

## **OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH**

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Call the office for info on:

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

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#### FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

We often think of love as an emotion. But Jesus tells us to love one another. That means that love is something we can train ourselves to do. So it is important to understand that love is not really an emotion. Emotions are feelings and reactions to what is happening around us. Love is a decision.

So love is being patient when that really annoying person is talking. It is being kind, even when someone is unkind to us. It means letting go of jealousy when someone else makes the basketball team and we did not. It means lifting people up instead of them down. It means tearing forgiving. And it means trulv wanting what is best for the other person.

Loving can be really difficult. It often means sacrificing what we want for the good of another person. Jesus showed us this example. He sacrificed his life for us. Hopefully we will never need to die for another person, but sometimes we have to die to our own wants or our pettiness.

When Jesus says, "Love one another as I have loved you" he is telling us we are going to need to make some sacrifices for each other.

#### LIVING YOUR FAITH

#### **Mass Schedule**

Mon-Sat: 9am Sat (Vigil Mass): 5:15pm (livestream) Sun: 8am,9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm

**Rosary Mon-Sat** – 8:25am

Private Prayer & Exposition
Mon: 7:00pm8:30pm

**Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help Tuesdays** - before 9am daily Mass

Confession Mondays: 7pm-8:30pm Fridays: 8am-8:45am

Click here to access the OLS YouTube Channel & Livestream Mass



## **PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

#### For Catholic students in Grades 1-7 inclusive who are attending non-Catholic Schools

Registration is now open for the School Year 2022-2023! Our ministry provides the religious education curriculum followed by the TCDSB.

Currently classes are online Monday evenings from 7:00-7:40pm. Attendance mandatory for children wishing to receive their sacraments at OLS Church. Visit our website for more information and to register.

#### RELIGIOUS ED VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!

Participation of parents, parishioners, high school/university students and student teachers is necessary to this run program. **Previous** teaching experience is an asset but not a requirement. Visit our <u>website</u> learn more about these volunteer roles and information on how to forward your CV.

#### **BIBLE STUDY**

"A Biblical Walk Through the Mass," is an engaging five-part overview of the Liturgy and its biblical roots.

It will be offered as a hybrid program on Thursdays from 7-8:30 pm, May 26th-June 23rd.

Please watch this <u>video</u> from Ryan for details on registering or visit our website for more information.

#### LEARN PARTS OF THE MASS

The Wednesday series on Understanding the Mass continues with the 4th installment: The Homily, Creed & General Intercessions. Visit our website on Wednesday to view the video.

#### COVID 19 VACCINE BOOSTER DOSES

All are encouraged to visit the <u>Government of Canada's website</u> or <u>Canada.ca/covid-vaccine</u> for more information. Stay safe

## LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

Our young parishioners (aged 4-10 years) are invited to participate in the Liturgy of the Word with Children every Sunday at the 9:30am Mass.

There is no cost and registration is not required. The children gather after the opening hymn, process to the hall for their liturgy and return to their families after the intercessions.

## SUMMER CAMP TOTUS TUUS

July 10-15, 2022 we are hosting a week-long summer camp.

Children & Teens will be sharing the Catholic faith through songs, skits, games, Masses and more!

Visit our <u>website</u> for information on how to register or volunteer.

#### COFFEE FRIDAY THANK YOU!

Our monthly Coffee Fridays resumed on May 6 following the 9am Mass. There was a great turnout as parishioners shared treats they had provided, reconnected with each other and met new people. All are welcome to join us on the first Friday of June for the next event.

#### **SHARELIFE**

Our parish is almost half way to our goal of \$480,000. Cardinal Collins encourages each one of us to join today's generation of heroes by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife. Our next ShareLife Sunday is June 5, however donations are welcome at any time. Thank you for living the Gospel!

#### POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS

and Collection next weekend!

This collection allows the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding victims of war, famine & natural disasters.

#### **ORDINATIONS**

We pray for the transitional deacons being ordained to the priesthood this weekend: Rev Alexander D'Silva, Rev Eduardo Lopez, Rev Adam Pantaleo & Rev Fraser McLaren. Join the cathedral's livestream Sat., May 14 at 10am for the Sacrament of Holy Orders.

#### **ONTARIO ELECTION**

Town Halls sponsored by ECULINKS Etobicoke & Etobicoke Climate Action

- Tues., May 17 at 7pm for Etobicoke-Lakeshore
- Wed., May 18 at 7pm

Click here for more information.

Please note that the Archdiocesan debate has been cancelled as one of the major parties has opted out of all candidate debates. Visit <a href="https://www.archtoronto.org/election">www.archtoronto.org/election</a> for resources.

#### **MUSIC MINISTRY**

Gordon's final offering in his series covering 114 weeks of musical outreach is the Finale from Charles Marie Widor's 6th symphony performed by Notre Dame (Ottawa) organist, Jennifer Loveless at Toronto's St. Basil's Church. Thank you Gordon, for sharing your love of music with the parish during these difficult times. The videos are archived and can be enjoyed at any time. Visit our <u>Music Ministry Playlist</u> on our YouTube Channel to listen and learn more.

#### **OLS ADULT CHOIR**

The parish adult choir will commence practicing in preparation for regular Sunday service at the 11:00am Mass. All who would like to share their love of singing are welcome. Rehearsals are held in the church on Thursday nights at 8:00pm.

#### **ORGANIX CONCERT**

This Wednesday, May 18 (12:30-1:30pm), the Organix Concerts Kingsway Series presents organist Stefani Bedin in concert at OLS. Free-will offerings gratefully accepted.

#### MASS INTENTIONS - May 16-22, 2022

**Mon.** †Mary Brennan by Anne & Bob Shiley

**Tues.** Fr. Rob Van Alstyne by Virginia Mervar

**Wed.** Patrick Hearne by OLS Rosary Group

Thurs. †Leslie Rolko by Inis & Gordon Mansell

Fri. †Mary Kennedy by Johanna Farrar

Sat. 9am †Fiovo Palumbo by family; †Keane Family Members by family; †Hilda Beatriz Arrarte by Neriza Dayao; †Aby Mejia by Irene Neri, Teresa & Ann Mervar, Amelia Almirol

5:15pm † Irene & † Rona Newton-John by Michael Foran

Sun. 8am †Veronica Corlevic by Alfrida Corlevic

9:30am † Ludvik Jakopin by Irena & family

11:00am Parish Intentions

12:30pm †Catherine Craig by Alma Brousseau



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