

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

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MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

January 1, 2023



Happy New Year!

Felice Anno Nuovo!

*Wishing you and your families
a blessed new year.*

*Auguriamo a voi e le vostre famiglie
un felice anno nuovo.*



~ Fr. Eugene, Fr. Hyginus, Fr. George, Fr. Ugo
and the Parish Staff

Thank you!

Heartfelt thank you to everyone who donated flowers to decorate the church for Christmas.

Un sentito ringraziamento a tutti coloro che hanno donato fiori per decorare la chiesa per il Natale.

2023 Pasta e Fagioli Carnival Dinner Dance

Our Parish is organizing the annual *Pasta e Fagioli Carnival Dinner Dance* on **Saturday February 18th, 2023 at the Royalton Hospitality**. All funds collected will be used to support the Children's Mission of the Congregation of the Sons of the Immaculate Conception. Tickets are available in the Parish office at the cost of \$100 for adults and \$60 for children ages 4-12. Tickets include antipasto bar, dinner, late night station, standard open bar, music and entertainment.

Sabato 18 febbraio, 2023 presso la Royalton Hospitality si festeggerà l'annuale serata con cena e ballo del Carnevale con Pasta e Fagioli. Tutto il ricavato andrà a favore della Missione dei bambini della Congregazione dei Figli dell'Immacolata Concezione. I biglietti sono in vendita nell'ufficio parrocchiale al costo di \$100 per adulti e \$60 per bambini dei 4-12 anni. Il costo del biglietto include antipasto bar, ricca cena, open bar, music e intrattenimento.

Parish Office Closure

The Parish office will be closed on Monday January 2, 2023.

L'ufficio parrocchiale rimarrà chiuso lunedì 2 gennaio, 2023.

Safe Travels! *Buon Viaggio!*

Fr. George left for his vacation to visit his family in India on December 25, 2022 and Fr. Eugene will be leaving for his vacation to visit his family in Africa on January 1, 2023. Let us keep them in our prayers!

P. George è partito per la sua vacanza in India per visitare la sua famiglia il 25 dicembre, 2022 e P. Eugene partirà per la sua vacanza in Africa per visitare la sua famiglia il 1 gennaio, 2023. Ricordiamogli nelle nostre preghiere.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Our Pastor, Fr. Eugene, will be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from **November 15 to November 24, 2023**. Please contact the Parish office for more information.

Il nostro parroco, P. Eugene, guiderà un pellegrinaggio in Terra Santa dal 15 novembre al 24 novembre, 2023. Per ulteriori informazioni, contattate l'ufficio parrocchiale.

2023 Calendars

We sincerely thank Vescio Funeral Homes Ltd. & DeMarco Funeral Homes for generously providing us with Calendars for 2023.

Calendari Cinque Pani d'Orzo

Sono in vendita in ufficio parrocchiale al costo di \$10, i calendari in Italiano, "Cinque Pani d'Orzo" con una riflessione per ogni giorno dell'anno.



Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday January 2 *St. Basil the Great & St. Gregory Nazianzen*

7pm

Tuesday January 3

7pm

Luigi & Liana Mattiussi

8pm

Vincenzo Mazzaferro

Wednesday January 4

7pm

Vincenzo Agro

8pm

Carmela & Diego Vitellaro

Thursday January 5

7pm

Friday January 6

7pm

Franco Tucci

8pm

Mario Furfari

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Prayer Service

Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church (73 Simcoe St. at King St. W. in Toronto) on **Sunday January 22, 2023, at 4 p.m.** This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches.

Vocation Seeds

Mary treasured all that God had done for her and pondered these things in her heart. Do you treasure God and ponder what He wants from you? You may have a vocation to a life in the Church serving Christ. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Eugene.