Saint Catherine of Siena R.C. Church

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Saturday, Sunday & Holidays - OFFICE IS CLOSED







Served by the Missionaries of St Charles - SCALABRINIAN Fathers
Fr. JOSE GABRIEL Forero Martinez, c.s. (Pastor)
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Deacon Roy Emmanuel

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	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 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 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time reminds people to be responsible, use their gifts, and stay prepared.

A Woman of Strength and Character

The first reading today describes a woman who is capable, hardworking, and caring. She is trusted by her husband, provides for her household, and helps those in need. Her value is not just in what she does, but in who she is. She is strong in character, wise in her actions, and centered on her faith. This reading reminds people that real value comes from actions and character. Being hardworking, generous, and faithful is more important than wealth or status.

Taking Action with What We Have

The Gospel for today tells the story of three servants who receive different amounts of money from their master. Two of them invest and increase what they were given. The third hides his money out of fear and does nothing with it. When the master returns, he rewards the first two and punishes the one who was afraid to act.

This parable is about using the gifts and opportunities that God gives. Some people may have more than others, but what matters is how they use what they have. Fear can keep people from moving forward. It can make them afraid to try new things or take on responsibilities. But playing it safe and doing nothing is not the answer. The master in the parable does not expect his servants to be perfect. He expects them to try. God calls everyone to be active, to grow, and to give back.

Staying Ready for What Matters

The second reading for today reminds people that they do not know when God will come. It says that the "Day of the Lord" will come suddenly, like a thief in the night. This means people should always be ready. They should not live carelessly or assume they have unlimited time.

Just as people prepare for important events in life, they should also prepare spiritually. They should not put off doing what is right or wait until later to grow in faith. This means living with purpose, making good choices, and being faithful in daily life. No one knows what the future holds, but being ready means always trying to do what is right.

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Nov. 14, 2026
8:00am + Anthony Almeida
6:00pm + Lino Gazzola

Sunday, Nov. 15 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am + Deceased Bortolotto & Becevello Families
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Tim Emmanuel
2:30pm FILIPINO MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
4:00pm + Maria Innasimuthu, Elizabeth Mary & Antony David.
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Nov. 16 St. Margaret of Scotland & St. Gertrude
8:00am + Rosa Triunfo
7:00pm + Deceased of D'Souza Family

Tuesday, Nov. 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary
8:00am + Joseph Choe
7:00pm + Audrey Rose

Wednesday, Nov. 18 Dedication of Sts Peter & Paul Basilicas
8:00am + Gerald O'Neill
6:0*0pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help*
7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, Nov. 19
8:00am + Fausta Gazzola
7:00pm + Joe & Nina Galea,
+ Paul & Elizabeth Agius

Friday, Nov. 20
8:00am Thanksgiving from Juliana Khan & family
7:00pm + Maria Lucinda Mota

Saturday, Nov. 21 Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00am + Anthony R. Quadros
6:00pm Thanksgiving to Sacred Heart of Jesus & Our Lady of Fatima from Prithi, Canute & Dylan Rodrigues

Sunday, Nov. 22 Christ the King
8:30am + Peter Nguyen Van Dau
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Lucy Fernandes
4:00pm + Joaquim Silva
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

"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.

"ROSARIO PARA HOMBRES". Por iniciativa de nuestro párroco el Rvdo. Padre José Gabriel Forero Martínez todos los hombres de la parroquia (padres, hijos, abuelos, adultos jóvenes y adultos mayores) estamos invitados a rezar juntos el Santo Rosario el Primer Sábado de cada mes en la Iglesia. No se necesita experiencia y habrán rosarios disponibles. Para más información favor llamar a la oficina parroquial (teléfono #905-272-1454), o hablar directamente con el Padre Gabriel.

"CENA BAILABLE DE NAVIDAD". La Cena Bailable de Navidad de nuestra Comunidad Hispana se realizará el Sábado 5 de Diciembre (7:00 pm – 11:30 pm), en el Salón Principal de la parroquia. Los fondos recolectados con esta Cena Bailable serán destinados a los gastos de mantenimiento de la parroquia. El costo de la boleta es de $50 por persona (incluye la cena, el baile y una rifa con el número de la boleta). Las boletas están disponibles en la oficina parroquial (teléfono: 905-272-1454), llamando a los teléfonos:416-889-0806, 416-275-1258, y también los Domingos al final de la Santa Misa en Español de las 6:00 pm. Los esperamos!!!

SHARE LIFE **Make your gift to ShareLife and DOUBLE your impact!**

NEW: *Your gift will double in value! From November 2 until year end, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of $500,000.*

Our parish goal this year is **$59,995.00.** So far, our collected total is **$53,566.00** Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope or at sharelife.org/donate

2027 SUNDAY MISSALS
available at the office for $8.00

2027 MASS BOOK IS OPEN

SHEPHERDS' TRUST collection today. The mission of the Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Thank you for your support of this important work.

St Vincent Giving Tree Campaign is located at the front of the church near the Baptismal font.
100 % of all donations goes towards helping those in need at Christmas in our community. Please give what you can.

LEGION OF MARY JUNIOR PRESIDIUM
For Grades 3-8 or Grades 9-12
Tuesday, November 17th at 4:30pm in the meeting room. RSVP to Candice 416-795-5675.

Shine a Light for Persecuted Christians
On **November 18**, join **Red Wednesday**, an initiative of Aid to the Church in Need, raising awareness of Christian persecution. This year's theme asks: "Who stands with persecuted Christians?"



BAKE SALE Saturday & Sunday November 28th & 29th in the Main Hall. It will be a youth fundraising event. Donation of baked goods accepted. Thank you for your support.

ADVENT PARISH MISSION **"***from Darkness to Light*" on December 2, 3, & 4 in Church with Rev. Peter Wojakiewica CSMA, PhD. Three Sacred evenings of Confessions..Holy Mass, Eucharistic Adoration ..Blessing of children, youth, young adults, married couples, singles, seniors...Consecration to St. Michael the Archangel...

CHRISTMAS PARTY hosted by the Spanish Community will be on Saturday, December 5th from 7:00 pm – 11:30 pm in the Main Hall. Dinner/Dance tickets are available at the office for $50.00 per person. For more information call 416-275-1258 or 905-272-1454.

SERENADE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE on Friday, December 11th after the 7:00pm Mass in Church followed by a social gathering in the Main Hall. Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be on **Sunday, December 13th** after the Spanish Mass in the Main Hall. Entrance tickets are $10.00.



CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Saturday, December 12th, at 7:30 pm in Church, featuring the SCOS choirs. Concert Raffle tickets are now available for $5.00 at the parish office.

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