

ST. ROCH'S CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.)

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

Everyone is encouraged to be active in the spiritual & social functions of our church community by participating in parish life as an official member. Please fill out a registration form by contacting the parish office at 416-749-0328 Mondays to Friday from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm.



Ministry Contacts

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Lina Pasut (Italian) 416-747-9469

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St. Roch's Church 416-749-0328

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416-749-0328

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St. Roch's School 416-393-5320

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Saturday Mass: 5:00 p.m. (English)

Sunday Masses: In English – 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.
In Swahili – Every Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

Confessions: 4:00-5:00 p.m. – Every Saturday.

Baptisms: 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month.

Baptism Classes: 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.
Parents and Godparents are most welcomed.

Marriages: By appointment, one year in advance.

Weekday Masses: Morning: English: 8:00 a.m. Mon, Wed & Friday
(9:00 a.m. on Saturday)
Italian: 8:00 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday

Memorial Masses: Monday - Wednesday at 7 p.m. (By request)

Sick Calls: At anytime. Day or Night.

Catholic Women's League: Meetings are the 2nd Tuesdays
of every month at 7:00 p.m., (September-June)

Knights Of Columbus: Meetings are every 3rd Wednesday of
the month at 7:00 pm (September - June)

Messe Domenicali: in Italiano – 10:30 a.m.

Confessioni: 4:00-5:00 p.m. – Ogni Sabato.

Battesimi: Ogni Prima e Terza domenica.

Matrimoni: Con appuntamento, un anno in anticipo.

Messe Feriali: Mattina: Inglese: 8:00 a.m. Lunedì, Mercoledì
e Venerdì (9:00 a.m. Sabato)
Italiano: 8:00 a.m. Martedì e Giovedì

Messe Memoriale: Lunedì-Mercoledì alle 7:00 p.m. (a richiesta)

Chiamate Per Ammalati: Qualunque tempo

La Lega Delle Donne Cattoliche: Ogni 2nd martedì
del mese alle ore 7:00 p.m. (Settembre a Giugno)

I Cavalieri Di Colombo: Ogni 3rd mercoledì del mese alle
ore 7:00 pm (Settembre a Giugno)

Gruppo Di Preghiera: in italiano - Ogni Lunedì,
Santa Messa ore 7:00 p.m. - Rosario ore 7:30 p.m.
Preghiera nello Spirito ore 8:00 p.m. Riunione nella Sala
Parrocchiale



Sunday, September 7, 2025

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations"

Psalm 90

Mass  for
Intentions  Week

Monday, September 8, 2025

8:00 am Stagliano Family

Tuesday, September 9, 2025

8:00 am Intenzione del sacerdote

7:00 pm CWL Mass

Wednesday, September 10, 2025

8:00 am Chris Lee

Thursday, September 11, 2025

8:00 am Intenzione del sacerdote

Friday, September 12, 2025

8:00 am Intention of the presider

Saturday, September 13, 2025

9:00 am Bruno Dametto

5:00 pm Pro Popolo

70th Wedding Anniversary

Pietro & Imelda Girardi

Sunday, September 14, 2025

9:00 am Carlos & Alzira Padinha & Norberto Vieira

10:30 am Liberata D'Aversa
Ignazio Crescenzi
Vincenzo Mancino
Mariangela & Francesco & Francesca
Daniele e defunti
Costanzo, Domenica &
Michele Frattaroli
Mike Pereira e famiglia (viventi)
Daniel & Luigi Giangiooppo

12:00 pm Gerard Mendez

SUNDAY OFFERING



Sunday, August 31\$3,345.00

Thank you for your continued support !

WEDDINGS



We congratulate and ask you to keep in prayer
Lucas Nunez & Alessia Meta
who will be married here September 13.

INTENZIONI PER LE MESSE PER ANNO 2026

Stiamo ad accettare l'intenzioni per le messe per l'anno 2026. Si prega di contattare l'ufficio parrocchiale in persone o via telefono al 416-749-0328.

