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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 Sunday:
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM & 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

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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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.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MEMORIAL LAMP TRANSEPTS – OCTOBER	
SACRED HEART	IMMACULATE HEART
Francisco Jr & Adoracion Francisco (D)	Rajko Bakalic (D)
Teresita Ferrer Cabawatan (D)	Rev. William J. Scanlon (D)
John & Madeline Stigge (I)	Deacon Michael Berlin-Riga (I)

MASS INTENTIONS	
Monday, October 5	
7:30 a.m.	Jameel Giscombél (I)
12:10 p.m.	Stipe Marasovic (D) Bienvenido Pangilinan (D) Shawn Maynard (I) Biby & Emmanuel Thitto (I) Jorge & Julian Carmona (I) Luiza Irish Retamar (I) S. Maynard (I)
5:30 p.m.	
Tuesday, October 6	
7:30 a.m.	Alicia Palencia (D)
12:10 p.m.	Ida Brandt-Kuehn (D) Kristina Naranca (D) Mike Ronny & Ellen Joy (I) Simon, Love, Mona, Evelyn (I) RGP & Linda E Family (I)
5:30 p.m.	Rajko Bakalic (D)
Wednesday, October 7 – Our Lady of the Rosary	
7:30 a.m.	Chi Tham (D)
12:10 p.m.	Celerina Potes (D) David A. Leger (D) For the repose of the souls of those laid to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries. Arthur Echaluze (I)
5:30 p.m.	Benedicta Tapia Fudalan (D)
Thursday, October 8	
7:30 a.m.	Deliah & Melba Carmona (I)
12:10 p.m.	Serafin Zamora (D) Jonathan & Robelyn Chan (I)
5:30 p.m.	Marc Zarate (D)
Friday, October 9	
7:30 a.m.	Thérèse Foong Yin & Thomas Wong Hok Khiam (D)
12:10 p.m.	Demetria Agapito (D) Carlos Agapito (D) Felicidad Libiran (D) Andras Ambrus (D) Elizabetha Ambrus (D)
5:30 p.m.	Lizette Wong Chan Chuk Yin (D)
Saturday, October 10	
7:30 a.m.	Rehal Assamnew (D)
12:10 p.m.	Olive Faldas (D) Elueteria Uy (D) Teresita Ferrer Cabawatan (D) Karol Woityla (D) Ritchie Baylon Dumadaug (I)

MASS READINGS FOR OCTOBER 4, 2026

Isaiah 5.1-7 Philippians 4.6-9
Matthew 21.33-34

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER

For Mental Health Ministry

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

WELCOME DEACON MICHAEL AND SEMINARIAN JOSEPH

We are pleased to welcome newly ordained Deacon Michael Berlin-Riga and Seminarian Joseph Desmond, who joined us for the first time this past Sunday.

Throughout the seminary term, they will join us on Sundays at the Cathedral, assisting with our liturgies, sacraments and becoming part of our Sunday community. We look forward to having them with us and the presence they will bring to our community. Deacon Michael continues studies at St. Augustine's seminary on his way to priesthood for the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Joseph is in first year theology stage at St. Augustine's Seminary and is from the Diocese of Saint John, New Brunswick.

Please join us in welcoming Deacon Michael and Joseph and helping them feel at home here at the Cathedral.

SPECIAL COLLECTION INDIGENOUS HEALING & RECONCILIATION FUND

This weekend Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection to support the **Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund**. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land.

To date, the Archdiocese of Toronto has allocated \$4.5 million to support projects that focus on culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth. For more information, visit: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation. Thank you for your generosity.

OCTOBER 4, 2026

MUSIC OF THE MASS

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Organ Preludes		
Sunday 5 p.m. & 9 p.m. Adoration — Florence Price		
Entrance	308	Christ, whose glory fills the skies
Kyrie	495	from Missa de Angelis
Gloria	496	from Missa de Angelis
Psalm	767	The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.
Gospel Acclamation	819	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Offertory	313	Lord of all hopefulness
Sanctus	566	from ICEL Roman Missal English Chant Mass
Memorial Acclamation	568	from ICEL Roman Missal English Chant Mass
Amen	570	from ICEL Roman Missal English Chant Mass
Agnus Dei	571	from ICEL Roman Missal English Chant Mass
Communion	172	Sweet Sacrament divine
Closing	401	Lord, we hear your Word with gladness
Organ Postludes		
Sunday 8 AM	Processional — William Mathias	
Sunday 5 p.m. & 9 p.m.	Postlude in D — Healey Willan	

GOOD SHEPHERD THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Good Shepherd Ministries continue to provide nutritious meals in a city where food insecurity is a growing concern.

Please help us support this year's food drive. **Non-perishable items can be dropped off in the bins located by the entrance of the Cathedral** from October 3 to October 15. Thank you for your donation and support.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2026

A municipal election will be held on **Monday, October 26, 2026**. All Catholics are strongly encouraged to exercise their democratic right to vote. To help learn more about the candidates for Catholic School Board Trustee, Cardinal Leo has given permission for these candidates (or their volunteers) to distribute literature to parishioners departing Mass on weekends from October 3/4 through October 24/25.

We hope you'll take the time to get to know those seeking elected office for this important role.

LIFE CHAIN 2026

Life Chain is a peaceful and prayerful witness to the sanctity of all human life, taking place across North America. This annual pro-life demonstration, organized by Campaign Life Coalition, brings awareness to the ongoing injustice of abortion. Please join this Sunday, **October 4, 2026 from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.** at **Sankofa Square** (formerly Yonge-Dundas Square.) to provide a quiet witness to the community. We will meet as a group in front of the Cathedral at **1:45 p.m.** and walk over together.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Parents of Grade 2 and 3 students are welcome to register their child to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Registration is now open. Please contact the parish office or visit the website for more information.

Grade 7 or 8 (ages 12-13 years old) parishioners who have not been confirmed are invited to consider receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit through the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact the parish office or visit the website for more information.



Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul

INVITATION FROM THE SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica is inviting persons interested in this Ministry to attend a **virtual information session on Wednesday, October 21st at 7:00 pm.**

The Society provides outreach to persons in need through Home Visits and longer-term programs. Volunteers visit persons in need in their homes, assist with collection boxes after Mass, and meet monthly for formation and development.

If you are interested in learning more, please email info@ssvptoronto.ca, **subject line: St. Michael's outreach.** We will send you the meeting link. An in-person meeting for those wishing to pursue membership after attending the information session is scheduled for **Sunday, October 25th, 10:30 a.m.** at the SSV Central Office, 240 Church Street.

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