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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: 7:30 AM,  
12:10 PM & 5:30 PM  
Saturday: 7:30 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 Blessed Sacrament:

Monday to Friday:  
Following the 12:10 PM Mass

### Cathedral Hours:

Monday to Saturday: 7:00 AM – 6:30 PM  
Sunday: 7:30 AM – 10:00 PM

### Office Hours:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
Saturday: 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM  
Sunday: 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM

### Mass or Memorial Lamp Intentions:

Offerings can be made at the Parish Office  
during office hours.

## PARISH TEAM:

### Rector:

Rev. Frank Portelli

### Associates:

Rev. Cole Powers  
Rev. Kevin Adriano  
Rev. Dennise Joy (St. Stephen's  
Chapel)

### Lay Pastoral Associates:

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### Toronto Met Catholics Ministry:

**Chaplain:** Rev. Frank Portelli

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## PARISH SCHOOLS:

### St. Michael's Choir School:

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**Principal:** Miles Fernandes

**Exec. Director:** Geoffrey Rawlinson

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[www.tcdsb.org/schools/stmichael](http://www.tcdsb.org/schools/stmichael)



## 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.



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**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL:** St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and 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.

# FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, March 10

**7:30 AM** Lizette Wong Chan Chuk Yin (D)

**12:10 PM** Valdene Endaya Dizon (D)

Celia Correa (D)

Emerson Mills (D)

Elena Panganiban Jose (I)

Caroline Fernandez (I)

**5:30 PM** Lazano Fernandez (D)

### Tuesday, March 11

**7:30 AM** Bernadette Tow-Ying  
& Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)

**12:10 PM** Valeriy Rostorguyev (D)

Valdene Endaya Dizon (D)

Carmel D'Souza (D)

Albina Keyes (D)

Therese Mary Woods (D)

**5:30 PM** David Huges (D)

### Wednesday, March 12

**7:30 AM** Therese Foong Yin  
& Thomas Wong Hok Khiam (D)

**12:10 PM** Joseph Humbert Savoia (D)

Valdene Endaya Dizon (D)

For the repose of the souls of those laid  
to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries

Virginia Echaluze (I)

Michelle Whang Moreno Lee

& In Chul (I)

**5:30 PM** Jimmy Lo (I)

### Thursday, March 13

**7:30 AM** Lizette Wong Chan Chuk Yin (D)

**12:10 PM** Jovencia Alo (D)

Richarda Russ (D)

Marina Nguyen (I)

Elena Mototolea (I)

Yasmin Azam Bakhitar (I)

**5:30 PM** Sandy Hatulan (D)

### Friday, March 14

**7:30 AM** Bernadette Tow-Ying  
& Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)

**12:10 PM** Ricardo Baguinho (D)

Kevin Zenas Goongar (D)

Blair Johnson (D)

Carmela Itay Enrera (I)

Robert Wilson (I)

**5:30 PM** Raymond & Helen Cuneo (D)

### Saturday, March 15

**7:30 AM** Katherine Ann Italy (I)

**12:10 PM** Teresita Obispo (D)

Charles Hobeika (D)

Sergio Tubog &

Nicolasa Tabangan (D)

Wesley Dimney (I)

Rev. Edward Curtis (I)

## MEMORIAL LAMP TRANSEPTS MARCH

Sacred Heart	Immaculate Heart
Nancy Ocampo (D)	Rev. Edward Curtis (I)
Maria Marciano (D)	Claudia Krawchuk (D)
Karina Gibbard (I)	Lilian Sbeit & Family (I)

## CARDINAL LEO'S LENTEN MESSAGE

Cardinal Leo, in his Lenten message for 2025, invites us to prepare for this Holy Season with a “heightened awareness of God’s love in our lives”. He states **“This year our Lenten observance takes on an added spiritual dimension, the Jubilee Year with its focus on Hope, born from God, born in our hearts ...** As Pilgrims of Hope, our traditional Lenten practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving help to orient our thoughts, words and deeds toward God, His Kingdom and in steadfast hope ... As Pilgrims of Hope, we walk with Christ through His suffering and death on the Cross, to a profound hope in the resurrection and witnesses to the new life that is offered to us”.

Visit our website to read the full message.

