

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 5, 2021



ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Intentions

Baruch 5:1-9 | Psalms 126:1-6 | Philippians 1:4-6, 8-11 | Luke 3:1-6
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2021 (5:00 PM)

For the People of the Parish



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2021 (9:00 AM) [Livestream \[Click Here\]](#)

Special intention of Priscilla Menezes

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2021 (11:00 AM)

†Gilda & Antonio Di Martino

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2021

Isaiah 35:1-10 | Psalms 85:9-14 | Luke 5:17-26

No Mass

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2021 (9:00 AM & 7:00 PM)

Isaiah 40:1-11 | Psalms 96:1-3, 10-13 | Matthew 18:12-14

Special intention of Joseph Fernandes

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2021 (9:00 AM)

Genesis 3:9-15, 20 | Psalms 98:1-4 | Ephesians 1:3-6, 11-12 | Luke 1:26-38

†Michelle Riccio, †Helen & Cosmo Canzano, †Matthew Peters
and Special Intentions of Paul Zilio and Branko Martek

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2021 (9:00 AM)

Isaiah 41:13-20 | Psalms 145:1, 9-13 | Matthew 11:11-15

†Wieslaw Hutny

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2021 (9:00 AM)

Isaiah 48:17-19 | Psalms 1:1-4, 6 | Matthew 11:16-19

†Jaimie Tesoro

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2021 (9:00 AM)

Sirach 48:1-4, 9-11 | Psalms 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 | Matthew 17:10-13

Sp. Int. of Roseanne Menezes and †Joseph & Jude Homann

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday and Thursday
9:30 am to 10:30 am

Friday
9:30 am to 12:00 noon

Support Your Parish:

1. Drop off or mail your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office.
2. Contribute to your parish offertory by credit card. You can make a one time or recurring contribution to your parish's offertory or other special funds.
3. Contribute through Pre-Authorized giving (PAG). You can obtain a form from the parish office or [click here](#) to download the form.
4. You can contribute to the offertory via on-line banking. Email campaign@archtoronto.org

SSVP – GIVING TREE CAMPAIGN

Dear Parishioners,

We will be helping about 90 households this Christmas, supplying Walmart and PC gift cards. If you would like to help us, the best way is by a monetary donation, which could be placed in the SSVP box under our mini-tree in the church. Please use an (any) envelope and write your name and address on it, so that we may provide you a tax receipt (\$20 or more). You may also donate through Canada Helps on the SSVP Toronto website, specifying St. Mary Star of the Sea.

We are grateful for all donations, and a special thank you to those who have donated already and to those who support us year-round.

COMMUNITY MEAL

Every Friday at 4:30 pm

This year, due to the protocols surrounding COVID-19, we will only be doing 'TAKE-OUT' Meals.

Packaged meals will be distributed at the West side entrance to the Church on Peter Street

SSVP HELPLINE

For assistance call:
647-628-2058

Leave your name, phone number and a brief message and someone will get back to you at the earliest.

2022 OFFERTORY ENVELOPE BOXES

As you may be aware, in 2021 parishioners were assigned new envelope box numbers. Those of you who picked up and used a box of envelopes in 2021, may pick up your 2022 box of envelopes when you come to Mass this weekend.

Those of you who did not pick up or use your box of envelopes in 2021, but would like to do so in 2022, please see Marilyn Fernandes after Mass, at the main doors of the Church.

Please do not use your 2022 envelopes *before January 1, 2022* and do not use prior year envelopes *after December 31, 2021*. If you do not have a box of envelopes for 2022, one will be assigned to you.

Please inform us of any changes in your name, address, phone number or email address before December 31, 2021 so we can update our database before we issue the 2021 Tax Receipts.

GIFT OF SECURITIES

A donation of securities is one of the easiest and smartest ways to donate in Canada. When you donate securities to the Archdiocese of Toronto, you put stock in knowing that you are creating the greatest impact on the church and those we serve.

Consider making a gift of securities to your parish or any one of our archdiocesan charities. With a gift of securities, you can receive an immediate donation receipt for the fair market value of the security. In addition, there is no capital gains tax applied to any benefit received from the sale of these securities. Listed securities include, stocks, bonds and mutual funds.

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