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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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PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 6th, 2022

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FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Tues. Feb 8: St. Jerome Emiliani, *priest*
St. Josephine Bakhita, *virgin*
Thrs. Feb 10: St. Scholastica, *virgin*
Fri. Feb 11: Our Lady of Lourdes
Sat. Feb 12: Our Lady's Saturday
Sun. Feb 13: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. February 7 - Sun. February 13

Monday 9:05 a.m.

Anna Lipinska (RIP)

Req. by The Czajkowski Family

Thursday 9:05 a.m.

Deceased members of the
Dias and Clementino Families (RIP)

Req. by R.C.

Friday 9:05 a.m.

Sick of the World and of the Parish (INT)

Req. by Ann Rooney and family

Saturday 7 p.m.

Manuel Umbelina and Jardelina Melo (RIP)

Req. by Their Children

Sunday 9 a.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

Sunday 11 a.m.

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An Excerpt From The Message Of His Holiness Pope Francis For The Thirtieth World Day Of The Sick 2022 Friday, February 11th, 2022

"Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful" (Lk 6:36).
Standing beside those who suffer on a path of charity

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Thirty years ago, Saint John Paul II instituted the [World Day of the Sick](#) to encourage the people of God, Catholic health institutions and civil society to be increasingly attentive to the sick and to those who care for them.

We are grateful to the Lord for the progress made over the years in the particular Churches worldwide. Many advances have been made, yet there is still a long way to go in ensuring that all the sick, also those living in places and situations of great poverty and marginalization, receive the health care they need, as well as the pastoral care that can help them experience their sickness in union with the crucified and risen Christ. May the Thirtieth World Day of the Sick – whose closing celebration, due to the pandemic, will not take place as planned in Arequipa, Peru, but in Saint Peter's Basilica in the Vatican – help us grow in closeness and service to the sick and to their families.

I would like to remind everyone that closeness to the sick and their pastoral care is not only the task of certain specifically designated ministers; visiting the sick is an invitation that Christ addresses to all his disciples. How many sick and elderly people are living at home and waiting for a visit! The ministry of consolation is a task for every baptized person, mindful of the word of Jesus: "I was sick and you visited me" (Mt 25:36).

Dear brothers and sisters, to the intercession of Mary, Health of the Infirm, I entrust all the sick and their families. United with Christ, who bears the pain of the world, may they find meaning, consolation and trust. I pray for healthcare workers everywhere, that, rich in mercy, they may offer patients, together with suitable care, their fraternal closeness.

To all I cordially impart my Apostolic Blessing.

Francis

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 Carvalho, 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.



DELEGATION TO ROME

March- April, 2022

The Assembly of First Nations, Métis National Council, Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami, and the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) are pleased to announce that the delegation to Rome to meet with Pope Francis (postponed from December 2021 due to Covid) has been re-scheduled. The Holy Father is scheduled to meet with individual Indigenous delegations the week of March 28, 2022. A final audience with all participants will take place on Friday, April 1, 2022.

Our shared commitment to walking towards healing and reconciliation remains strong and we very much look forward to the opportunity for Indigenous Elders, knowledge keepers, residential school survivors, and youth to meet with Pope Francis.



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INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND

Canada’s Catholic Bishops have agreed to establish a new registered charity to support and advance healing and reconciliation initiatives. The charity is expected to manage the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund, which will accept contributions from 73 dioceses across Canada in order to fulfill the **\$30 million financial commitment** made by Canada’s Bishops in September.

The Indigenous Reconciliation Fund will be managed with financial measures in place to ensure transparency and good governance. Board directors and members of the corporation will collectively bring a strong financial acumen and deep commitment to the healing and reconciliation journey. For information regarding the Board members please visit: <https://www.cccb.ca/media-release/canadas-bishops-announce-indigenous-reconciliation-fund-to-support-projects-across-canada/>

The fund will publish annual reports and will be subject to an audit by an independent accounting firm each year. Any administrative costs will be on top of the \$30 million being raised and will not be deducted from this principal amount.

The Archdiocese of Toronto is promising to be a major (\$6 million) contributor toward the CCCB's pledge. "Everything the archdiocese does is the result of generous gifts from our parishioners," said Jim Milway, Chancellor of Temporal Affairs at the Archdiocese of Toronto. "Through the stewardship of these gifts, the archdiocese will ensure we meet our fundraising commitment."

In addition to raising awareness and offering opportunities to support the healing and reconciliation fund financially throughout the year, the archdiocese will invite the faithful to participate in an annual special collection held in the fall, near the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The archdiocese will also draw on funds in existing operations and assets, ensuring the \$6 million pledge is fulfilled.

A national charitable organization has been established to administer these funds, governed by a board of eminent Indigenous and Catholic representatives. A local committee will determine funding priorities. It is anticipated there will be a focus on supporting projects that further:

- Healing and reconciliation for communities and families;
- Culture and language revitalization;
- Education and community building; and
- Dialogues for promoting indigenous spirituality and culture.

2022 Offertory Envelopes

Offertory envelopes are available for pick-up at the back of the church. If you require assistance obtaining your envelopes or if you wish to switch to Pre-Authorised Giving, please contact the office.

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