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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.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 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.

PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

January 21, 2024

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FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon.	Jan 22: St. Vincent, <i>deacon, martyr</i>
Wed.	Jan 24: St. Francis De Sales, <i>bishop, doctor</i>
Thrs.	Jan 25: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
Fri.	Jan 26: St. Timothy & St. Titus, <i>bishops</i>
Sat.	Jan 27: St. Angela Merici, <i>virgin</i> Our Lady's Saturday
Sun.	Jan 28: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Jan 22 - Sun Jan 27, 2024

Friday 9:05 a.m.

Fred Tomulka (RIP)

Req. by The Tomulka Family

Saturday 9:05 a.m.

J. Gordon Bruce (RIP)

10 yr Anniversary

Req. by Dan and Liz Bruce

Saturday 7 p.m.

Brendan Clough (RIP)

Req. by The Achong Family

Sunday 9 a.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

Sunday 11 a.m.

Edgar Cripps (RIP)

Req. by The St. Cecilia Chapter
of St. Vincent de Paul



SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD - January 21, 2024

Sunday of the Word of God was established by the Holy Father on Sept. 30, 2019, through his Apostolic Letter, *Aperuit illis*, as a day dedicated to the celebration, reflection and dissemination of the Word. The Sunday of the Word of God serves as a means to help people, "reawaken an awareness of the importance of Sacred Scripture for our lives as believers, beginning with its resonance in the liturgy which places us in living and permanent dialogue with God."

https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/motu_proprio/documents/papa-francesco-motu-proprio-20190930_aperuit-illis.html

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops Resource:
The Word of God in Scripture - How to read and Interpret the Bible: https://www.cccb.ca/wp-content/uploads/2008/09/the_word_of_god.pdf

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS

February 11, 2024, 3:00 pm

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond Street, Toronto
As part of Marriage Sunday 2024 celebrations, Archbishop Francis Leo will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2024. The Mass will take place at 3 p.m. on Sunday, **February 11, 2024** at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. All are welcome to attend. Couples celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversaries in 2024 may register for reserved seating. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass.

INFO & REGISTRATION: www.archtoronto.org/marriage.
LIVESTREAM: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>

QUEEN OF APOSTLES RENEWAL CENTRE

Day Retreat for cancer patients and caregivers

Thursday February 17, 2024

1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga

Queen Of Apostles Renewal Centre invites cancer patient and caregivers to a day of retreat to experience God's healing love.

REGISTRATION: 8:30 am

COST: \$45.00

INFO: Jean at 905-278-5229 or office@qoa.ca

**TORONTO CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD
KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2024-2025**

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 – 10 a.m. EST

The Toronto Catholic District School Board looks forward to welcoming new students for the 2024-2025 school year. Children born in 2020 are eligible to attend Junior Kindergarten in September 2024.

Registration opens:

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 – 10 a.m.

REGISTER on-line at: soar.tcdsb.org.

INFO: tcdsb.org, click on Admissions

MARY MOTHER OF GOD SCHOOL

1515A Queen Street West

Toronto ON M6R 1A5

Mary Mother of God School is accepting applications for 2024-2025.

INFO: <http://www.marymotherofgodschool.org/>

416-531-7897

NEW BEGINNINGS - JANUARY SESSIONS

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT - Online Drop-In

January 24, 2024 @ 7:00 pm

REGISTER: <https://nbbd0124.eventbrite.ca>

SEPARATED/DIVORCED SUPPORT - Online Drop-In

January 25, 2024 @ 7:00 pm

REGISTER: <https://nbsdd0124.eventbrite.ca>

INFO: Arcangelo Limanni, MRE,

alimanni@cfstoronto.com, (647) 215-3978

2024 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

**Offertory envelopes await pick up
at the back of the church.**



If you no longer wish to use envelopes, or wish to change/correct to your address/name, please notify the office.

New envelope users/parishioners are asked to fill out a Parish

Registration Form and return it to an usher to obtain 2024 envelopes

CHRISTMAS CARD AND CAKES

We wish to thank all those who supported our parish Pro-Life effort on behalf of Right to Life and Campaign Life Coalition. Through your purchases, \$400.00 was collected for Right to Life Christmas Cards, and \$1,710.00 for Campaign Life through the sale of delicious cakes, jams and chocolates. Another \$100 in donations was given to Campaign Life. Thank you on behalf of the vulnerable, the unborn, the elderly the disabled, the sad and the lonely. The sacredness of human life has to be protected for those who have no voice.

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE INITIATIVES

During Lent - Coins for Life, 40 Days for Life

May - March for Life: Ottawa and Toronto

October - Life Chain

CHOOSE LIFE.

COFFEE SUNDAY THIS WEEKEND!!

January 20/21, 2024



Please stay after Mass to enjoy coffee, treats and the company of parish friends!

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus & the Daughters of Isabella

PIZZA SUNDAY!!

Sunday, January 28, 2024



Plan to join us after Mass next Sunday.

Pizza for purchase whole or by the slice.

Dine-in or take-out. Desserts and drinks

will also be available for purchase.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR
JANUARY 28, 2024
4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Deuteronomy 18.15
Psalms 95
1 Corinthians 7.32-35
Mark 1.21-28

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, 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, Ignacio Juarez Ednet, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Marta DiGregorio, Rosa Loschiavo, Anne Marie Skewes, Blossom Reid, and Sophia Oppel

**WE WELCOME
THE NEWLY BAPTIZED**

Mia Aurora Bruce



OFFERTORY

Weekly, Jan. 14	7, 585.00
Taxes/Ins	840.00
Restoration	840.00
2023 Donation	100.00

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