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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, 1:10 PM & 5:30 PM
Saturday: 7:30 AM & 12:10 PM

Confessions:

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

Rosary:

Monday to Saturday: 11:45 AM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday to Friday:
Following the 1:10 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:

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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.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



ShareLife Sunday is this Weekend

This weekend is the first of three ShareLife Sundays. This special collection marks 50 years since Archbishop Philip Pocock made a bold and compassionate decision that would shape our community for generations: the founding of ShareLife. Building on a legacy of charitable giving in the Archdiocese of Toronto that stretches back to 1927, Archbishop Pocock launched ShareLife in 1976, an appeal rooted in the belief that every life matters, at every stage. ShareLife has produced a video highlighting the history of Archbishop Pocock's work. The video can be viewed on our website.

Today, his vision lives on through more than 40 ShareLife-funded agencies providing unconditional care to people in need—regardless of religion, background, or circumstance and through people like you who make their work happen.

This year our parish goal is **\$205,000**. Please give using a ShareLife envelope or online through our website. Thank you for your generosity.

Consecration to The Blessed Virgin Mary

On **March 25th, the Solemnity of the Annunciation of our Lord**, we will participate in the Renewal of the Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Cardinal Leo will celebrate Mass here at **5:30 p.m.**

As part of our preparation for the Act of Consecration to Our Lady, we will pray the **Litany of the Immaculate Heart of Mary** at every Mass during the three-day Marian Triduum **from Sunday March 22 to Tuesday March 24**. The Litany of the Immaculate Heart of Mary can be found on our website and copies will be available at the back of the cathedral this week.

Vocations

“Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?” Do you believe that your plan is God's plan? If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email vocations@archtoronto.org or visit www.vocationstoronto.ca

Memorial Lamp Transepts – March

Sacred Heart	Immaculate Heart
Lie and Leong Family (D)	Mary Ylagan (I)
Rev. Dominic Quyen Bui (D)	Lita Magadan (I)
Dcn. David Sandford (D)	Marla S.B. & Zenaida P. Santos (D)

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 23

7:30 a.m. Awakhan Imin (I)
 12:10 p.m. Angela Ann Martija (D)
 Mauro & Aurora Honoridez (D)
 Lea & Edilberto Claveria (I)
 Ein Jenson Romero Dumadaug (I)
 Miranda Lee Munro (I)
 Valerie McInnis (I)
 5:30 p.m. Hari Singh (D)

Tuesday, March 24

7:30 a.m. Luciani & Ida Bertelli (D)
 12:10 p.m. Alexander Rodrigues (D)
 Adrian Edwin Rolando Bot (D)
 Marina Reid (D)
 Jayden Claveria (I)
 Bardetska Oryana (I)
 Giuseppe Masucci (D)
 5:30 p.m. Giuseppe Masucci (D)

Wednesday, March 25 – Annunciation of the Lord

7:30 a.m. Kosinski Przemyslaw (I)
 12:10 p.m. Virgina Del Castillo (I)
 Maria Rodas (I)
 Estime Gnonlonfin (I)
 Bardetska Oryana (I)
 For the repose of the souls of those laid to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries
 Priest's Intention
 5:30 p.m. Priest's Intention

Thursday, March 26

7:30 a.m. Kosinski Przemyslaw (I)
 12:10 p.m. Jimbo Perez (D)
 Iluminado Aquino (D)
 Charlene Jimenez Romero (I)
 Ariden Entereso Romero (I)
 Bardetska Oryana (I)
 5:30 p.m. Alexa Ignacio (I)

Friday, March 27

7:30 a.m. Priest's Intention
 12:10 p.m. Justino Rodas (D)
 Anton Johnpillai (D)
 Leonida Dollaga Obispo (I)
 Bardetska Oryana (I)
 Maria Thomas (I)
 5:30 p.m. Elvira Gayton (D)

Saturday, March 28

7:30 a.m. Abe Angelo Seña (I)
 12:10 p.m. Anita Fuentes (D)
 Jeffrey MacDonald Gibson (D)
 Joaquin Taturan (D)
 Raphael James Taylo (I)
 Bardetska Oryana (I)

MARCH 22, 2026

Passiontide

The Fifth Sunday of Lent is the beginning of Passiontide, another name for the last two weeks of the Lenten liturgical season. As we draw nearer to Christ's passion and crucifixion, holy images in the church are veiled. Crucifixes are uncovered on Good Friday, and statues and other holy images are veiled until the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday.

