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CWL meets every 2nd Tuesday after 7:00 p.m. Rosary
Legion of Mary: Mia Wattimena - meets every Saturday
at 9:30 a.m.
St. Vincent De Paul: Louise Wilson,
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Sunday School: Elizabeth Follows
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Italian Prayer Group: Adele Cremonese & Rosa Marsella
Italian Pastoral Care Giver: Antonia Ciuffetta
Italian Committee: Antonietta Miniaci

Sunday Masses:

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am
9:30 am (Italian)
11:00 am
12:30 pm
4:30 pm

Lauds: Monday to Friday: 7:30 am

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am
Friday: 7:00 pm
Saturday: 8:30 am

Confession:

Friday: 6:00 - 6:45 pm
Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
or by appointment with a priest

Baptism:

2nd & 4th Saturday at 10:00 am
Baptismal Class: 2nd Sunday at 2:00 pm

Marriage:

Contact the priest one year in advance

Friday Exposition & Adoration: 1:00 pm to 6:45 pm

Two Hearts Rosary Prayer Group: Every Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Italian Prayer Group: Every Wednesday at 7:00 pm

Moving? Please contact the Parish Office to update your information.

Schools

St. Anne	905-883-0311	St. Charles Garnier	905-884-0223
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POPE FRANCIS' ENCYCLICAL: LAUDATO SI', ON CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

On June 18, Pope Francis' encyclical "Laudato Si', On Care for Our Common Home" was formally released. Archbishop of Toronto, Cardinal Thomas Collins, commented on the teaching letter: "The central theme in this letter to all people of goodwill remains: 'What kind of world do you want to leave to those who come after us?' The encyclical reminds us that we have been entrusted with an abundance of gifts from God to nurture and use responsibly as good stewards. We are also reminded that our actions have ramifications, often impacting the most vulnerable in our society. We must never forget the marginalized among us. In the vast and diverse archdiocese in which we reside, there is much for us to consider and act upon. My prayer is that the reflections offered by Pope Francis through Laudato Si' will give us pause as we consider what each one of us can do, inspired by our faith, to care for creation and all those whom we encounter."

The Archdiocese of Toronto is pleased to share the following resources:

1. Full text of the encyclical
2. "Map" or summary of key themes and messages
3. Media Advisory
4. Blog: Putting Laudato Si' in action - several ways in which local Catholics have been responsible caretakers of creation
5. Infographics

May we all reflect on this important teaching from the Holy Father in the days to come.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION ANNOUNCEMENT

Cardinal Thomas Collins has decided to change the elementary school grade for the candidates for Confirmation from grade 8 to grade 7 for the Archdiocese of Toronto. This will take effect September 2015. In order for us to maintain simplicity and to prepare for this double cohort, we will keep our Confirmation celebrations at the same time, that is to say, close to the Solemnity of Pentecost, May 15, 2016. Confirmations will still be done per school with children attending schools outside our church boundary interspersed throughout the dates. More information will be distributed in September / October 2015 to the parents of Gr. 7 and Gr. 8 students.

PLEASE NOTE that the parish office will be closed on Wednesday, July 1st due to the holiday.

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT will be from 6-7 p.m. on Fridays during July and August.

PLEASE NOTE that the Church will be locked at 6:00 p.m. on Mondays to Thursday during the months of July and August.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS Please note that during the months of July and August, the office hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL TEMPORARY CLOSURE

St. Michael's Cathedral, mother church of the Archdiocese of Toronto, is temporarily closing its doors as part of its extensive restoration efforts that have been ongoing for the past three years. The next phase of restoration will require its closure full-time to allow for work that will preserve the cathedral for years to come. Daily Mass will continue to be celebrated in St. John's Chapel, a small worship space accessible from 200 Church Street. Nearby, St. Paul's Basilica will provide additional weekend Masses beginning in July, featuring music from St. Michael's Choir School to accommodate the cathedral closure. For additional resources, please visit www.stmichaelscathedral.com

A timeline has been forecast as follows:

- June 17, 2015 – mid-December 2015 - full closure of St. Michael's Cathedral.
- Mid-December 2015 – January 2016 - cathedral will open briefly pre/post-Christmas.
- January 2016 – March 2016 - full closure of St. Michael's Cathedral.
- March 2016 – September 2016 - cathedral will open prior to Holy Week and Easter, remaining open while work continues through September 2016.
- September 29, 2016 – goal to complete this phase of restoration. This date is also the Feast of St. Michael, patron saint of the Archdiocese of Toronto

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Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the 2015 ShareLife Parish Campaign. You have made a dark path to a brighter future much easier for thousands of the most vulnerable in our communities by your generosity. For those who wish to make a contribution, you are still welcome to do so. You can drop your ShareLife envelopes in the offertory basket until July 31, 2015 or donate online at www.sharelife.org. Thank you!

