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Saturday: 7:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Saturday: 9:05 a.m.

FIRST FRIDAY:

Exposition 9:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

BAPTISM:

Please contact the Pastor at least two months before the proposed date.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Please let us know if you know someone who would like to receive this Sacrament. Upon request, Communion will be brought to the sick and shut-ins.

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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jan 16th, 2022

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FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Jan. 17: St. Anthony, abbot

Thrs. Jan. 20: St. Fabien, pope and martyr

St. Sebastian, martyr

Fri. Jan. 21: St. Agnes, *virgin and martyr* Sun. Jan. 23: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Jan 17 - Sun. Jan 23, 2022

Tuesday 9:05 a.m.

Jim Ismail (INT)
Req. by Lorraine Ostafew

Wednesday 9:05 a.m.

Ann Rooney (INT) on her birthday Reg. by Her Friends

Thursday 9:05 a.m.

William Jarvie (RIP)
Req. by Herb and Ann Clough and family

Friday 9:05 a.m.

Brigitte Maria Schneider (RIP)

Req. by Herb and Ann Clough and family

Saturday 9:05 a.m.

Maria Di Maulo (RIP)
Req. by Herb and Ann Clough and family

Saturday 7 p.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Allain-André Bourbonnais (RIP)
Reg. by Colleen Murphy and family

Sunday 11 a.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community





WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

January 18-25, 2022

We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship Him. (cf. Mathew 2:2)

The theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 2022 was selected by the Middle East Council of Churches and originates from the churches in Lebanon. Present times in Lebanon are extremely difficult and economically disastrous. All this combined with the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic have made the situation quite stressful. The power of prayer in solidarity with those who suffer is a demonstration of Christian unity and a sign of communion.

The theme, taken from the second chapter of the Gospel according to Matthew, is the Epiphany. Each year in January, the Church recalls the visit of the Magi to Bethlehem, highlighting God's invitation to all of humanity to a new covenant in the Incarnation of Christ. In the Eastern Churches, Epiphany is joined to the mystery of the Baptism of Christ, a baptism all Christians hold in common as testimony to their faith in the Son of God. Graymoor Ecumenical & Interreligious Institute, continuing the work of Servant of God, Fr. Paul Wattson and Mother Lurana White of Graymoor, is pleased to once again produce materials for the observance of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in the United States in English and Spanish. Please check our website, geii.org, for more information soon. We start providing materials in October.

Celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in your community from January 18-25, 2022. That they all may be one. Excerpts from:

https://geii.org/week_of_prayer_for_christian_unity/theme_announcement_2022.html

FRIARS' STUDENT WRITING AWARD CONTEST 2022 Deadline to enter: Feb 14, 2022

Students aged 13-19 are invited to submit a 450-500-word essay for the *Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*.

This year, the theme and the resources for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity have been prepared by the Middle East Council of Churches based in Beirut, Lebanon.

The theme of the contest is: "We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him" (Mt. 2:2). The deadline for the contest is Monday, February 14, 2022 at 2 p.m.

For details and a list of prizes, visit: www.catholicregister.org/writingaward



SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

Pope Francis has launched the Synod on Synodality: a two-year global process of listening to the faithful that will help the Church reflect on how we can do God's will in the world today. The comments of the faithful will ultimately be discussed at a meeting of the bishops in the Vatican in 2023. To learn more about the Synod on Synodality and to share your thoughts, please visit: www.archtoronto.org/synodality.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY Prayer Service

Sunday, January 23, 2022, 4 p.m.
Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church
920 Progress Ave., Scarborough
Join Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation
of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full

All are welcome to attend in person or via livestream: www.facebook.com/TorontoArmenianChurch.

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visible unity of the Church.

SVDP CHRISTMAS STAR PROGRAMME Thank You!

Thank you to the parish community for your participation in the 2021 Christmas Star programme! The parish community raised \$1,405 which, coupled with the participation of St. Cecilia School, assisted 14 families. The SVDP was also able to help 13 individuals experience a more enjoyable Christmas.



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Christmas	7,670.00
Dec 26th, weekly	1, 280.00
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Jan 1, Solemnity of Mary	650.00
Jan 2, weekly	724.00
Taxes and Insurance	190.00
Jan 9, weekly	7, 055.00
Taxes and Insurance	850.00
Restoration	850.00
PAG December 2021	948.00

Thank you for your on-going support!



MARRIAGE SUNDAY MASS

Sunday, February 13, 2022, 2:30 p.m. St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica , 65 Bond St., Toronto

Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB, will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2022. Due to social distancing measures, cathedral attendance is limited to pre-registered couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries and a maximum of one (1) guest per celebrant couple. Registration is now open and will close Feb. 4th or when the capacity is reached.

Given the limited attendance at the cathedral, we encourage milestone celebrants to *register early*.

Those who are not able to register may join the celebration via livestream: www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live.
The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m.

COVID-19 RESTRICTION UPDATES

The current restrictions (available on the website of the Archdiocese) have not impacted our regular parish schedule. Any changes to the parish schedule will be communicated through the parish.

Reconciliation continues to be by appointment and our capacity remains the same with 2m distancing. Please remain vigilant and refrain from gathering before and after sacramental celebrations. Thank You! The office is open to the public by appointment only.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR JAN 23, 2022

Nehemiah 8.2-4a, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 12.12-14,27 OR 12.12-30 Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please notify the office of any changes to the list

Hang Sam Lee, Richard Mijares, Drew Fiala, Connie Tari-Kornhauser, Lisa Reardon, Stuart Robson, Rosa Maria Santos, Dory Kashin, Bianca Auriemma, Rosie Po, Frank Ferreira, Antonina Koziara, Julia Collins, Mary Ann Cuschieri, Sebastian Caravalho, Anne Tran Fazzalari, Gabriel Sebastian Romano, Robert Freimuts, Giuseppe R., Mikayla Haswell, Victoria Cooper, Anna Solims, Lorenza Varga, Steven McKinney, Krysten Telfer, Edward Spiteri, Maria Ruccolo, John Conforzi, Ignacio Juarez Ednet, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Susan Murphy, Marta DiGregorio, Guy Alcamo, and Mike Kudrak.

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