Holy Week & Easter Schedule

Please note the changes to the regular Cathedral Schedule

Sunday March 29 Palm Sunday	Regular schedule of Masses and confessions.
Monday March 30	Regular schedule of Masses and confessions.
Tuesday March 31 Chrism Mass 11:00 a.m.	Confessions are cancelled. The 12:10 p.m. and 1:10 p.m. Masses and Adoration are cancelled.
Wednesday April 1 Tenebrae Service 7:30 p.m.	Regular schedule of Masses and confessions.
Thursday April 2 Mass of the Lord's Supper 5:30 p.m. <i>This is the only Mass on this day</i>	Cathedral opens at 11:00 a.m. Regular Masses and confessions are cancelled. Adoration at the Altar of Repose takes place directly following Mass until 11:00 p.m. Cathedral closes at 11:00 p.m.
Friday April 3 The Passion of The Lord - 12:00 Noon, 3:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross 7:00 p.m.	Cathedral opens at 11:00 a.m. Regular Masses and confessions are cancelled. Cathedral closes at 8:00 p.m.
Saturday April 4 Easter Vigil Mass 9:00 p.m. <i>This is the only Mass on this day</i>	Cathedral opens at 1:00 p.m. Confessions are cancelled. Cathedral closes following the Vigil Mass.
Sunday April 5 Easter Sunday Mass 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon & 5:00 p.m.	Cathedral opens at 7:00 a.m. Confessions are cancelled. Cathedral closes following the 5:00 p.m. Mass.
Monday April 6 Easter Monday Mass 10:00 a.m. <i>This is the only Mass on this day.</i>	Cathedral opens at 9:30 a.m. Confessions are cancelled. Cathedral closes following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

There will be **no coffee Sunday** on Palm Sunday March 29 and Easter Sunday April 5. Coffee Sunday resumes on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 12.

Music of the Mass

	Mass	Cantor	Organist
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Daniel Garcia-Moreno	Christopher Ku
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
	10:00 a.m.	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
	12:00 a.m.	Martin Gomes	Christopher Ku
	5:00 p.m.	Joey Jang	David Simon
	9:00 p.m.	Felipe Morgado	David Simon
Entrance	92	When I survey the wondrous cross	
Kyrie	499	<i>from</i> Missa Jubilate Deo	
Psalm	659	With the Lord there is steadfast love and great power to redeem.	
Gospel Acclamation	813	Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory!	
Offertory	80	'Forgive our sins as we forgive'	
Sanctus	501	<i>from</i> Missa Jubilate Deo	
Memorial Acclamation	502	<i>from</i> Missa Jubilate Deo	
Amen	503	<i>from</i> Missa Jubilate Deo	
Agnus Dei	504	<i>from</i> Missa Jubilate Deo	
Communion Hymn	73	God of mercy and compassion!	
Closing Hymn	67	Eternal Lord of love	
<i>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.</i>			

Celebrating the Special Jubilee Year of St. Francis

Cardinal Leo has released a letter regarding the celebration of the Jubilee Year of St. Francis. In his letter he writes:

"His Holiness Pope Leo XIV established a special Jubilee Year of St. Francis, beginning on 10 January 2026 and concluding on 10 January 2027 to commemorate the 8th centenary of his birth into eternal life (dies natalis). We pray that this will be a time of abounding blessings in which "we are all called to become saints in the contemporary world, following the example of the Seraphic Patriarch."

Visit our website to read Cardinal Leo's full letter which also includes a number of important initiatives offered to help us reflect and pray more deeply this special year.

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