COINS FOR LIFE FILLED UP BOXES can be dropped off in the Sacristy after Mass. Thank you for your contribution on behalf of those who have no voice – the unborn. Please remember to pray for the unborn, and for those who have been affected by abortion. Visit www.coinsforlife.org for more information.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD for children 3-7 yrs old. A **Montessori approach** to learning about our faith. Sessions begin in October. If interested, please call Anita at 905-508-9275.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK: Fr. Kenneth John Decker, Fr. McGough, Fr. Tilley, Ursula Addesi, Doris Anderson, Eugene Bomba, Matteo Burbano, Patrick Burke, Rory Burke, Stephanie Byrne, David Calado, Andy Calado, Victoria Carli, Bruno Cassara, Andrea Cavallin, Joe Cinno, Carol Cook, Manuela Clement, Rosa Corvinelli, Caterina De Grano, Paolo D'Elia, Thomas De Souza, Harry Dekharmenjan, Francesca Di Domenico, Tanya DiPersio, Maria DiZio, Nancy Duncan, Steven Fiorini, Frank, Roberto Garcias, Margaret Gardiner, Milberg Gibbons, Jessica Gonzales, Godfrey Gosein, Gertiudes Henriques, Andy Heutehaus, Theresa Hogan, Lawrence Howe, Rogelia Infante, Maria Iudiciani, Jolanta Karabowicz, Margaret Kelly, Olivera Lambeta, Ester Lin, Mary Malandrino, Macaria Margate, Chris Markle, Veronica Martin, Rachelle (Joy Ann) Mendoza, George Morgan, Susan, Nino Naccarato, Lydia, Michelle Antoinette Nedvedskaya, Helen & Catherine, Myola Nunes, Rosemary Palmieri, Lisa, Domenico Pileggi, Kaliopi & Eugenia Pandelopoulou, Olga Pasquale, Esther Reyes, Patricia Rybka, Todd Santaguida, Werner & Lucienne Schachatsiek, Claire Schickedanz, Vincenzo Sorbara, Pat Sullivan, Jannette Thompson, Linda Vincent, Therese Vincent, Nora Waldherr, Abigail Walz, Sandra Weinholdt, Kayla Whelan, Louise,



THE PURSUIT OF JOY Walking towards the Freedom We Long for. Young Adults retreat ages 18-35 Men and women on July 17-19 at St. Augustine's Seminary, Scarborough, ON. Retreat includes: Prayer / Confession / times of silence / fellowship / talks by the Sisters of Life. To register, contact Sr. Maria Regina at 416-463-2722 or Toronto@sistersoflife.org Cost: \$175. Deposit of \$75 before July 10th.



PILGRIMAGE happening in Sept. 22 - 27th **is filling up.** We have a coach bus with a seating of 56 Pilgrims. Forms for our **Sept. 24-27th**

trip are at the entrances of the Church. **Please honor the 2nd Deadline of June 30th for submission of your registration forms.** Prices have changed for the new registrants. For info please call Antoinette at 905-884-3179 or Boots at 416-832-1608.

COME JOIN THE PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE, SPAIN & PORTUGAL with FR. PAWEL! **October 11-22, 2015** for \$2790. To join or for more info, please call Stan at 647-463-9057 or Halina at 647-294-4116.

