friday, Oct. 3

8:00am + Maria De Lourdes Lima & family

7:00pm + Joaquim Silva

7:30pm ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament

#### Saturday, Oct. 4 St. Francis of Assisi

8:00am + Candida Escolastica Madeira Vaz

6:00pm + Deceased of Rebellato & Pasqual Families

#### Sunday, Oct. 5 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Brenden Garth Neeham

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Paul Iseli

4:00pm Thanksgiving to Infant Jesus &

Sacred Heart from Prithi Rodrigues

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

"FAMILIA MISIONERA". Reunión de formación y oración, todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30 pm en el salón parroquial "Principal". Es una oportunidad para crecer, afianzar, dar a conocer y defender la Fe siguiendo las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica.

"RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA".

Igualmente todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30 pm en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini" tenemos asamblea de oración y alabanza. Bienvenidos todos los que deseen participar en los encuentros de esta corriente de gracia dentro de nuestra Iglesia Católica.

"SANTO ROSARIO Y EUCARISTÍA". Todos los domingos a las 5:30 pm. rezaremos el Santo Rosario v a las 6:00 pm participaremos en la celebración eucarística en la Iglesia.

**SHARE LIFE** Please continue to give your donation to ShareLife. Thus far we have raised \$39,607.00 toward our goal of \$54,500.00. Please give at the parish, or at sharelife.org/donate.

**BIBLE STUDY** every Tuesday from 7:30-9:00pm in person in Scalabrini Hall.

Topic: "The Mystery of the Mass revealed in Sacred Scripture" To register please email:

The Children's Rosary Group is inviting you to join them on Saturday, 4th October for the Crowning of our Blessed Mother and the Marian Consecration. Looking forward to fellowship with other families to form a Faith filled community surrounding us all...do feel free to share a snack of your choice!!

Young Adult Ministry
If you are 19 - 39 years old, we invite you to our Young Adults Social on Sunday, September 28th from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the Main Hall. https://forms.gle/44Cr2PvydCP3cbTt8

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL If you have not already done so, please make a donation towards our annual Christmas program. Thank you.

World Day of Migrants and Refugees

On Sunday, October 5th, at 11:30am you are invited to a special Mass. After the Mass, there will be a gathering and sharing of the different ethnic groups of the parish in Scalabrini Hall.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE** From September 24<sup>th</sup> to October 19th, you're invited to join in a peaceful daily prayer vigil. Our Parish Community days are October 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:00am to 7:00pm, on the south side of The Queensway and Confederation Pkwy.

**LIFE CHAIN** Please join St. Catherine of Siena Parish on Sunday, October 5th 2:00-3:00pm on Hurontario St. near the Church.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS membership drive on Sunday October 12<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am to 1:00pm in Zanon Hall.

#### C4C Friday

Are you in grade 1-5 Explore the Catholic faith in a fun, relatable, and engaging way 5:00 PM - 7:40 PM



https://www.cognitoforms.com/stcatherineofsie nayouthministry/c4c20252026

#### **EDGE Fridays**

Are you in grade 6-8 Students have an opportunity to experience Jesus in a profound and personal way 5:00 PM – 7:40 PM Main Hall



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#### <u>LifeTeen Saturdays</u>

Are you in grade 9-12 Life Teen leads teenagers and their families into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church. 6:00 PM – 9:30 PM Main Hall



https://www.cognitoforms.com/stcatherineofsienay outhministry/lifeteen20252026

#### Rite of Confirmation

Pre-Registration are open until October 1st. 2025 And in person Registration after you submit the Pre-Registration.



https://www.cognitoforms.com/stcatheri neofsienayouthministry/confirmation20252026

> For further information contact Sr. Yadira Phone: 905-272-1454 Ext. 9 Email: stcatsienayouth@gmail.com

#### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Online Registration**

Deadline: Sunday, October 12 Requirements:

- 1. Child's Baptism Certificate
- 2. Registration Fee: \$80
- 3. Parents & Child Orientation Saturday, October 25, 9 - 12 noon or 1:30 - 4:30
- 4. Online Registration Form

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1QpNP9mYf\_uvPf RenZgXu1o5mFy6Cj3NxDb-tSOoG\_o/edit?pli=1

#### Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (ATRIUM)

**Online Registration** Catechesis every Wednesday for children 3 to 12 years of age. Starts Oct. 15 at 4:30 - 6:00 pm

If you have a child who will prepare for First Holy Communion or Confirmation, please ensure that the online registration for the particular sacrament is also filled out.

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