

Easter Sunday

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9am Mass (Mon-Sat) 5:15pm Sat (Sunday Vigil)

In Person Mass

Registration not required for weekday Mass.

Mon-Sat: 9am

Register for weekend Masses here.

Sat Vigil: 5:15pm **Sun**: 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm

Private Prayer and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays: 7:00pm - 8:30pm Wed & Fri: 10:00am - 12n0on

Confession

Confession is held on Mondays & Fridays during Private Prayer times.

COVID Safety Rules at OLS Learn more here

EASTER GREETINGS

Watch Fr. Chris' Easter Greeting by clicking on the video below.

"With the Lord on our side we can face all the challenges that life may throw at us." - Fr. Chris

We wish all our parishioners and their families a very blessed Easter.



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Final Confirmation Session Sun. April 11, 2021 @ 2 pm

If you need any additional information, please contact Gabriella

PRAYER CORNER

Christ our life, you are alive - in the beauty of the earth, in the rhythm of the seasons, in the mystery of time and space Alleluia

Christ our life, you are alive - in the tenderness of touch, in the heartbeat of intimacy, in the insights of solitude Alleluia

Christ our life, you are alive - in the creative possibility of the dullest conversation, of the dreariest task, the most threatening event Alleluia

Christ our life, you are alive - to offer re-creation to every unhealed hurt, to every deadened place, to every damaged heart Alleluia.

You set before us a great choice. Therefore, we choose life. The dance of resurrection soars and surges through the whole creation. This is grace, dving we live. So let us live.

- Kathy Galloway

My dear friends, I pray that you and your loved ones are healthy and managing through these challenging days. For many, it feels as though our Lenten journey has been a year long period of sacrifice and penance... While we are all feeling drained by the restrictions in place, we know that these are temporary measures with a beginning and an end. Sadly, the number of positive Covid-19 cases in our province are on the rise once again with more than 7,000 lives lost and many sick in hospital. We pray that health and safety measures, along with vaccinating the public as soon as possible will allow us to gather together without celebrate restrictions to the Eucharist, the source and summit of faith.

I fully recognize that this Holy Week, (has been) frustrating for many Catholics in our archdiocese who were unable to reserve a space for services. Thank you for your patience understanding. and dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass remains in place at this time. We are grateful to our clergy and parish staff with many parishes additional adding services accommodate as many as possible. I also extend my gratitude to the thousands of volunteers who have worked so faithfully to ensure that our churches remain a safe place to gather in prayer.

Read the Cardinals full message here.



We have some updates on this ShareLife vear's campaign! As we kickoff our season of giving for this year, we can reflect on how we can Live the Gospel by sharing our

blessings.

Our first ShareLife Sunday for this year is April 18th. The needs of the organizations we support have grown so we are striving to reach our same goal as last year. For this year's campaign our parish goal is \$425,000.00.

At Easter we give thanks to Our Lord for the everlasting love He gave us through His life and Resurrection. Thankful for our blessings, in our ShareLife campaign we are asked to live the Gospel by making our own sacrificial gift to support those in need.

Monthly giving is a convenient way to spread your ShareLife contribution over the course of a year (PAG or Credit Card). Our parish envelope sets have the unrevised ShareLife dates on them. Please give whenever it is convenient. We accept donations to ShareLife throughout the year. You may give in the usual way through the parish collection or the mail slot at the parish office. You may also now contribute via credit card at OLS. To donate online, you may go to sharelife.org for both monthly and one-time credit card donations.

Thanks to generous donors like you, ShareLife agencies helped 150,000 people locally last year. Your gift:

- enabled 21,000 people to receive affordable mental health care through family service agencies
- ensured nearly 7,000 seniors received dignified care
- facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto
- helped nearly 1,900 young pregnant/parenting women and their babies receive loving support
- invested in our Church's future by supporting 54 seminarians at St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary in the current academic year.

KIDSWORD



Join Alicia as we learn how, by rising from the

dead, Jesus gave us hope that we will join him in heaven one day and give us the gift of peace.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Easter has arrived and Gordon Mansell, our Music Director, has selected "Antiphon" for us to listen to and enjoy. Visit our <u>Music Ministry Playlist</u> on our YouTube Channel to listen and learn more about the recording.









MASS INTENTIONS – April 5th – 11th

Mon. ♥Emilio Ragnoni by family

Tue. **♦**TP Michael by Pulickunnel family

Wed. ‡Dianne Humphreys by Mary Ellen Stiles **Thurs**. ‡Mario Mendoza by Violeta Mendoza

Fri. †Xavier Sequeira by Shaun Sequeira

Sat. 9am

5:15pm – Dixie Wickham by family

Sun 8am

9:30am

11am - Parish Intentions

12:30pm



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