28 giugno 2015 - 13a del tempo ordinario

□Coei che veniva a me ha ricevuto la forza, poiché un segreto vigore m□ha sottratto // Perché, Simone figlio di Giovanni tu mi dici che un□immensa folla addosso mi si accalca? // la mia divinità essi non toccano, ma questa donna nella visibil veste // la natura mia divina ha conquistato in modo manifesto, e la salute ha avuto gridandomi: Salvami, Signore! // Donna, coraggio ormai che per la fede e col mio assenso tu mi hai spogliato. // Non opera di mia mano è questo, ma della fede tua; // Ecco perché davanti a tutti t□ho portato, per farti dire ancora: Salvami, Signore! (Romano il Melode, *Inni*, 33).□

□*La fanciulla non è morta, ma dorme.* Insegna a non temere la morte: essa non è più morte ma è diventata sonno. A quel tempo non era palese che la morte era divenuta un sonno, oggi invece questa verità è più chiara del sole. Cristo non ha risuscitato tua figlia? Ebbene, la risusciterà con assoluta certezza e con gloria più grande! Quella fanciulla, dopo essere stata risuscitata, più tardi morì di nuovo, ma tua figlia, quando risusciterà, rimarrà per sempre immortale. Nessuno dunque pianga più i morti, nessuno si disperi né rigetti così la vittoria di Cristo (Giovanni Crisostomo, *Commento al vangelo di Matteo*).□

□La fede non produce niente, chi produce la salvezza è Dio, ma la fede accoglie l□azione di Dio: noi con la fede semplicemente accogliamo la salvezza che Dio ci dona gratuitamente per amore, perché è innamorato, misteriosamente ma realmente innamorato dell□uomo. Cioè il contenuto della fede è essenzialmente l□amore di Dio, che in Gesù Cristo è contenuto e rivelato e messo a disposizione degli uomini perché di questo amore l□uomo possa vivere: Dio ha scelto di far vivere e tu accogli nella fede la scelta di Dio, tu dici di sì a quella vita che Dio ti dona, quindi dici di sì alla tua vita accogliendone da Dio la pienezza, la gioia e la ricchezza. (□) Questo □*perché chiunque crede in lui non muoia, ma abbia la vita eterna*□. Credere in lui, vuole dire: accogliere Gesù di Nazaret come rivelazione e ricchezza dell□amore di Dio per noi; vuole dire: lasciarsi amare da Dio attraverso Gesù di Nazaret. Non credere, rifiutarsi di credere, non è altro che rifiutare il dono della vita che viene da Dio. E quando l□uomo rifiuta la vita come dono di Dio, non ne ha un□altra di riserva, non ne ha una per conto suo (L. Monari, *Alle radici della missione*, 43-44).□

AVVISI

1. Domenica 28 giugno: La Commissione Pastorale Italiana organizza il suo pellegrinaggio annuale ai Santi Martiri di Midland. 10:30 a.m. - Processione e Santa Messa; ore 2:30 p.m. -

Adorazione del SSmo Sacramento seguita dalla procesione sulla collina e cerimonia di chiusura.

2. 24-27 settembre: pellegrinaggio a Philadelphia per il Convegno Mondiale delle Famiglie con Papa Francesco. Per informazioni chiamate Antoinette (905-8843179) / Boots (416-8321608)

MASS INTENTIONS		June 21-27
SAT.	5:00 p.m.	+Carlo Rosa
SUN.	9:30 a.m.	+Domenico & Pasqualina D'Agostini +Angelina Aguanno +Elio & Iole Dalle Rive +Luisa Iafrate +Mr. Andrea Giampietro +Pietro & Maria Percibali +Constable Garret Styles +Carlo De Biaso +Catarina Carrocia +Niccolo & Rosario Zurzollo
	11:00 a.m.	+Ronald & Jane Fernandes +Patrick Lobo
	12:30 p.m.	+Allison Zeppieri
	4:30 p.m.	+Michael Bucci
MON.	8:00 a.m.	+Margaret & Ned Hill
TUE.	8:00 a.m.	+Nicola Crimi
WED.	8:00 a.m.	+ Members of the Burdi Family & Chiara Cirone
THURS.	8:00 a.m.	+Patrick Ribbons
FRI.	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Rosa Scarpino
	7:00 p.m.	In Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus + Members of the Roman & Wood Family +Members of the Naughton Family +Esterina Marotta +Adelina Marinucci +Isidoro Moyta +Antonio Gullo Holy Souls in Purgatory
SAT.	8:30 a.m.	In Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph +Members of the Berardinelli & Mastro Family +John Stornik +Rose Bagnato Holy Souls in Purgatory

VOCATION SEEDS If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Chris at vocations@archtoronto.org or 416-968-0997.

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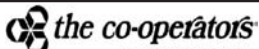


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