## *Lent: A Season of Renewal*

Many Lenten resources can be found online including:

- “Journey Through Lent” video series (Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops)  
<https://bit.ly/3P6qjEj>
- Lenten Retreat 2025 Daily TV Mass  
<https://bit.ly/3QKrs4z>

## RCIA

This year’s Rite of Election will take place on **Sunday March 9<sup>th</sup>** in a celebration presided over by **Most Reverend Robert Kasun, CSB**. Adult catechumens enrolled in the **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)** throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto will be presented as they prepare to celebrate the Sacraments of initiation at the Easter Vigil. Please pray for all candidates as they continue their formation, that they may grow in faith, hope, and love. May the Holy Spirit guide them through this sacred time, strengthen their hearts, and bring them closer to Christ.

**MARCH 9, 2025**

## **ANNOUNCING THE 2025 SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN**

As we approach our **first ShareLife Sunday collection on March 30<sup>th</sup>**, it is important that we come together in compassion to meet our Parish Campaign goal, addressing the growing needs in our communities.

This year, our goal is **\$169,000**. By reaching this goal, our agencies will continue to:

- offer walk-in counselling to those facing mental health issues
- help victims of domestic violence
- ensure isolated seniors are not forgotten
- distribute food to families in our community
- form priests and deacons who will minister in our parishes

Your support of ShareLife makes these programs possible, among many others. Please give using a ShareLife envelope or online through our parish website: <https://bit.ly/3EUqa1f>

Thank you for your support.

## **MASS OF ST. PATRICK**

The Annual Mass of St. Patrick will take place here on **Monday March 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM**. His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop Emeritus of Toronto, will be the presider and homilist. All are welcome. Those unable to attend can participate in the celebration via livestream at [www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live](http://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live)

## **16<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE**

The 16th annual **Dynamic Women of Faith Conference** will be held on **Saturday March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM** at the Old Mill, with a closing Mass celebrated by Bishop Kasun. This one-of-a-kind event promises to reignite your spirit and bring together like-minded women on a journey of faith, hope, and transformation.

Register at: <https://bit.ly/4hhXL6o>

## **BUILDING THE KINGDOM THROUGH APOLOGETICS**

Join Fr. Cole for the final session of Building the Kingdom through Apologetics on **March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025**. The session is from **7:00 to 8:30 PM** at the Atrium.

## **PILGRIMAGE TO ROME**

Join us on pilgrimage to Italy as part of the Jubilee Year 2025 celebration. This trip is scheduled from **October 4 – 13, 2025** under the spiritual leadership of **Fr. Kevin Adriano**. Sites visited will include Assisi, Casia, Loreto, San Giovanni Rotondo, Pietrelcina, Monte Cassino, and Rome. For further information please visit our website and **contact International Heritage Tours at 416-444-6666 to register**.

## **MUSIC OF THE MASS**

	Mass	Cantor	Organist
<b>Sunday</b>	8:00 AM	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
	10:00AM	Felipe Morgado	Philip Fillion
	5:00 PM	Joey Jang	Christopher Ku
	9:00 PM	Felipe Morgado	John Paul Farahat
<b>Music of the Mass</b>			
<b>Introit</b>		Invocabit me <i>When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days. ✕. He who abides in the shelter of the Most High, shall remain under the protection of the God of Heaven. from Mass XVII</i>	
<b>Kyrie</b>	499		
<b>Psalm</b>	649	Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble.	
<b>Gospel Accl.</b>	812	Praise to you, Lord, king of eternal glory.	
<b>Offertory</b>	67	Eternal Lord of love	
<b>Sanctus</b>	501	from Missa Jubilate Deo	
<b>Mystery of Faith</b>	502	from Missa Jubilate Deo	
<b>Amen</b>	503	from Missa Jubilate Deo	
<b>Agnus Dei</b>	504	from Missa Jubilate Deo	
<b>Communion Antiphon</b>		Scapulis suis <i>The Lord will overshadow you with his pinions, and you will find refuge under his wings. His faithfulness will encompass you with a shield.</i>	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	70	Forty days and forty nights	

**For the Saturday 5:00 PM and 12 Noon Masses, please refer to the Order of Mass bulletin insert.**

In Lent, the Roman Missal allows the organ to be played only to support the singing, except on the Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare), solemnities, and feasts. The liturgies of Lent thus take on a different character without instrumental embellishment, calling Christians to prayer, not via music, but through silence.



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