

OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH

Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:30 am - 4:00 pm 3055 Bloor St. W, Etobicoke ON M8X 1C6 416-231-6016 office@sorrows.ca www.sorrows.ca

Mass Schedule

Weekdays (Monday to Saturday): 9:00 am

Saturday Vigil: 5:15 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am*, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm *Children's Liturgy of the Word (ages 4-10 yrs.)
Rosary is prayed Monday to Saturday at 8:25 am

Adoration

Mondays 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Reconciliation

Monday: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm Saturday: 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

By appointment - call the parish office

May 26, 2024

Fr. Chris Cauchi, *Pastor*Mr. Sarfaraz Pinto, *Permanent Deacon*Elise Lee, *Family Life Minister*Gordon D. Mansell, M. Mus, *Music Director*

Call the office for info on:

Sacrament of Baptism - Families must be registered, regularly attending Mass, supporting the good works of the church and involved in parish life. Parents are invited to attend a baptism preparation session every third week of the month.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (**RCIA**) - This program is for adults interested in joining the Catholic Church.

Sacrament of Marriage - Parishioners must be registered and regularly attending Mass. Please contact us one year prior to your requested wedding date.

Pastoral References - You must be a registered parishioner, attending Sunday Mass regularly, participating in the sacramental and pastoral life of the Church community, be serving in a parish ministry (e.g. lector, catechist) on an on going basis, and be in good canonical standing within the Church.

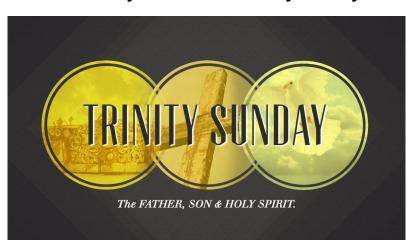
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Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity



In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus say to us, "I am with you always, even until the end of the world (Matt. 28:20)." Through Baptism, the Holy Trinity came to dwell in our souls forever. The indwelling presence of God should not only remain within us, but His presence should transform us from within. His loving presence can make us more and more like Him.

In reference to the Ascension of Jesus, St. Leo the Great said in his Sermon 72.3, "For by ascending into heaven He does not desert His adopted; but from above strengthens to endurance, those whom He invites upwards to glory."

Like His disciples after the Ascension and Pentecost, Jesus is present to us in a new way. Of course, He is in heaven. However, He is also at work within and through us as His Body on earth. By approaching the sacraments and being intimate in prayer before God, we can re-experience the indwelling presence of God within us. We can take great consolation that despite our weaknesses and sins, God wants us to carry out his saving mission on earth and help each other get to heaven. The fullness of God's presence in heaven will be our ultimate fulfillment.



Adoration is where we meet the merciful love of God that passes through the Heart of Jesus Christ ~ *St. Pope John Paul II.* **Reconciliation** is the sacrament of the tenderness of God, His way of embracing us. ~ *Pope Francis*.

Adoration and Confessions takes place Monday evenings from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm in the church.

Your ShareLife supports goes beyond borders

ShareLife isn't just local. Your ShareLife gift extends mercy and justice to people beyond our borders by supporting the humanitarian projects of our agencies, particularly those that prioritize taking care of hungry children in vulnerable communities.

"We are so incredibly grateful to you, ShareLife and your supporters, for your steadfast commitment to our vision that no child should go hungry in this world of plenty. On behalf of all the children you have helped, thank you." – *Keli Marshall, Mary's Meals Canada*

Thus far we have raised \$268,577 toward our goal of \$500,000.

The next ShareLife collection is the weekend of June 1/2. Please give generously. ShareLife envelopes are available at the church entrance, online through our <u>parish website</u>, or at <u>sharelife.org/donate</u>.

Thank you for living the Gospel!

Monthly Maintenance Update

Your support for next weekend's Maintenance Collection is greatly appreciated.

This past month our care for the OLS property included:

- Church Roof \$7,899
- Security \$5,715
- Church Doors \$1,798
- Grounds Care \$1.854
- Painting (upper exterior Stained Glass window frames) \$11,537
- Audio Visual \$326
- HVAC \$194

Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)

The PAG Program allows parishioners to make a single monthly donation through their bank account to cover weekly offertory and/or special collections. To enroll go to https://bit.ly/3RCTJlw

Coffee Friday



The next Coffee Friday will be held on Friday, June 7. Everyone is welcome to gather in the parish hall following the

9:00 am Mass. Coffee & tea are provided. Parishioners are welcome to bring treats to share.



