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SUNDAY EUCHARIST:

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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PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 14, 2021

YEAR B

ASH WEDNESDAY

is a universal day of fasting and of abstinence from meat. The law of abstinence from meat binds those who are 14 and older; the law of fasting binds those from 18 to 59 years of age. Parents and educators are reminded of their duty to introduce children gradually to the understanding and practice of penance.

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Wed. Feb 17: Ash Wednesday
Sun. Feb 21: First Sunday of Lent



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Feb 15 - Sun. Feb 21

Monday 9:05 a.m.

Craig Midghall (INT)

For a fast and steady recovery

Req. by The Reyes-Midghall Family

Saturday 7 p.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

Sunday 9 a.m.

Christian Mijares (RIP)

Req. by Frances McKee

Sunday 11 a.m.

Irene Pelc (RIP)

Req. by Frances McKee



ASH WEDNESDAY IS FEBRUARY 17, 2021

We will hold **multiple Communion Services** with Distribution of Ashes **over multiple days** as follows:

Wednesday, February 17th

9 a.m. - 10 a.m. AND 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Thursday, February 18th

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Saturday, February 20th

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Services will be every 15 minutes. No registration required. First come, first admitted.

Ash Wednesday Mass will be posted for viewing beginning 9 a.m. Wednesday morning.

LOCKDOWN RESTRICTION SCHEDULE

Extended until February 22, 2021

ALL PUBLIC MASSES CANCELLED

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restricted to 10 for all gatherings

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Note the change in days/time

Monday - Thursday: 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

COMMUNION SERVICES

Every 15 minutes

Saturday: 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. Last service starts 5:45 p.m.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Last service starts 10:45 a.m.
8 per service.

WEDDINGS, FUNERALS AND BAPTISMS

10 person restriction includes priest, cantor, etc.

CONFESSION

By appointment - please contact the office.

THE OFFICE is closed to the public. Staff are working remotely; responding to emails and phone calls *during regular office hours: Wed-Fri, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.*

Marriage Sunday

February 14, 2021

To Married Couples throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto,

As we celebrate Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto, I wish to congratulate and thank married couples who strengthen our community through their daily witness of love, commitment and selflessness. Your ongoing "yes" provides hope and inspiration for the community, strengthened by God's grace and the love and prayers of family and friends.

We also extend our loving support to those who have lost a spouse or have experienced the pain and suffering of a broken relationship. If you are in need of assistance during these difficult days, I encourage you to seek out programs and resources in your own parish or throughout our diocese so that we may accompany you through the healing process.

To those assisting couples as they prepare for marriage and for those engaged in marriage enrichment programs or movements to support the sacrament of matrimony, be assured of my gratitude. Your ministry is essential in laying a foundation for healthy relationships and loving families, something so urgently needed in our world today.

A host of resources and additional information on Marriage Sunday can be found by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/marriage or feel free to connect with your own parish community.

Thank you for all that you continue to do to value and enrich the sacrament of marriage in our homes and parishes, extending our love for one another to all those we encounter each and every day. May God continue to bless you now and always!

Sincerely in Christ,
Thomas Cardinal Collins
Archbishop of Toronto

A Theology and Spirituality of Sexuality

Understanding the Complex Fire Within

Virtual retreat (with Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI)

Fri March 12 - Sunday, March 14, 2021

Sex is too often seen as setting itself against spirituality. Sex seems too earthy to be connected to spirit. Evidence suggests that more people struggle religiously with the issue of sexuality than any other area in their lives. What is sexuality? Why is it so powerful? Does it come from God or does it set us against God? Why has the church never produced a healthy, robust spirituality of sex? This retreat will attempt to articulate a healthy anthropology, theology and spirituality of sex. **COST:** \$100 **DEADLINE:** Wed, March 10
CONTACT: Queen's House, Saskatchewan:
www.queenshouse.org 306-242-1916 ext. 226

St Thérèse Of Lisieux Spiritual Life Series

February 22, March 8, 22, April 12, 26 at 7 p.m.

A Virtual Event Hosted By Newman Centre Catholic Mission

All are welcome to join a new spiritual life series based on the book *The Story of a Soul* by St. Thérèse of Lisieux. The new series will begin on Monday, February 22 and will be presented in several bi-weekly segments by Fr. Peter Turrone, pastor of the Newman Centre. There will be time for group discussion. Participants will need to purchase the Study Edition of *Story of a Soul* by Fr. Mark Foley for the class.

Info and to register :

<https://thestoryofasoul.eventbrite.ca/>
lenita.lopes@newmantoronto.com, www.newmantoronto.com



OFFERTORY

2020

Christmas 2020	985.00
Weekly, various	440.00

2021

Initial/New Years	15.00
Taxes and Insurance	25.00
Restoration	100.00
Weekly, various	750.00

2020 DONATION TAX RECEIPTS

Donation Tax Receipts for the Year 2020 will be mailed out this month. We are especially grateful to those who were able to support the parish financially during this most difficult year. Thank you, thank you, everyone!

2021 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

may be picked up at the church during private prayer or you may call the office to make other arrangements.



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

Genesis 9.8-15

Psalms 25

1 Peter 3.18-22 10.31-11.1

Mark 1.12-15

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

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 Carvalho, Anne Tran Fazzalari, Gabriel Sebastian Romano, Robert Freimuts, Giuseppe R., Mikayla Haswell, Victoria Cooper, Anna Solims, Lorenza Varga, Steven McKinney, Krysten Telfer, Natalie Chabane, Edward Spiteri, Maria Ruccolo, John Conforzi, Ignacio Juarez Ednet, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Hector Balthazar, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, and Susan Murphy

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