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MARCH 30 & 31, 2019 – Fourth Sunday of Lent



| Day/Time | Date | Intentions |
|---------------|--|---|
| Sat. 5:00pm | March 30 | + Manuel & Coralia da Silva requested by Debbie & Danny da Silva |
| Sun. 9:30am | March 31 | People of the Parish |
| Sun. 11:00am | March 31 | + Nguyen and Kemp families requested by the Kemp family |
| Tues. 9:00am | April 2 <i>St. Francis of Paola, Hermit</i> | + George Bandera Sr. requested by the Bandera family |
| Wed. 9:00am | April 3 | No Mass Intentions |
| Thurs. 9:00am | April 4 <i>St. Isidore, Bishop</i> | + Diane O'Reilly requested by Ginny, Jim Hughes and family |
| Fri. 9:00am | April 5 <i>St. Vincent Ferrer, Priest</i> | For Vocations, Priests & Religious |
| Sat. 5:00pm | April 6 | People of the Parish |
| Sun. 9:30am | April 7 | In thanksgiving and for ongoing blessings for Lucas Hicks requested by his family |
| | April 7 | + Charles Worth requested by Betty & Lawson Ratcliffe |

The Collection on March 23 and 24 was \$2,411.70

Last years collection on March 24 and 25, was \$1,772.40

The second collection next weekend is for the Maintenance Fund for March

The Sunday Offertory Collection and PAG are our only viable source of income.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

Stations of the Cross

The Stations of the Cross is a spiritual exercise to remind us about our Lord's Passion and Death. All his suffering was to save us from the bondage of sin. The Stations of the Cross will be celebrated on every Fridays in Lent.

Schedule

| Date | Time |
|----------|------------------------|
| April 5 | After the 9:00 am Mass |
| April 12 | 7:00 pm |

Lenten Reflection Opportunity

Join your fellow parishioners to reflect on Lenten themes after the 5 p.m. Mass on Saturday, April 6 from 6 - 7 p.m. This is an opportunity to share our Lenten journey. There is no registration required: come when you are able.

Return to the Lord: A Family Night of Reflection

Please join us on Thursday, April 11 from 6:00 – 8:00 pm in the Church Hall for a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Lenten Reflection on the Parable of the Prodigal Son. Children of all ages are welcome with their parents and / or grandparents. Families will work together on age appropriate activities. We will close with an opportunity for Confession. RSVP to Anna Boyagoda at aboyagoda@archtoronto.org



From **March 31-April 6, 2019**, each parish in the Archdiocese of Toronto will be holding a **Day of Confessions**. This week, let us make the journey into the heart of our relationship with God. Take a long, loving look at the ways God calls us to grow. Take this challenge and hold it in readiness for the rich blessing that is manifest in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In our parish, the schedule for confessions is as follows:

April 3: 9:30 am - 10:30 am, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
and
April 11: 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Gardening Angels 2019 - calling all green thumbs!

Spring is here! The Corpus Christi Gardening Angels are looking forward to expanding our beautiful gardens in the spirit of being a welcoming and inviting member of our Beaches community. We are now seeking help and donations of the following: 1) Construction expertise and materials (especially lumber) to help build a Children's Garden, 2) Financial contributions or garden centre gift cards, 3) Garden supplies - perennials from your own garden, large rocks, mulch, etc. 4) Gardeners - all are welcome, including families and children!

We'll begin the construction phases in early May, with garden design and planting to take place on Saturdays throughout May and June. Financial donations can be delivered to the parish office.

If you wish to volunteer your construction expertise, get involved as a gardener, or donate supplies, please contact Andie at a.chalmers.ozimec@gmail.com. We appreciate confirmation of all donations and supplies by Friday, April 19.

Confirmation Sessions

Parents who have signed up their children for Confirmation Preparations are requested to follow the schedule for the entire sessions.

Rite of Inscription for the Confirmation candidates is on April 7 at the 11:00 am Mass.

Sanctuary Candle, Candles at Mother Mary's Altar and Altar Flowers



The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week for the intentions of **Beverley Bay-on.**

The Candles at Mother Mary's Altar are lit this week for the repose of the soul of **Anthony Redegeld** requested by Elizabeth Redegeld

We are requesting the parishioners to sponsor a **Sanctuary Candle (\$20.00)** or **Candles at Mother Mary's Altar (\$15.00)** or **Altar Flowers (\$50.00)**, for your intentions or in memory of a deceased loved one. For more information or to place your request please contact the parish office @ 416 694 0382.



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Locally and around the world

Archdiocesan Goal: \$ 13.8 Million
Our Parish Goal: \$ 48,500. 00

"It is important that we continue to support the ShareLife appeal, to provide for the needs of the marginalized both here in our communities and around the world. Sometimes the results are obvious and sometimes they're invisible, but always they make a tangible difference in the lives of the people we are helping. **Please prayerfully consider how you can be supportive today on ShareLife Sunday.**"

— Cardinal Thomas Collins

Today is ShareLife Sunday
Thank you for your generosity

CCCB Statement Following Attacks At Mosques in New Zealand



On behalf of the Catholic Bishops of Canada, CCCB President Bishop Lionel Gendron, PSS, addressed a letter to the Muslim community to extend condolences and to express solidarity and support following the shootings that took place in Al Noor Mosque and Linwood Mosque, in Christchurch, New Zealand. Visit: https://www.cccb.ca/site/images/stories/pdf/shooting_at_two_mosques_in_new_zealand_en.pdf

We continue to pray for those injured and killed in the violent attacks. May places of prayer serve as sanctuaries of peace, free from violence and hatred.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday

Blessing and distribution of palms at all Masses.
Saturday, April 14 – 5:00 pm
Sunday, April 15 – 9:30 am & 11:00 am

April 18 - Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:00 pm
Adoration until 9:30

April 19 - Good Friday

Good Friday Service - 3:00pm
Stations of the Cross - 7:00pm

April 20 - Holy Saturday

Solemn Easter Vigil - 8:00pm

April 21 Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of the Lord - 9:30am and 11:00am

Easter Flowers



We are inviting everyone to sponsor Easter flowers for the sanctuary. Envelopes are in the pews. Corpus Christi would like to thank you for your support and consideration.

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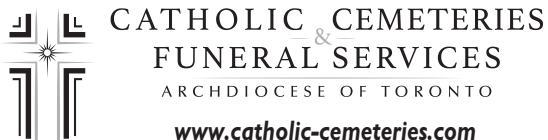


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