<u>Totus Tuus Summer Camp!</u> Children and youth are invited to join us for day camp (gr. 1-6) or evening program (gr. 7-12). Totus Tuus is an archdiocesan program where young adults and seminarians are trained and sent to different parishes to run programs that bring fun and faith together through songs, games, prayer, Mass, and catechism.

Day camp runs from July 8-12, 8:45 am to 2:30 pm in the parish hall. Cost is \$125. Late pickup (2:30 pm to 4:00 pm) available upon request. Fee: \$20 per child. Email totustuus@sorrows.ca to make arrangements.

Evening program runs from July 7-12, 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm in the parish hall. Cost is \$75 (evening program). Sibling discounts are available. For inquiries, email totustuus@sorrows.ca. Registration packages available at the back of the church or online at www.sorrows.ca.

Be part of our Totus Tuus Team! We are looking for volunteers: adults, young adults, and high school students (Gr. 9-12). Volunteer hours provided. Email Elise at totustuus@sorrows.ca.



A Guided Nature Walk of Christians and First Peoples Unity - Sunday, June 9, 2:00 - 3:30 pm.

Meeting point: East Entrance to West Deane Park off Martin Grove Road, west of the parking lot at 2 pm. Aspects of the traditional '7 Grandfather Teachings' will be presented, highlighting the similarity of values between First Peoples teachings and the Christian Faith. Facilitated by Julia and Adam Kozak. To register, please e-mail aboutbeingcatholic@gmail.com. Free of charge and limited to 50 participants.

The Palliative Care HopeLine - HopeLine is open to individuals in the Archdiocese of Toronto's catchment area who are interested in discovering palliative/end-of-life support services and holistic care for themselves, their caregivers and extended family and friends. This resource seeks to connect people with services that align with the Catholic faith. If you are in search of hospice palliative care resources and services in your community, call the HopeLine at 416-619-5700. Please note – this service is an information line and is not an emergency or crisis line – in case of an emergency please call 911.

Estate Planning from a Catholic Perspective: Free Webinar Saturday, June 8 at 9:00 am. The Archdiocese of Toronto & Catholic Cemeteries Estate Planning Team will discuss: How YOU can avoid problems: in your Will; with the Power of Attorney & through proper Estate Trustee selection; how to create your personal Catholic legacy; our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burials and funerals. To register: scan the QR code or email development@archtoronto.org using "Estate Planning - June 8" in the subject line and including your Name in the body of the message.



Corpus Christi Mass & Procession



All are welcome to join the Most Reverend Francis Leo, Archbishop of Toronto, for a Corpus Christi Mass & Procession at Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.)

on Sunday, June 2, 2024 following the Noon Mass. A short procession (30-45 minutes) will take place in the vicinity surrounding the cathedral ending with a Solemn Benediction followed by fellowship.

Join **MOSAIC** on its third international tour! Our Music Director Gordon Mansell invites you on Nov. 16, 2024 for a remarkable 14-day tour to Sicily, Southern and Northern Italy. You can join the tour as a singer or as a pilgrim.

For more details and to sign up, call or text Gordon at 416-571-3680.

International Eucharistic Congress Quito, Ecuador from September 8-15, 2024

Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation!



To learn more about the pilgrimage, visit www.archtoronto.org/iec. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from Toronto to join with

the Canadian delegation. Registration deadline is June 6.



May 27 to June 2

Mon. Int. of Marcin Molek by Barbara Horl

Tue. †Tom Leo by Tony & Cathy Dodds

Wed. †Tony Czapla by Nada Sego

Thu. †Delia Montoya by Delia Urosevic

Fri. †Maria Niro & †Rita Bradden by Parent & Manion families

Sat. †Isilda Lopes by Cristina & Sergio Lopes

Sat. 5:15pm Parish Intentions

Sun. 8:00am †Nino Cecchini by family

9:30am Int. of Helen & Joseph Sobczyk

11:00am Living & Deceased Goseco, Valencia &

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12:30pm †Richard Ruebusch by OLS staff

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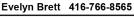
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