



ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL BASILICA

THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF HIS EMINENCE THOMAS CARDINAL COLLINS,
ARCHBISHOP OF TORONTO

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CATHEDRAL SCHEDULE:

Sunday Masses:

5:00 PM (Saturday Vigil)
8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon,
5:00 PM & 9:00 PM

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday:
7:00 AM, 8:00 AM, 12:10 PM & 5:30 PM
Saturday: 8:00 AM & 12:10 PM

Confessions:

Monday to Friday: 11:30 AM – 12:00 Noon
Saturday: 3:00 – 4:45 PM
Sunday: 9:15 – 9:45 AM, 11:15 – 11:45 AM,
4:15 – 4:45 PM, 8:15 – 8:45 PM

Rosary:

Monday to Saturday: 11:45 AM

Exposition of the Eucharist:

Monday to Friday:
Following the 12:10 PM Mass

Daily Devotion & Benediction:

Monday to Friday: 5:10 PM

Cathedral Hours:

Monday to Friday: 6:30 AM – 6:30 PM
Saturday: 7:30 AM – 6:30 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM – 10:30 PM

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday: 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Mass Intentions & Memorial Lamps:

Offerings can be made at the Parish Office
7 days a week from 8:30 AM to 6:30 PM.

PARISH TEAM:

Rector:

Rev. Edward J. Curtis

Associates:

Rev. Favin Alemão
Rev. Alexander MacDonald

Lay Pastoral Associates:

Dolly Ducepec
Theresa Culliton

Operations Manager:

Caroline Fernandez

Cathedral Organist:

William O'Meara

Ryerson Catholic

Campus Ministry:

Chaplain: Rev. Edward Curtis
Director: Nathan Gibbard
www.ryersoncatholic.ca

PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Michael's Choir School:

66 Bond Street | 416-393-5518
Principal: Linton Soares
Exec. Director: Stephen Handrigan
www.smcs.on.ca

St. Michael Catholic Elementary:

50 George Street | 416-393-5387
Principal: Lisa McMillan
www.stmichael.tcdsb.org

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & FUNERALS:

Please call the Parish office or visit our website for details.
Weddings must be booked a minimum of one year in advance.



HOME OF THE RENOWNED ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL:

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defence against the wickedness and the snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 17:

7:00 AM Priest's Intention
 8:00 AM Priest's Intention
 12:10 PM Veronica Galeon Giugovaz (I)
 5:30 PM Margaret Medon (I)

Tuesday, December 18:

7:00 AM Priest's Intention
 8:00 AM Reynaldo Paez (D)
 12:10 PM John Cunha (D)
 Geraldine Fahy (D)
 Jey Indiraraj (I)
 5:30 PM Sr. Mary Hoang (D)

Wednesday, December 19:

7:00 AM Priest's Intention
 8:00 AM Priest's Intention
 12:10 PM Vittoria Pillegi (D)
 Delfina Fernandes (D)
 Jean Luc Delay (D)
 Paul Delay (D)
 For the repose of the souls of those laid
 to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries
 5:30 PM Aldous & Michelle Silva (I)

Thursday, December 20:

7:00 AM Priest's Intention
 8:00 AM Priest's Intention
 12:10 PM Douglas. S. Rector (D)
 5:30 PM Lt. Juan Victoriano (D)

Friday, December 21:

7:00 AM Priest's Intention
 8:00 AM Magdaleno & Elena Almeda (D)
 12:10 PM St. Michael's Cathedral Staff (I)
 5:30 PM Priest's Intention

Saturday, December 22:

8:00 AM Mary Gillis (D)
 12:10 PM Giovanni Morassutti (D)
 Angel Lawig (D)
 Saturnino Lawig (D)
 Hans Gunther Abromeit (D)
 Aura Sofia Moncada (D)

SUNDAY MISSALS

2019 Sunday Missals are available at the parish office and at the gift store (during store hours) at a cost of \$5.00 each.

MEMORIAL LAMP TRANSEPTS

MONTH OF DECEMBER

Sacred Heart

Arlene & Alex
 Bontogon-Knox (I)
 Owen McGillicuddy (D)
 Francisco Jr. & Adoracion Romero (D)

Immaculate Heart

Estrella & Simeon Bontogon (D)
 Dr. James Garrity (D)
 Francisco Jr. & Adoracion Romero (D)

SECOND COLLECTION

Our upcoming second collection will be for
Christmas Day.

CHRISTMAS 2018 CONFESSION AND MASS SCHEDULE

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| CONFESSIONS – DECEMBER 2018 |
| There will be no change to the confession schedule from December 1 until December 23. |

There will be **NO CONFESSIONS** from
Monday, December 24, 2018 to Friday, December 28, 2018.
 Regular Confession Schedule resumes
 on Saturday, December 29, 2018.

| CHRISTMAS EVE – MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2018 | |
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| 5:00 PM | Christmas Eve Mass St. Michael's Choir School Elementary Choir |
| 7:15 PM | Carols St. Michael's Choir School – Senior Choir |
| 8:00 PM | Christmas Eve Mass St. Michael's Choir School – Senior Choir |
| 11:15 PM | Carols St. Michael's Choir School – Senior Choir |
| 12:00 Midnight | Christmas Eve Midnight Mass St. Michael's Choir School – Senior Choir |

| CHRISTMAS DAY – TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2018 | |
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| 8:00 AM | Christmas Day Mass Cantor & Organist |
| 10:00 AM | Christmas Day Mass Vespers Choir |
| 12:00 Noon | Christmas Day Mass St. Michael's Choir School – Junior Choir |

*All Masses are first come, first seated.
 We recommend arriving at least one hour before each of the
 Carol Services on Christmas Eve.*

The full Christmas 2018 and New Year 2019
 Mass Schedule will be available on our website and at the
 entrance of the Cathedral.

