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MASS SCHEDULE

**Sunday Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday, Thursday: 7:00 p.m.**

Baptism: Please call the office to arrange to discuss your child's Baptism.

Confession: Each Saturday at 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Marriage: The parish congratulates all newly engaged couples and reminds them that, by Archdiocesan Policy, they are required to contact the parish at least one year in advance of the proposed marriage.

Sick: That those who are ill may be surrounded by the love, prayers, and concern of all the followers of Christ, especially Luke, Patrick & Rosa Maria Santos.

Deceased: For those we loved in this life, that the Good Shepherd will gather them into heaven, especially Rev. Msgr. E. Allen Arbour, C.H.H.

Pope's May Evangelization Intention: *Christians in Africa* - That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.

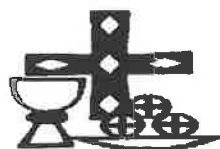
Congratulations

On Saturday, May 13, at 10:00 a.m., His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto will ordain the following men to the Priesthood at St. Michael's Cathedral. All are welcome to attend.



**Rev. Mr. Favin Alemao
Rev. Mr. Ryan Alemao
Rev. Mr. Jeremias Inoc Jr.
Rev. Mr. Matthew McCarthy
Rev. Mr. Antonello Murgia**

We offer our prayers and congratulations to our soon-to-be ordained new priests who will serve in the Archdiocese of Toronto. We ask that you keep them in your prayers.



Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MAY 6

5:00 pm Deceased Members of the Rossi & Colledani Family R.I.P. - Rossi Family

SUNDAY, MAY 7

9:00 am Antonina Scolaro & Teresa Farrace R.I.P. - Farrace Family

11:00 am The People of the Parish

MONDAY, MAY 8

9:00 am Demetrio Eusebio Edralin Sr. R.I.P. & Demetrio Eusebio Edralin Jr. R.I.P. - Edralin Family

TUESDAY, MAY 9

7:00 pm Confirmation Mass

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

There will be no 9:00 am Mass

7:00 pm Confirmation Mass

THURSDAY, MAY 11

6:00 am For the Pro Life Causes

There will be no 7:00 pm Mass

FRIDAY, MAY 12

9:00 am Margaret Lopez R.I.P. - Pat Slade

SATURDAY, MAY 13

There will be no 9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 am First Holy Communion

5:00 pm Luigi & Nilla Giannini R.I.P. - Family

SUNDAY, MAY 14

9:00 am The People of the Parish

11:00 am Mica Fiore R.I.P. - Bessie & Jack Culotta

CHILDREN'S LITURGY CANCELLED

There will be no Children's Liturgy until further notice due to the fire and required fire safety upgrades.

"Surf & Turf Night"

The Knights of Columbus Humber Valley Council will be holding its annual "Surf & Turf Night" on Saturday, May 13 at 7:00 p.m. at Transfiguration of Our Lord Church. Cost: \$40.00. If you would like to attend, please contact Joe Pipitone at 416-358-0856.

Weekly Offering (Apr 30).....\$3,488.45

Expenses (Apr 28-May 4).....\$2,964.64

Thank you for your contribution.

There will be a second collection next weekend, May 13/14, for the Building Fund.

MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY



The Catholic Church dedicates the month of May to the Blessed Virgin Mary. St. Louis Marie Grignion de Montfort wrote: "The rosary is the most powerful weapon to touch the Heart of Jesus, Our Redeemer, who so loves His Mother." May is a very good month to begin praying the rosary daily.

If you do not know how to pray the rosary or do not have a rosary, at the foyer counter are pamphlets on how to pray the rosary and rosary beads.

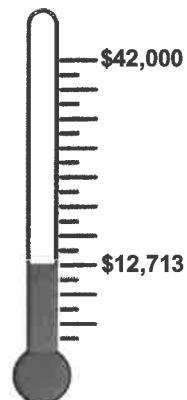
If you would like to learn a little more about the rosary, "The Secret of the Rosary" book is available for free at the counter.



The Rosary will be recited after the weekday Masses during the month of May. Everyone is welcome to participate!



Living the Gospel by providing for those in need...



"One of the core components of our Pastoral Plan is Catholic Outreach in Justice and Love. As a Catholic community we are called to be the hands and face of Jesus in our communities. One of the ways that we do this is through our annual ShareLife appeal, which provides resources to agencies serving the poor and marginalized not only in our archdiocese, but also around the world. ShareLife is a tangible way that we can put the Gospel value to love one another as I have loved you into action, and I invite all parishioners to support the mission work of the Catholic Church by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife."

- Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

**Today is ShareLife - May 7, 2017
Thank you for your generosity.**

Marian Retreat

Marian Day Retreat with Michael H. Brown, Catholic author and founder of www.SpiritDaily.com. Topics: The Afterlife, Spiritual Warfare, Family Healing, Prophecy, Reclaiming Christianity. Saturday May 20 from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm. at Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Dr., Toronto, M3C 1Z3. Tickets: \$20/adult in advance (\$25/door), \$10/student. www.MarianDay.ca. Telephone 416-251-4245.

**Archdiocesan Day of Prayer
Friday, May 12, 2017**

On this day, Cardinal Collins has asked that we all take the time, as a community, to pray for all vocations; priesthood, religious and consecrated life. During this time, we also ask that you pray for our five soon-to-be priests along with all those who are discerning or who are currently in formation. For more information, please contact your parish office, call the Office of Vocations at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org.

**Project Rachel
Private and Confidential**

Do not be far off and alone any longer. Come near. We can help. Call 416-629-8264 or e-mail ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org. A weekend retreat for women whose hearts have been broken by abortion: June 2-4, 2017.

"With your rod and your staff that give me courage."
Psalm 23

**Retreat Weekend for Single Women
Ages 20-55**

Given by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Toronto

Place: The Sisters' home in Orillia (car-pooling is available)

When: Friday, May 26 through Sunday, May 28

Cost: \$150 (subsidies available)

For Registration Contact: Frances Harrison-Atell at fharrison-atell@csj-to-ca, or phone 416-467-2642

Registration Deadline: Monday, May 15, 2017

The **National March for Life** event takes place on Parliament Hill in Ottawa on Thursday, May 11th. 2017 marks the 20th anniversary of the National March for Life, and attending this year's March would be a fitting way to celebrate the 150th anniversary of Canada's Confederation. The March for Life theme this year reflects Canadians' love for this great nation and all its people: "Life, We Stand On Guard For Thee!"



Please join us in this important witness for Life. St. John the Evangelist will have a bus leaving from our parking lot on Thursday, May 11 at 7:00 a.m. (Mass at 6:00 a.m. before departure). Cost: \$45.00. Depart Ottawa 3:00 p.m. and approximate arrival back at St. John the Evangelist is 8:30 p.m. If you are interested, please call the parish office.