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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. Edwin Gonsalves

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PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Michael's Choir School:

66 Bond Street | 416-393-5518 Principal: Martin Clough

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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.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 4 – St. Jean-Marie Vianney 10:00 AM Catherine Chang Wai Fan (I)

Tuesday, August 5

7:30 AM Bernadette Tow-Ying &

Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)

12:10 PM Santos Jornacion Jr. (D)

> John Franssen (D) Maria Urbano (D) Rosa Darrou (D)

Tala Ysabel Romero Capili (I)

5:30 PM Mattheus Blenke (D)

Wednesday, August 6 - Transfiguration of

the Lord

7:30 AM Emmi Wallner (D) 12:10 PM Mary & Philip Orfali (D)

Charles Hobeika (D)

Domingo Sanchez Enriquez (D) For the repose of the souls of those

laid to rest in our Catholic

Cemeteries

The Thalheimer Family (I)

Rafal Rozborski (I) 5:30 PM

Thursday, August 7

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

12:10 PM Benedicta Tapia Fudalen (D)

William Matusik (D) Oswald Llovd Daley (D) Felicia Losiggio (D) Avery Vince Taylo (I) Shannon Harley (I)

5:30 PM Pamela Barbaste (D)

Friday, August 8 – St. Dominic

7:30 AM Bernadette Tow-Ying &

Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)

12:10 PM Valerie Alexander (D)

> Ernesto Dungo (D) Teresa Clark (D) Norman Forbes (D) Sonia Arana (I)

5:30 PM Joseph Hoang (D)

Saturday August 9

7:30 AM Benson Danlay (I) 12:10 PM Christine Potes (D)

Ciriaco Dalora Bagares (D)

Zosia Niemiec (D)

Nancy and Genaro Ocampo (D) Donald Murray Maynard (D)

| Memorial Lamp Transepts - August | | |
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| Sacred Heart | Immaculate Heart | |
| Claudia Krawchuk (D) | Lie & Leong Family (D) | |
| Josephine Camilleri (D) | Simeon Jesuthasan (D) | |
| Larry & Marg Baker (I) | Karina Gibbard (D) | |

RCIA Registration



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a program offered to adults who would like to become fully initiated into the life of the Roman Catholic Church through

Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. It is a step-by-step process of learning about the Catholic faith and is open to adults who are not yet baptized, those baptized in a non-Catholic church, or those who were baptized Catholic but have not vet been fully initiated through Confirmation and/or Holy Communion.

Participation in the RCIA program begins in September and involves weekly sessions, Bible reflections, and days of recollection.

Registration opens on Monday August 4.

For more information and to register, please visit: https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/rcia/

Civic Holiday

On **Monday August 4**, the parish office will be closed for the Civic Holiday. There will be only one Mass at 10:00 AM on this day. The church will open at 9:30 AM and close at 11:00 AM. Our regular schedule will resume on Tuesday, August 5th. We wish everyone a happy long weekend!

Mass for the Faithful Departed

The **Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed** will be celebrated on Wednesday, August 13, 2025, at 7:00 PM. Masses throughout the Greater Toronto Area and Barrie will take place for the souls of the deceased buried at our Catholic Cemeteries.

For more details and the cemetery locations, visit http://bit.ly/44KgVhF

AUGUST 3, 2025



Cardinal Leo's Pastoral Letter, That Blessed Upper Room

"By willingly washing his apostles' feet, God Incarnate lowered himself to the status of a slave and asks us to do the same out of love and honour for him, and as a witness that we belong to him. For Christ, love takes on a very concrete and even crude physicality; for him, love is not a fuzzy feeling we get from time to time; it is not a philosophical ideal. For the Son of God, it is a tangible even earthy expression of the gift of self - this self-giving is real, graphic and costly."

Read and reflect on the third chapter of Cardinal Leo's Pastoral Letter, That Blessed Upper Room - The Example and Commandment to live in Humble Service:

https://bit.ly/ThatBlessedUpperRoom3

Upcoming Events

Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine August 24, 2025

Transitional Diaconate Ordination at the Cathedral

September 13, 2025

Mass for the Solemnity of Saint Michael September 28, 2025

Come & See Discernment Weekend Retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary October 31 to November 2, 2025

Music of the Mass

| | Mass | Cantor | Organist |
|----------|----------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Saturday | 5:00 PM | Nathaniel Kulin | Philip Fillion |
| Sunday | 8:00 AM | Felipe Morgado | Christopher Ku |
| | 10:00 AM | David Avila | Philip Fillion |
| | 12:00 PM | Rocco Marciano | Philip Fillion |
| | 5:00 PM | Joey Jang | Christopher Ku |
| | 9:00 PM | Felipe Morgado | John Paul Farahat |

Organ Prelude at Saturday 5 PM, Sunday 10 AM and noon Masses. Prelude and Fugue in f minor, BWV 534 – Johann Sebastian Bach. I cry to thee, Lord Jesus Christ, BWV 639 – Bach.

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| Music | | | |
| Entrance | 385 | O God, our help in ages past | |
| Kyrie | 575 | from Mass of St. Mark | |
| Gloria VIII | 496 | from Missa de Angelis | |
| Psalm | 742 | Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. | |
| Gospel Acclamation | 816 | Alleluia. | |
| Offertory | 371 | Amazing grace! how sweet the sound | |
| Sanctus | 581 | from Dominion Mass | |
| Memorial Acclamation I | 583 | from Dominion Mass | |
| Amen | 541 | from Mass of the Good Shepherd | |
| Agnus Dei | 592 | from Dominion Mass | |
| Communion Hymn | 175 | O Lord, I am not worthy | |
| Closing Hymn | 438 | Guide me, O thou great Redeemer | |

Organ Postlude at Saturday 5 PM, Sunday 10 AM and noon Masses. Chorale-Improvisation on "Cwm Rhondda" – Paul Manz

Bus to Martyrs' Shrine



The Cathedral is organizing a bus to Martyrs' Shrine for the **Archdiocese** of Toronto's Jubilee Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine on Sunday August 24, 2025.

The cost is \$50 per person and can be paid at the parish office by cash or cheque. We invite you to visit our website for full details including the itinerary for the day.

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