FAITH CALENDARS

The 2019 Faith calendars are available for purchase at the parish office and at the Gift Store during store hours for \$5.00 each.

DECEMBER 16, 2018

ADVENT LESSONS AND CAROLS

Part of the St. Michael's Concerts

Tuesday, December 18 at 7:00 PM

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

With the Choirs of St. Michael's Choir School

Lessons and Carols is a service of Christian worship celebrating the coming birth of Jesus at Christmas. It tells the story of the fall of humanity, the promise of the Messiah, and the birth of Jesus in short readings of scripture and in sacred song. St. Michael's Choir School will offer seasonal choral music and lead all in favourite Advent hymns. Suggested donation is \$25.00. All are welcome. Seating is on a first come, first seated basis.

808 TORONTO YOUNG ADULTS

808 Toronto is a great chance for young adults to spend time with the Lord and each other. Every other Thursday, we have Adoration, Holy Mass and a social afterwards with confessions available during Adoration. This coming **Thursday, December 20**, we will be joined by **His Eminence Cardinal Collins** beginning at **7:00PM** for a special Advent celebration. For more information, please visit www.808toronto.com.

50+ GROUP

Mini Advent Retreat

Tuesday, December 18 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

St. John's Chapel (200 Church Street)

CATHEDRAL GIFT STORE ADDITIONAL HOURS

The Gift Store will be open for approximately 30 minutes after the 12:10 PM Mass from

Monday, December 17 to Friday, December 21.

***Please note: The Gift Store will be closed on
December 24, 25 and 26.***

Regular store hours are still:

Saturdays after the 5:00 PM Mass

Sundays after the 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM 12:00 Noon Masses

RYERSON CATHOLICS CAMPUS MINISTRY

Are you a University or College student? You are invited to join us after the **5 PM Sunday Mass**, for some study time and fellowship in the **Ryerson Catholic Student Centre** (200 Church St.). We will meet at the front of the Cathedral (Bond St.) after Mass and walk over to the student centre.

HYMNS AND ACCLAMATIONS

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| Entrance hymn | WAA 19 |
| O come, O come, Emmanuel | |
| Kyrie from Mass for the Parishes | WAA 505A |
| Responsorial Psalm | WAA 605 |
| <i>Shout aloud and sing for joy: great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel.</i> | |
| Gospel Acclamation | WAA 809 |
| Offertory hymn | WAA 18 |
| People, look East | |
| Sanctus | WAA 508 |
| Memorial Acclamation 1 | WAA 509 |
| Amen | WAA 512 |
| Agnus Dei | WAA 513 |
| Communion hymn | WAA 7 |
| Creator of the stars of night | |
| Concluding hymn | WAA 11 |
| There's a voice in the wilderness crying | |

CHORAL MUSIC

SENIOR SOPRANO AND ALTO CHOIR - SAT. 5 PM

Introit

Gaudete in Domino Plainsong
Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say rejoice. Indeed, the Lord is near. Do not be anxious over anything; but in all manner of prayer, let your requests be made known unto God. Lord, you have blessed you land; you have put an end to Jacob's captivity. (Philippians 4: 4-6; Psalm 84: 2)

Kyrie and Agnus Dei from Messe basse Gabriel Fauré

Offertory
Rejoice greatly Healey Willan

Communion
Dicite pusilanimes Plainsong
Say to the faint of heart: Be strong and do not fear. Behold, our God will come, and he will save us. (Isaiah 35: 4)

O salutaris André Caplet
O saving victim, opening wide the gate of heaven to all below. Our foes press on from every side. Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

JUNIOR CHOIR - SUN. 10 AM

Offertory
Prepare thyself, Zion Johann Sebastian Bach

Communion
Rejoice greatly Healey Willan

SENIOR TENOR AND BASS CHOIR - SUN. 12 PM

Introit

Gaudete in Domino Plainsong
(translation above)

Kyrie and Agnus Dei from Missa de angelis Plainsong

Offertory
E'en so, Lord, quickly come Paul Manz

Communion
Dicite pusilanimes Plainsong
(translation above)

Lo, how a rose e'er blooming Michael Praetorius

ORGAN VOLUNTARIES

SAT. 4:45 PM, SUN. 9:45 & 11:45 AM

Prelude

Méditation Gabriel Dupont

O come Emmanuel Daniel Pinkham
Variations on an Advent Hymn

Postlude

Sonata IV (Op. 65) Felix Mendelssohn
I. Allegro con brio