

St. Paul the Apostle Maltese-Canadian Parish



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OFFICE HOURS Monday to Thursday 8:30am to 4:00pm

Friday 8:30am to 12:00noon

MASS SCHEDULE Wednesday & Friday 9:15am (Maltese/English)

Tuesday & Thursday 9:15am First Saturday of the month 9:15am

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 4:30pm (English)

Sunday: 9:00am (English) 10:30am (Maltese/English) 12:00pm (English)

Weekly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesdays 7pm - 8pm

SACRAMENTS Baptism: Please contact the office. Baptisms are held on the first Saturday of the month at 10:30am **Marriages:** Contact the priest one year in advance of the wedding. A marriage preparation course is mandatory. **Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays: 3:45pm to 4:15pm, or anytime by appointment. **Anointing of the Sick:** Contact the priest. Parishioners are reminded that this is not a sacrament that should be left for the last possible minute. It is a Sacrament for the sick, not just for the dying.

January 24th & 25th – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 24

4:30pm (d) For the people of the parish

Sunday, January 25

9:00am (d) Czeslaw Iwan

10:30am (d) Nenu Dingli (d) Paul Delicata

(d) Joseph & Carmen Gové

(d) Emanuel & Rita Spiteri

(d) Paul Delicata & Richard Micallef

(d) Natalino, Rosa & Anthony Taliana

(d) Charlie & Albert Taliana

(d) Joseph & Grace Bugeja

(d) Silvana Dewe & Emanuella Micallef

12:00pm (d) Mario Capizzano

Tuesday, January 27 (d) Mary Ann & Sam Debono

Wednesday, January 28 *St. Thomas Aquina; Priest & Doctor of the Church* (d) Anthony & Pauline Cremona

Thursday, January 29 (d) Lina Bonello & Family

Friday, January 30 (d) Mike Muscat

First Confession/First Communion

First Confession/First Communion will be offered in the Spring of 2026.

The parent meeting and registration will take place on **Sunday, February 8**, in St. Paul the Apostle Church, following the 12noon Mass.

Baptized Catholic children in grade 2 or higher are eligible to receive the sacraments. Please bring a copy of your child's baptism certificate to the registration **if they were not baptized** at St. Paul's.

An **on-line registration form** is available on our parish website. You can complete it, print it off and bring it with you to the registration. You must attend the registration class. At the registration meeting, you will need to purchase two catechism books for a total of \$25.00. These two books are for class use and for home.

The first class for First Confession will begin Sunday, February 22, at St. Paul's in the museum at 10am. More information on classes etc. will be given at the registration meeting.

Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop John Boissonneau

As part of Marriage Sunday 2026 celebrations, Bishop John Boissonneau will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2026. **The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 8, 2026, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto).**

All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. All are welcome to attend. Reserved seating is available for couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversary in 2026. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass.

Registration and other important information can be found at www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

FEAST OF ST. PAUL'S SHIPWRECK

Annual ***St. Paul's Feast Dinner & Dance***
on **Saturday, February 7th.**

Doors open at 5:30 pm

Dinner to be served at 6:15 pm

Come enjoy a delicious meal with your church family!
Catch up with old friends and perhaps make some new ones.

The evening's menu will include the following:

- Bread with Tuna (Hobz biz-Zejt)
- Small Pasta Shells with Red Sauce & Meat
- Lemon Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans & Carrots
- Sliced Bread
- Trifle
- Coffee & Tea
 - Cash Bar
 - Music by DJ



Tickets prices are:

- Adults - \$50.00
- Children (5-12 yrs.) - \$25.00
- Children under 4 yrs. – Free

For more information or to purchase tickets,
please call Freda Mifsud at 416-762-1891.
Seating will be on a first-come first-seated basis.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, February 7, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.

Learn:

- **How to avoid problems:** in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- **How to create your own legacy**
- **About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals**

3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

1. scan the QR code:

2. follow this registration link: <https://qrco.de/WedFeb7>

3. send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write

“webinar February 7” in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.





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