Domenica, 7 Settembre, 2025

XXIII Domenica del Tempo Ordinario

"Signore, sei stato per noi un rifugio di generazione in generazione"

Salmo 89

FESTA DI SAN ROCCO



Ringraziamo il nostro comitato per la festa Di San Rocco per l'instancabile impegno profuso nell'organizzazione della festa di quest'anno e ringraziamo tutti i nostri volontari e tutti coloro che hanno partecipato. Ringraziamo anche tutti i nostri sponsor che hanno contribuito finanziariamente al nostro evento annuale. Sono stati raccolti \$13,339. **Che Dio, per intercessione di San Rocco, continui a benedirvi tutti!**

RIUNIONE

La Lega della Donne Cattoliche.....Notate che la nostra prossima riunione avra' luogo **martedì, 9 settembre, 2025** alle ore 7:00 pm con la celebrazione della messa. La riunione continuerà nella sala parrocchiale. **Venite!**

Cavalieri di Colombo: Mercoledì, 17 settembre alle ore **7:00 pm** nella sala parrocchiale.



**PELEGRINAGGIO AL
SANTUARIO DEI MARTIRI A MIDLAND
Sabato 27 settembre 2025**

Durante questo Anno Giubilare, vi invitiamo a unirvi a noi per un pellegrinaggio al Santuario dei Martiri di Midland, un luogo sacro e storico nazionale che onora la vita dei martiri canadesi e un Sito Giubilare Arcidiocesano designato (per pellegrinaggio e indulgenza plenaria). **Prezzo: \$50.00.** (Pranzo al sacco). Si prega di contattare l'ufficio parrocchiale al 416-749-0328 per prenotare il posto sull'autobus. Inoltre, dopo le messe del fine settimana avremo dei volontari disponibili per fornire maggiori informazioni e per accettare prenotazioni.



SEMINARIO "VITA NELLO SPIRITO"
8, 15, 22 e 29 Settembre, 2025
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Sala Parrocchiale di San Rocco

Ospitato dal Gruppo di Preghiera Italiano di San Rocco e presentato dal Rinnovamento Carismatico Cattolico di Toronto, questo seminario gratuito in quattro parti inizia lunedì 8 settembre dalle 19:00 alle 21:00 nella nostra sala parrocchiale, prosegue lunedì 15, 22 settembre e si conclude lunedì 29 settembre. Disponibile in inglese e italiano. **Per partecipare, si prega di contattare Julie Fratarcangeli al numero 647-524-7546 o via email all'indirizzo julieftrat@rogers.com.**

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2026

Please note that we are currently accepting mass intention requests for Year 2026. Please contact the parish office via either telephone, email or in person during office hours.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR September 8, 15, 22 & 29 (7-9 pm) St. Roch Parish Hall



Hosted by St. Roch Italian Prayer Group and presented by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of Toronto, this free 4 part seminar begins Monday, September 8 from 7 - 9 pm and continues every Monday in September and concludes Monday, September 29. English and Italian. Should you wish to participate, please contact Julie Fratarcangeli at 647-524-7546 or via email at juliefrat@rogers.com. Please register by no later than Friday, September 5.

CANONIZATION OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS



Young adults 18-29 are invited to the parish hall on **Sunday, September 7 after the 12 Noon Mass.** Come celebrate the canonization of Carlo Acutis and Piergiorgio Frassati to sainthood with a potluck/social!

GENERAL MEETINGS

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: Tuesday, September 9 beginning at 7:00 pm with the celebration of the Mass in the church followed by the meeting in the parish hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Wednesday, September 17 starting at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.

PILGRIMAGE TO MARTYR'S SHRINE IN MIDLAND Saturday, September 27, 2025



During this Jubilee Year, please consider joining us for a pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine in Midland, a national holy and historic space honouring the lives of the Canadian Martyrs and a designated Archdiocesan Jubilee Site (for pilgrimage and plenary indulgence). **Cost: \$50.00.** (Pack a lunch). Please contact the parish office to reserve your spot on the bus. Additionally, we will have volunteers available after the weekend masses to provide more information and to take bookings as well.

FEAST OF ST. ROCH



We thank our Feast committee for all their tireless efforts in organizing this year's feast and thank all our volunteers and all those who attended. Thank you as well to all our sponsors who provided financial contributions to support our annual event. **A total of \$13,339.00 was raised and will be put towards future church improvements.** May God, through the intercession of St. Roch, continue to bless us all!

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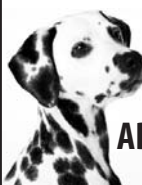
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